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SOUTHERN COMFORT ANIMAL RESCUE

Providing love, care and shelter for homeless dogs since 2001

April News

A Message From the President of SoCo Rescue

For those of you who don't know, I had to say good-bye to Walker last month. I found Walker as a very young pup almost 13 years ago while driving along Highway 19 from Glenwood to Dublin. Over the years Walker became the most amazing dog I'd ever met, and I've met and have owned a vast number of dogs. He once literally saved my life after I became trapped in a kennel with a bulldog that had attacked me. Walker jumped a 6' fence with ease, drew the attention of the bulldog away from me long enough for me to escape harm and then sat next to me as if to say "I got your back, Dad." As you can imagine, it's been a very hard time. Many of you have been so very kind to send your heartfelt condolences and donations in his name and for those I am very thankful.

What keeps me going is knowing that we all have more dogs to save. More dogs to put into homes so others out there can find their Walker. We have continued each and every month to transport dogs and pups. I am so thankful of ALL our volunteers who give generously to SoCo, truly making this all possible.

Like it or not, it's that time again! I am happy to celebrate my birthday with you and of course I'd chose SoCo Rescue as my charity to support with my birthday fundraiser. After all, SoCo Rescue rescued me by giving me the greatest treasure ever: my dogs! I once again challenge our friends and supporters to help me raise \$100 for each year that I've been alive, or \$6,200 total, between now and the end of May.

[Scott's Birthday Fundraiser Here](#)

Ways to donate:

Venmo: @soco-rescue (four digit code: 0145)
 PayPal: socorescue@gmail.com
 Website: www.socorescue.com

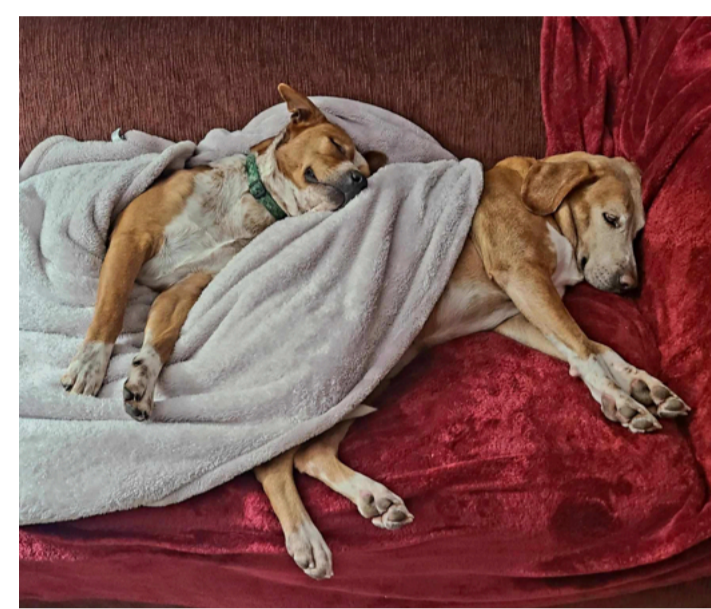
A heartfelt thank you for all donations, large or small!

Wishing you and yours all the best and hope we meet again soon,
 Scott Bennett



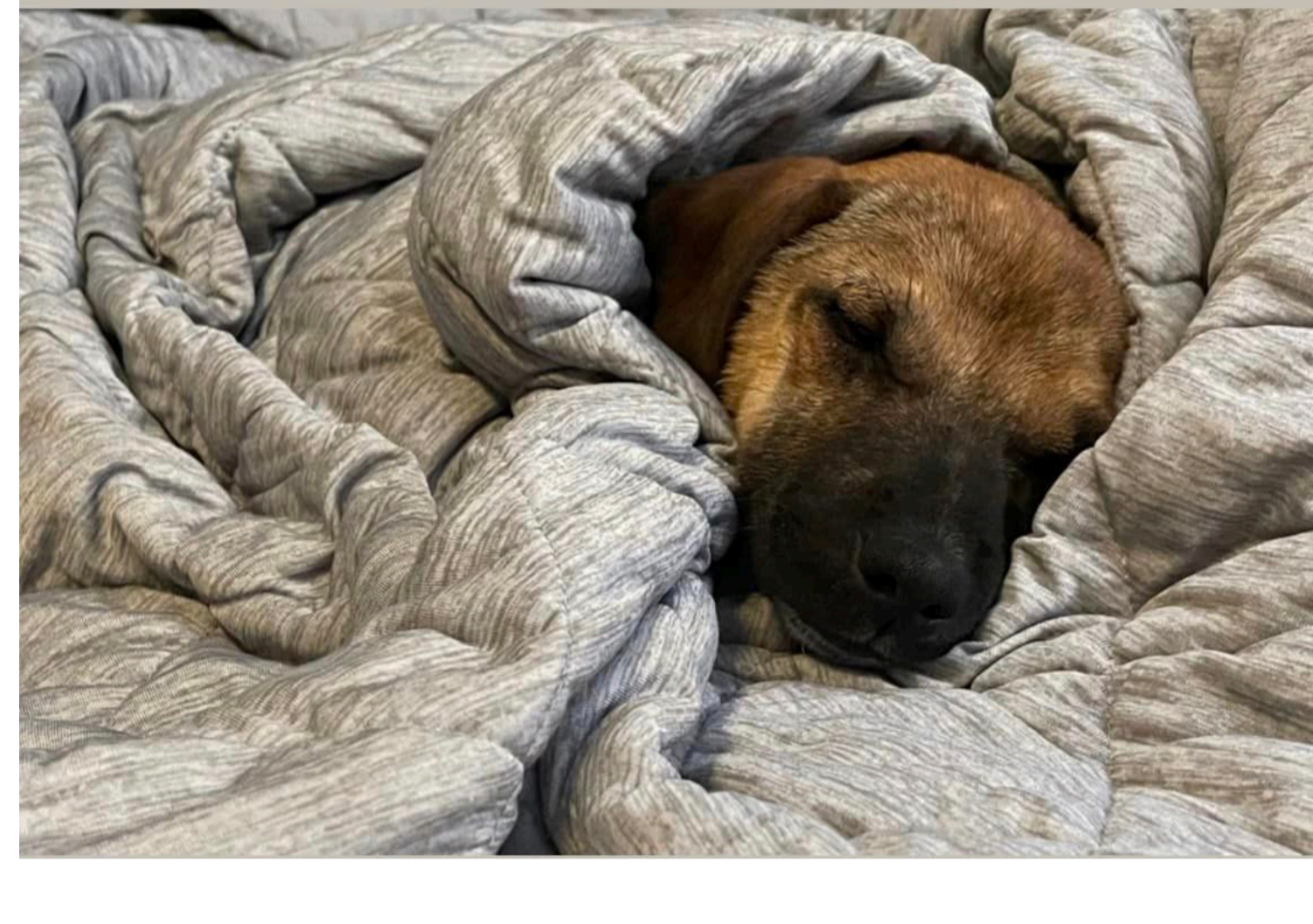
Walker will be missed by one and all. May he rest in peace.

Pawsative News



Some dogs we have longer than others. Gypsy and her son Grover have been at the rescue about 2 years now. Gypsy's opportunity finally after a wonderful couple read Gypsy's profile on our web page and knew that she would be perfect for their home. In February of this year, Matt Kiener of [FlyPups](#) made a special trip to our area to pick-up Gypsy and get her onto New Jersey so she could begin her life with her new family. While we all rejoiced for Gypsy, those of us here in Georgia were deeply saddened to see the change in Grover who became depressed and sullen. We knew we need to get him on the next Freedom Ride, so he made the trip in March. But at the close of the adoption weekend, Grover had no foster. In desperation, we reached out to the Hacketts, the couple who adopted Gypsy. They kindly offered to open their home to foster Grover. Gypsy and Grover had quite a reunion! You know the ending of this story: Debra and David fell in love with Grover and now he is part of their family! Our team could not be happier for a pair of wonderful dogs who waited and waited for the perfect home. A huge thank you to the Hacketts for making their dreams come true!

Fostering Saves Lives!



**Lots of puppies coming April 28th on the FlyPups plane!
 Can you take a pup or 2 for the weekend?**

Here's what our foster parents have to say:

- SoCo foster dogs have been great house guests. They're just so happy to be out of the Rescue and they show their appreciation every day!
- Fostering an adult dog was easy, they picked up on a daily routine within days. We had a great playmate for our dog. We want to foster again!
- I do miss my foster but I am so happy to see her in her forever true home and know that I helped!

We need you! Make a time-limited commitment. We provide all the supplies, no cost to you. You will make a difference that lasts a lifetime!

New fosters: [Apply here](#)

Previous fosters: email SoCoRescue@gmail.com

Take a puppy home for the weekend!

Successes!



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 Sun, April 30 - 10am-2pm

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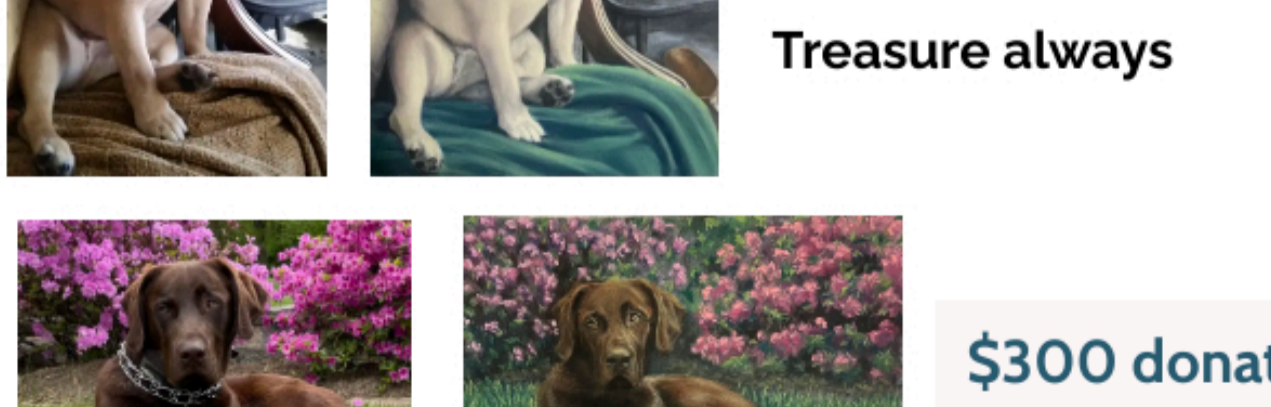
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\$300 donation

11x14 or 12x16

SoCo's resident artist, Allison Pastor, has done dozens of portraits over the years. After adopting SoCo's Roxy, Allison was inspired to give back and donates all the proceeds to SoCo.

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SoCo Rescue (Southern Comfort Animal Rescue) is now part of the Chewy Gives Back program. **SoCo has a Wish List of items that are always needed.** Any items purchased are greatly appreciated. Just click [HERE](#) to access the Wish List.

If you're a new customer to Chewy.com click [HERE](#) - so SoCo Rescue can get \$15 for all new customers! A great way to help our rescue!

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