

Ten Things about Winn-Dixie

1. "Number one was that he had a pathological fear of thunderstorms."
2. "Number two was he liked to smile, using all his teeth."
3. "Number three was he could run fast."
4. "Number four was that he snored."
5. "Number five was that he could catch mice without squishing them to death."
6. "Number six was he liked to meet people."
7. "Number seven was he liked to eat peanut butter."
8. "Number eight was he couldn't stand to be left alone."
9. "Number nine was he liked to sit on couches and sleep in beds."
10. "Number ten was he didn't mind going to church."

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