

## **Cats and Dogs**

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It has been a hard day. You are absolutely exhausted as you trudge between your driveway and your house. You open the door and here is your pet. What kind of pet is it? Is it a cat or a dog? If it isn't which of these two do you wish it was? I would say that dogs are better for many reasons.

First of all, they are most affectionate. As you sit down on the ground your dog wanders into your lap and settles down. Your cat ignores your invitation completely. Also as you sit your dog cuddles up to you and is purely filled with joy. These creatures are extremely loving.

Second off, dogs can be trained for much more than cats and are generally more intelligent. Dogs can be trained to sit, stay, lie down, come and much more. They can even be trained to help people, whereas a cat cannot be trained for very much at all. Cats are not as smart as dogs.

The third reason is something that has to do with the animal being protective. If a robber were to come and a cat meowed and hissed the person would continue inside with no fear of it giving anything away. If a robber were to come and it heard the bark and growls of a dog it would be afraid. This means that they are better protection.

Dogs verses cats. I say dogs win. Do you?