

DEDICATED TO MUFFIN, I LOVE YOU AND MISS YOU.
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I came in this world an unwanted cat,
In a cage at the shelter, I was born and I sat.

For month after month I waited for a home,
With more room than this cage to play and to roam.

Then one day in September, a lady walked in,
She opened my cage and announced, "I want him."

She told me my face was so pretty and round,
She called me her "Muffin" and I liked the sound.

I followed my new mommy wherever she went,
And I snuggled my face in her arm where it bent.

I made mommy laugh when I carried my toy,
She scratched under my chin and said, "Muffin's my good boy."

In March I got sick, my tummy felt so bad,
Mommy held me close with her heart heavy and sad.

In April my liver failed and no one knew just why,
No matter how hard they tried, it was my time to die.

Mommy, Grandpa, and the vet petted me as I went,
My little tired orange body, to a better place they sent.

I'm in heaven now; the angels carried me away,
They have some fuzzy mice with which I want to play.

I use to think I was unwanted, but that was never true,
Mommy was destined to want me, but God wanted me too.