



I am 65 years old, single and retired. I needed company so I thought I would check out the dogs at the Humane Society. I found Bella who was considered a senior pet, so I didn't have to pay anything for her. We connected right from the start. She gave me lots of kisses when I went to see her, and she just melted my heart. I now have had her for almost 2 1/2 years and she brings me so much joy. We do everything together and I don't know what I would do without her. My entire family also loves her. I visit my son who is in a nursing/rehab home, due to an accident, on a daily basis and the other residents must see and hold Bella. She is like a therapy pet for the elderly people and she brings lots of smiles to their faces. The employees from the nursing/rehab home also look forward to seeing Bella daily. I love to watch Bella make other people happy, just as she makes me happy. There is just something about Bella that anyone who sees her must stop, pet and talk to her. I have to admit that I do spoil her a lot, but she deserves it. I just found out that Bella has transitional cell carcinoma in her bladder. I had surgery performed that would remove as much cancer as possible, but she still needs chemotherapy. I'm praying that Bella can get the help that she needs because I love her sooo much and am not ready to lose her.

~ Bella's Dad