

To Willie



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Is 10 am, and probably a Sunday. With the alarm still in the background—I wake up, wipe the drool off my face, dirt from my eyes and prepare for yet another monotonous day of s u p e r - f u n - quarantine-activities.

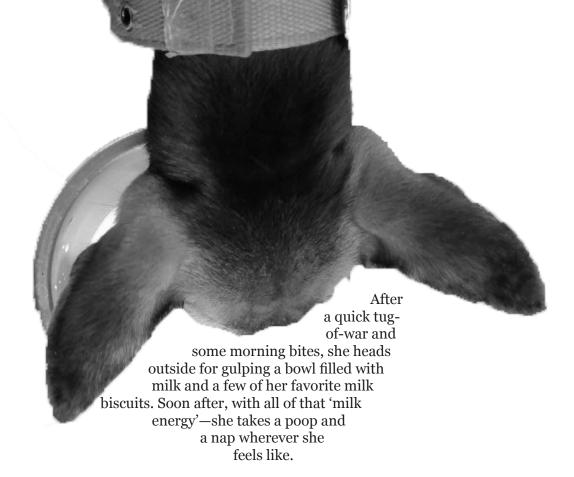
It has reached that point where time has become obsolete and my idea of hope has become bleak.

Until...

Now,

when I'm woken up by the cries of a good girl, trying to hold in her pee. And from there our daily adventure begins...





Caution

A puppy has no limit or understanding to how much they can eat.
Usually—eat, puke, repeat.

It is from this iconic character,

The Fresh Prince

of Bel-Air—who is goofy, charming, and is teased at for having large ears—that **Willie** got her name from.

Also, I could have been biased on the fact that I was binging The Fresh Prince at the time of her adoption.



The morning hours are usually spent—wandering around, sniffing, creating mischief, nibbling on random twigs, and chewing my shoes.

Seeing her comfortable and calm around me makes me think about the first-day she came home—she was **terrified.** Wouldn't dare to make a sound or do anything out of her own free will.

And nowadays as I go face-to-face with this 'incarnation of naughtiness', I look back and wonder, 'haa what an innocent kid she used to be—back in the good ol'days.'

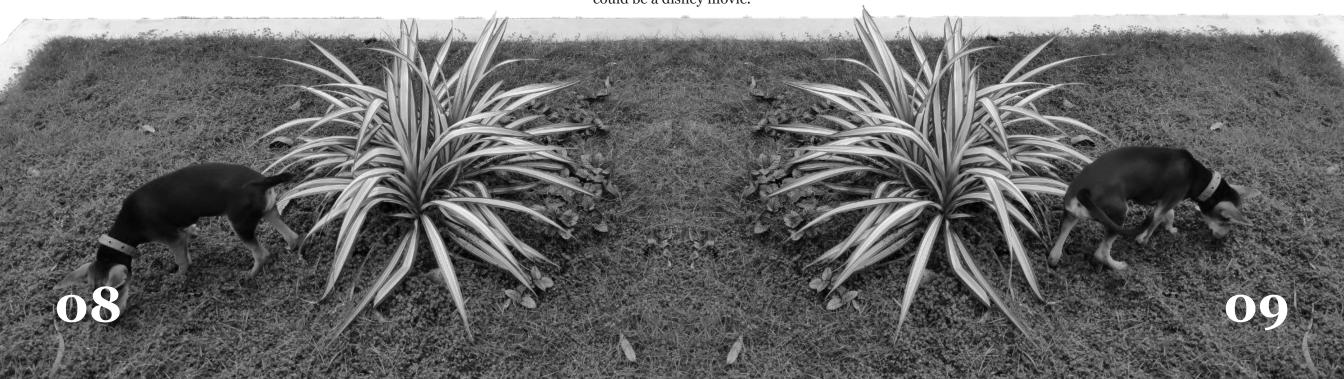


After a heavy meal, she is usually tired and requires a refreshing nap—just like our grand-dads. This is usually the most peace of mind anybody is ever gonna get throughout the day.

As we are on the topic of peace and quiet, excessive barking is usually because she is sacred —AHHH! SOMEBODY GET ME SOME BACKUP! literal translation It's evening!
Time to wreak havoc.
A couple of hours fly by
playing fetch-tug-of-war—a
game where she retrieves the
ball but does'nt return the
ball willlingly.

In the initial few days of her arrival, she was pretty sad from being all alone and away from her siblings. The first couple of friends she made here were some frogs and grasshoppers.

I dont think she knows that she hops and plays with different frogs each day. And I don't want to spoil that for her. For all I know I could be wrong and this could be a disney movie.



seperation anxiety? There are times when she wont quit arguing and crying till she sees someone.



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