BETTER DAYS FOR BRUNO



Some dogs have a way of stealing your heart without making a sound. That's Bruno.

This handsome 10-year-old German Shepherd came to us from Oakland Animal Services after being found as a stray. Newly neutered and recovering from the removal of a mass, Bruno has undoubtedly experienced some difficult chapters in his life. But despite everything he's been through, he remains one of the sweetest, most gentle dogs you'll ever meet.

Bruno is currently recovering in a loving foster home, where he shares his space with a Springer Spaniel companion. He's taking life one day at a time, enjoying the simple pleasures that make him happiest—rolling in the grass, soaking up the sunshine, and, of course, accepting every belly rub and butt scratch offered his way.



True to his mellow nature, Bruno rarely barks and isn't aggressive. He's perfectly content to spend much of the day napping, and when his foster family leaves the house, he quietly settles into his crate and sleeps until they return. At night, you'll find him curled up in his cozy dog bed in the bedroom, happy just to be near his people.



Bruno is wonderfully well-mannered. He walks beautifully on a leash, knows how to use a dog door, and asks for very little in return. He's not a big eater, although he never says no to a tasty treat!

Every day, Bruno reminds us that senior dogs have so much love left to give. His gentle spirit, quiet companionship, and grateful heart make him a truly special boy. After a lifetime that hasn't always been easy, Bruno deserves a family who will cherish him, spoil him with treats and soft beds, and let him spend his golden years knowing he is safe, loved, and finally home.

Sometimes the sweetest happily-ever-afters begin with a gray muzzle and a gentle heart. We think Bruno's story is just getting started and, as it turns out, he finally got his happy ending. After several weeks of caring for this wonderful gentleman, his foster mom decided to make her “mom” title official by adopting him! No more changes for Bruno, he can rest easy in his fuzzy dog bed.