



Corresponding Secretary

Jo Somerset has been an asset to Angel-Hearts since I first decided to start the website. Jo and I have known each other for about 4 years now. When I told Jo I was going to do a website and

what kind, she said that she would help in any capacity that she could. She has been my "right hand woman" ever since. Jo is the one responsible for sending out cards to everyone and telling them about our organization. Jo lives in Bristol, England and shares her life with her wonderful German Shepherd Shadow. She is a very loving and warm person, and she puts great love and warmth into her cards. Jo has experienced a lot of losses of loved ones, both human and animal, in the last few years, and these losses now manifest in the tender care she shows others.

Jo is the person responsible for creating and sending condolence and special occasion cards to website members and visitors and also publicizing the organization. Jo is a very warm and loving person; her heart of gold is reflected in each card she creates. Jo has, herself, experienced a great deal of loss in the past few years—both pet and human family. Her experiences have given her the insight and empathy to help others.

If you would like Jo to send a card to someone, email her at josomerset@angel-hearts.org, and she will be happy to do this for you. She may send you a questionnaire asking for dates so that she knows when to send the cards you request. If you would please fill these out and return to her we would greatly appreciate it.



Webmaster

Joshua Rodgers is our webmaster for the site, and he is very good about placing all of our memorials up in a reasonable time frame. He

tries to do them the day that we get them. If information is missing, however, there will probably be a delay. Joshua has a lot of experience with computers. He has worked for the information technology (IT) department of a factory and now has his own computer business/company. We are very fortunate to have him, and of course it does not hurt that he is also my son. If you have any problems with the website or any questions, you may contact him at webmaster@angel-hearts.org

Angel-Hearts is a small organization that is made up of family and close friends. We are in touch with each other on a daily basis, and we know what is going on with Angel-Hearts at all times. We believe that this is how it should be. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you who have had a loss.

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Angel-Hearts Organization

We will always hold our loved ones in our hearts. Angel Hearts is an online memorial site to allow us to share our departed pets, family and friends with others. Our love for them will never leave our hearts. We think of them every day and miss them. Some days we may think of them with sadness and other days with joy and happiness. Sometimes, our biggest fear is that others will forget them. Angel Hearts will provide a place for them so their lives and love will always be near. Maybe our loved one was someone who made an impression on a lot of others lives, and maybe they were just really special to us and our family. It does not make any difference how many lives they affected, only that they were special to us. So to remember them and to share their lives and loves with others, I have started this website. They now have a place where their lives and love will always be near.

This site is dedicated to my brother and father, two men in my life that will never be forgotten. I also want to dedicate this site to my mother who died on September 13, 2004. She was a very special person in my life, taught me many things and her love will be missed forever. God Bless you all.

Angel Hearts has been a project that I have been working on for a couple of years. Officially my dreams and hopes became a reality in April 2004. I had worked with a couple of pet loss organizations on the internet for a few years, and all the time I noticed that there was no place to have memorials for people. Since any loss affects us so hard, I thought that having a website for both kinds of losses would be a good idea. I had a lot of ideas as to what I wanted to accomplish with the website, but in the end most of the ideas I had changed. I believe that the finished project is something that I can be proud of, and it allows others to put memorials for their pets, families and friends at no cost.

I do have a place where donations are welcome, but this is not necessary. I have done this for no cost because it is in memory of my parents, brother, grandparents, and all the pets that we have lost along the years. I didn't feel right charging for others to post their lost loved ones. A lot of the sites on the internet charge for you to put up a picture or a memorial, and some limit how long the memorial can be. The only limitation that we have at Angel Hearts is that we put up only four photographs of your pet, family member or friend. The length of the memorial may be as short or as long as you would like. You may write something yourself, or you may find a poem that is meaningful to

The length of the memorial may be as short or as long as you would like. You may write something yourself, or you may find a poem that is meaningful to you, and we will put that on as your memorial. If you use a poem written by someone else, we would like the name of the person so that we can give credit to that person.

Angel Hearts also has links to poems for animals and humans, general poems, forum bibliography, our contact information, and memorials page. We hope to have a chat room in the near future. You will notice that our sections for animals and humans are called Angel Paw Prints and Angel Footprints. At the bottom of the home page on the left side there is also a list of anniversaries that are today, this month, and next month. Angel Hearts is there for anyone that wants to add a memorial. You may submit one by going to the website at www.angel-hearts.org and then going to Submit a Memorial and fill out the form. You may also send an email to memorials@angel-hearts.org. If you have any questions, you may email us at that address, and we will contact you within the day.

We hope that you will visit the website and decide that you would like to have a memorial for someone that you have lost. Remember that creating a memorial is one way to remember our loved ones always and to share them with others. They should never be forgotten in our hearts and lives...they will always be with us.



Nancy Rodgers
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Angel-Hearts

www.angel-hearts.org, and http://health.groups.yahoo.com/group/angel_heartstorg/, I am also a proud member of HSUS, ASPCA, The Pet Prayer Line, National Missing Pet Alert, CanineCancerAwareness@yahoogroups.com, and a proud member supporter of www.pet-abuse.com (this site fights animal cruelty and has a database of cases across the United States where animals have been murdered and by whom)

I believe in helping anywhere that I can and since I know how important my dogs and cats have been in my life, I have joined several pet organizations.

I am also a member of two Alzheimer's forum group for care-givers and two forum group for people with Fibromyalgia since both of these have affected my family and myself.

"All I know from my own experience is that the more loss we feel the more grateful we should be for whatever it was we had to lose. It means we had something worth grieving for. The ones I'm sorry for are the ones that go through life not even knowing what grief is." --- Frank O'Connor