

(No.1) Love Around the Corner

As a cat lover, seeing stray cats on the streets, especially in winter, is one of the things I hate the most. It is not hard to imagine how much coldness and hunger they have to endure. After being abandoned by their owners, these cats need to get used to their new, difficult environment. Some unlucky ones may also be abused and get injured.

There were three stray cats near my home, living under the bushes. I always wanted to help them, but I was afraid that if I took them to the SPCA, they would be put down if no one adopted them after a certain period of time. It was quite obvious that one of the cats had been abused before, and it was born with disability as one of its legs was shorter than the others. I felt extremely sorry for them.

I was not sure how they could survive in the bushes. I knew that they were not eating enough and when they got food, it wasn't the food that they really wanted.

One freezing winter morning, I saw a woman petting the cats. I was intrigued because the stray cats were very afraid of people. Usually no one would be able to touch them and if they saw people around, they would always run away and hide under the bushes. After a while, the woman stood up, gave the cats a warm smile and left.

The woman came back to see the cats for the next few days. I finally decided to walk towards them out of curiosity. I saw three bowls of cat food on the ground, and the woman was pouring warm water from a bottle. It was such a heartwarming scene and I was touched. I was so glad to see the cats I wanted to help for such a long time being cared for by this woman.

Although I was pleased that the cats got enough to eat, I was still a little bit worried about their environment. Humans need a home to stay warm and safe, and so do animals. As I thought about the problem, I realized that I had not seen the cats for more than a week.

I searched for the cats everywhere, but couldn't find them anywhere. I almost started crying in the street because I was so worried. Suddenly, I saw the woman who fed the cats walking by. I rushed towards her and asked her about the cats.

She took out her phone and showed me some photos and videos. The lovely cats were sleeping on a bed, covered in blankets. They looked so happy and safe.

She told me that she decided to give the cats a better life and took them home with her. She also took them to the vet and learned how to care for them.

I could not explain my feelings with words. I gave the woman a big hug and thanked her for giving the cats a warm and safe place to live. I wish that there were more kind-hearted people like this woman in Hong Kong, who will help stray animals. I also aspire to become one of these kind-hearted people when I grow up.