

NAME: Mercury

GENDER: Male

DATE OF BIRTH: January 25, 2019



This handsome tuxedo came to 4Paws with GG after his owner passed away. He and GG are friends but not bonded. Mercury does well with younger cats, but he will sometimes use agitation as a defensive mechanism when meeting older males. He twitches his tail back and forth in a sideways motion while holding it down towards the floor. This is classic agitated behavior. 4Paws assesses that he does

this to test the other cat's response to him. So, it may be best for Mercury to be an only cat or to live with an easy-going female. He has not been tested with dogs but is a confident boy so should do well with friendly dogs that don't chase him. He has not been around children but if placed into a home with respectful older kids (12+) Mercury should do fine.

Mercury's favorite spot in the foster room was the tube of the cat tower. It has a view from every direction except west, so he would get the panorama of the two side yards and the driveway from that vantage point. He could see the birds and chipmunks during the day and the fox and racoons at night. Mercury would always come to greet his foster human when she came into the room unless he was napping.

Mercury has had his vaccinations, is microchipped, and has been neutered. He has tested negative for FeLV and FIV. He is eating Fancy Feast classic pate and Purina One kibble.