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*The Puppy*

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*She was sitting in her easy chair  
Comfortable  
Not really thinking  
More like resting*

*The puppy looked at her  
Big brown eyes  
She spoke to him  
She reached to touch him  
She wanted to cuddle with him*

*She tells her friend  
A puppy came from out of no where  
Don't touch him though  
He will disappear*

*He comes every day  
Just listens to me talk  
We sit together  
Eager for tomorrow*

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