



## Baxter Hilsheimer

February 3, 2014 - April 6, 2025

Where do I even begin? To describe such an amazing dog who gave me some of the best years of my life, I could write forever. If you know me, you know Baxter. He was my sidekick for 11 years and was an important part of my life. Some may say he was just a dog but he was so much more than that. He brought so much happiness and joy to my life and I'm trying to navigate life without him. Baxter, thank you for being the best companion that a girl could ever ask for. I miss you so much and hope you are up in heaven running around with no pain in those legs. Mommy can't wait to see you again. Rest easy sweet baby

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Rest Easy, Ole Boy*

*You were more than a dog — you were her best friend.  
Always right by your momma’s side, tail wagging like it had  
a motor of its own.*

*That bird never gave you a break, but you handled it like a champ — hey, pitbull.*

*Once, you loved me so hard you took a chunk out of my arm.*

*Your mom was horrified, but I’d wear that scar all over again just to see you at the  
camper.*

*Your loyalty, your presence, your big heart — unforgettable.*

*Run free now, like the gates are wide open.*

*Hook up with Mr. Wilson and Geno over that bridge.*

*You’ve earned that good life up there.*

*We’ll miss you, ole boy.*



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**Natasha Geno Rodgers** - April 08, 2025 at 07:33 PM

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“ *Baxter was the sweetest boy ever! I will Forever miss and cherish the cuddles he  
gave me and his fishy breath. I love you Melissa and he will forever be in my  
heart! I’m so lucky I got to spend so many summers with him.*

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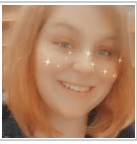
**Ellie Hoecker** - April 07, 2025 at 04:09 PM

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“ *I am so sorry for your loss! I only knew Baxter for about 5 years but he was truly  
one of the best dogs I have known. He was so lucky to have you as a Mom. You  
took such good care of him and he knows how much you love him. I am so happy  
I go to see him and spend time with you both. I was happy to give him all my  
watermelon Saturday!! It was so ice to give him head and butt scratches. Melissa,  
I know you are hurting so bad right now and I wish I could take it away for you.  
Just cling to all the wonderful memories and how special you made his life! I love  
you!! If you need ANYTHIHNG, I am here for you!*

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**Stephanie Tippett** - April 07, 2025 at 10:31 AM

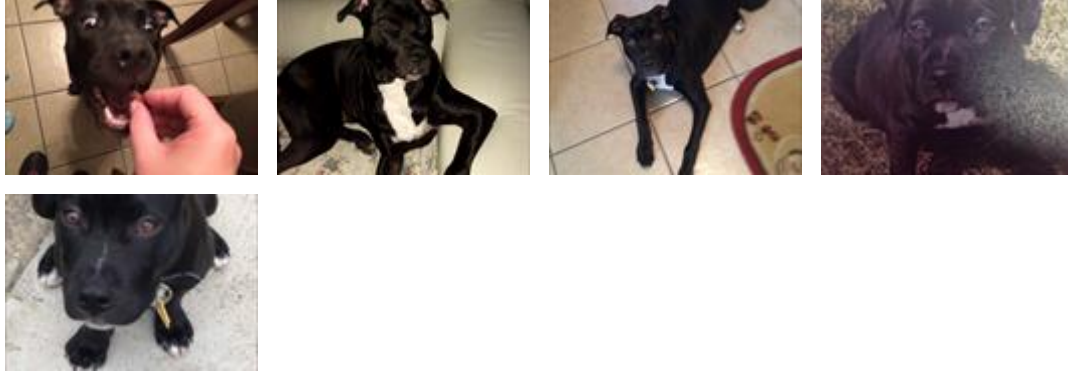


“ I am so truly sorry for your loss ❤️  
May God give you peace and comfort in this heartbreaking time.

Jessie Estep - April 07, 2025 at 09:59 AM



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