



Pets Letter of Wishes
of
Anna Isabel Jones

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Pippin

To my Chosen Pet Care Giver, my Executor, my Family and my Friends,

I, Anna Isabel Jones, of New York, born on 22 February 1980 write this Pets Letter of Wishes to make clear my desires regarding the future care of my pet Dog, Pippin. I write this letter with the intention and in the hope that you will all do your best to make sure my wishes are followed in the event that I die or ever have a physical or mental condition that prevents me from caring properly for Pippin.

As you all know, Pippin has been a loving and constant friend in my life. I have therefore given considerable thought to the future that Pippin would face without me. If I am unable to care for Pippin, I want my Sister, Mary Garcia, to give Pippin a loving home. I have discussed this with Mary Garcia, who has agreed to take care of Pippin should I be unable to do so.

While I understand that this Pets Letter of Wishes has no legal standing in current law, I trust that it will be given moral standing and actual effect because I have taken the time and effort to discuss my wishes with those who I trust to care for Pippin, record my wishes in writing and this Letter has been independently witnessed. After all, the future of Pippin is at stake.

If I have a Last Will and Testament containing my wishes for Pippin, I want this Letter of Wishes to be taken into consideration with my Will as part of my overall final wishes. If the wishes expressed in my Will and this Letter are in conflict, I recognize that wishes expressed in my Will are the only wishes that have legal effect.

Signature of Anna Isabel Jones _____

Date _____, 20____.

Witness Declaration:

I declare that I know the writer of this Pets Letter of Wishes personally or have been presented with convincing evidence of this person's identity. The wishes of Anna Isabel Jones appear to be clear and Anna Isabel Jones has signed the Pets Letter of Wishes voluntarily in my presence.

1st Witness Signature

Name (print)

Address

2nd Witness Signature

Name (print)

Address

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Eric

To my Chosen Pet Care Giver, my Executor, my Family and my Friends,

I, Anna Isabel Jones, of New York, born on 22 February 1980 write this Pets Letter of Wishes to make clear my desires regarding the future care of my pet Cat, Eric. I write this letter with the intention and in the hope that you will all do your best to make sure my wishes are followed in the event that I die or ever have a physical or mental condition that prevents me from caring properly for Eric.

As you all know, Eric has been a loving and constant friend in my life. I have therefore given considerable thought to the future that Eric would face without me. If I am unable to care for Eric, I want my Nephew, James Garcia, to give Eric a loving home. I have discussed this with James Garcia, who has agreed to take care of Eric should I be unable to do so.

While I understand that this Pets Letter of Wishes has no legal standing in current law, I trust that it will be given moral standing and actual effect because I have taken the time and effort to discuss my wishes with those who I trust to care for Eric, record my wishes in writing and this Letter has been independently witnessed. After all, the future of Eric is at stake.

If I have a Last Will and Testament containing my wishes for Eric, I want this Letter of Wishes to be taken into consideration with my Will as part of my overall final wishes. If the wishes expressed in my Will and this Letter are in conflict, I recognize that wishes expressed in my Will are the only wishes that have legal effect.

Signature of Anna Isabel Jones _____

Date _____, 20____.

Witness Declaration:

I declare that I know the writer of this Pets Letter of Wishes personally or have been presented with convincing evidence of this person's identity. The wishes of Anna Isabel Jones appear to be clear and Anna Isabel Jones has signed the Pets Letter of Wishes voluntarily in my presence.

1st Witness Signature

Name (print)

Address

2nd Witness Signature

Name (print)

Address

Pets Letter of Wishes



Joey

To my Chosen Pet Care Giver, my Executor, my Family and my Friends,

I, Anna Isabel Jones, of New York, born on 22 February 1980 write this Pets Letter of Wishes to make clear my desires regarding the future care of my pet Bird, Joey. I write this letter with the intention and in the hope that you will all do your best to make sure my wishes are followed in the event that I die or ever have a physical or mental condition that prevents me from caring properly for Joey.

As you all know, Joey has been a loving and constant friend in my life. I have therefore given considerable thought to the future that Joey would face without me. If I am unable to care for Joey, I want my Friend, Tanya Dickson, to give Joey a loving home. I have discussed this with Tanya Dickson, who has agreed to take care of Joey should I be unable to do so.

Special instructions regarding the care of Joey are as follows: Joey came to me when my neighbor became too ill to look after him, so this letter is my way of keeping my promise to her to make sure Joey always had someone to protect him. I can't bear to think of Joey alone, so I need to be able to rest knowing that his future care without me would be in safe hands.

While I understand that this Pets Letter of Wishes has no legal standing in current law, I trust that it will be given moral standing and actual effect because I have taken the time and effort to discuss my wishes with those who I trust to care for Joey, record my wishes in writing and this Letter has been independently witnessed. After all, the future of Joey is at stake.

If I have a Last Will and Testament containing my wishes for Joey, I want this Letter of Wishes to be taken into consideration with my Will as part of my overall final wishes. If the wishes expressed in my Will and this Letter are in conflict, I recognize that wishes expressed in my Will are the only wishes that have legal effect.

Signature of Anna Isabel Jones _____

Date _____, 20____.

Witness Declaration:

I declare that I know the writer of this Pets Letter of Wishes personally or have been presented with convincing evidence of this person's identity. The wishes of Anna Isabel Jones appear to be clear and Anna Isabel Jones has signed the Pets Letter of Wishes voluntarily in my presence.

1st Witness Signature _____

Name (print) _____

Address _____

2nd Witness Signature _____

Name (print) _____

Address _____

Vital Instructions: Pets Letter of Wishes

1. Write one Pets Letter of Wishes for each pet.
2. If your pet needs care because you're unable to provide a home and proper care, any kind of hitch or delay will be agony for your pet. So, make sure this Letter of Wishes is kept with your other important private documents – and keep them all where they will be easily found. Documents of this nature are of no use if they are not found.
3. It is important to discuss your wishes with the people you trust to take care of your pet before they may be called upon to do so. Make sure they understand your pet's needs and that they are willing to take care of your pet. It would be disastrous to name someone to care for your pet in your Pets Letter of Wishes only to have that person flatly refuse to do so. You might also discuss whether or not you are leaving a sum of money to help with that care.
4. As your Pets Letter of Wishes is not a legally binding document, there is no need in law for it to be witnessed. However, chances that your Executor and the Courts will act on the Letter's expressed intent may increase as you have taken the time and effort to have your signature witnessed.
5. Gather together with your two witnesses and explain to them that this document is your Pets Letter of Wishes, designed to protect the future for your pet. Once you have signed the Letter of Wishes, ask them to sign and provide the witness information where shown.
6. It's best to choose witnesses who are 18 or over and not named in your Letter of Wishes.
7. Make sure you destroy any previous written instructions about your pet's care in any non-legal document, as your new Letter of Wishes should supersede such instructions. If prior instructions were given in a properly signed Last Will & Testament or Living Trust, they appear in documents that have force in law. If you have either of these documents in force, make sure the wishes you express for your pet in your Pets Letter of Wishes are in line with the wishes you express in the Will or Living Trust.
8. If you want to make a cash gift on your death to your chosen pet care-giver, you can do so in your Last Will & Testament, included with your Pets Letter of Wishes at www.itsmylife.com.