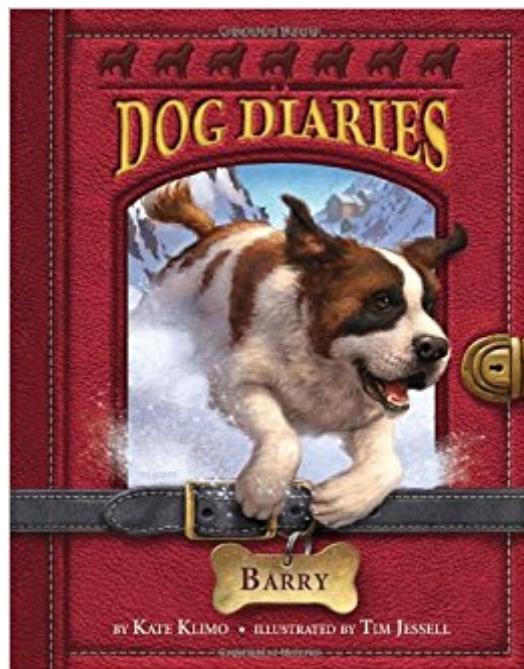


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## Dog Diaries #3: Barry



## **Synopsis**

Barry der MenschenretterÂ•a.k.a. BarryÂ•the most famous St. Bernard dog in history, tells the story of his life for the first time. Eight-thousand feet above sea level, in the treacherous pass in the Alps between Italy and Switzerland, the monks of the hospice of St. Bernard have, since the 11th century, kept dogs to help them rescue travelers lost in the snow. In time, these dogs became a breed unto themselves, named for the hospice. They are responsible for helping over 2,000 travelers who might otherwise have frozen to death. With great modesty, Barry tells not just about his own heroic exploits (saving over 40 lives, including that of a 12-year-old boy frozen in a cave), but about his daily life in the hospice, his close relationship with the brothers who train him, and about the other hospice hounds with whom he teams up to guide lost travelers and save lives. With realistic black-and-white illustrations by Tim JessellÂ•plus an appendix with information about St. Bernards, the Great St. Bernard Hospice, and much, moreÂ•Barry's tale is perfect for dog-crazy middle-grade readers!

## **Book Information**

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Grade Level: 2 - 5

## **Customer Reviews**

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Grand-Daughter loved it.

My 10 yr old daughter had to do report on a historical fiction book. She wasn't finding a book she wanted to read (they were mostly about people and she isn't interested in people, only animals), so off to search I went and found this book. She loved the book, it has sad parts, but that's how life is in reality. Plus the fact that it fit the teacher's criteria and my daughter's criteria was a HUGE benefit!

Great book. Lots of action and keeps kids waiting what's coming next

My granddaughter first read the Horse Diaries and loved how the stories were written from the horse's point of view. When she saw the Dog Diaries she put them on her Christmas wishlist with me. She can't wait for more.

Great book.

A wonderful series. We are enjoying the story of Barry by Barry very much.

Incredible book. St. Bernards are incredible. Barry had a very good heart. He's awesome keep up the great work. :D

Loved it

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