

FALL 2015



A Puppy With A Purpose

Woofi The Missionary Puppy

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Woofi Warms the Heart of Florida

Through prayer and a garage sale we were able to minister to folks at the **Heart of Florida Youth Ranch**. The children at the HFYR suffer from several kinds of abuse, yet their greatest pain is the emotional trauma of abandonment. Many of the children have been betrayed, neglected and much more. We observed the caring and love shown to these precious children. Their daily care helps to build trust and introduce them to the One who will never forsake them - Jesus.



We spent time with them getting to know them listening and sharing the Good News through the love and hugs of Woofi and reassuring them through God's word of His love.

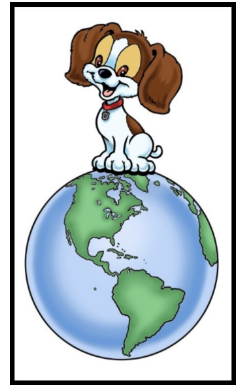
What excitement and joy it was when we surprised them with their own Woofis. Seeing their eyes and hugs for Woofi was a special blessing.



The purpose of the *Heart of Florida Youth Ranch* is
"To honor God by helping heal hurting children and families"
Check out the *Heart of Florida Youth Ranch* at www.HOFYR.org

WHERE IN THE WORLD IS WOOFI?

Spanish Health Ministries—Lancaster, PA



Harriet Widlund is a big Woofi Ministry supporter. Harriet, her husband Woody and a friend went with Woofi to Spanish Health Ministries out near Lancaster.



They went to give and to tell children about Woofi. They were introduced to several mothers in the facility and they shared the gospel using the colors on Woofi's collar. Harriet has prepared some material that she uses to expand upon the colors that explain Salvation. She wanted to be sure that the mothers received this very important information. Now they can share it with their children. Praise the Lord!

They also gave Woofis to several other people who were going on trips to other parts of the world: a woman who was going to Mexico; a young woman who was returning to England to work with youth; to a grandmother of a special needs child that can only communicate by computer. That little boy's smile was beautiful when he received Woofi but it was even more beautiful when he received the book. Come to find out he wants to be a pastor and he loves to be read to.

To God be the Glory!

My mom Shirley gave Jazzy a Woofi along with a sweater to give to her very best friend from Puerto Rico. They decided every night they would sleep with them to feel close to each other. Some girls need a "best friend" necklace and some just need Woofi!



Kid's Corner



Sue Geiss writes:

We met this little boy "Bane" in Camden, New Jersey. He said he wanted Jesus to take him to Heaven because he is so scared to live there sometimes. We don't even begin to know how hard it is for children to live in dangerous situations as part of their "normal", every-day life. Praise the Lord that Woofi was able to bring him some comfort and teach him about Jesus.

Kids corner
Dear Miss. Geiss,
Thank you for Woofi and
the books. I especially
liked woofi who helped
me sleep ~~me~~ last night.
From: Bane to Miss. Geiss

Harvey Keiser from Surfside Presbyterian Church shared the reaction of their grandson to Woofi:

I debated whether to get Woofi for him because I thought he might be a little old for it. But his delight is obvious by the picture! He was in love with Woofi from the first time he saw him. John Caleb (age four) has a "love bunny" which we gave him when he was born and he cannot sleep with it.

Well now it's "love bunny" AND Woofi! He tells our Katy all the time, "I love my Woofi!" We thank you all for the ministry and we thank God for giving you the vision.

In His love, Harvey Keiser



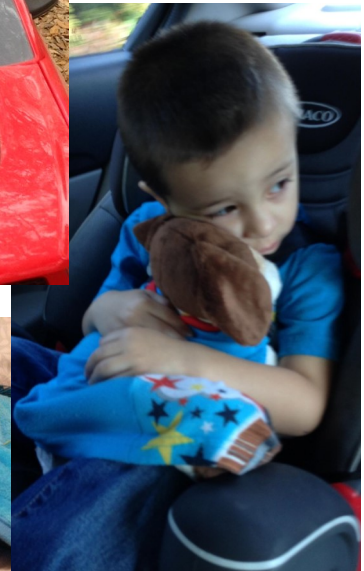


Letters from Woofi Supporters

A Day in the Life of Woofi

A friend of ours sent these photos. Her son takes Woofi everywhere!

Buck & Nancy Young



Pastor and Mrs. Craft from Maranatha Baptist Church in Japan write:

Just had to share this, as you know we give Woofi to kids whose Dad's are deployed. Recently a military wife shared this picture with me. She was having trouble getting her toddler to sleep well at night so she started having Woofi "tuck in" her daughter. Now she sleeps all night with Woofi watching over her!



More Letters from Woofi Supporters



Kristal Reiner from Hermitage Baptist Church wrote about the impact Woofi has had on her church. Her heart was to give Woofis to children in North Dakota who have so very little. Their Pastor sent an email to tell Kristal they were thrilled and the pictures show their smiles—priceless! He added that Woofi is a wonderful tool to witness to children and adults. I love the message Woofi brings to all.



Mason is a young man from the East Berlin, PA area who underwent surgery for a tumor. Prior to his surgery, his Aunt was at a prayer service at her church near Lancaster and brought a Woofi to Mason.

During his recovery, Mason was comforted by his Woofi and felt that other patients in the hospital, many of them children, would love to hear about Woofi and experience the joy in cuddling with him. So Mason gathered more Woofis and gave to them to patients in the hospital and wants to continue with this ministry. Way to go Mason!