

# The Pet Effect

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Nathaniel Bronner: Some of you all need to get a pet.

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Female: And now for 4081, "The Pet Effect."

Nathaniel Bronner: Welcome to Brothers of the Word because brother, you need the word. There is no protection like Divine protection. There's just none. I mean God is just in control of all of this stuff and as long as I'm doing about God says, I just don't worry about anything. I just don't. My main concern is to be in the will of God. And as long as that's in order, everything else is going to work out just fine. Amen. I see our winner from the – we had to go with the wheel of favor online. You know, for those of you who don't come to movie night, it really is worth it.

It's a worldly type of event and most of the movies I've seen already because I do the website movie foot. So I actually am a movie reviewer. So I see everything but I enjoy it more when I'm here in the art. There's just something about it about being a month. When you're in a theater, you're with strangers, but here you're not. So it's just a different vibration. It's a different feel and I actually enjoyed the movies a whole lot more. So for those of you who don't come to movie night, you really and it's not about that you could win \$10,000.

I mean that is something but even if you never win anything and Diana won a \$50 restaurant gift card, but you know, what's more valuable than the \$50 restaurant gift card is having somebody to go to dinner with it. It makes way more different who you're eating with than what you eat. I would rather have a meal with somebody that you just really enjoy being with that a greasy spoon than being at the restaurant, you know goes up to sun down at the top of preach streets, with somebody you really don't like.

So there's a value in just camaraderie and being with a person. A second son, he just bought a dog about going about a month now not quite a month and I went with him down to Alabama to get the dog. James' son has a dog and they both got very similar

dogs. James' son has what's called a Goldendoodle, which is a Golden Retriever and a poodle and my son has just a pure Golden Retriever and I was just talking with him about the dog and said, "Son, this dog is a lot taking. First of all, the dog cost a whole lot because a purebred dogs and both of them paid a whole lot for the dogs", but he was just saying, "you know, daddy a dog is just a man's best friend" and you know, I had to think about that for a minute. I said, "That ain't supposed to be. That's just not supposed to be that a dog is your best friend."

And as we were meeting on yesterday because I meet with them every Saturday and we just have a group with just the boys and he had the dog there and the dog is just friendly and as energetic as the dog can be and the dog just hops up on you, it just licks your hand. just wagging the tail. Just so glad to see you and you know, I began to understand why people said that dogs are a man's best friend because even though you have to maintain them, they don't take a whole lot of maintenance. As long as you got them something to eat, something to drink where they can go to the bathroom, they are glad to see you and they be so glad to see you.

And it just does something to you when you come home. You got somebody, their tail just wagging and they just all up on you. They so glad to see you, you know sometime folk not like that. That this may come as a shock to some of you but sometimes folk just not like that. They even not glad to see. And when they do see you, they want some. So as long as you keep the dog fit with some water and can take him outside to use the bear from the dog is just as happy as he can be just to see you. So I began to understand why it's a little group of the guys who run together and my wife told me another man just bought him a dog yesterday. So I'm saying the young folks now the dogs, they're seeing the value of just having a good friend that you can just depend on with no headache and they just consistent all the time because you know, sometimes if you got a girlfriend or boyfriend or husband or wife, their moods be different. Their moods just be different and sometimes you got a poodle and other times, you got a Rottweiler.

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So they just be changing. They just be changing up on you. It's like you know you got your Golden Retriever and my son was

telling me, he said, "Daddy both James' son and my son, they both researched the dogs and they said the Golden Retriever is the highest dog in terms of affection and companionship and the ability to make people well because even medical science has found this. If you had a heart attack and you get a dog, your probability of having a second heart attack drops in half. So it's something about a dog and animals that they're just consistent. So even down with your restaurant card, the card is valuable, but what's more valuable is relationship to just have someone to share a meal with you. It just makes a huge difference. It makes a world of difference and sometimes for some of you, some of you all need to get a pet and it's just medically proven. So this is not anything that spiritual, it's scientific. It is medically proven, people who have pets live longer. They just do because you're never alone.

There is something about the loneliness or with the problem when you come home is always something that is living and breathing that's there. That's warm. It is glad to see you and it makes a difference. It really, really does. So this may be the biggest message for some of you and some of you who are watching this live right now, you just may need a pet. Now personally, I prefer cats. I prefer cats because cats are feminine. Dogs are more masculine and the cats, you don't have to train them how to use the bathroom. You give them a litter box, they go right to it. They don't bother you. They're quiet for the most part and they're just always glad to see you and it makes a difference.

So some of you may need a pet. You may need a pet and that may extend some of your lives because some of you got the wrong kind of pet. You know what a female dog is called? Now, a female dog, it's not a good word in our society but it was destroyed. Some of you all men got the other kind of female dog and it's creating all kinds of problems for you and some of the women got some equivalent in the male side

So Pastor just consistently as long as you give them reasonable care, pets are consistent and it will help keep you from being alone from being lonely and you have somebody that is always glad to see and this message is going to really hit somebody if you really listen. You really may need a pet. Amen.

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