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How Does Found by Phone Work?

Started by Dogs Finding Dogs, K9 SAR for Missing Pets, a 501c3 charitable organization who has reunited over 4000 missing pets since 2008, this program is to help pet owners find their missing pets nationwide. It is a FREE service based solely on donations and fundraisers.

Dogs Finding Dogs is consistently contacted with pleas for help nationally for the use of its Search and Rescue K9 teams and for advice. With the high demand calling for our expertise, DFD has decided to officially go national with the Found by Phone program.

How Found by Phone Reunites Pets

Dogs Finding Dogs, Found by Phone program provides critical assessments that need to be made when a pet goes missing. We develop a full action plan which outlines what has to happen on the ground, at sightings, instructions for luring your pet so it can be caught or trapped, maps outlining what to do and where, generating sightings and more. DFD will stay with you as long as you want to look for your pet.

Serving Pet Owners throughout the United States. We never want to turn down a plea for help. Our furry children need to come home safe and quickly.



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Do You Need a Tracking Dog? Let us Help You Decide...

There are situations that a tracking dog cannot help you with. A tracking dog is just a tool to help us humans figure out what to do and where. If we feel that one is needed, we will refer you to one in your area who can be trusted. Hiring a for-profit tracking dog can be very expensive each and every time you need it to come out.

Scam Awareness

One of the most important services that the DFD, Found by Phone program provides is warning you on the many scammers that are out there that will take advantage of you during this stressful time. These scams can cause you to never recover your missing pet. There are bogus trackers, alerts and con artists that prey on the weak financially.

Private Investigators on Staff

DFD also has on staff licensed private detectives in case your pet has been stolen. Sadly enough this is a very common occurrence for a variety of reasons.

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DFD will guide you until your pet is found or until you decide to end your search. The majority of the missing pets can be reunited by our Found by Phone program. A simple phone call to Dogs Finding Dogs starts the process.

Donations raised go to help pay for the operation costs for the program, to raise awareness of the Found by Phone program and to add to the number of search and rescue certified dogs and handlers nationwide. Your donation to DFD for this program is tax deductible.

Anthropologists have stated that without pets our modern civilization would have never gotten this far. Pet owners understand the deep need for the love of pets. It is critical that we raise awareness for all the pets that are lost. It is critical for them to come home. Please help. Please donate and share this so DFD can do this for them. Thank you!

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Fido is Running Loose and Won't Come When Called! Why?

A dog has the natural instinct to want to roam freely. They jump fences, dig holes, and some are crafty enough to flip the gate latch. Pet owners are constantly trying to keep their dogs contained. When they finally break loose, why does their behavior seem so different?

By Anne Wilk

Photo credit: Anne Wilk

Remember that your dog is an animal. Pet owners tend to humanize dogs. Certain behaviors humans in many ways. They show happiness, sadness, and are really tough on their backs. But when dogs are on their own, they become more canine. Dogs, who are separated from voices, will act like wolves or lions when they are lost.

When a dog is running around the neighborhood, a pet owner will call back like they are trying to catch a rat. What should the pet owner do to lure a dog to a location where it can be caught?

There are two major strategies pet owners can use to get their dog back.

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Read a First Hand account by Zero"! In this multi-part story, hear Zero explain how it was to be missing and what it took to get her back home! Each week we will release the next chapter.



Introduction by Zero

Recently, as some of you are aware, due to a series of unfortunate events, I got lost. With the help of Dogs Finding Dogs (DFD), K9 Riley, Simona (MeowMa) and Paul I found my way back home.

K9 Riley called me up and said that my story helped others find their lost cats. Right now I am grounded from going outside. My lawyer, said doing Public Service Announcements will get me extra tuna while on lockdown. I also decided that I would like to contribute more to the cause to getting pets home. To that end I want to help raise awareness for the DFD "Home by Phone" program which was recently launched nationally. I ask that you please, please, please donate to the fund. Your donations will be used in a national media campaign to get to the pet owners the information needed to find their missing pets. Without all the people and tricks that DFD, Simona and Paul used, I would still be alone, and frightened. Even when people said "she is gone" or "you will never find her," Simona and Paul never stopped; such are the bonds of love.

Most importantly, I would like to encourage you to keep on searching for your missing pets. Those of us who are missing, we need you, and want you to find us. We miss you petting us. We miss sitting on your lap. We miss you playing with us. We want to come home. We have not stopped looking for you so please don't stop looking for us.

Over the upcoming weeks I will be writing down what happened to me in a series called, "The Diary of Zero." I hope you will enjoy it.

Here's My Adventure - Chapter 1

I was only a few months old and it is Devils night, the night before Halloween, in Detroit. Traditionally people will set buildings on fire all over the city on this night. My earliest memory is of the fire. The smoke was very thick, I could not breathe; it was hot and terrifying. The fire was so close that I could see the flames and feel the heat. A kind fire woman picked me up and through her air mask I heard her say "It's all right little one, I have you."

"Please do not drop me!" I cried over and over as she took me out of the house. Suddenly, I was outside in the clean air and I saw the house engulfed in flames. I never knew what happened to my mom, I cried for her but I never saw her again. I want to believe she made it out and she was rescued by a good family.

Later that night, the firefighters brought me to the fire house. It was a nice place; unlike the house where I was born, it was big and clean. I was still terrified and wanted my mom. The firefighters

wanted me to be their mascot but too many of them were allergic to cats. Still, they gave me food and water and let me hide under things. The next day one of the guys took me to Paul's apartment. Paul was kind and he pet me, scratching my ears, boy, how I love that! He took me upstairs and we were looking at each other when he asked, "What do we call you?"





I looked over at the TV where he had paused the movie “A Nightmare before Christmas” at the little ghost dog. I meowed and Zero became my name. I thought it was fitting because of my color, the movie and it was Halloween.

Now being basically feral and through so much, everything scared me. Paul and his friends would try pet and play with me but I was very scared all the time. The fire still filled my thoughts and I missed my mom. I hid all the time, until I was about two. Paul brought home DeVinci, a six week old kitten, who found Paul while he was taking pictures of a barn (and that is a cute story that I may tell you another time). DeVinci ran and jumped and chased me out of all my hiding places. I liked DeVinci; we were both kittens and we were both without a mom. DeVinci showed me that it was not such a scary world. The fact was DeVinci and Paul protected me. We became the East Side Kitty Posse! I don’t have thumbs or I would through up a gang sign there.

Paul started to travel for work when I was 8. We went all over the country; had some pretty nice places to stay, met some cool people. We ended up in Washington, DC., where Paul bought us a really nice townhouse. A year later I met Simona with whom I bonded and she became my MeowMa. We spend hours under the blankets, I sleep on her pillow and I follow her around so she does not get lost in the house. We read together on the patio when it is hot in the summer. It really was not until MeowMa that I became a true lap cat. I am still kicking myself for all those years of not understanding how great being a lap cat is. We started to remodel the house, a project here and there. MeowMa protected me from all the scary stuff that happens when a house is under construction.

Tragedy struck in 2015 when the house next door caught part of my house on fire. “No, this can’t be happening again,” I thought. MeowMa grabbed me and DeVinci, put us in a cat carrier then took us over to friends house nearby. We could only watch from the window as the firemen put the fire out in both of the houses. For the next few months we could not go back home. For a while, we stayed in an apartment and it was hard on all of us. It was uncomfortable and I kept having flashbacks. I would hide when Simona could not be there and cling to her when she was. But the day came that we could all go home. There was a still a lot of remodeling to finish and we had endless problems with the contractors. About 3 days from being done, the construction guys left the front door open and so it begins the scarcest adventure I would ever be on. More to come with my next posting...

So many pet owners have no clue what to do when we get out in the big world. They make horrible mistakes or become the victims of scammers. Help me get the information out to all the owners who have to search in the endless nights to bring us home. Please donate to the Found by Phone program from Dogs Finding Dogs. We want to come home and we need your help to do that. Please never give up on us; we have not given up on you.



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