



Nina Jo Banks

March 12, 2009 - November 18, 2025

Nina Jo Banks, otherwise known as Neener or Neener Beaner, was born March 12th 2009 as Edwina. She lived with another family with her littermate Maxwell. Her humans decided to move to California and did not want to take them. We had been looking for a second dog so we changed her name and Nina became a beloved member of our family on July 19, 2013. Nina willingly came with us that day and had a new human family that consisted of a mom, a dad, a sister and a new dog sister, Oreo. Oreo and Nina quickly became best friends and played together all the time and even cuddled together. Nina didn't play with any toys or know any commands when she came to us but she would paw at us when she wanted petted. She ended up teaching Oreo to do the same thing. We were able to teach her that if we made three kissing noises she would give us puppy kisses back. What she lacked in knowledge, she made up for in love and cuddles. She was the most loving dog and we are so thankful she came into our lives. She was always in our lap or cuddled in tight against your leg, especially moms. She loved to have her belly rubbed, loved to be held like and baby, and loved potatoes. She would help herself to one if the sack was left on the floor.

In December 2015, Nina gained a feline sister, Mittens. In May 2022, a feline brother, Rum Tum Tugger. In November 2023, a feline sister, Lil Bit and in March 2024, another feline sister, Alice. Nina also had three stray outside kitty siblings, Harley, Cali, and the newest addition in June of this year, Pipsqueak, known as Pip.

Nina was preceded in death by her litter mate Maxwell; feline sibling strays, Snugs and Ernie; and a good dog friend, Tippy Addison. She will be greatly missed by all.