

To: Kristina [REDACTED]

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plus coversheet

To: Kristina

From: Susan

Kristina Sweetheart-

This is a real problem
Toby & the rabbits are living
creatures, they cannot wait to
be fed once a week, if you
remember, they require daily attention
& you are at a phase of life when
you're a gal about town. Enjoy
that time, it goes fast. But
please, please let Toby stay in a
wonderful, loving, stable home!

Dear Kristina -

~~You~~
I wish I could give you a great big hug when I say this. In so many ways you are such a sweet & good person. You've got a warm heart and a good ear as a friend. You're capable of wonderful supportiveness, & you've got a big hearted smile which justifies your immense popularity!

But sweetheart, I don't know any other way to say this, & I'm deeply sorry to hurt your feelings -- you are a terrible pet owner.
Please don't cry when you read this.

② I don't think you intentionally neglected Toby or the rabbits, but sweetheart they were pretty badly neglected.

Honey, Toby was miserable. He cried constantly for hours every night, in a desperate high pitched bark that pierced the neighborhood. Neighbors would complain when I walked ~~to~~ my dogs on Boyd. You would go off for days & leave him, while I would be the one to feed him & try to love him.

For a long time he was so shocked by human touch, Kristina, that I'd have to grab his collar & hold him

To stop him from bolting, (3)
 While I put my arms around him,
 He'd look at me with haunted
 anxiety, knowing that he was
 not my dog, and wanting so
 desperately to have a home w/
 me. You commented on that, too,
 sweetheart. You know it's true,

You'd leave for days to go off
 with your friends while I would
 buy food for him & make sure
 he got to eat. You'd do nothing for him
 I don't know if you thought
 much about what would
 happen when you'd go off on
 a ~~leave~~ late night date
 leaving Toby outside. He'd
 stay there til
 morning.

④ When you did come home, you'd frequently leave after a couple of hours + he'd go into a great depression. He's a ~~not a~~ living creature, Kristina, and he would ~~for a~~ suffer terrible heartache, knowing he'd been abandoned. He ached wanting to be loved.

Sweetheart, the neighbors threatened to call the Humane Society on you.

One neighbor would come bang on the door and growl at me that Toby should not be allowed to bark outside before 7 o'clock in the morning. That particular neighbor was super supportive before I went away + now he hates me.

⑤ It's the same with the rabbits, Sweetie, I'm the one who feeds them every day & gives them water, I buy their food. Sometimes I stop doing it just to see if you'd notice, & they'd have no food in their cage for days, you've done that consistently for years.

Sweetheart, you've got a good heart. Please let Toby go. If you love him for anything then you should want him to live in a safe home environment, I understand he's got a 13 year old boy, a stay at home mom and ~~an~~ a huge yard to play in with other dogs, let him stay & be loved & happy.