

Furever Family

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INT. LIVINGG ROOM: DAY

Average family living room with a large flat screen TV attached to a wall. Close up of TV. It turns on. Sad music bed plays. On the screen a video of a starving dog with an empty food dish.

NARRATOR

We've all seen the videos of the  
empty bowls

On the screen the video changes to a car driving way,  
leaving a cat and kittens on the side of a busy road.

NARTRATOR

the car driving away abandoning  
them

On the screen, the video changes to a dog scratching on the  
door of an empty house.

NARRATOR

Animals sitting alone on the porch  
waiting for the family that left  
them behind.

On screen the videos line up horizontally next to each  
other.

NARRATOR

the abandoned, the neglected, the  
abused--the images break our  
hearts,

On te screen the videos fade to half intensity. Bold Text  
that pop in to gain attention: Donate, We need a thousand  
more doners today and donate to save them. Dollar signs  
flash.

NARRATOR

so we donate to help save them. The  
organization's focus on how we help  
them,

Sad music cross dissolves with happy, hopeful music. The  
shot widens from the TV and pans to show the living room.  
thirty-something woman sits at her desk working on her  
laptop. Her calico cat jumps on to her lap. She scratches  
the cat's ears.

Yet they never talk about how they  
save us. Having them in our lives  
has both physical and emotional  
benefits.

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The calico cat walks to the window sill and watches the birds on the lawn. Outside, a sixty something couple walks their dog.

NARRATOR

reducing stress, anxiety, and loneliness. But more than that, they bring unconditional love, joy, and fun into our lives--

EXT. SMALL TOWN STREET: DAY

The sixty-something couple and their dog walk down the street to the dog park. They walk into the park. People (different ages, fenders, and ethnic backgrounds) walk and play with their dogs. Many wave and greet the couple. A teenage girl trains her puppy. He sits up, howls, and gently falls on his side wiggling. The girl laughs.

NARRATOR

the uniquely weird moments that you can only describe because you rarely have a camera to record them.

INT. LIVING ROOM: NIGHT

A man sadly lays on the couch, flipping through the channels on the TV. A cat jumps up and snuggles with him. Smiling, he pets her.

NARRATOR

They give us companionship without judgment, even on bad hair days or when life goes sideways, they still love us. .

EXT. HOUSE; DAY

House with a long porch with the text graphic "Home is where the paws are", Cats, kittens, dogs, and puppies happily sit on the porch near the front door.

NARRATOR

On days when it would be easy to give up, they give us a reason to try again. When we rescue them, we save ourselves. Support your local rescue group and find your forever family.