

“Time for a Friend”

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### Opening Narration

The man you see here, this man of tears and trembles, is Charlie Flanders, age 67. The old fella in Charlie’s arms is Charlie’s dog, Bo, the man’s only companion, age 17. The door ahead reads: “Dr. R. S. Willoughby, DVM. ‘Ask about special care.’”

The doctor is waiting with a needle for Bo and a question for Charlie—a question to be answered only ... in the Twilight Zone.

### Closing Narration

This man of the happy step is Charlie Flanders, age 67. The bounding fella beside him is Charlie’s dog, Bo, age 7. Charlie didn’t hesitate at the doctor’s question. “Would you give half your remaining years for you and your dog to come out even?”

Sentimental slop, you might say. Charlie would say, sometimes, the good guys win. And a very special Doctor of Veterinary Medicine says there’s always room for a good boy ... in the Twilight Zone.