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Happy Holidays From All of Us at the C.A.R.E. Sanctuary!



Hannah, C.A.R.E. volunteer and the adorable Tucker, are wishing you and your loved ones Happy Holidays and Happy New Year!! Thank you, Hannah, for your compassion and kindness. We're so grateful you've chosen to become part of the C.A.R.E. family!!!!

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CARE 1

Dear Friends:

Well, here we are at the end of another year; it seems that the older we get, the faster the years go by, right? Even though we are NOT so happy about getting older, we are both so very grateful for our lives. We are healthy, have many wonderful human friends, loved ones and many sweet fur-friends that make our lives so very happy.

We are also very grateful and proud that we are able to do what we were put on this earth for - to advocate for and protect abused, neglected and abandoned, innocent dogs and cats. Yes, sometimes our mission is very sad and heartbreaking with the cruelty we see every day. It is very hard for us to understand that some so called "humans" can be so cruel. We so greatly wish that we and the many more wonderful souls like you, dear friends, would not be needed to protect the little ones without voices. Unfortunately, our world is NOT there YET, but together WE can change the world for the BETTER and make it a kinder, more humane place for every creature, human and non-human. We all are playing a very important role in creating a better future for all of us!

So friends, at this special time of the year, when we are sitting around the dinner table surrounded by our loved ones – as we give thanks for our blessings and good fortune, **please let us remember the less fortunate**. Let us reach out to those shivering in the cold of the winter without food and a safe place to call home, the ones in the shadows, *the ones desperately in need of our HELPING hands to SURVIVE*.

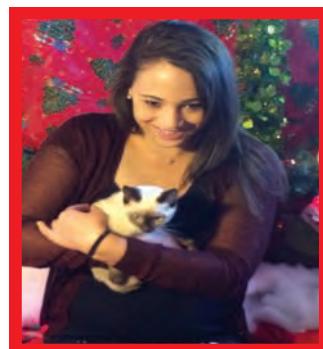
Thank you so very much for all your years of support and friendship! **C.A.R.E. could never have SURVIVED without you**. Yet, still, TODAY our 300+ rescued cats and dogs need YOU more than ever! **Please remember THEM** at this time of giving and kindness. They are sending you a whole lot of purrs and woofs and if they could talk, would tell you how much they appreciate your generosity!

C.A.R.E., the members of its Board, the staff , our volunteers and all our rescued pets wish you and your loved ones – furred and not-so-furred - Happy Holidays, Merry Christmas, Happy Hanukkah and Happy New Year!!! We are sending you our best wishes for a better 2015 and hope that you all will keep on keepin' on supporting our great organization to help us make the lives of all our rescued pets even BETTER!!! **Peace on Earth and Goodwill to All!**

Sincerely,



Maria Porter - Secretary - Treasurer -
Sanctuary Manager



Hannah and little
baby Candy —
she is available
for adoption!
(Candy, of course) 



OUR RESCUED ANIMALS NEED YOUR HELP! PLEASE DONATE TO C.A.R.E.!

There are so many ways to help!

- ❖ Donate cash, checks, money orders or stocks.
- ❖ Call 1-800-456-5517 to donate a car.
- ❖ Leave C.A.R.E. as a beneficiary in your trust, will, or life insurance.

Write or e-mail mail@care4pets.org for info.

Here is a list of just a few of our monthly needs:

- ❖ **1,500 Pounds of Dry Dog Food**
- ❖ **1,500 Pounds of Moist Dog Food**
- ❖ **5,000 Pounds of Cat Litter**
- ❖ **1,800 Pounds of Dry Cat Food**
- ❖ **1,800 Pounds of Moist Cat Food**
- ❖ **1,000 Pounds of Disinfectant**



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CARE 2

Here are some of the wonderful dogs and cats that call our sanctuary home. Their days are spent, playing, kicking back, surrounded by love and kindness, saved and protected from abuse and neglect... thanks to you and your support. We cannot do this without your help! Please give today so our mission can go on and we can keep on rescuing those at risk - the voiceless ones in jeopardy!



Bryce with adorable little Carlos, and Laurie with sweet Tucker. Thank you both so very much for your kindness and love for the animals. We are so grateful you both chose to be part of the C.A.R.E. family!!



Beautiful Iris is available for adoption!!!



Sisters, Guri and Simone, are all grown-up. These black beauties are looking for a forever loving home!!!



Sweet senior Esperanza looking so beautiful - all dressed up!



Sweet little Honey is so CUTE and is looking for a forever loving home!!!



UPDATE:

Our sweet diabetic little Neco is finally doing well! He is on 16 units of insulin a day and that dose seems to be right. He has put on about 10 pounds, so he is no longer skin and bones . Now we might be able to have his dental work done.

Please donate to help us with the medical care that this sweet little soul needs and deserves!! We could never help little old sweet hearts like Neco if not for your kindness and support!!! Happy Holidays!!!



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Mama— so happy and relaxed in Laurie's arms—she is such beautiful cat, don't you agree? She is available for adoption!!!

Supported entirely by donations from individuals and foundations, C.A.R.E. maintains a no-kill, cage-free "Home Sweet Home" for 300 plus homeless cats & dogs in a rural area north of Los Angeles. The C.A.R.E. sanctuary is licensed by the County, proudly earning "A" ratings at every inspection! We are committed to saving the lives of homeless dogs and cats by rescuing at-risk animals, placing adoptable pets in homes of their own, and caring for those awaiting adoption (even those considered "unadoptable"), for the rest of their lives if need be. The C.A.R.E. sanctuary demonstrates that it is possible to provide a comfortable and loving home for groups of "unwanted" or "surplus" animals who otherwise would have, at best, an uncertain future. By supporting C.A.R.E., you are not only helping many wonderful animals, you are also standing up for the idea that animals do matter, and that they deserve loving care!



Fiona and Hannah - Fiona is NOT so sure about the camera. She looks like she is thinking "Oh no, here we go again with the paparazzi!" HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!

C.A.R.E. IS GOING GREEN!! SEND US YOUR EMAIL ADDRESSES!

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