

## Timmy



Just wanted to tell you what a sweet baby we have in our new baby in the family. We adopted "Claus" in late December. He was the last dachshund in the Utopia puppy mill rescue last year. I had misgivings at first when I saw him. He was extremely nervous and afraid of people. He paced the kennel, looking at the window as if he wished people would go away.

I took him for a walk and he perked up when he approached other dogs. For me, that was a good sign, we have two bassets already. I knew then, he needed a loving home and I needed a new baby.

Claus, AKA "Timmy" loves his momma. He wags his tail wildly when I let him out of his crate in the morning and cuddles in my lap begging for more hugs and kisses. He is so playful, he hides all the bones from his "sister" Bailey and "brother" Bubba the bassets. He uses Bubba for a pillow when he naps during the day.

He is still afraid of strangers, but he knows he is in a safe home now.  
He gained two pounds in the first two weeks of being with us!

Thank you for letting us give Timid Tim, AKA, "Timmy", aka, "Claus"(in  
the Humane kennels) a home in our lives!

Sincerely,

ReNae Russell

