

Stan Ridgway, Dogs

one dog buries a bone
and then the other dog digs it up
and finds a prize in store
one dog dies and the other dogs
go dig him up a tomb with his name inscribed

and there on his tombstone carved so bold
the words are clear and strong
it says:

this one is for the eyes
for the eyes of the other dogs who come
it's for the eyes of the other dogs to come

one man digs a hole while another man shovels dirt
inside another hole
one man says hello while another one is leaving
on a long journey to a place he'll return

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it says:

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every entrance has an exit
and every doorknob has a twist
i wonder what my face looked like
before it looked like this?

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