

A Tale of Two Dogs



of York County
A New Leash on Life

Do you believe two terrific dogs like us could ever be homeless? It's true! Not so long ago, we were living on the streets of York, abandoned, hungry, and scared. Life was not fun: scrounging for food, avoiding speeding cars, hunting for safe nooks to stay out of the cold. Our future looked bleak, to say the least. Lucky for us, we wandered onto the porch of a kind human who took us to the York County SPCA. The folks here take GREAT care of us, and now we have real hope of finding a nice home. But we are just two dogs of so many at the shelter and some of our friends had it much worse.

I heard people here say that 2009 was not a good year for pets because of the economy (whatever that is). Some pets go to the SPCA because their families have to move to a place where animals are not allowed. Some pets get surrendered because their owners cannot afford to take care of them anymore. And some pets are just abandoned, cruelly left behind like they never mattered at all. More of these animals are filling up the shelters every day!

As dogs, "we ain't too proud to beg," so here is the meat of the bone: the York County SPCA helps more than 7,000 animals each year, and today they need your help more than ever to keep providing their tender care to the most needy and helpless: animals like us. You may not think your donation could change the world, but it DOES change the world for us--and so many of our friends, too! Bottom bark: You can help save lives.

With happy woofs and
friendly wags,
Chet and Barney

Because the York County SPCA receives no funds from national rescue or humane organizations, and only a small amount of governmental assistance, we rely on your help to survive. Your donation helps us care for thousands of animals like Chet and Barney every year, every day. THANK YOU

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