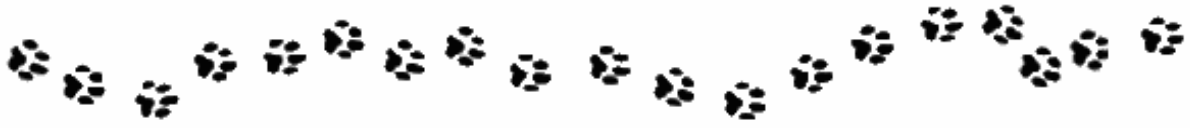




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**eBook
on
Euthanasia
Facts**

**Truths about euthanasia and who
is truly saving the pets.**



Euthanasia:

The simple meaning of euthanasia is 'mercy killing'.

O.K., maybe it's not that simple of a meaning. Euthanasia is simply a nice way of saying the animal needed to be put to death because...(any reason). It does not make it right to do so.

Truthfully, many people take on a pet without ever considering the rights of the pet and the what ifs involved with a pet.

Many believe that a pet is simply a dumb animal and they treat them as such. But are these animals better off taken away and put to death than to have a chance at life? Most organizations that are in place to prevent cruelty to animals do just that.



PETA: People for the ethical treatment of animals is an organization that believes that all animals should be treated ethically, yet they kill more animals than most organizations that prevent cruelty. Since 1998 PETA has killed more than 17,000 animals, nearly 85 percent of all those it has rescued. [Newsweek 4-28-2008](#) elaborates more on this matter.

The BIG problem is, in a nutshell, 4 million pets are put to death each year. 30 years ago, this number was 15 million. Progress has been made, so it appears.

Too many landlords do not allow pets, spay and neuter programs are not being utilized effectively enough, not enough resources are there to accomplish a 'no-kill' environment for shelters, and the public is not properly informed of the issues.



The math is not very difficult. 30 years ago there were about 67 million pets in homes. Today, there are about 165 million pets in homes. When you consider the previous numbers of 15 million put to death with respect to 4 million today, you can easily see that nearly 75% less animals are put to death, but when considering the number of pets in homes the number increases to nearly 97 ½ %.

So only 2 ½ % of the number of pets are faced with euthanasia. Is this number acceptable to the public?

For me, this number is completely unacceptable. We are still referring to nearly 4 million pets that could be saved. Even if you consider that only about 80% of the 4 million pets were healthy, that is still 3,200,000 animals killed each year. We can do better.



What do you do now that you know this?

Each year millions of unwanted pets are born and most are treated like disposable commodities. One female dog and her offspring can produce 67,000 dogs in 6 years. Please spay or neuter your pets and help stop this vicious cycle of death.

Simply inform everyone you know.

Distribute this eBook for **free** to all of your pet friends.

Promote spay and neutering of pets that you have no intention of taking the time to properly place the offspring in loving homes.

Push legislators to not allow landlords to discriminate against pet owners.

Assist your local shelter(s) in placing animals to loving homes.

Simply discuss these issues amongst your friends. Bringing them to the forefront stops the ignorance in America.

Promote 'no-kill' ideas to everyone.



A pet as a gift:

Can your friend or loved one really afford to own and take care of pet? Is the recipient of this living, breathing animal willing to have a dog spayed/neutered and will they keep the pet up to date with required immunizations? Are they willing to pay for medical bills when a pet gets sick or injured or are pets easily replaceable?

Are they going to mind having animal fur all over their clothes, furniture and house? What about dogs chewing on furniture? Pets do all of these things and more.

It's unrealistic to think that everybody is an animal lover like you or that they will find these little chores and antics as simple, cute, amusing or endearing as you do.



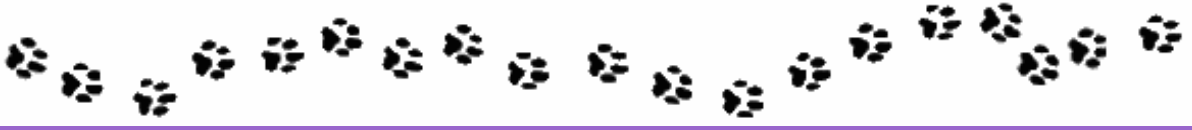
Ultimately, I do believe that PETA, and most animal cruelty organizations do have good intentions, but these organizations do need to know what we consider as acceptable behavior. You do not have to believe in everything that these organizations do.

They do need many volunteers, foster homes, contributions, and public awareness campaigns.

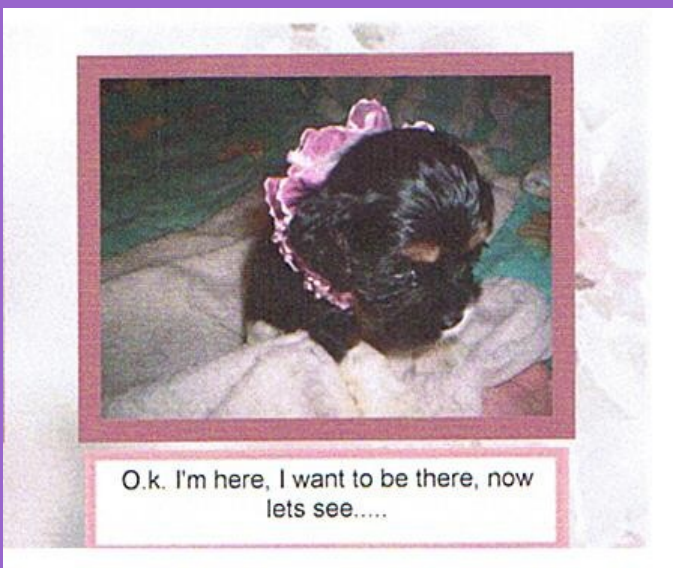
At [Happy Cockers](#), we promote 'No-Kill' shelters and any organization that is utilizing this concept as a part of there operational plan.



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Our little angels



O.k. I'm here, I want to be there, now lets see.....