

# Ran Out of Time

**Background:** Pets are family members. Well, maybe not all of them like goldfish, but some are. They give and receive love. You can play with them. They are companions. They have unique personalities, temperaments and behavior. They must have souls. They can impact you as much as a person. Sometimes more. I miss my buddy.

**Written:** April 19, 2024, the day Benji died

Arr.	Key	Time	Tuning	Tempo	Style	Capo
1	G	4/4	Standard	140	Acoustic Rock	None

Arrangement	1
Intro	C (type 2) Dadd9 x2
Verse	G C G D x2
Chorus	C D C D C D G x2
Bridge	Em Am C G D x2
Interlude	C (type 2) Dadd9 x2 G (type 2)

## Chords Used in this Song

G	C	D	Em	Am

## Chords Used in Intro and Interlude (Arpeggios and Strumming)

C (type 2)	Dadd9	G (type 2)

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## Verse

**G**

He was a family member

**C**

A brother and a friend

**G**

An unlikely soul mate

**D**

A companion to the end

**G**

It was a special bond

**C**

Without human complications

**G**

Unconditional love

**D**

Not burdened by expectations

## Verse

**G**

Sometimes you find friends

**C**

Where you never would expect

**G**

No language to confuse

**D**

Just a natural means to connect

**G**

And when they're gone

**C**

They leave a great big hole

**G**

It hurts every bit as much

**D**

As anyone you've ever known

## Chorus

**C**

We bonded like brothers

**D**

From day one

**C**

Harmonized like a rhyme

**D**

Spirits melting in the sun

**C**

A friendship so sublime

**D**

I wish we had another day

**G**

But we just ran out of time

**C**

Unlike the others

**D**

You'd never run

**C**

On top of me you'd climb

**D**

As gentle as the setting sun

**C**

As delicate as a wind chime

**D**

I wish we had another day

**G**

But we just ran out of time

## Verse

**G**

He lived his last day

**C**

Just like his first

**G**

Down the stairs he'd rumble

**D**

Into the room he'd burst

**G**

As joyful as a child

**C**

He would frolic and play

**G**

Flipping his ears back

**D**

Like a young girl's ponytail

**Chorus**

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### Bridge

**Em**

I've heard some say

**Am**

They don't have souls

**C**

That only people do

**G**

I don't believe that for a second

**D**

No it can't be true

**Em**

When your house goes

**Am**

From 5 to 4

**C**

It leaves a great big hole

**G**

How can he give such love and friendship

**D**

Yet not have a soul?

**Interlude (C (type 2) Dadd9 C (type 2) Dadd9 G (type 2))**

### Verse

**G**

Grief is not a contest

**C**

There's no ranking or set of rules

**G**

It's based on the bond you shared

**D**

And the impact they had on you

**G**

It doesn't have to be a human

**C**

Just one who touched your soul

**G**

Some impact you like a person

**D**

And can mean even more

**Chorus**

**C**

We didn't fall apart

**D**

No one went astray

**C**

We were still in our prime

**D**

Friends till the very last day

**C**

Nothing breaks the ties that bind

**D**

We'll always be soul mates

**G**

Who just ran out of time

**C**

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**G**

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**Am**

Oh yeah yeah yeah

**D**

**G**

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Not burdened by expectations

## Verse

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Just a natural means to connect  
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It hurts every bit as much  
As anyone you've ever known

## Chorus

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## Verse

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### **Chorus**

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### **Bridge**

I've heard some say  
They don't have souls  
That only people do  
I don't believe that for a second  
No it can't be true  
When your house goes  
From 5 to 4  
It leaves a great big hole  
How can he give such love and friendship  
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### **Interlude**

### **Verse**

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<p><b>Verse</b> He was a family member A brother and a friend An unlikely soul mate A companion to the end It was a special bond Without human complications Unconditional love Not burdened by expectations</p>	<p><b>Verse</b> He lived his last day Just like his first Down the stairs he'd rumble Into the room he'd burst As joyful as a child He would frolic and play Flipping his ears back Like a young girl's ponytail</p>	<p><b>Verse</b> Grief is not a contest There's no ranking or set of rules It's based on the bond you shared And the impact they had on you It doesn't have to be a human Just one who touched your soul Some impact you like a person And can mean even more</p>
<p><b>Verse</b> Sometimes you find friends Where you never would expect No language to confuse Just a natural means to connect And when they're gone They leave a great big hole It hurts every bit as much As anyone you've ever known</p>	<p><b>Chorus 1</b> We bonded like brothers From day one Harmonized like a rhyme Spirits melting in the sun A friendship so sublime I wish we had another day But we just ran out of time Unlike the others You'd never run On top of me you'd climb As gentle as the setting sun As delicate as a wind chime I wish we had another day But we just ran out of time</p>	<p><b>Chorus 2</b> We didn't fall apart No one went astray We were still in our prime Friends till the very last day Nothing breaks the ties that bind We'll always be soul mates Who just ran out of time We bonded like brothers From day one Harmonized like a rhyme Spirits melting in the sun A friendship so sublime I wish we had another day But we just ran out of time</p>
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	<p><b>Interlude (C (type 2) Dadd9 C (type 2) Dadd9 G (type 2))</b></p>	