

The Cat and the Dog

by Faith, age 8

Once there lived a dog and a cat. The cat was not allowed to eat mice and the dog was not allowed to go outside. But the cat thought that mice tasted so good that she just **had** to eat them, and the dog liked to go outside so much that he thought he just **had** to go outside.

Then one day the cat said, "I will remind you not to go outside if you remind me not to eat mice."

The dog answered, "That is a good idea!"

So from then on every time the cat tried to catch a mouse, the dog would remind her not to; and when the dog tried to go outside, the cat always reminded him not to.

The End