

# Desperate For A Dog

The Backyardigans

Mom and Dad  
Can't you see we're sad?  
Pining away for a canine  
Woe is me  
Oh, the misery  
We'd like a dog, we lack a dog  
Alas! Alack-a-dee!

Desperate  
Desperate for a dog  
We're just desperate for a dog  
(Give us a puppy)  
Not a gerbil or a frog  
We're just desperate for a dog  
(Give us a pooch)

A kid's best friend  
To romp and frisk and bark  
Lick your nose, shed on your clothes  
Chase a Frisbee in the park

We're desperate  
Desperate for a dog  
We're just desperate for a dog

We've asked you politely  
For a year or two  
You always say, "We'll see about it"  
Then you never do  
Our friends all have got dogs  
How do you think we feel?  
What's the big deal?  
A collie or a Dalmatian  
A poodle or an Alsatian  
Maltese, Pekingese  
Please, oh please, oh please, oh please, oh please!

Desperate  
Desperate for a dog  
We're just desperate for a dog  
(We're begging!)  
Keep your hamster and your hog  
We're just desperate for a dog

It's no big thing  
Any mutt will do  
Let's trot to the pound, pick out a hound  
Find a shoe for him to chew

We're desperate  
Desperate for a dog  
We're just desperate for a dog

Why not?  
But we told you, we'll take care of him!

All right, that's it, we've had it!

We won't accept defeat  
The time has come to march  
Let's take it to the streets  
Unfair! Unfair!  
Kids deserve a puppy there!

Desperate  
Desperate for a dog  
We're just desperate for a dog  
Desperate  
Desperate for a dog  
We're just desperate for a dog  
(Kids deserve a puppy there!)

To guard us as we jog  
Guide us through the fog  
Wait for us, faithfully  
Outside our church or synagogue

We're desperate  
Desperate for a dog  
We're just desperate for a dog  
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Puppy puppy puppy puppy puppy  
Puppy puppy puppy puppy

We're just desperate for a dog