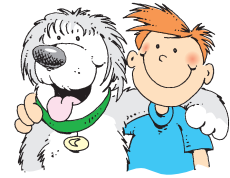


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# Pets Speak Up



The pets below are not happy, and they have something to say about it! Read about each pet, then write a kind ending to each story. Use another sheet of paper if necessary.

1. My caregiver left me inside this car. She said she would be gone only a minute. I wish I had stayed at home. I'm so hot and thirsty! \_\_\_\_\_

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2. Help! My family does not keep me safe indoors. Usually I stay away from cars, but a big dog is chasing me. There is no place to run but into the street. \_\_\_\_\_

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3. My mother was not spayed. She had all of us puppies. No one wants us. Now our caregiver wants to get rid of my mother, my brothers and sisters, and me. \_\_\_\_\_

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4. It is the 4th of July. There are so many loud noises outside. My family forgot and left me on the screened-in porch. The loud noises are scaring me! \_\_\_\_\_

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5. My caregiver used to play with me a lot. Then he got a girlfriend. Now he hardly ever pays attention to me. I'm very lonely. \_\_\_\_\_

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6. There are a lot of houseplants in my house. I just ate one that looked delicious. Now I feel sick. I hope the plant was not poisonous. \_\_\_\_\_

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On the back of this sheet, number from 1 to 6. For each pet problem above, write what each pet caregiver should have done to prevent the problem in the first place.