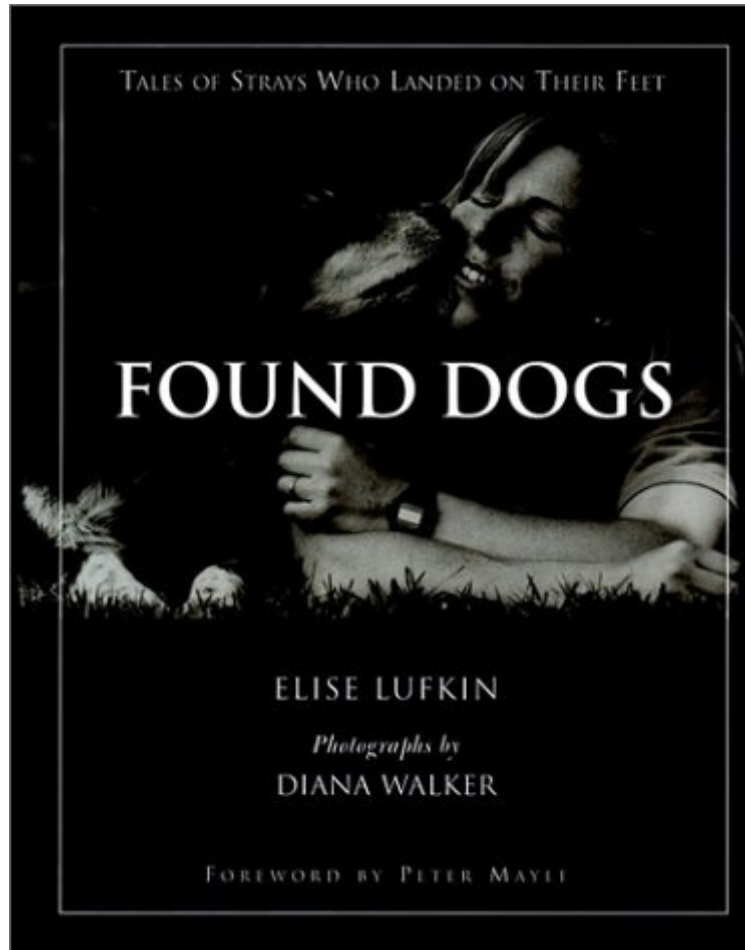


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15 of 15 people found the following review helpful. A MUST HAVE for anyone who loves dogs!!By Alyssa DonatiI was afraid to order this book at first because I am such a huge animal lover and get very distressed when I hear stories about animals who have been abused or abandoned. I literally get nightmares when I read about animals who are suffering and I wasn't sure if this book would be more upsetting then pleasurable since I knew many of the dogs would have tragic tales before adoption. My experience with this book: got it today, sat down on the sofa with it and simply could not put it down. I read every story and even though many of them were tragic they really didn't dwell on the horrific past in a way that made me uncomfortable. I did cry but they were slow, blissful tears that often melted into the edges of an unforeseen smile. These stories are some of the most uplifting, gorgeous stories I have ever read and the photos that accompany them are beautiful, often spontaneous portraits of owners embracing their saved animals. In every furry face you can see the joy and the gratitude and the extinguished pain. They are saved and they are home and

it burns your eyes and warms your heart and leaves you shivering in goose pimples. I am SO glad I decided to order this book! It's a must have for anyone who loves dogs. 27 of 27 people found the following review helpful. Wonderful book!!!

By M. Jensen I first picked up this book, at the library, when I was borrowing a breed identification guide, to try to identify the small, red, muscular, angry and frightened dog that appeared in our yard. It turned out that he was a Min Pin, a very abused one. The obvious previous mistreatment of this dog and his, resulting, very aggressive and fearful behavior made me question whether or not we could help him. Then, that evening I found myself sitting quietly on the couch, reading this wonderful book and suddenly I was joined by our "found dog". He cautiously curled up on my lap (our first positive interaction!) and I (carefully at first) pet him and read, all evening. By the end of the book, we had bonded. It wasn't an easy journey, but we made it. It has been four years and he is one of the smartest, funniest, most loving dogs we have ever known. We can't imagine our life without him.

This is a terrific book for anyone who has adopted a rescued dog (or is thinking about it). It gives wonderful inspiration!

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. This book makes you like people almost as much as dogs

By NTS We all know how wonderful dogs are, but Found Dogs shows us how wonderful people can be, too. This book is filled with short, sweet stories (and photos, too!) about how people rescued their dogs. There are fairly exotic stories (one man was backpacking across Europe when a stray tagged along for the ride) and the more common story (adopting from a shelter). But ALL the stories make you feel proud to be a human. The dogs are so loving and loyal, but the people are too:)

This book, along with the book Second Chances, are two of my all-time favorite books...period.

Superb photographs and a fascinating cast of people and dogs make this book irresistible to anyone who is moved by the human-animal bond. The dogs included in this book were abandoned in animal shelters, at racetracks, or just by the side of the road. They were found and given a second chance by their current owners, but you'll wonder why they were ever lost when you meet these characters, from the mixed breed service dog with a vocabulary of over 300 words to the tiny furball companion of a female pilot who accompanies her everywhere on the ground and in the air.

Renowned author and dog lover Peter Mayle is contributing the forward and celebrity contributions by the likes of Jamie Lee Curtis and Vice-President Albert Gore make this a top-notch collection. The exquisite black and white photographs capture the bond between these people and the dogs they love with incredible emotion and sensitivity.

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"A Surprise publishing hit."--USA Today
"Profiles in love."--Family Circle
"An inspiring book with stories and photographs of special pets rescued from the pound."--The Atlanta Journal and Constitution