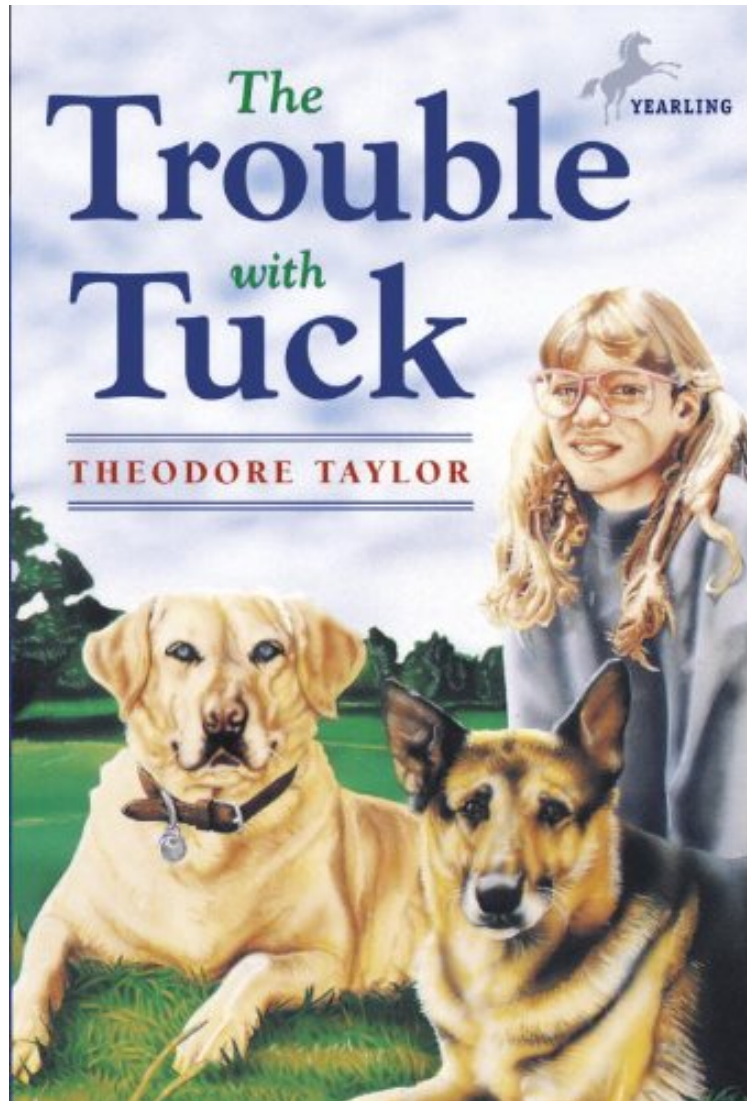


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Kurzbeschreibung Available for the first time in a Yearling edition, the classic, inspiring story of a dog who triumphs against all odds, by the bestselling author of *The Cay*. Helen adored her beautiful golden Labrador from the first moment he was placed in her arms, a squirming fat sausage of creamy yellow fur. As her best friend, Friar Tuck waited daily for Helen to come home from school and play. He guarded her through the long, scary hours of the dark night. Twice he even saved her life. Now it's Helen's turn. No one can say exactly when Tuck began to go blind. Probably the light began to fail for him long before the alarming day when he raced after some cats and crashed through the screen door, apparently never seeing it. But from that day on, Tuck's trouble--and how to cope with it--becomes the focus of Helen's life. Together they fight the chain that holds him and threatens to break his spirit, until Helen comes up with a solution so new, so daring, there's no way it can fail. From the Trade Paperback edition. From School Library Journal Grade 3-6. Christina Moore reads this well-known children's book by Theodore Taylor (Doubleday, 1989) quietly, but with intensity and emotion. She brings to life the story of a young girl, Helen, whose beloved dog "Friar Tuck Golden Boy," or "Tuck" for short, begins going blind. Helen and her parents first seek medical help, but when the veterinary medical advancements of the mid-1950s are inadequate to help Tuck, they try to find a companion dog for him so that they will not have to keep him chained up in their backyard. Young dog-loving listeners will thoroughly enjoy this quiet, engaging story. Beverly Bixler, El Paso Public Library, TX Copyright 1997 Reed Business Information, Inc. Pressestimmen "Moving and heart-warming." --"The Horn Book Magazine" "A great animal story. . . . Don't miss it." --"St. Louis Post-Dispatch" "Moving and heart-warming." --"The Horn Book Magazine" "A great animal story. . . . Don't miss it." --"St. Louis Post-Dispatch"