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## How Our Pets Can Reduce Our Stresses and Anxieties

By: Stanley Popovich

Animals and our pets can be a great way to reduce our every day stresses and anxieties. It is not easy to deal with our fears and anxieties, however, spending time with animals can makes us feel better. Here is a list of ways of how our pets can help us to better cope with our fears, anxieties, and stresses and why its good to own a pet.

Spending time with your pets can be a great source of companionship. Whether you have a pet or go to your local shelter, spending time with an animal or pet can help us to feel better. Also many people talk to their pets and this can help us to get their problems out in the open. Animals can be of good company to all of us and can prevent the fear of being alone during our troubles.

Helping animals and other people through community service can be a great way to overcome our anxieties. There are many animals out there who could benefit from your time and talents. Doing something that will help your pet or other animals can give you a source of pride and accomplishment and also can lead to possible friendships with others.

Sitting around and accomplishing nothing will not make things any better whether its dealing with the fear of being alone or something else. Animals can help us to be active and to focus our energies on working with them instead of worrying about things that may or may not happen. This will prevent us from worrying about our current situation.

One of the ways to manage stress is to challenge your negative thinking with positive thoughts. Animals can help us to relax and help us to focus on the good things in our lives. This will help us to focus positively on any situation. Playing with animals can help reduce our fears and anxieties in any situation.

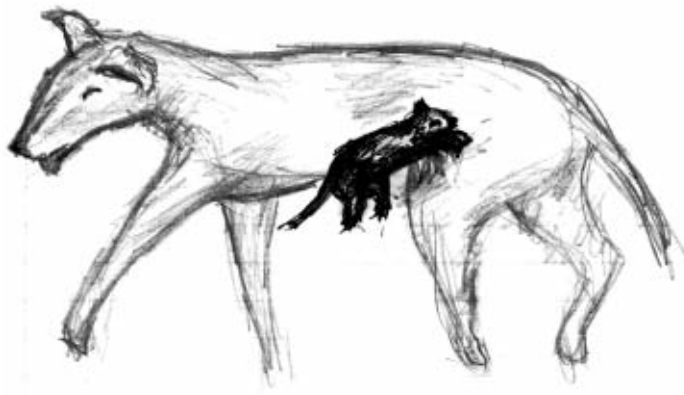
Animals can get our minds off of our problems. A person could do an activity with their pet or other animals that will give them a fresh perspective on things. Spending time with animals will get your mind off of the problem and give you the energy to do other things. Most importantly, playing with animals will give you the self-confidence that you can cope and that you can get through the day.

Remember that there are many ways that animals can reduce the stresses of our every day life, however, they are not a substitute of getting professional help. If your fears and anxieties become overwhelming, then you will need to talk to a counselor. The next time you feel stressed, spend some time with your pet or other animals and you will be better able to cope with your worries.

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Stan Popovich is the author of "A Layman's Guide to Managing Fear Using Psychology, Christianity and Non Resistant Methods" - an easy to read book that presents a general overview of techniques that are effective in managing persistent fears and anxieties. For additional information go to: <http://www.managingfear.com/>





## FROM THE WORLD OF GUS

When people are talking about other people who don't like each other, they say, "They get along like cats and dogs."

When it comes to an outside meeting, or even a sighting, of a strange dog by a cat, or vice versa, it is pretty much a knee jerk reaction. The cat, seeing the more powerful predator, runs and/or climbs. The chase is on! What could be more natural? No wonder that "cats and dogs" thing was coined. In the old days when dogs and cats roamed free, this must have been an everyday experience.

Nowadays, when cats and dogs are members of the family and are not allowed to roam, the relationship between the two species may be very different. Naturally protective dogs may present a grave danger to outside cats, especially if the cat is unwise enough to invade this dog's yard; protecting his territory is this dog's reason for existence. There are dogs of the "bully" breeds and some terriers, especially the bull terrier, which will attack any small furry thing, at anytime, with intent to kill. It is in their genes. Many of these cannot live with a cat.

Protective dogs are not usually a problem to the family's inside cats if they have been properly introduced.

However, most dogs get along fine with cats indoors as well as dogs get along with dogs, and better than cats get along with cats. Obviously any change in the pet population of your house needs to be monitored at first until the dynamics are clear and stabilized.

Personally, I am just a goof. Outside I will chase anything and everything through fields and woods. I've never caught anything yet, and I hope I never do. Chasing is what it is all about. I even chase the Great Blue Heron if he is around the pond when we take our morning walk. Goodness, what would I do with that big thing if I caught it?

Inside the house I am everybody's buddy, except for one cat, Jetson. Jetson and I are not buddies, we are lovers.

Oh, not in that way, silly! We are both neutered males. It may be platonic but our bond of love is deep. Jetson worries about me when I am out of sight. If I come to the back door and scratch or jump on it to tell my two-leggers that I want to come in from the back yard they better not ignore me. They can't wait until the next commercial because Jetson will find them and make their lives miserable with yowling until they give up, get up and let me and the other dogs come into the house.

Nap time, or bed time – you may not know where all the family pets are sleeping, but you do know that Jetson and I are curled up together. Usually the ritual also includes each of us cleaning the other's face and ears. And Jetson will never do a half-hearted job of cleaning. Sometimes he will attach his claws to my face or ear to hold it steady for his rough tongue. It hurts a little but I guess that there are compromises in every loving relationship.

## Volunteers of the Month...

### JANET LITTON

Janet is a wonderful volunteer who works hard on getting MaxFund dogs adopted. She is a regular dog walker, which is enough to be a treasured volunteer. But she does even more. She is a professional photographer and knows how to capture your heart with her photos. She even has managed to photograph the dogs in play—no easy task. We know, though, that sometimes photos are not enough. How do you capture a dog's personality in a single shot? You can't. So Janet has been making wonderful and fun videos of some of the dogs that really need extra attention and assistance in getting adopted.

Making great videos is not all Janet has done. At Christmas, she put together an initiative to purchase dog beds for just about every dog at MaxFund. She sold beautiful holiday cards featuring portraits of adoptable dogs and was able to raise enough funds to purchase the beds. The dogs now have the beds in their cages and seem to really be enjoying them! If they can't have a home to call their own yet, at least they have a bed!

Finally, Janet works hard to learn about how to help the dogs. For example, she took a more difficult dog to get extra training and is determined to help him.

*Thank you, Janet, for all you do for the dogs at MaxFund!*



# A CAT'S UNIVERSE

by Snoopy & Gizmo

## ***Crazy Critters***

Yup, that's what I call them. You remember the snow we had the first part of February? Well, Loki just loved it. It was dragging on his stomach, and he loved it. In fact, where the wind blew it up high it was over his back in height! He plowed it with his nose and jumped big leaps and just had loads of fun. But then he is a dog and everyone knows dogs are crazy.

Going along with the above logic, Gizmo is also crazy and therefore must be a ... dog (?). Well, goodness me, all this time I could have sworn he was a cat. You are probably wondering what this is all about. As I have mentioned before my Mom, Dad and I live down stairs and our place has 2 large window wells. Gizmo loves to go out one of the windows and sit in the well and sniff the air, look up at the trees and sometimes smell the wild animals that came into our yard during the night. Well, when it snows, the window wells get snow in them. The west window does not get as much as the north one but this time it got quite a bit (almost up to his elbows). Gizmo as usual wanted to go out and Dad opened the window for him and out he went. I thought that was crazy enough but then he started pawing at the snow and then jumping at it and into it. Can you believe that! When he came in, I sniffed him really good just to make sure he was, in fact, still a cat. I was concerned that someone with a magic wand (we watch Harry Potter too you know) had changed him into a dog.

Well, that's all the excitement for now. Hope you enjoy the snow as much as Loki and Gizmo.

*Your cat reporter, Snoopy*

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- Disseminate information on spay/neuter facilities and conduct

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-Be a spokesperson for the animals on issues of animal welfare.

-Cooperate with other animal facilities/shelters in the accomplishment of the above goals.

Contributions for this newsletter are welcome. Please check the back page of newsletter for each month's deadline. We especially enjoy letters and photos from animals adopted from our shelter.

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# FOSTER OF THE MONTH

## AMY MARZAN

Amy is a loving foster who has fostered for MaxFund since 2008. In that time, she has fostered four adult cats: Siam, Beau, Shelley and Jackson. These cats all tested positive for FeLV, which makes them almost impossible to adopt. Although FeLV cats can live healthy lives, adopters shy away from the label and, therefore, their best chance of finding a home is a foster home.

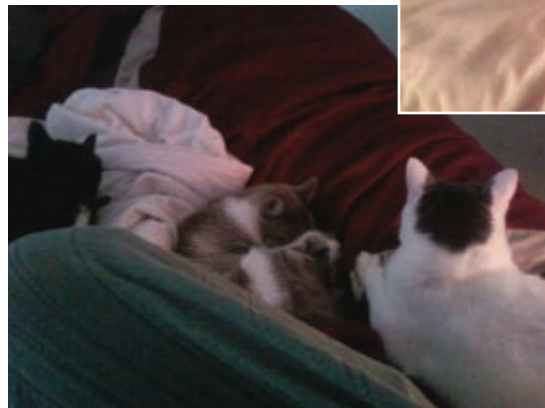
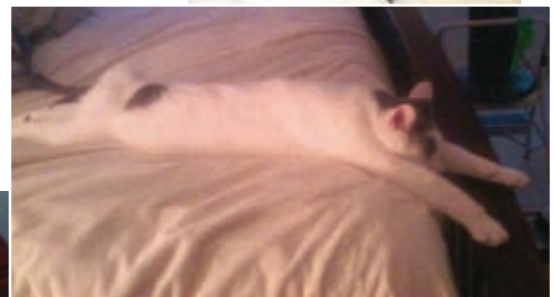
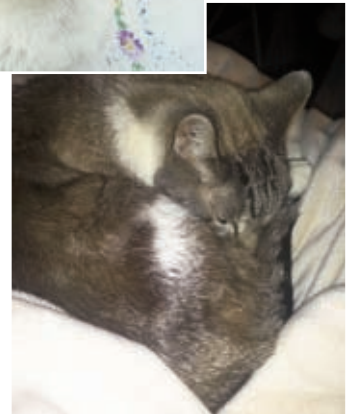
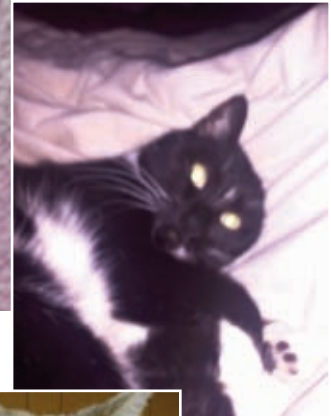
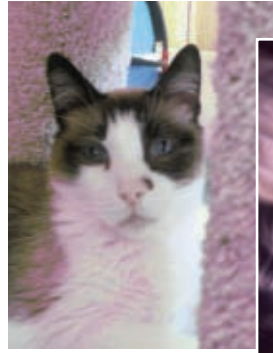
Although Amy has loved all of her fosters, Siam stands out the most. He has been with her since 2008 and will be 17 years old this summer. According to her, he is a “laid-back, funny little guy.” He only has two teeth left in his mouth, but he likes to show them off all of the time! Jackson also stands out for her. Sadly, Jackson passed away but according to Amy, he had one of the neatest personalities in a cat that she had ever seen. He was the epitome of a “cool cat.”

FeLV cats may live to be old cats, but often pass away at a younger age. Both Beau and Jackson crossed the Rainbow Bridge while living with Amy. That is one of the challenging things about fostering FeLV cats, but she is happy to give them a home for whatever time they have. Like all animals, they deserve a loving home, and Amy provides one for them.

### WHY DOES SHE FOSTER?

She just loves the cats. She wants to give them a chance at a normal life. According to her, the cats bring more to her family than her family could ever give to them!

*Pawnote: You, too, can experience the joys of fostering. MaxFund is always in desperate need of foster homes, especially cat foster homes. Please contact the shelter today to find out how you can foster.*





## MAXFUND'S MAILBAG

Dear MaxFund,

Thank you so much for taking care of me when I was lost and homeless. And thank you for helping me find my forever home!

I wanted to give you an update now that I am with my forever family!

My family has decided to name me Rockie, because they say I look like a mountain. I have a new best friend whose name is Zoe. She is a 3 year old Australian Cattle Dog mix and we love to run in the back yard, wrestle, play tug and cuddle.



*Rockie Marbles Nickerson*

I also met a cat named Whoopie. Zoe says that he is a great friend, and that they love to play and snuggle together. We are still getting to know each other, but I think we could be friends soon.

My 2 legged family wants to say thank you very much for introducing us and taking such good care of me

until we could meet. They say we are a match made in heaven and that I have made this family complete.

Thank you so much for everything. I miss you all, but I am so glad to be part of a forever family! Say hi to everyone for me.

Thanks,  
Rockie "Marbles" Nickerson

Dear MaxFund,

I am sending this donation as a memorial for my beloved Shih Tzu – Poodle mix dog, Happy. She died yesterday of kidney failure. She was my constant companion for 11 1/2 years. I got her from a rescue group in Colorado Springs. My hope is that another dog will find a forever home and brighten someone's life as Happy did mine.

Yours truly,  
Storme H. Rose



*Happy Rose*

Dear MaxFund,

On September 4th, 2010 I fostered Chia who quickly became Jake. Jake had been given up by his previous owner. He had skin and ear infections and was very bloated. After several tests, Jake was diagnosed with Cushing's Disease. When I got him I had to clean his ears out twice a day, give him a bath every other day for 2 weeks with a special shampoo and leave it on for 10 minutes. This was always a challenge since he hated being in water.

After he got on medication his infections were cleared up, he wasn't bloated anymore, and he became a happy, fun, tail wagging dog. He went from only being able to walk to the end of the block to being able to do the 2 mile walk at the "Lucky Mutt Strut" in June of 2011. He was tired when he was done, but so was I. He became a happy fun loving dog who loved everybody and always wanted to be petted and wanted to make friends with every dog he met on our walks through the park. He loved these walks with his sister Molly (also a MaxFund dog that I adopted 7 years ago). He quickly became King of the house thinking everyone should revolve around him, and of course we did.

He had a favorite chair in front of the south window with blankets on it and he loved to lay there to feel the sun on his body. It was soon named "Jake's chair." When it was moved to a different spot over Christmas he wouldn't lay in. Only when it was moved back would he lay in it. Do you think he was spoiled? He did well on the

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medications for about 3-4 months at a time and then would have to see the vet for various reasons, but he always bounced back to his happy tail wagging self. After a couple of weeks, he and Molly became best friends. They didn't play much as they were older dogs. One of Jake's favorite things to do was to go on walks, follow me around from room to room and lick my legs.

A few weeks before he passed he was having a lot of medical problems, having to have a lot of blood work and different medications. The techs at the Wellness Center told me he was always a good dog when he had his blood drawn. The night before he passed on 1-28-2012, he was eating and following me around and licking

*That was Jake.*

On 2-07-2012, Molly passed away. She had been diagnosed with Cushing's a few weeks earlier. She was a neglected and abused dog when I adopted her on 1-1-2005. My heart is broken in a thousand pieces. Some days the pain and grief are unbearable. I try to think of the good times and the love we gave each other. I know they are in doggie heaven well and running and playing. I feel sad because their gone, but I'm glad I had them in my life. It would have been a lonely life without them.

I want to thank everyone at the MaxFund and the Wellness Center for all their love and support. It means a lot to me. I especially want to thank Chelsea and Heidi, who cried with me when I told them of Jake and Molly crossing the Rainbow Bridge.

Love,  
Linda, Jake, & Molly

To the Staff and Volunteers at MaxFund:

The enclosed donation to MaxFund is a thank you for all the love and joy my Rusty and Maddy brought me. It is also made in the name of the doctors and staff at VCA Firehouse Animal Hospital and the doctors and staff at Downtown Animal Care Center for their great support and thoughtful acknowledgements of the deaths of Rusty (March 2011) and Maddy (February 2012).



*Maddy's on the right,  
and Rusty is on the left.*

### ***Poem by Liz Dorris, MaxFund Volunteer***

I may have come by the unknown,  
And now am looking for a loving home.

I sit patiently behind this door,  
looking at each passerby with hope to give me love evermore.  
Isn't this what we all really wish for?

Thank you so much for coming here, even if just to look at me,  
for that in itself helps me see,  
you acknowledge my existence and validate I'm a living being.

When you look into my eyes, you will begin to understand the secrets of my heart,  
and my greatest is my love is unconditional, and always has been from the start.

Trials and tribulations on some level have brought me this way,  
and makes me even a stronger creature inside and out.  
Perhaps you have gone through the same, which also left you with not much more than just doubt.

However, one thing is certain...two souls can equal One, that's how we are ultimately made...  
and for this is why you came here to look at me today.

*Dedicated to Honey  
MaxFund Kitty*

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# FELINUS DOMESTICUS UNUSUALUS

By David Wildman

My wife and I are the proud human parents of two outstanding specimens of felinus domesticus.

Now those of you who recall your high school biology should know that to really pinpoint the subspecies, one must add a third word or "trinomial." Unfortunately, we simply haven't a clue about our cats' origins. We do, however, have evidence that one of our cats is the sole surviving member of a hitherto unknown breed. In such instances, you may know, the individuals who make the discovery have the honor of creating the trinomial.

Now before I go further, I don't want you to think I am playing favorites. Our nine-year-old cat Kidgie has been with us every day of our married life and is a truly loved member of our family. He is not the topic of this article, though. No, he is entirely too normal. Toscik, our 23-month-old cat, was adopted from a family who could not raise him. Toscik is... well, how can I state this politely... uh... unusual.

While Kidgie and Toscik have both been told in no uncertain terms to never rest their head on my bed pillow (yes, I really can communicate with them, but I'll explain that another time), and though they are equally intelligent animals, Toscik chooses to ignore my request.

As Toscik is nearly 14 in human years, my theory is that the onset of youthful rebellion commences at the exact same time for this cat subspecies as it does in human teenagers.

Lest you think Toscik simply misunderstood my dictate, that is not the case. He always sleeps where he is supposed to when I am around, but when I'm not, he moves to our bedroom to rest only his head and one foreleg on my pillow - in a remarkable imitation of me, I might add.

When Toscik was still a kitten, his playtime frolics were not merely energetic. His spectacular leaps, somersaults and twists rivaled those of the National Chinese Acrobat Team. So insane were some of his maneuvers, we actually questioned his mental state. He seemed borderline suicidal.

When we would toss a toy mouse across the room, he would sprint at such great speed over furniture, tables or literally any obstacle in his path that he was usually perched on some high place waiting for the flight of the mouse to end! Usually, he would add at least one full flip and a twist somewhere along the way for no apparent reason other than to showcase his astounding gymnastic abilities.

Then from on high, he would initiate a Kamikaze dive onto the hapless mouse. I describe the maneuver as Kamikaze because although it is commonly accepted that all known breeds of cat land only on their feet, Toscik had no qualms whatsoever about landing on his head, back or whatever. So tenacious was his pursuit of prey, he was completely willing to risk his anatomy to achieve his objective.

One other disconcerting thing: he sucks lustily on my wife's hair against her neck once daily. Despite my insistence that she wean him of this habit, she hasn't. She says he just misses his biological mother, and she doesn't want to hurt his feelings.

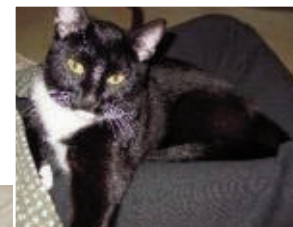
Another area bound to intrigue researchers is Toscik's food preferences. While he does consume the highest quality, veterinarian-approved meat and dry mixes, the occasional heavy cream and cheese, he also has more unusual cravings. Let me ask you: does your cat eat Orville Redenbacher popcorn, crunchy peanut butter and mesquite-flavored guacamole dip? No? I didn't think so.

The two "brothers" enjoy each other's company immensely. They greet each other in passing with their unique voices, groom each other for hours while purring and love to practice their martial arts techniques on each other. No, I'm not kidding karate punches and kicks, legitimate judo throws, wrestling maneuvers - you name it and all in the name of good fun. No blood is drawn.

I have come to realize that our older cat is going to live longer and happier for having had Toscik in his life. There's a lesson here for all of us. Don't be too hasty to pre-judge others who are... shall we say... unusual.

One final word. If you should ever meet Toscik, please do not mention that he is adopted - we've never told him.

*About the Author: David Wildman is a 16-year resident of Atlanta (Fayetteville), Georgia. He is married to Olga, formerly of Moscow, Russia, and between them, they have three grown daughters.*



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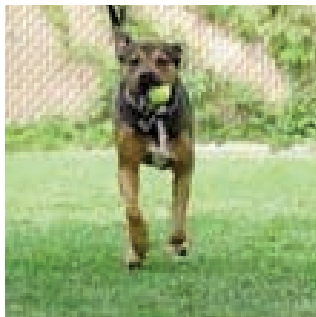
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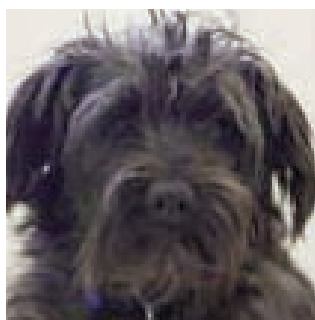
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