

# Memorials

In memory of Sylvia Hirt who trained therapy and police dogs.

*Sandra Warner*

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In memory of Home for Life®'s Lucky.

*His sponsors, Ed and Janet Earnest*

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In honor of Jim and Mary Schwebel.

*Deborah Schmidt*

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In honor of Whidbey, of Lutsen MN whose life gave great joy and love to my good friend Wen and her husband Jon.

*Susan Goold*

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In honor of our shelties Danny Boy and Sean and our 5 cats: Moffat, Tipper, Al, Babe and Janelle.

In honor of Barb Weiner and Terry Reznicek.

*Meghann Harker*

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On behalf of the students at Chanhassen Elementary in Chanhassen MN ( K-5th Grader students in a Western suburb of Minneapolis). This year we integrated a theme of shelter throughout our curriculum, arts, music and service projects. As part of our shelter learning we researched organizations that provide "shelter" in some way. Throughout the year we became more and more familiar with your organization's mission. In February, 2011 we voted on three organizations that we felt brought a genuine feeling of safety, comfort and warmth to those they served. Your organization, Home for Life®, was chosen as one of them. As we hosted fundraising events like a Valentine Candy Gram Sale and a Fine Arts Night we knew we were doing it to help support your mission. With this letter we have included our contribution and some blankets our families made at our Fine Arts Night to support your organization's commitment to sheltering animals with warmth and comfort. Thank you for making the world a little cozier and comfortable!

*The "Shelter" committee of Chanhassen Elementary: Tom, Jean, Karen, Katie, Matt and Becky*

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In honor of my beloved mother who loved dogs; she would have been pleased that I had decided to send this donation on her behalf.

*Mary Sandberg*

In celebration of the 50th birthday of Lana Todora, Home for Life volunteer.

*Friends at AFC Travel and Centray Inc.*

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In Honor of Alan & Wendy Vorderbruggen.

*Joan Vorderbruggen and Darryl Becker*

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In honor of Jorgen and Meghan Booker.

*Joan Vorrderbruggen & Darryl Booker*

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In honor of Greg and Denise Cooper and in memory of their cat Phoebe.

*Joan Vorderbruggen & Darryl Booker*

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In memory of Emmy and Max.

*Deborah Zanish*

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In memory of Frankie Martin.

*Marcheta Madden*

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In loving memory of all the wonderful pups who have shared their lives with us and became beloved members of our family. We hope our gift will help you provide love and comfort to the grateful animals who rely on you.

*The Petouvis Family*

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In honor of Woody Boyer.

*Jeanette Reuter*



In memory of Nicolas Johnson.

*Gerald and Sandra Doran*

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In honor of dogs Buster, Rocky, Rosco and our cat Tigger.

*Kelli Watson*

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In honor of my brother Tommy's golden lab Phoebe. All labs are wonderful but Phoebe was special.

*Laurie Willard*

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In honor of my daughter and her husband, Amy and John Steiner.

*Sharon Hershers*

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In memory of Elizabeth Smith who died March 7, 2011.

*Thomas Beniak*

In honor of Kim, Freckles and Smudge.

*Karin Eide*

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In memory of beloved Arnie, companion to mom Bonnie. You will be missed and loved forever.

*Louis Hallfin*

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In loving memory of Grace, who had to leave my friends so soon.

*Lynn Simmons*

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In memory of Pip, Tofu and Jo - and may Spring bring good things to all of you at HFL.

*Brooke Manley and Driver*

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In celebration of the life of a special friend who loved dogs as much as we do. His name was Eugene Thorversen.

*James McCarty*

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In honor of my grandma Thelma Goerish.

*Michael and Robyn Larson*

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In honor of my son William Becker and his girlfriend Stephanie Shiel.

*Janet Becker*



In celebration of the birthday of New Kids on the Block member Jonathan Rashleigh Knight.

Seems through his life, Jonathan has had a variety of animals in his care & when he's not being a New Kid on the Block, he spends his time working for his real estate company, renovating homes. Please dedicate this donation to the dogtownhome projects that I have learned about on your website, as I think that this project combines two of his loves.

*Sadie Ruge*

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In honor and with love for Bootsie the cat and with sympathy to Jane Willard, in memory of Phoebe the dog and with sympathy for Tom Willard and in memory of Gert the dog and with sympathy to the Struckman/Hughes Family.

*Andrea Willard*

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In memory of Charlie Keohnen.

*Harriet Sisk*

In honor of Nancy Olson.

*Karen Brumbaugh*

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Karen Ruth Bortnick was an exceptionally nice and wonderful little girl who was kind and loving to others. Please use this gift, given in her memory, for the well being of as many animals as possible.

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In memory of Albert Ranum.

*Mary Petrisko*

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In memory of Rick Senkler, with love to the entire Senkler family.

*George, Erin and Brendan Connolly*

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In memory of Judy Duddy, mother of Heather Duddy Johnston.

*Heidi Hoff*

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In honor of my sister Mary and all of her four legged partners.

*Patricia Donais*

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In honor of my beloved Pyewackit, a spry age of 15.

*Laurie Willard*

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In loving memory of Jack, 2010.

*Kari Huhn*

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In memory of Hummer.

*Jarisara Charoensit*

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In loving memory of our Lacey. We will love you with all of our hearts, always.

*Liv Davick*

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In loving memory of Bjorn, a feline leukemia cat who lived at Home for Life.

*His sponsor Joni Leithe*



**Mackenzie at Home for Life®**

In loving memory of Bo the wheaton terrier who died at age 9, 2/15/05, I am sponsoring MacKenzie, Home for Life®'s wheaton terrier who also has had physical and temperament challenges.

*Lori Boisclair*

**In honor of Colleen Engelmann.**

*Mary Engelmann Murphy*

**In honor of Helen and Merlin Heinitz.**

*Thom, Roberta, Abigail and Thomas Meyers*

**For Tashi.**

*Martha Lantz*

**In honor of my parents John and Barbara.**

*Nathaniel Pleasants*

**In honor of my mom Melanie.**

*Stephanie Hultman*

**For all the animals at Home for Life®.**

*Mia and Rio the black labs*

**In memory of Maren Louise Hed to honor her love for her devoted dogs Cooper and Elke.**

*Jane & Joe Micallef*

**In honor of my friend Margie's gentle giant Yogi, the biggest dog with a bigger heart!**

*Kathy Radford*



**In memory of our beloved golden retrievers Marley and Jake, and for Piper, the Home for Life® golden surrendered by RAGOM.**

*Roberta Jensen*

In loving memory of Judy the cat who passed October, 2010. She lived a long and happy life & we will miss her. She was love on four legs and we are thankful for her memory.

*Karin Navis*

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In memory of Hugo Percy, the sweetest wiener dog ever there was.

*Peter and Amy Johnson*

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In memory of Quincy and Maggie, dog buddies for life.

*Lucy Rogers & Larry Grant*

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In honor of Amigo, HFL's retired K9 and in memory of Target, hero dog who was stupidly euthanized in Arizona only minutes before her family came to claim her at the shelter.

*Jo Ann Frazier*

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In memory of Sandy and in honor of the loving care provided by Sally.

*Lucy Rogers & Larry Grant*

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In memory of our beloved pets: Stan, Larry, Daisy and Jim.

*Isla Hejny & Jeff Stankdo*

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In honor of Billie Schat.

*Barbara and John Metche*

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In memory of Raymond Anderson.

*Jodi and Mike Christensen*

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In memory of Marie Fursman, dog lover and the grandmother of our friend Jenny Jurek. Marie will be missed early.

*Tracy Berg & Kelly, Kenley and Jennifer Fox*

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In honor of Bailey.

*Karen Tidemand*

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In memory of Cinnamon Teal Brumbaugh, a magnificent pointing lab and treasured family member.

*Nancy Olson and Tony Powell*

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For our loved ones no longer with us. Lucky to have been loved by your furry hearts!

*Lizabeth Post*

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In memory of Anna Geyer Henrich.

*Polly Holley*

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In memory of Josephine Wolf, mother to Mike and Kathy.

*Sheri and Greg Hoistad*

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In memory of Helen Kosiw. She loved all her canine friends and she would have LOVED Home for Life®.

*Ellis Davis*

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In memory of Gremlin and with sympathy to Tanya.

*Lore Kircheheimer*

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In memory of Peaches. A loving dog who touched our lives in so many ways. Heaven is a brighter place now.

*Janelle Litchefield and Elliot*

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In memory of Rose Anne Schneider who loved animals.

*Phil Johnson*

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In memory of Sammy the kitty and with sympathy to Candace.

*Deborah Engelhard*

In memory of Camellia the cat.

*Michael Dai and Gail Engstrom*

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In memory of Harley, beloved cat belonging to my daughter.

*Mary Carlson*

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In memory of Stella Maxine, who succumbed to pancreatic cancer at the age of 9 years. She was taken from us far too soon and is greatly missed. She joins her sister Chloe Grace, who died three years ago from acute kidney failure. We are certain that Carmen lords over them all since her passing 10 years ago in December 2000. All remain in our hearts and in many stories told around the kitchen island. We've welcomed two tiny rescue kitties, sisters Matilda Rose and Meredith Lucille who join our bewildered birman, Charlotte Eden, who does not seem to understand why we would want to welcome new kitties when we already have her and our very excited yorkie Rupert D., who is not entirely sure if he is a dog or cat.

*Debra Swanson Dziuk and family*

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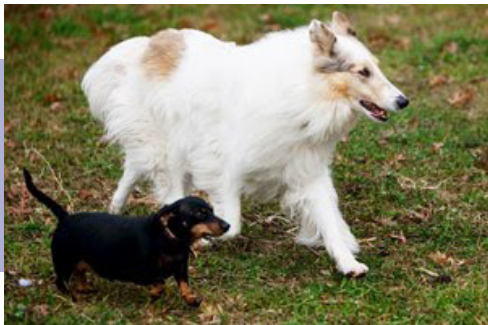
In memory of my best friends Stormy and Buddy, waiting for me at the Rainbow Bridge. You are both so loved and in my heart.

*Norman Stratton*

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In memory of Marietta.

*Peter Dahl*



In memory of Home for Life®'s Trudy, the albino collie and in appreciation of her being Lily's first canine friend at Home for Life.

*Julie Watkin*

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In memory of Chutzpah the cat.

*Lore Kieaxheimer*

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In memory of my mother Marlys. She had two cats that she loved very much, and she loved that you care for animals that need love too.

*Deborah Moe*

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In memory of my friend Jeanne Severson.

*Shirley Tibbets*

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In memory of Gato.

*Brooke Manley*

In memory of Alexandra's cat Kisa.

*Michael Dayen*

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In memory of John Petrisko of Stillwater. John was my friend, neighbor and an animal lover.

*Doug Voegeli & Karen Roche*

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In memory of the following patients of our clinic:

Juneau Werth	Piper Fuerstenberg
Leo Bell	Stubby McNeal
Lucky Crandall	Seymour Virginia
Lucy Fuerstenberg	Charlie Levin
Mopsy Miller	Fresno Bellos
Preson Overing	Prince Doerges
Snug Joseph	Rascal Pull
Trixie Kramp	Sadie Bornhuse
Zoe Riekema	Sierra Uhde
Chase Madonna	Tiger Smith
Kiwi Dean	Cheyenne Hemze
Tiffany Amber Bowman	

*Carolyn, Apker, DVM, Amina Wellness Center,  
Maple Gove MN*

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In memory of Carole Johanna Nelson  
3/24/43-11/5/10 and with sympathy  
to her children Aileen and Martin.

*Kathleen Morgen*

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In memory of Raymond Anderson.

*Jodi and Mike Christensen*

In memory of Taz, loyal friend of Deborah and Jeff Matson-Beale.

*Mandy Clemenson*

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To celebrate the marriage of our good friends and fellow animal lovers Jane Carlstrom and Dave Decker.

*Karlind and Susan Moller*

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In loving memory of the World's Best Dog, our Alice. Thank you for your work.

*Cliff and Marcie Stock*

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For Andrew In honor of your 40th birthday.

*With much love Molly, Orbit and Brandy*

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In memory of Laser, beloved golden cocker spaniel.

*Muriel Jensen*

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In memory of my uncle Richard Patten, a huge animal lover.

*Therese Patten*

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In honor of Jeff Christensen.

*Mitch and Mary Cox*

In loving memory of former Home for Life® resident Caramel and my other furry nieces and nephews Meeka, Iko and Illa.

*Michelle Sichak*

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In memory of Norma Jackson

*Dan and Myndal Silver*

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In memory Boomer Zarracina - the gorgeous cat who thought he was a dog.

*Maryanne Reilly Spong*

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In loving memory of dear sweet Sunshine whose name fit him perfectly. He will be missed so much.

*Barbara & John Techel*

In memory of sweet Phoenix. She brought such joy to her family and all who met her.

*Sheri and Greg Hoistad*

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In loving memory of Lily Rose who had an amazingly good life with Bill and Kathy Rose and really loved her catnip of which she had plenty.

*Paula Klimek*

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In memory of Sheila Dahlberg and with sympathy to Dennis Albrecht on the loss of his mother.

*Norm and Loren Nutcher*

*Carolyn Kendrick*

*Renee Rose on behalf of the friends and coworkers of Dennis Albrecht*

*The Malwaukee Family Trust*

*The Anastasi Family*

*Cathy, Erin and Daniel Hirata*

*Kay Dahl*

*Betty Briggs*

*Linda Dionne*

*Catherine Ryan*

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In memory of Gerry Gag and her dog Abby.

*The Lusk Family*

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Happy 13th birthday to Gus Longacre.

*Morgan Bancroft-Howard*

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In honor of my sister Mandy Lindbergh.

*Kevin Lindbergh*

In honor of my daughter Mandy Lindbergh.

*Jerry Lindbergh*

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In memory of Morgan. Miss you every day; you will always be loved.

*Karen Brenny*

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In memory of Earl Blocher and CEO.

*Charlotte Blocher*

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In loving memory of Norman.

*Sandy Jasko*

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Please accept this gift from our golf group in honor of Phil Thompson. Please continue your good work.

*2010 Thumperama III.*

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In loving memory of our grandmother and mother Alice Maher-Hagelberger.

*Shelly Martinek*

In memory of Norene Waseniers. She truly loved animals and supported your mission.

*Joyce Ehmke (sister)*

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In memory of my friend and animal lover Evelyn Caza.

*Iris Ferguson*

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In loving memory of Drummer, a great dog. My best friend. I got him from a pheasant farm kennel, and he did great transitioning. He was the best dog I ever owned. Truth be told, actually, he owned me. Thank you.

*Randy F. Wallake*

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In honor of Nikki Mercer.

*Rebecca Mapes-Evans*

In memory of Audrey Bricker and with sympathy to her family Jeff and Sue Lambert. Audrey was a very kind woman who was an animal lover and brought several istreet cats into her home.

*Diane Rifkin*

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In memory of Helen Paoloni.

*Louis Paoloni*

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In honor of my sister Carolyn Healy. She sent me an email with a video piece on Home for Life® and your pet therapy outreach program with hospice patients which she volunteers for. I was very impressed and I am so proud of her. Thank you for your wonderful work.

*Diane Raab*

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In memory of Albina "Bea" Evans and with sympathy for Mary Evans Thompson, her daughter.

*Jodi Cohen-Press*

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In memory of Jim Pilker, a very dear and gentle friend to all.

*Sharon Gehrman-Driscoll*

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In honor of Mysti, an alumnus of Home for Life® 10 years ago and still a treasure.

*Maxene Wiklund*

In memory of Adolph Rebstock.

*Terry Hasenfuss*

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In memory of Milagra "Millie" a feline leukemia+ cat who lived at Home for Life® for many years.

*Amy Bauch*

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In honor of Erica and Justen DeForrest.

*Cisco Potts*

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In honor of Catherine Nelson.

*David and Cindy Currier*

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In honor of Debbie Geiger.

*Susan and Marshall Katzman*

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In honor of my mom Melanie Wynne.

*Stephanie Hultman*

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For Fritz, Smokey and Brie, who were homeless but very much loved and still missed. We are sponsoring Diego at Home for Life® in their memory.

*Gregory and Marilyn Anthony*

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In honor of Dolores Brownson Cline and in honor of M. Earl Jensen.

*Mary and John Petrisko*

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In memory of Rose Ann Schneider who loved animals. With sympathy to her son Al Schneider.

*Phil Johnson*

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In loving memory of my buddy and best friend Sam. He was a great companion and conversationalist for 13 years. He taught me how to slow down and enjoy the finer things in life like naps, enjoying the warmth of a fire and watching the birds. I loved you dearly and will always remember you. Thank you for all you do for the animals at Home for Life®!

*Janine Quitter*



In memory of our beloved Meowzi, who left her physical body on Feb. 21, 2011. Mommy, Daddy and Little Sister Cali love you so very much, baby girl. We will always be connected with you, through our love. Wait for us at the Bridge; time passes differently there, and it won't be long before we are all together again.

*Choy-Foong Wong & Thien-Viet Nguyen*

In memory of sweet Buckwheat. You brought love to a lot of people. One thing's for sure... heaven is a brighter place now.

*Love Dennis, Janelle and Elliot Litchfield*

In memory of Mary Esterem.

*P.J. Sundberg*

In honor of Helen and Merlin Heinitz, animal lovers.

*Thom, Roberta, Abigail and Thomas*

In memory of Two Tone.

*Amy Fastenau*

In celebration of the birthday of Paula Stromstad.

*Eric Stromstad*

I honor all of my friends and family with this contribution.

*Lynne Mills*

In honor of Whitney the black lab puppy.

*Tim McCauley*



In memory of Skya. She was my son's sponsored dog for several years, and we still have our photo on our refrigerator. God bless you sweet girl and we know God has a special place for you.

*Kathy and Chris Riley*

In memory of our dear friend Karl Anderson who passed away 5 years ago today( 9/10). Thank you for your recent newsletter article about Karl's dog Wylie. We know that part of Karl is living on in Wylie because of the way he cares for some of the other dogs that need special attention. It is just the kind of thing Karl would do. You are a wonderful organization, and we are so happy to learn that Wylie had an enjoyable and productive life there. Best wishes for your continued success.

*Kathy and Bud Horwath*

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In memory of a kitty named Sammy and with sympathy to Candace Muller who misses him so.

*Deborah Engelhard*

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In memory of our two loving companions, Levi and Shiloh we are sponsoring Sabra, HFL's afghan.

*Mark and Bonita Rekucki*



In honor of Creme, Home for Life®'s goat, on her 4th birthday ( June 7, 2007). Thank you to everyone at HFL who works so hard to take care of her.

*Betty and Billy Green*

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In memory of Michael LaValle.

*Hazel Gaede*

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In honor of Ken LeDoux.

*Ryden and Mary Richardson*

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In memory of Arlene Harvey.

*Sharon Driscoll*

In memory of John David Petrisko. John dearly loved the four felines that were part of our life for over 40 years so it is fitting to honor his memory in this way.  
Yours very truly,

*Mary Petrisko*

**Memorials in John's honor from:**

*Doug Voegeli*

*Mary Jean Jenson*

*Thmoas McAvoy and Cyndra Sapdino*

*David and Janet Olson*

*Ruth Ranon*

*Carolyn Leys*

*Marvin and Carol Hait*

*Mary Petrisko*

*Claudia Hennen*

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In memory of Phil Harvey's dear companion Millie, who provided them with so many years of love and snuggling.

*Weinstein Ollendorf Family*

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In honor of my friend Andy Levine.

*Gary Wisner*

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In memory of Marjorie Lawler and with sympathy to Ginny.

*Lynn Jahr*



In memory of Martin the feline leukemia cat who lived at Home for Life® for many years.

*Kyle and Connie Moorhead*

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In loving memory of Judy who was the loving and loyal animal companion of Bill's for so many years.

*Weinstein Ollendorf Family*

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In celebration of the 9th birthday of Miss Tehya Daniels.

*Erin Doan*

*Kaori and Missy Kenmotsu*

*Lynette Stahl*

*Leila Sissi*

*Amy Swanson*



In memory of Sapphire,  
HFL's Neapolitan mastiff.  
*Her longtime sponsors  
Tim Fahey and Sarah DeLong*

In honor of Amy Olson.  
*Kay Malchow*

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In loving memory of Fritz who passed away at  
age 14.  
*Kathleen Palmen*

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To honor Georgia Wacha and Judy Hall.  
*Mary Wacha*

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In loving memory of Curly, a yellow lab mix  
with a tail that would knock anything off a  
table that wasn't nailed down. He was the first  
in a line of great shelter dogs and cats.  
*John and Jan Haugen*

A tribute to the memory of the following list of  
patients of our clinic:

Anisette Cassidy	Annie Schuette
Blue Randall	Charlie Swedberg
Chocolae Chip Erickson	Cuddles Hillestad
Dora Janssen	Duke Ingram
Gary Bonnema	Lazare Stigen
Little Dog Selby-Hele	Maggie Holm
Midnight Johnson	Mollie Hoof
Penny CAwallader	Riley oKane
Roise Halvorson	Shadow Penney
Tinkerbell Greskowiak	

Thank you for the good work Home for Life®  
does.  
*Carolyn Apker, DVM*

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In loving memory of Felix.  
*Jack and Shirlene Ault*

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In memory of my friend Jana who passed  
away recently. She loved animals like me.  
*Judy Eddy*



In memory of beloved Mac, loving  
companion of Gary "Wiz" Wisner

*Andy Levine & Robert Graff*

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In loving memory of Cinder, companion of Kim  
and Alan who brought so much happiness  
to so many. She is forever in the hearts of  
those who knew and loved her!

*Denise Amith*

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In memory of Adolph Rebstock.

*Terry Hasenfuss*

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In memory of Mary Ann Zachary, with  
sympathy for her son Tom.

*Jane Galbraith*

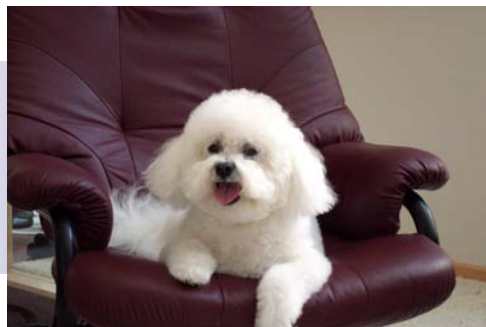


In memory of June Geiger, with sympathy to  
Debbie Geiger on the loss of her mother.

*Jill Lane*

*The team at Geiger and  
Associates Public Relations  
Mr. and Mrs. Russ Paper  
Susan and Marshall Katzman  
Heather Middleton*

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In loving memory of Buttons.

*Bonnie Harma*

In loving memory of Marjorie Wilde Lawler. Home for Life® took Marjorie's kitty in when she had to move to a nursing home.

*Her daughters Ginny Veldhouse and Melissa Christensen*

*Laurie & Keith Majure*

*Pam and John Trenton*

*Ann and Tom James*

*Robin Lehman*

*Lisa Schoening*

*Ruth Ann Bolen*

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*Lynda Wilde*

*Park Nicollet Neurology, St. Louis Park, MN*

*Marlene Land*

*Paul Rase*

*Kathi Nielsen*

*Jay Young*

*Carolyn and Dan Wuollet*

*Sandy and Ron Bengel*

*Susan Dahlgren*

*Vickie McEachren*

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In memory of Baroness "Bear." She was very much loved. She left us 10 years ago and we still miss her. She gave us 15 great years and we will always remember her.

*John and Jan Haugen*

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In memory of Priscilla Y. Tate with sympathy to Dr. Doug Tate and Family and J.J. Burger and Family.

*David York*



In celebration of our marriage.

*Al Trippel and Trudy Fredin*

Congratulations Al and Trudy!

*Ken and Ann Trippel*

*Lindsay Cowles*

*Dan and Pattie Reinke*



In loving memory of Rowan who came to us with many health issues from a shelter. Bone cancer took her from us after only four short years, not enough time to spend with her but more than enough time to totally fall in love with her. We will never forget her.

*John and Jan Haugen*

In memory of Jazz the dog with sympathy to  
Lori Poehler

*Roxanne Chevalen*



In loving memory of Kay Hunter.

*Barry & Lili Garfinkel and Family  
Judy & Jerel Shapiro and Family*

*Theresa Boyle*

*Kathryn Hunter*

*Patricia and James Sullivan*

*Lori and Tom Helgren*

*Valerie and Bruce Lindstrom*

*Joyce and Michael Patterson*

*Leslie Beck*

*Betsy and John Asturias*

*Lisa Reuder*



John with his beloved collie Sydney

In loving memory of John Love, with  
sympathy to his wife Ann

*Kay Malchow*

*Linda Schmeisser*

*Rebecca Hammett*

*Mike and Mary Jo Elliott*

*Charolotte Ariss*

*Sandra, Steve & Drew Hoyt*

*Peter Pampusch*

*Mary Eileen Sisk*

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*Eugene Scheffler*

*Employees of Target Corporation*



Kathy Riley



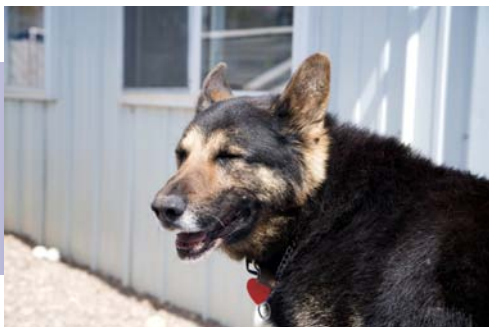
Home for Life®'s Guy whom Kathy sponsored for many years

In memory of Kathy Riley, the loving sponsor of Home for Life®'s Guy, the border collie and a dedicated supporter and volunteer. Kathryn loved Home for Life® and proudly supported its mission of providing animals with loving care, a nurturing environment that is safe and stable, a place to belong... a Home for Life®. Although the focus of HFL is on the animals, let me assure you that HFL greatly enriched my mother's life- each member of the HFL family left a special paw print on Kathryn's soul. Thank you HFL. Sincerely,

*David Riley, her son*

**Memorials from:**

*Kathleen Staples  
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fusco  
Carol Lampman  
Thomas McCloskey  
Mr. and Mrs. Wysopal  
James and Charlotte McCloskey  
Judith Thompson  
Pamela Rogers  
Debra and Scott Knight  
James Harold Rued  
Gloria and Robert Reichow  
Alvin Riley  
Norma Krammer and Family  
Mr. and Mrs. Don Goral  
Sandy Kashea and Bob Pieczka  
Dan Elwood  
Mr. and Mrs. David Riley  
The Krammer Family*



In memory of Cassie, with sympathy to John and June Wolf and Champ and also to honor Amigo, the retired K9 who lived at HFL for many years. My son is a K-9 officer whose partner is a black 3 year old German Shepherd by the name of Neko so I feel a special affinity for K9s and the great work they do.

*Tanya Foote*



In loving memory of Dakota "Cody" was with us for 17 years and left us just over two years ago. We will always miss him and the happiness he brought us.

*John and Jan Haugen*

In honor of Mary.

*Allen Gaynor*

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In memory of Charlie Koehnen who passed away 02/11/11

*Harriet Fisk*

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In honor of the marriage of John Carlstrom and David Decker.

*Karlind and Susan Moller*

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Sammy and Minnie visit hospice patient with volunteer Home for Life® volunteer Sarah Beigle.



Home for Life®'s Cedric, a senior smooth coat collie, visits Amplatz Children's Hospital in Minneapolis with volunteer Janet Sontsegaard.

# Pet Peace Corps<sup>SM</sup>

Home for Life touches people of all ages through our innovative community outreach programs and the client organizations we serve. Animals that were once rejected and neglected are given a second chance at our sanctuary, and then, with faith in life restored; give back through their participation in the Pet Peace Corps<sup>SM</sup>

## Programs of the Pet Peace Corps<sup>SM</sup>

### Peace Creatures<sup>®</sup>

A collaborative program with the Tubman Family Alliance of the Twin Cities and the Women of Nations Shelter in St. Paul, MN, the Peace Creatures project uses volunteers, staff and animals from the sanctuary to teach peaceful conflict resolution to families impacted by domestic violence.

### The Renaissance Project

Now in its 12th year, this program pairs our younger dogs with at-risk teens from a high school in River Falls, WI and another in St. Paul, MN. The teens train the dogs and bring them on visits for therapy work with the elderly. Nearly 118 teens and 57 dogs have benefited from the therapeutic interaction between kids and dogs. The program has become a model for other area shelters and rescue groups that have started their own outreach efforts.

### Angel Care<sup>SM</sup>

Our Angel Care program provides an affordable safety net for animals in the event of a caretaker's death or disability.

### Emergency Medical Care Fund

Available to care for abandoned and stray animals admitted to the sanctuary with serious or life threatening injury or illness.

### Senior Outreach Program

Home for Life staff, volunteers and animal residents visit nursing homes throughout the Twin Cities for therapy work with the elderly.

### Sit Stay Heal

This collaborative program began with the Fairview University Hospitals in Minneapolis to bring solace and joy to children who are undergoing treatment for cancer in the University of Minnesota's pediatric oncology ward. Sit Stay Heal has now expanded to serve adult critical care patients at Fairview University Hospital's cardiac and oncology floors, adult and pediatric (ages 4-12) patients at Fairview University Hospital receiving treatment for mental health conditions. Last year, Sit Stay Heal expanded to provide pet therapy for veterans at the Minneapolis VA Hospital's Polytrauma Unit, one of just four such facilities in the U.S. In 2009, Sit Stay Heal expanded again to provide pet therapy for hospice patients in collaboration with Aseracare, a hospice provider in the Twin Cities.

### Education

Our volunteers and animal residents give presentations free of charge to area clubs, schools, and community and youth groups.

# Your Gift to Home for Life® is a Lasting Tribute to Your Love for the Animals



Home for Life® supporter Ian Fischer, Esq. pictured with his beloved cat Smokey, is a member of our Legacy Society

Protect the animals you love. Create a lasting partnership with Home for Life®. Your planned gift makes it possible.

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# Upcoming Events

## Bark and Roll at Mears Park

**When:** Saturday, September 24, 2011, 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

**Where:** Mears Park in lowertown Saint Paul

St. Paul's Lowertown Community is hosting its first annual Bark and Roll at Mears Park—a pet celebration and fundraiser to benefit Home for Life®. Among the day's offerings:

## Fall gala with Garth Stein

**When:** Friday, November 11, 2011

**Where:** The Metropolitan 5418 Wayzata Boulevard, Golden Valley, MN

Join us for an evening of good food and drink, live and silent auctions, and a visit with Garth Stein, author of the New York Times best selling literary novel, *The Art of Racing in the Rain* (Harper, 2008).

## 3rd Annual Doggone Early Dog walk

**When:** Sunday, November 20, 2011

**Where:** Nickelodeon Park at the Mall of America, Minneapolis, MN.

## 7th Annual Holiday Event at the Mall of America

**When:** December 24, 2011 - January 8, 2012

**Where:** Macy's Courtyard

## The Fast and The Furry 8K run and 5k-9 Run/Walk

**When:** May 26, 2012

**Where:** Harriet Island Park, St. Paul

Dogs can accompany owners or participants can run and walk on their own.

## Event Sponsors

