



Hi! My name is Zuri!

I am part Basenji and part Corgi and Zuri is an African name which means "Beautiful"

My Mom and Dad say they started this website [www.pawshomes.com](http://www.pawshomes.com) because I am an inspiration to them. They think I am the most beautiful puppy that walks this earth but I think they are the most wonderful parents that I could have in the world!

I cannot remember too much from when I was a baby. I remember being surrounded by loud noises, alarms going off which were ear piercing and being sprayed by a water hose for a laugh. That is why I am afraid of hoses and water and house alarms sounding today.

All I remember is being let free from my family. I dont know why they let me run free but I had to deal with what was given to me at that moment. I ran for days and I found a nearby elementary school where there were a lot of children. I love kids because they only want to give love. A man who maintained the school fed me some sandwiches every day and even let me be pet and hug some of the children! Next minute I found myself in the Hartford Pound surrounded by other dogs who were crying and telling their stories. It was cold but Sherie at the Hartford Pound took the best care of us that she could. One day a platinum haired blond lady came to adopt me. I could tell by

her smell and her smile that she was a savior. I went to her house and she washed me – which I did not like at all but after it was over, I felt better! I was white again! She had a house filled with dogs and cats and one of her dogs named Tanner who became my boyfriend! A few days later, a sweet lady came by and I could tell she loved me at first sight! She took me with her and I was a little scared to leave my new home. When we got to her home, it smelled with cinnamon and cats! Marshall greeted me and attacked me by jumping on my back and biting me. I knew who was the boss of the house instantly!

I now live with my 2 brothers who are beautiful cats who I sleep side-by-side with and love so much. My Mom and Dad take me for long hikes and throw the ball every day. They say that my heart shaped spot on my front flank means that I am an angel but I think they are angels.

Please adopt from a shelter. There are many dogs who are older who need adoption as well. They are actually house trained. Please contact Jill or Tom if you would like them to assist you with purchasing or selling a home and also placing a shelter animal. Please save the wonderful animals at your local shelter.