

The story of Vegas

A hopeful example of an animal's will to survive

There are stories that touch our hearts and show us the strength and will to survive of animals. One such story is that of Vegas, a young dog who embarked on an incredible journey of recovery after a tragic accident.

The accident

Vegas' fate changed abruptly when he was hit by a car. The force of the impact hit his hind legs so hard that the nerves were severely damaged. X-rays showed no fractures, but the nerves were severely crushed, resulting in paralysis. This was a shattering moment for everyone who knew and loved Vegas.

The road to recovery

With the help of medication, vitamins and daily physiotherapy, we began to train Vegas. Our aim was to build up his muscles and strengthen the traumatized nerve regions. Progress was slow but encouraging. Vegas showed a strong will and after some time was able to stand again and take a few laborious steps. His will to live and his joy in life were unbroken and gave us all hope.

A home for Vegas

We received a request for Vegas from a foster home. He was supposed to be a buddy to a first dog there and we gave him this chance. But things always turn out differently than you think. Unfortunately, the family had to return Vegas to the shelter due to work changes, albeit with a heavy heart.

But it got even worse for Vegas

The hope for us was that he would use one hind leg to stand and move forward, but unfortunately not the other. We trained with him in the sponsored wheelchair so that he would get to grips with it better. This was successful. But unfortunately, the one leg that he didn't want to use at all was always in his way - and what a drama, he started to nibble at it because he wanted to get rid of it. It was with a heavy heart that we had to have it amputated by the vet.

An appeal for help

Who would like to help us continue to support Vegas with the necessary medication and restorative products? We would be delighted to receive sponsorships for this wonderful dog. Fate has struck hard, but we are fighting for him. Any support, be it through donations or sponsorships, will help Vegas on his way back to life. We won't give up on him, because he won't give up on himself either!

A look into the future

Despite the challenges that Vegas now has to overcome on three legs, he has not lost his will to live, and we respect that! Our greatest wish would be for a competent foster home on the island of Aegina. Maybe one day a miracle will happen?

Final thoughts

Vegas' story is an impressive example of the will to survive and the resilience of animals. It shows us that it is worth fighting for those who cannot fight for themselves. With the right care, patience and support, we can achieve great things together and give a living being a second chance.

We would like to thank everyone who has accompanied and supported Vegas on his journey and hope that his story will touch and inspire many more hearts.

