

Rescue.



It's not just a verb, it's a promise.

To look at a picture of him, **Hoppy** looks like any other kitten: bright-eyed and ready to pounce into action, and he is. But photos do not show his whole story. Born to a stray mother in a warehouse, Hoppy's life changed dramatically at 4 weeks old when a furniture crate fell onto him, crushing one of his legs. The leg was so severely damaged that he would never be able to use it again. So young and small, Hoppy's foster mom hand fed and carried him from room to room while working on getting his weight up to two pounds so that he could have his crushed leg amputated. Hoppy's care illustrates the exceptional foster families CARE provides for rescued cats and kittens. Since his surgery, he has been learning to walk again, eager to face the world at full speed. We are hoping to raise \$1000 for his rehabilitation needs. He needs a caregiver with patience - a kind soul who understands the struggles that he has already faced and who is willing to help him through his physical therapy with CARE's support.

Be their light of hope.



At 8 months old, **Summer** was just a stray kitten herself when she became pregnant. Once in our care, Summer had a difficult labor, eventually having to have a C-section. Two of her three kittens almost did not survive, with all in the delivery room believing that they had been stillborn. **Splash** was the runt of the litter. Tiny and weak at first, she has flourished. Mother and daughter are deeply bonded and looking for a home where they can both continue to thrive.

CARE - 15 years of operation with over 7000 cats and kittens saved.

Your donation helps CARE continue to rescue these animals. Thank you.

A single donation can save a life.

Ways you can help:

Donate monthly

In honor/in memory

Matching donations

Kroger Community Rewards - #92652

Amazon Smile - <http://smile.amazon.com/ch/54-2053961>

United Way

Car donation program



CARE is non profit 501 (c) (3) non-euthanizing organization. We are an all-volunteer organization that fosters animals who are homeless, abused, or who will be euthanized in local pounds. One hundred percent of your donation goes towards rescuing cats/kittens. CARE's most recent financial statement is on file with the Office of Charitable and Regulatory Programs at the Virginia Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services at 804/786-2042 or 800/552-9963. Please use the enclosed envelope to mail a check to CARE or visit our website at www.care-cats.org/donate to make a donation.

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Bounce: day of rescue

Bouncing Back: A Rescue Story

On the day of his rescue, **Bounce** was close to death. Rescued from the pound, he would certainly have died had he not gotten immediate medical treatment and round-the-clock care from his fosters. Bounce has faced 4 months of difficult digestive problems and treatment for worms and fleas. Your support provides us with the ability to help cats like Bounce get ready for adoption.



Bounce: 3 months later