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FAQ

What locations do you service?

I'm located in LaPorte, IN. I do travel. I've photographed in South Bend, La Porte, Chesterton, Valparaiso and even Chicago. Additional fees are added for travel over 30 miles.

Do you photograph other animals?

Yes! I've photographed dogs, cats, rabbits, hedgehogs and cattle. I'd love the opportunity to photograph other types of animals.

Can you help with locations?

Absolutely! I usually suggest a location that your animal is familiar with such as your home, yard, park or neighbor's yard. If those are not available I have a few "go to" places we can discuss.

What if my dog is high energy/shy/does not sit

I have 6 years of experience photographing shelter dogs. Shelter dogs are in an unknown environment that can be scary and confusing. I have learned that with patience and reassurance, we will achieve wonderful images for you.

What if my dog must be on a leash?

No problem! I have ways to handle this during the session and in post-production. Just let me know before hand so we can be sure to have the proper leashes at the session.

I have multiple dogs. Can you photograph them all?

Yes, I will do my absolute best. I do have experience photographing multiple dogs and I have a few tricks up my sleeve to help.

What should my dog and I do before the shoot?

A nice bath/grooming is a great idea. Also, please arrive a few minutes before your session so that your dog can get some exercise. A tired dog is a relaxed dog. Letting them sniff and familiarize themselves with the environment before my arrival is a huge help.

What should I bring to the session?

Please plan to bring water and dish for your pup, favorite treats and toys, and a leash or two depending on our conversation.

Can I be in the photos/Do I have to be in the photos?

Yes and No! These are your images. I want you to love them! If you or your family want to be in the photos, please feel free. If you would like to opt out, I absolutely understand.

Does my dog need to be trained?

No, a large majority of the dogs I have photographed are not trained. I have several different techniques I use to get their attention. If they are trained, that's a bonus and it should reduce the time needed for the session.

Can I select more than one location?

Yes, the location should be close in proximity so that it does not cut into session time. Also, please remember that more than one location can also slow the session due to your dog wanting to sniff and familiarize themselves with the new location.

I have an III/elderly dog with limited time, is it possible to schedule right away?

Of course, I do my best to work sessions, such as this, into my schedule quickly. Give me a call and we will make it happen so that you have beautiful memories of you family member.

If you have any other questions, please feel free to call, email or text me. I'm looking forward to working with you!

