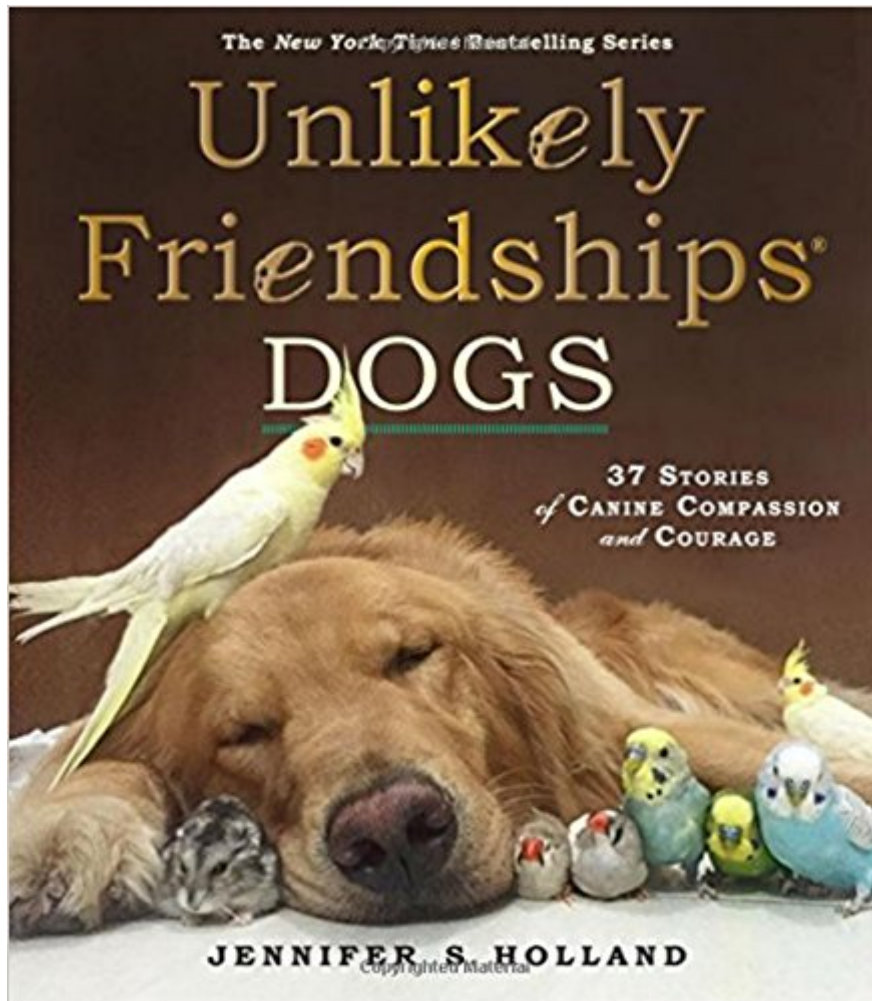


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# Unlikely Friendships: Dogs: 37 Stories Of Canine Compassion And Courage



## Synopsis

A new book from the New York Times bestselling series. Enhanced with beautiful full-color photographs, these true stories of camaraderie, affection, and remarkable bravery are from the author of the New York Times bestsellers *Unlikely Friendships*, *Unlikely Loves*, and *Unlikely Heroes*, as well as other books and calendars, with nearly two million copies in print. Meet Rex, a German shepherd who learned to love and trust again through the improbable friendship of a goose. The pit bull named Dolly, whose antics with her best friend, Sheldon the tortoise, include games of tag. For the millions of dog lovers, this heartwarming and inspirational book celebrates 37 stories of unusual canine companionship. Â

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What do chameleons, wild boar piglets, lambs, pygmy owls, and elephants have in common? In Jennifer S. Holland's newest book they have each created a bond with a dog. Reading *Unlikely Friendships*, DOGS, Holland's latest in her New York Times Bestselling Series, is a memorable adventure. One that the reader can experience over and over again. The constant here is our beloved dogs that have forged friendships with members of uniquely different species. Once the gorgeous photography pulls you into a story, you might think, "I can't believe that Mischka, a 90-lb Bernese mountain dog would befriend a ferret named Jerry." And who ever heard of a goose grooming a German Shepherd? Geraldine, the goose, and Rex, the Shepherd, both formerly social outcasts, found a connection with one another. Then you may ask

yourself, "Wow. Is this gelding named Contino, really massaging his buddy, Boss, a Doberman?" The relationship between canines and so many other species takes you to a different animal landscape. Perhaps my favorite feature in *Unlikely Friendship, DOGS*, is the irresistible story between Penny, the Silkie Chicken, and Roo, the two-wheeled Chihuahua. Roo was born without his front legs but with a heart so big it outsizes his little body. Early in their relationship as they were getting to know each other, Alicia, their human says, "I had set up a bed for Roo, and when I put him in it, Penny came over to check him out," Alicia recalls. "He tried to play, pulling at her feathers, and she was tolerant. And then when he fell asleep, she climbed on top of him like he was her egg." You have never seen a chicken like this! A ball of white fluff resembling a marshmallow engulfs her little body with only her tiny beak, underneath exotic plumage announcing that, in fact, she is a chicken! You will also learn facts about the animals that leave you with a, "Wow! I had no idea!" In *Unlikely friendships, DOGS*, the images of unusual couples and their stories will move you, make you giggle, make you shake your head in disbelief and often make you cry. Holland once again generously offers it all.

COVER IS JUST BEAUTIFUL!! Just received TODAY 8/18/16 so review is not for inside only outer covers!! OK, read ONE chapter & ended up crying from that! DOGS ARE THE BEST!!! I'm going to finish this one in no time at all!!

Ordered 5 more copies as gifts to my dog-loving friends. No doubt another best seller for this talented author. Love her books!

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