Happy Tails



Cosita was a little sunbather and a true love of a dog. Sadly, her family's home was foreclosed upon and Cosita was surrendered for adoption. With her happy-go-lucky personality and her affinity for belly rubs, it was just a matter of time before she would be adored for the sweet girl that she was. Along came Tara, and the two of them were off

to a wonderful new beginning in their life together. Tara recently sent us this update.....

"She is doing great! Cosita (Cosie) is now Cordelia (Cordy) and she was responding to her new name within a couple of hours. She also bonded to me pretty quickly. I took her over to my cousin's house to visit and the kids were trying to take her for walks around the yard; she would get about 10 feet away and realize I wasn't coming, then drag the kids back over to me. She is adjusting to the other dogs in the house, and so far, so good. They are establishing the pecking order, but it's looking as though she'll be taking the alpha role. Kind of a surprise given how sweet and laid back she is! We are working on toy play and she seems to be adapting to her new home really well. Cordy is constantly making me laugh with what we've dubbed 'the fastest tail in the west,' and seems to be really happy. She is a wonderful addition to my life!"

When you adopt a homeless dog or cat you will forever make a difference in their life and they are sure to make a difference

A New Kitty Purrhaps?





Gracie and Rocky

There are lots of kitties with lots of love to share. They're ready to share their heart and forever home with you...

One of 40 cats rescued from a windowless barn in the Antelope Valley, Nastia is as sunny as her former home was dark. Nastia is a very friendly cat who enjoys petting and attention, but is also very active and playful. For a good time, sit back in your favorite lounge chair and play with her using a laser pointer. She will chase the elusive red dot for hours, chattering excitedly to herself. She is used to being with other cats, but can be territorial with her toys! She would be fine as an only cat, or paired with another spunky kitty. However, small children tend to frighten her.

Camille is a beautiful gray and white female tuxedo who was rescued from an abandoned downtown building starving and scared. She and her sister Nina were taken into Kitten Rescue and quickly nursed back to good health. Camille is a super-gentle kitty who loves to head butt you and sit on your lap. She purrs constantly and dreams of a loving and safe forever home with her sister Nina. Camille and Nina are very outgoing and very affectionate. They love people and adore each other. They love helping you out on the computer or sitting next to you while you watch television. They groom and play with each other and both come to their names when you call them. They act more like a couple of puppies than cats and are constantly coming up with different games to play with you or each other. They fetch their toys and play chase, and their favorite activity of all is to be purring next to you while being petted. If you are looking for two gorgeous tuxedo females who will bring lots of laughs and cuddles to your home, look no further!

This is Gracie--Grace Kelly that is. She was rescued from the shelter with her brother Rocky. They love to play with toys and other kitties, especially together as they are very bonded to each other. Gracie can be shy sometimes, but she is also very interested in



Lil' Abner

what is happening around her. Although she doesn't really like to be held, she does love to be petted. Her brother is Rocky--Rock Hudson to be exact. He loves to cuddle and wants to be involved with everything. They hope to find a forever home together.

Lil'Abner was found with his three brothers in a box at the side of the road. The family was only two weeks old and had to be bottle fed. Two of them, unfortunately, did not survive. The other brother was adopted, and now Lil' Abner is the only one still looking for a home. Lil' Abner is an amazingly good-natured cat who loves other cats. He is quite partial to older males. His favorite thing is to go up to a friendly older male cat and head butt him. Then he'll walk side by side with him while rubbing his head against him. It's really one of the sweetest things ever. With people, Lil' Abner's tendencies seem to come through as well in that although he is friendly with everyone, he is quite partial to men. He likes to cuddle up with his foster dad and give him kisses.

These kittens/cats are available for adoption through Kitten Rescue, one of the largest cat rescue groups in Southern California. All of our kitties are spayed/neutered, microchipped, tested for FeLV and FIV, dewormed and current on their vaccinations. For additional information and to see our other kitties, please check our website www.kittenrescue.org. You can also email us at mail@kittenrescue.org to find out more about this week's pets.

We have several weekly adoption events in the Westside. On Saturday/Sunday we are at a venue located in Mar Vista at 3860 Centinela Avenue, just south of Venice Boulevard. On Saturday only, we are in West Los Angeles at 11055 West Pico Boulevard at Pico and Sepulveda; and on Sunday, we are in Santa Monica at 2910 Wilshire Boulevard at Yale Street. Adoption hours at these venues are noon to 3:30 p.m. We also have our fourth Saturday of the month venue in Manhattan Beach located at 1816 North Sepulveda Boulevard, with adoption hours from 10:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. •

<u>Pets Without Partners</u>



Bogie





Marcie

Something wonderful awaits you when you adopt a "pet without a partner."

CoCo was found in a grocery store parking lot and her owners were never located. This sweet girl gets along with all the dogs at the rescue and is cat-safe as well. She is a small little girl who is about one year old and weighs around seven pounds. She is fully grown. She has a very sweet, friendly personality and you will love her when you meet her. She loves to be on your lap or snuggling up to you at night. CoCo is current on her vaccinations, spayed and microchipped.

Bogie is a mixed breed mutt; of what, we e not quite sure, but is he ever so cute. Bogie was born around February 21, 2009 and will grow up to be a nice, mediumsized dog. He is your typical puppy, full of spunk, and if he had it his way he would play, play, and play all day long. Bogie is friendly with all the other little ones at the rescue and loves everyone he meets. He is a very happy, no-issue puppy. Puppies are a lot of work, so be sure you have the time on your hands to raise one. Bogie is current on his vaccinations, will be neutered when of age and microchipped.

Violet is a pretty little gal. She is a mixed breed dog who looks like she has some Shar Pei in her mixed with some Staffie. She was named Violet because of her spectacular little personality. She just lights up around people. Violet is smart, a quick learner and wants to please. Her personality is very easygoing and extremely friendly. She gets along with everyone she meets and has very good play manners with other dogs. Violet is good with all ages of children and will make a nice ad-



CoCo





Violet

dition into any home situation. She is current on her vaccinations, spayed and microchipped.

We pulled Marcie out of the Downey shelter on her last day and boy, did we score with this little gem of a dog! She is all of four pounds and cute, cute, cute! Her age is estimated to be around three years old. Marcie is truly a companion dog who just wants to be with you where ever you go. She is friendly to those she meets and her tail wags non-stop. Her next favorite thing is sunbathing belly up! She is a sun goddess and just a super-sweet Chihuahua. Because of her size, we would like the children in her family to be over 12, please--she is just too small. Marcie is current on her vaccinations, spayed and microchipped.

To learn more about these and other wonderful dogs and cats, visit our website at www.animalsrule.org. Or come to our Saturday adoption events from 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. at 305 North Harbor Blvd, San Pedro (look for the big red brick building just past the corner of O'Farrell). Our website is always current; if the dog's picture is on this website, it is still available. E-mail is the best way to communicate with us: info@ animalsrule.org. We are always in need of donations for veterinarian bills and our senior dogs. Donations can be made though our website or by sending a check payable to: Animals Rule Placement Foundation at 305 North Harbor Blvd. San Pedro, CA 90731. All donations are tax- deductible; we are a registered 501(C)3 non-profit organization.

Saving one animal won't change the world, but the world will surely change for that animal. •