



Each day we will share one of the 12 most heartwarming animal rescues of 2011. Each happy ending is made possible through your generosity!

# 1. Sheila



Sheila, an older gal who had a very rough go of it on the streets, was rescued by an animal control officer and brought to the shelter. At first glance, she resembled a dirty mop rather than a dog!

She was barely able to walk or see, and it looked like it had been a while since she had last known a kind touch and a good meal. After Sheila's matted coat was shaved off, her broken jaw, rotten teeth, and eye injury required veterinary care at Nevada Humane Society's clinic.



Sheila had to have most of her teeth extracted and she has made an excellent recovery. Now the veterinarians at Nevada Humane Society are treating her eye in an attempt to save it. If it does not heal, she will need another surgery to remove her eye.

"Despite all that Sheila has been through, she is still a lively, happy, loving little dog. You can just see her sweet nature when she wags her tail and crookedly smiles up at you," said Art Westbrook, the Dog Care Manager at Nevada Humane Society.

Sheila's medical treatment is expected to exceed \$3,000. But I am sure you will agree that giving this little dog care and happiness, after all she has endured, is worth every penny. We hope to see Sheila in a new home in time for the holidays!



Thank you for making this chance at new life possible for Sheila.

-Bonney Brown

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