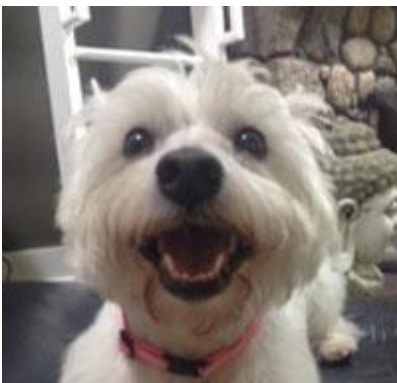


Of dogs reported in care in previous issues, we continue to foster Max, Kelly, and Bailey. Bailey is looking for a home that can meet his needs. He has special needs due to medical conditions. Please go to [www.westierescue-mi.com](http://www.westierescue-mi.com) and click on Special Dogs to read about Bailey. Cassie, Cesar, Snickers and Muffin have been adopted.

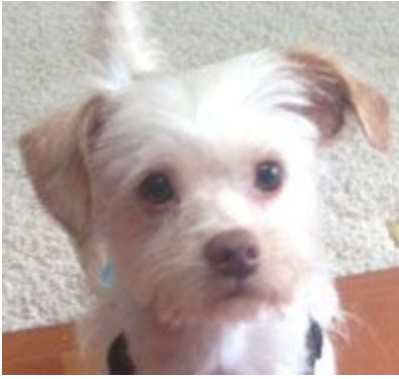
**New dogs in care since last report:**



**Abbie** is 9 years of age. She was in Rescue two years ago and adopted but she wasn't getting along with her "brother". She came back to Rescue where she is being evaluated to see what her issues are; then worked with and placed appropriately. **If you are interested in Abbie, please be sure to fill out an application.**



**Missy** (was Maddie) originally came into Rescue in 2011 when her original mom lost her home. The husband was suspected of having abused Maddie and for a while was left with him until wife got a restraining order and was able to get Maddie out. They moved to Michigan but she had no job and could not keep Maddie. Maddie, now **Missy**, was adopted and her new owners loved her very much but recently the husband became ill and died. The wife has been forced to move to an apartment where she can't have a dog. So Missy has come back now, at age 7. **She is again looking for a home, hopefully one she can have for the rest of her life.**



**Rex** arrived into Rescue along with Spencer . They were in a mid-state shelter. We are not quite sure why Westie Rescue got the call but we took them both because they were in such bad shape and really needed help. Rex, about 1 year old, has cleaned up well and is in care. We will make sure his medical is up to date and then live with him for a bit to be sure we know how to place him appropriately. We think he is a mix of perhaps some Westie but definitely other breeds are in there. He is a small boy, about 10 pounds. **If you are interested in Rex, please be sure to fill out an application.**



**Spencer**, est. age 3, came in with Rex (above). When we got him he was so covered in fleas that he looked like he had a huge black area on his back. Once cleaned up, he looks much better. He has some neurological issues but they are much improved now that his ear infection is cleared. He is also 10 pounds. **We hope, with good care and food, he will become adoptable. Right now he is recovering from a difficult time in his life.**

## Dog's Bedtime Prayer

Now I lay me down to sleep,  
The king-sized bed is soft and deep.  
I sleep right in the center groove,  
My human beings can hardly move.  
I've trapped their legs, they're  
tucked in tight,  
And here is where I pass the night.

No one disturbs me or dares intrude,  
Til morning comes and "I want food!"  
I sneak up slowly to begin,  
And nibble on my human's chin.  
For morning's here, it's time to play,  
I always seem to get my way.

So thank you Lord, for giving me,  
This human person that I see.  
The one who hugs me and holds me tight,  
And shares their bed with me at night.

