

The Dog Run - It's a Dog's World

COFFEE COLOR

1-1

I escaped from Fukushima
I am a tough French Bulldog, a 5
year old male
Living in this concrete jungle that is
Tokyo
Stress builds up like you wouldn't
believe
And as running is my favorite thing
The freedom of the Dog Run saves
me

1-2

A Mecca for us dogs, a paradise
Where we can all run around
carefree
But it's been a while since I've last
been there
It's because of my new owner
He's a quite well known singer-song
writer
He's so diligent but stuck in a slump
right now

1-3

When my owner is troubled, it's
trouble for me
I make a fuss and chase my tail
We finally made it to the Dog Land
today
Everyone here knows my back-
ground
That I came from troubled land
I survived a blast over 2000
becquerels and I'm ok

1-4

I met a kind hearted female Shiba
She's into Asian drama's and pop
idols
She told me her name was Bubulina
Another dog appeared barking "Bow
Wow"
He's the spitting image of his owner,
this community worker
He's a border Collie named Arnold

Chorus-1

The Dog Run, I just wanna run
The Dog Land, it's so exhilarating
There's nothing to put up with here
as I kick up the earth
With my tongue hanging in the
breeze

2-1

When I follow Arnold around
I get deeper into the dog community
The other dogs I meet are all good
fellas
But as a stray, I escaped death 2 or 3
times
And the life they live seems too
luxurious and easy
But they still seem to carry such
weight on their shoulders

2-2

Jack the pomeranian has puffy eyes
from lack of sleep
The problem is with his owner
Who hasn't been to work in a month
now
Words like "I want to die" escape from
his mouth
And he started to use peculiar drugs
Anxiety is keeping poor Jack awake at
night

2-3

We called a meeting to see what we
could do
I shouted out "the man is ill"
Bubulina said "it must be a broken
heart"
"What can we do?" groaned Arnold
"Play dead!" came a bark
It was Jack

2-4

Humans need so much looking after
One human took me in
He cared for me and gave me a life
A tsunami took everything away and I
was saved by a human again
I somehow made it to my new home in
Tokyo
I even have a chic new collar

Chorus-2

The Dog Run, we have each others
back
The Dog Run, we put our heads
together
To live life positively
Our hearts stay strong

3-1

Come to think of it, you know who
I haven't seen these days?
The old wrinkly Tosa breed
Sinatra and his wobbly old owner
Does anyone know what happened
to them?
Everyone adores "Sinatra Papa"
The dean of the dogs, any Dog
Land needs one

3-2

With saddened eyes Arnold
started to speak
"Papa won't be coming around
here no more
They were nestled together in
their little one room apartment
Eventually a council worker
opened the door
He carried them out and took
them away"
No one knows who went first, just
the 2 of them in their final
moments

3-3

"We'll never see Sinatra Papa
again!"
Bubulina started to cry
We fell silent and started to
grieve
Arnold started a to give condo-
lences
Papa's words flashed through my
mind
He said he'd never let his owner
die alone

3-4

We started sharing our memories
of Papa
And we Laid flowers on their tomb
On where their bodies lay
Are we the only ones who feel this
sadness?
Ah, all we can do is run as hard
as we can
Looking up at the distant sky

Chorus-3

The Dog Run, why oh why
The Dog Run, I feel so incomplete
I'll run until these tears dry
Until the end of day

4-1

Our sense of smell is a million times
stronger than humans
We age 10 times faster
Through my eyes I see that humans
are in danger
Loneliness is tearing them up inside
They hide it behind their money and
riches
Or is it that they don't know it's there

4-2

There's not much time we have left
together
We've always had each other's
support
What can one man do?
You're all being brain washed
People! Open your eyes
That's right, us dogs are taking a
stand

Chorus-4

The Dog Run, hear our howls
The Dog Run, do you hear us?
They will echo from town to town
Our cries of love

Chorus-5

The Dog Run, we believe
The Dog Run, until the end
We feel for you humans
Ah, till it makes us heartsick

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