

Lucky Sneakers

Jan sat down on Doug's bed. If only there was a sure	16
way to win the race! She ran her fingers over the gold cup that	26
Doug had won in a footrace. She could remember how proud	37
Dad had been when Doug told how he had won the cup.	49
"I didn't expect to win that race," Doug had said. "I	60
guess it really wasn't me as much as my lucky sneakers."	71
Jan looked across the room. There were the same lucky	81
sneakers! They had become too tight for Doug to wear. Like	92
the rest of his body, Doug's feet had grown a lot in the past	106
year.	107