

Violet 07-058



At seven-weeks- old, Violet, along with her littermates came into GRRoW in July 2007. She was first fostered by a veterinarian and then transferred to our home the first week of August so my husband and I could work with her resource guarding. We already had two male goldens and told each other that Violet was only temporary and once she was better with the guarding we'd find a great home for her. Our three-year-old golden took to her right away; our six-year-old golden tolerated her, but didn't play too much (which wasn't out of the ordinary). However, after two-three weeks, our six-year-old fell in love. He was the older brother who she looked up to and he took the role as her protector. We had fostered numerous goldens before and the bond was never greater than what we were seeing with the three. As we worked on Violet's guarding, we also worked on potty training. It seemed as if her accidents every 10-15 minutes were never going to end. In Novemeber, Violet passed her re-assessment and was ready for adoption. Well... she stayed and is the sunshine in our lives. She is such a sweetheart, the boys adore her, she is a daddy's girl to my husband and the most energetic little peanut. She really has completed our pack and makes us laugh every day!