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Expert Pet Finder Offers Tips to Locate Lost Animals Faster, Gets Tails Wagging

ATLANTA (May 11, 2012) — Have you ever lost a pet? Panic sets in and emotions run high. What to do? First, get calm. Then, take immediate action and follow the tips from lost animal expert Tim Link of Wagging Tales. As a full-time animal expert, Tim has worked with thousands of domesticated animals and their human companions, and he has quickly become the foremost expert in finding missing animals. Tim's most popular service: finding lost pets — mostly beloved cats and dogs.

The difficult process of finding a lost pet is everyone's worst nightmare. It's the most timeconsuming and challenging service Tim performs. Nevertheless, Tim puts any worries about the task aside. "When I'm on a lost-animal case, I have to deal with the feelings of both the animal and its human companion," said Tim. "As you can imagine, the humans can be distraught and fearful about what may have happened to their animal and if they will ever see them again. I reassure the humans that I will do my best, provide information about steps they should take, and indicate how the animal is doing emotionally and physically."

It's this attention to detail that prompts others to regularly refer lost animal cases to Tim.

In addition to contacting Tim as soon as possible for assistance, there are many tasks that human companions can do to increase their chances of being reunited with a lost or missing pet, including:

- Visit the local county animal control shelter and local animal rescue shelters <u>daily</u> to see if your pet is among those at the shelters. Unfortunately, shelters have a very short time frame that they can house animals, so it is important to take the time to do this. In addition, the shelters often use volunteers to work in the facilities. These volunteers change on a daily basis. So, who you spoke to yesterday may not be there today.
- Canvass a three-block radius around your pet's home. Often, most animals will stay within a few blocks of their home when they first leave. Unless you actually see your pet, please do not call for your furry friend while searching your neighborhood. If it does happen to hear your calls, it's possible that, by the time it gets to where it heard your call, you will be gone. Instead, either call for your pet from the front yard or backyard of your home or, if you do look by car, look silently.
- Distribute missing-animal fliers to <u>everyone</u> around your pet's neighborhood (homeowners' association board members, neighborhood watch teams, delivery truck drivers, postal drivers, school bus drivers, neighbors, veterinarians, groomers, pet sitters, etc.) so they can keep an eye out for the lost animal; if signs are posted in the neighborhood, they should be laminated so they hold up in bad weather. The sign should read "REWARD" at the top, have a recent color picture of the animal in the center and the mobile phone number to contact at the bottom. It is very important not to list any other details, as it can cause confusion

Visit <u>http://bit.ly/LostPetTips</u> for additional important tips that apply in various circumstances.

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The polar opposite of actor Jim Carrey's portrayal of a pet detective in *Ace Ventura: Pet Detective*, Tim locates missing animals using map dowsing techniques in combination with animal communication. Dowsing has existed in various forms for thousands of years. In modern times, dowsing has been used to detect water for wells, mineral deposits and archaeological artifacts hidden in the earth. Using a map, this same practice can be utilized to determine the general location of the lost animal. Tim uses the name and photo of the animal, the home address and the address where the lost animal was last seen to facilitate the map dowsing process.

Thanks to technology, Tim is able to provide his services worldwide — virtually. "I have worked with clients from as far away as Australia, Europe, Hong Kong, Mexico, Canada, and India, as well as throughout the United States," he added. "Ironically, I'm allergic to cats! Clearly, not having to be physically present with all the animals I help is, literally, a breath of fresh air."

About Wagging Tales

Tim Link is president and CEO of Link's Wagging Tales Inc. (Wagging Tales for short). The consulting practice helps pet owners build stronger relationships with their pets through communication with the animals. Tim has the ability to communicate telepathically with all species of animals (amphibians, birds, fish, insects, mammals, reptiles, etc.) and, to date, has helped thousands of pet owners worldwide and looks forward to helping many more. A percentage of Tim's earnings are always donated to animal-focused charities in need. Tim and his wife, Kim, live near Atlanta, Ga., with their many pets. He has been featured nationally and internationally in numerous articles and television and radio programs. He is also the author of *Wagging Tales: Every Animal Has a Tale* and current radio host of Pet Life Radio's *Animal Writes* show. Visit www.wagging-tales.com for more information.

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Photos and Interviews Available

Tim has many amazing stories to share about four-legged friends coming home. Some pets that have been found (click link for their stories):

BB: a two pound, 18-year old, blind Yorkie in Texas - Houston Chronicle

Sam: Maryland cat missing for 14 months before being reunited with his family - The Gazette

Madison: cat who jumped from a 4th story apartment window in City Island, NY - Bronx Times







About Tim Link

Tim Link is an author, writer, speaker, nationally syndicated radio show host, president and CEO of Wagging Tales and a full-time animal expert. Since forming Wagging Tales in 2007, Tim has worked with thousands of animals in consult with their human companions. He has quickly become the foremost lost animal expert in his field.

After nearly 20 years working as a professional in the telecommunications business — earning numerous awards and promotions for his achievements in sales management —Tim's world

turned upside down in one eight-hour workshop. In February 2004, Tim and his wife Kim attended an all-day animal



communications workshop near Atlanta. There he was introduced to the process of receiving information from animals. To his complete surprise, Tim was receiving accurate information from animals. "We all talk to our animals," Tim chuckled, "but I was surprised to find that they actually talk back."



After years of communicating with the pets of his friends, family, church members and animals at the local no-kill rescue shelter, Tim's "gift" became stronger. Today, Tim's consulting practice is 100 percent focused on helping pet owners understand – and

provide better lives for – their pets.

Tim's book, *Wagging Tales: Every Animal Has a Tale* published in 2009 and available as an eBook, includes 32 stories about animals that he has helped as well as 24 helpful tips that you can implement with your animals.

Not only is Tim well-versed in talking with the animals, he is experienced in talking to the media. Tim has been featured in numerous national and local newspaper articles, television and radio shows.

Tim grew up in Richmond, Ind. He married his high school sweetheart, Kim, and graduated from Ball State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in sales and marketing. He enjoys spending time at home with his wife and their many pets in Cumming, Ga., in metro Atlanta.

Interesting facts about Tim:

- He is allergic to cats. He takes an allergy pill before visiting one.
- He played semi-pro baseball for 12 years.
- His radio show is called *Animal Writes* for Pet Life Radio. He interviews authors that write about animals.

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Tim Link and Wagging Tales Facts At-A-Glance

What: Wagging Tales is a consulting practice founded by Tim Link, an animal communicator and lost animal expert. Tim's focus is to help pet owners understand – and provide better lives for – their pets.

In 2004, Tim learned (with great surprise) that he had a gift of establishing telepathic connections with all species of animals (i.e. insects, mammals, birds, fish, amphibians, reptiles, etc.). He is one of only a few men in the U.S. with a business that focuses solely on animal communication. A percentage of Tim's earnings are always donated to animal-focused charities in need.

- **Founded:** Link's Wagging Tales Inc. (Wagging Tales for short) was founded in November 2007 and is headquartered in Cumming, Ga., part of metro Atlanta.
- **Top Dogs:** Tim Link, president and CEO of Wagging Tales, animal communicator with lost animal niche, author, and radio host of *Animal Writes* show on Pet Life Radio. Kim Link, CFO of Wagging Tales, Tim's wife and animal advocate.
- Services: Animal Communication: Animals communicate using various methods including emotions, thoughts, images and feelings. Tim establishes a telepathic connection with an animal in person or by picture. Once a connection is made, the owner asks questions and Tim relays them to the animal. He receives an answer from the animal and verbalizes the answer to the owner.

Lost Animal Services: A lost or missing pet situation can be a very stressful time. There are many reasons that animals leave or run away from their homes. Tim uses map dowsing in combination with animal communication to assist in locating lost animals. Dowsing has existed in various forms for thousands of years. In modern times, dowsing has been used to detect water for wells, mineral deposits and archaeological artifacts hidden in the earth. Using a map, this same practice can be used to determine the general location of the lost animal. Tim requires a home address and the address where the lost pet was last seen to facilitate the map dowsing process. He has helped numerous clients find their animals around the world.

Book: Tim is the author of *Wagging Tales: Every Animal Has a Tale* which is in print and is now available in eBook format (at Sony, Mobipocket, Amazon). First published in May 2009, the book introduces the reader to 32 stories about animals and the scenarios that prompted their human companions to consult with him. Each tale explores the thoughts and actions of each animal. A portion of all book proceeds is donated to animal rescue organizations.

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