



TEN REASONS (+ Four) TO FOSTER A GOLDEN (Comments from our Foster Home volunteers)



1. Be a "helping hand" in a rescue dog's journey to a better life
2. Help "house-a-tize" a rescue dog who may have gone stir crazy in a kennel; provide a transitional home environment for the well-being of the dog
3. Help assess a Golden for more successful "forever home" placement
4. Be able to watch a dog go from a sad, frightened, possibly sick baby with its tail down and ears limp to a healthy, happy guy ready to go out and meet the world again
5. Give your heart and home; get unconditional love in return
6. See the smiles on everyone's faces (dogs and people) when the perfect match is made
7. Provide company for your other golden(s) while you are at work
8. If you travel a lot, you can have a dog for the times you are home
9. Contribute to the cause by helping the Rescue save boarding fees
10. Meet many wonderful dogs and many wonderful people
11. Rescue dogs are appreciative of the smallest bit of kindness and return your affection tenfold



12. Enjoy days filled with wags and sloppy kisses
13. Make a difference in many lives ... people and dogs
14. It's fun!