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cats and kittens of Fried's Cat Shelter

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Letter from the Director

Dear Loyal Supporters,

Thank you for your continued support of our efforts here at Fried's Cat Shelter. It has been a very busy summer here with so many kittens!

We are slowing our remodeling efforts for the winter to gear ourselves financially for what we know are going to be horrible utility costs. Gas and Electric for September was \$400, October rose to \$800!!! Your help will be needed more than ever.

It seems there has been some offense and confusion as to why we don't send thank you letters to all our contributors. We try our best to convey, in the newsletters, our heartfelt thanks and deepest appreciation for all contributions. We try to keep our costs down as much as possible, and figured you would rather we use the money on the care of the kids instead of postage. Please do not take offense to this practice. After adding postage, stationary, and manpower this could cost us hundreds of dollars a year. You are all so very important to us and the kids.

Until next time, Happy Holidays and we hope to see you at the Open House!

Sincerely,

Sandra O'Dell

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Director

Fried's Cat Shelter would like to honor the memory of two special people, Julius and Eleanor Marquardt. They had big hearts and love for all animals. For many years they were instrumental in supporting our efforts. Sadly, they have both passed away now, but they made sure that we would be able to continue. It is through their generosity and love that many of the renovations to our building have been made possible. Thank you Julius and Eleanor! You will be greatly missed by all of God's creatures; two and four legged alike.



Special Announcements

**Christmas Open House
December 3 & 4, 2005**



WISH LIST

Lots of scoopable litter, jumbo litter boxes, and canned cat food.

From the Desk of Charlie, Jr.

Hi! Human Friends,



Remember Bobby, the cat who lost his tail? I told his story earlier this year. He now lives with the rest of us in Gang, and he likes it here. If you are looking for him, he is not easy to find among all the other black cats because he stays in the background.



In the meantime we have had several other cats who came in from outside.



Mama Kitty had several litters of kittens. All but the last litter died outside. Our humans were able to bring three of her four kittens in, and Mama followed them. She was spayed and tested and her official name is now Little Lady. She is living in the juvenile bin and will join us in Gang as soon as she gets her booster shots.

Little Lady likes it here; she has no desire to go back outside. By the way, her fourth kitten, a little black male, is still outside. He comes to eat by the leukemia building, and we are trying to persuade him to come in before it gets too cold.



Big Gray is another cat who was dropped off outside the shelter last winter. He made friends with the human who takes care of the cats in the leukemia building. When he hurt his leg he came in and she treated his leg until it was healed. Once he was well again he went to the vet to get tested and neutered.

He tested negative for leukemia and FIV and now he is in the juvenile bin waiting to get his booster shots. He likes people and gets along fine with other cats, but he would like to have a family of his own again.



And then there is Buck who is about 2 years old. He really stands out among the cats here in Gang with his buff colored, medium length fur and fluffy tail. He was left at the shelter's front door last summer, so scared that he let loose and sprayed. I don't have to tell you: he went to the vet the next day to get tested and neutered. When he came back our humans put him in Gang. He had never seen so many cats in one place; he was so afraid he spent the first few days lying in a litterbox in the

corner. He came out only when we had visitors with children. He walked up to the kids and sniffed them. We asked him why he did that and he said: "Maybe my family is coming for me." I don't know how he did it, but somehow he persuaded our human caretaker to write a letter to the News-Dispatch (the local newspaper) for him. His letter got printed and we are very proud of him.

The holidays are coming and all of us, humans and felines, wish you all the best. Please don't forget: my brothers and sisters are counting on your support!

'Til next newsletter,



Charlie, Jr.



Orbit and Lonestar would like you to

COME FOR A VISIT

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www.friedscatshelter.org

Our Business hours are:

Mon - Wed Closed
Thurs - Fri 10 am - 4 pm
Sat - Sun Noon - 4 pm

Driving Directions:

Coming from Illinois...take I-94 East to Indiana exit 40B (Hwy 20/35 for Michigan City). Take that road till you come to the exit for Hwy 212 North (about 1/2 mile). When on 212 get into the left hand lane. We are on the left side of the road at the end of the curve in the highway. We are across the street from the Butt Hutt, whose sign you will see first.

Coming from Michigan...take I-94 West to exit 40B and follow the above directions.

Coming from South Bend...Take the 80/90 Toll Road West to La Porte Exit 49. When you come off the exit head North (a right turn) on Hwy 39. Go to the traffic light (Hwy 20) and turn left. Take Hwy 20 to the exit for Hwy 212 North (about 5-6 miles). When on 212 get into the left hand lane. We are on the left side of the road at the end of the curve in the highway. We are across the street from the Butt Hutt, whose sign you will see first.

Please mail all correspondence to:

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In memory of my Aunt, Betty Szczepanski.

--Scott A. Dado

In memory of our dear friend Bill Hurst.

--From the Gang at the Coolsprings Car Wash

In Loving Memory of Irene F. Peterson

a wonderful lady who will be missed by many.

Earl Peterson, Jay and Marjorie Smith, Linda Milzarek, Mary L. Konda, Nat'l Asso. of Letter Carriers, Emmett Lange, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sikorski, Virginia Lilovich, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Semala, Lois and Harry Davis, and Fried's Cat Shelter

In Loving Memory of Adell "Dolly" Grossman

a wonderful lady who will be missed by many.

Debbie Grossman; The Coopers; Gretchen Chlebowski; Bill, Clare, Janet, Burt and family; Fran Venema; Susan and Joshua Karp; Kathleen Alekno; and Fried's Cat Shelter

Perhaps they are not the stars, but rather openings in Heaven where the love of our lost ones pours through and shines down upon us to let us know they are happy.

~Author Unknown



In Honor Of



In honor of Nancy and Terry, who were married on August 24, 2005. Congratulations!

--D. Holt

In honor of Rhoda Herzoff's birthday.

--Betty Volkmar

In honor of our cats, Joyce and Tiny.

--Pamela Hill

In honor of Miss Willow.

--Memorrie Delsener

In honor of Elaine A. Bentley and Denise Zimmerman.

--Richard and Jean Anderson and Family

In honor of "Tucker".

--Raymond A. Barskus

In honor of Joan Niecikowski and her cat Ollie -- Happy Holiday and Birthday.

--Abel and Tillie Fragoso

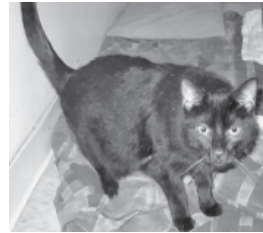


HOMES NEEDED

HERE ARE SOME PURR-FECT COMPANIONS FOR YOU FOR THE HOLIDAYS



Moses



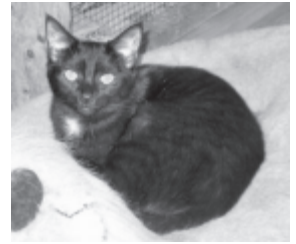
Hotspur (brothers) Puck



Cadie



Charm



Belle



Faulker



Coral



Lizzie



Duke



Mollie



Twix

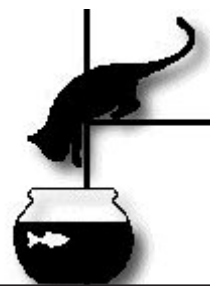


Mittens



Millie

YES! I WOULD LIKE TO PLACE AN ORDER!



NOTE: All prices include shipping and handling

Quantity	Description	Price	Total
	Glow in the dark Pom Pom Balls	\$ 2.25	
	Multi-colored Crinkle Balls	\$ 2.50	
	Poster/Gift Wrap of cats 19 1/2" wide and 28 1/2" high	\$ 3.00	
	Poster/Gift Wrap of kittens (same dimensions)	\$ 3.00	
	4x6 Wood Picture Frame w/ saying (Friend: A treasured Gift...)	\$ 10.00	
	Catnip	\$ 3.50	
	Feline Frolic Minimax Photo Album--holds 100 4x6 or smaller	\$ 13.00	
	Zig-N-Zag	\$ 5.00	
	Play-N-Squeak	\$ 6.00	
	Play-N-Treat	\$ 5.50	
	Book: Cats Rule	\$ 12.00	
	Book: The Splendid Little Book of All Things Cat	\$ 12.00	
	Book: Kittens! Why Do They Do What They Do	\$ 7.00	
	Book: Cat Blessings-A collection of poems, quotes, facts, myth	\$ 10.00	
	Book: Cats Are Better Than Dogs	\$ 10.00	
		TOTAL	

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Memorials & Honors

Your donation in memory or in honor of loved ones or pets will go a long way to help Fried's Cat Shelter's cats and kittens. When sending memorials or honors please include your wording

ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER

along with your name and address.

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE CLEARLY!



In Memory Of



In memory of my dear neighbor, Barbara Williams. She went to be with the Lord on July 7th. She loved her kitties so much.

--Liz Buck

In memory of Lucy Lou-Lou. She gave me three great years of un-conditional love and companionship.

--Marty Eikelberg

In memory of our dear cat, Annie, who passed away after 16 wonderful years. Your brothers & sisters, Carol and Charlie miss you very much. You will always be in our hearts.

--Mr. & Mrs. Charlie Lutz

In memory of my son, Mark Humbert. He met Amber, Cindy and Mikey over the Rainbow Bridge.

--Dorothy Humbert

In memory of my brother, Mark Humbert, who passed away recently.

--Gail Kaltwasser & family

In memory of Mark Humbert.

--Laura Webb and Vernon Teves

In memory of Mark Edward Humbert, who was an avid cat lover.

--Laurie Jo Prager

In memory of Mark Humbert.

--Harris County Attorneys Office, Disability and Elder Law

In memory of Bob Sponder, beloved brother of Dorothy S. Humbert.

--Harris County Attorneys Office, Disability and Elder Law

In memory of Helen F. Cook

--Great Lakers Auto Club

In memory of Helen F. Cook who passed away on August 17, 2005.

--Alan Landing

In memory of my son Michael Minard.

--Mattie Minard

In memory of Michael Minard.

--Marsha L. Rzepczynski

In memory of my late husband, Francis Dolowy, who loved all the cats at Fried's.

--Rosemary Dolowy

In memory of my cats, Roscoe, Murphy, and Kitty.

--Theresa Christensen

In loving memory of Marion Brzezinski and our pets.

--Elizabeth Brzezinski

In memory of my sister, Charlene Koranda, who died July 13, 2005. She loved animals.

--Dolores Cullen

In memory of my beloved cat, Smokie, who passed away in June.

--Ilse Scharpenberg

In loving remembrance of a gray cat that was with us for 15 years. We love and miss you 'Zander.

--Gwendolynne M. Foster

In memory of Westin. You were here and gone in one year.

--Marlene A. Larson

In memory of my beloved cat, Ghidra.

--Gail Macewich

In memory of my tiny little "Frontail". She fought a brave battle.

--Rana Melton

In memory of Pat Gleason who loved cats and whose cats now live with mine.

--Ann Beckerdite

In memory of the passing away of our friends' beloved cat, Puff.

--Sandy and Ginny Geleta

In memory of Kiki, Yum Yum, J.B., and Frankie.

--Mary S. Day

In memory of Louis Wentland.

--Margaret Hatfield

In memory of a beloved cat named Chelsey Bireley.

--Jill Doyle

In memory of Sally Zukowski, friend of Katharine.

--John and Amy Ambrose

In memory of all the animals who have suffered in Hurricane Katrina and Hurricane Rita.

--Felicia Palombo

In loving memory of my parents, grandparents, and aunt.

--Ruth Ladewig

In memory of my beloved wife, Dita, and our little cat, Tasha.

--Gerry Murphy

In memory of Helen Hennings.

--Judith and Edward Polzin

In memory of our beloved Minkie.

--Milorad and Dushanka Milatovic

In memory of Sylvia Shuger.

--Marc Shuger

In memory of Elizabeth Ann Szczepanski.

--Laurie A. Hetzel

In memory of Betty Szczepanski.

--Elaine Gehring

In memory of Pudgy.

--Graceann Tang

In memory of Lucy, our angel dog, who left us July 18th. We miss her so.

--Don and Shirley Carl