

## Pets Without Partners



**Falcon**



**Rupert**



**Sammy**

Happy holidays! Adopt one of this week's "pets without partners" and make this season one to remember!

**Rupert** was rescued out of the Downey Shelter on his last day. He is an oldie, but a definite goodie. He is an endearing senior dog who is about 10 years old, but you would never know it. Rupert is good with other dogs, loves to sunbathe, takes naps, and loves being carried around and doted upon. Poor Rupert was suffering from an infected mouth and he was not eating because it was just too painful. We had all his rotten teeth pulled and he has since relearned how to eat without them. He has totally recovered, has a new lease on life and is spunky, sassy, lovable, sweet, affectionate, and makes us laugh on a daily basis. We just love senior dogs; they bring so much joy into your life. We are looking for a very special home for this very special dog who has stolen all of our hearts. He loves car rides, walks, and resting on your lap. He is 100 percent crate-trained and housebroken with an open door. Rupert is too small for a home with toddlers or young kids. He loves people, his tail never stops wagging and it is obvious he is so appreciative to have gotten out of that shelter. Rupert is current on his vaccinations, microchipped, and is neutered.

**Falcon** comes from a family of five who were born on October 8, 2009. He is an orphan pup whose mom (a Dachshund/Terrier mix) died when he was four weeks old. Falcon is gorgeous with his shiny black coat and

two white front paws. He is an amazing little guy, curious and playful. He is in foster care, available for pre-adoption at this time and will be able to go home after December 12, 2009. He will need to make a trip back to us in March 2010 to be fixed. This happy, healthy, sweet, silly, good-natured puppy will be a real joy in your life. Falcon is sponsored by Peter Chang and Cauleen Svanda. He is current on his vaccinations, has been de-wormed, microchipped, and will be neutered soon.

**Sam** is a super-friendly, seven-year-old, very happy-go-lucky Cocker Spaniel. He has a black, shaggy coat with white highlights. In 2007, he was adopted out by our rescue group to a lovely couple. Sam's owners died recently and family did not step up to the plate for this dog. He was left in the

empty house as it was put up for sale. The realtors were feeding him. The new owners of the house noticed our dog tag on him, called us, and we immediately took him in. Sam is happy, friendly, sweet, endearing, lovable, good-natured and really a well-adjusted dog. He hasn't missed a beat. Sammy is completely housebroken, cat-safe, great with kids, good on walks and looking for another family to call his own this holiday season. He is a little overweight from being free-fed by the realtors, but that is very easily fixed. Come by and meet Sam. You will surely be smitten. Sam is current on his vaccinations, microchipped, and is neutered.

To learn more about these and other wonderful dogs, visit our website at [www.animalsrule.org](http://www.animalsrule.org). Or come to our Saturday adoption events from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 305 North Harbor Boulevard, 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](mailto:info@animalsrule.org). We are always in need of donations for veterinarian bills and our senior dogs. Donations can be made through 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. •

## Happy Tails



Roxy (left) found her forever home.

Last, but not least, Roxy was our final dog to be adopted from the Manhattan Beach Hometown Fair. From being abandoned in an Arizona river to a wonderful home in the South Bay, here is her update.

"Roxy is adapting well to her new home and is enjoying having a big brother dog to lean on. She has a lot of energy and is giving our older dog Milo, a good work out in the morning, which is something he desperately needs. Roxy has a very sweet disposition and loves kisses and hugs...both giving and getting. She is fine with our cat Lita and is already part of the family. Our son is coming home from college for this weekend and can't wait to meet her." Laurie

When you adopt a "pet without a partner", you will forever make a difference in their life and they are sure to make a difference in yours. •

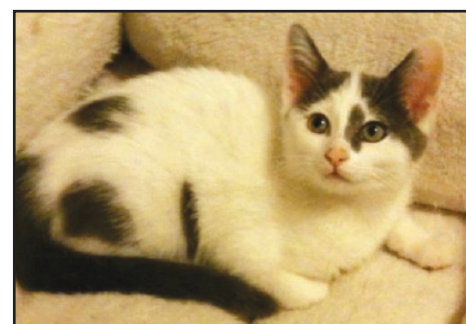
## Purrrfect Companions



**Albert**



**Ernie**



**Emily**



**Elle**

These "purr-fect partners" are hoping to hare this holiday with their "purr-fect" family.

**Ernie** is a clever and fun little boy who is oh so cute! Ernie and his sisters (Emily and Elle) were rescued from the street when they were just a few weeks old. Ernie has beautiful, silky-soft fur and warm, bluish/grey eyes. He also has darling long, white socks on his front paws and likes to play ball so much that you might think this little boy was wearing his baseball socks and pants. In fact, Ernie excels at all kitten sports – chasing balls and mice, exploring, kitten wrestling and the like. Though he is a player first, this sweet boy also has a soft and tender side. Ernie enjoys being petted, and when you pet him he gives you head butts back, just asking for more. It is so cute to watch him because he moves his head around while you pet him as if he is attempting to tell you what spots he wants petted next. He is a sweet little snuggler too, and is happiest curled up next to you either alone or with one of this sisters. Ernie would love to find a home with one of his sisters, or with one of his foster friends – Albert, Johnny or Robbie. He is also available to be adopted into

a home that already has a young kitten/cat that is looking for a fun and playful friend.

**Emily** is a gentle, sweet and fun-loving little girl who is oh so beautiful! She has gorgeous silky-soft white fur with just the cutest little blue/grey button spots on her right side. She is a little Dalmatian kitty. Emily is super easygoing and a little lover. Emily enjoys being petted and tickled and will sometimes roll over on her stomach for a little tickle and rub session. Like her sister Elle, Emily loves to snuggle up with the adult resident kitties in her foster home, although she is just as happy snuggled up with one of her siblings or with another foster kitten. With her gentle demeanor, she just always wants to cuddle with someone

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