

Cat Attacks Dog and Saves Child



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Some cats are very strong. The cat's name is Tara. She saved her young human friend from a dog attack. The event was amazing, but experts say this is not a strange thing.

Why did Tara attack the dog? Cats don't like any trouble, but when they are scared, they can act very strongly. Animal doctors say that frightened cats sometimes attack even their families members.

Maybe Tara wanted to protect her territory from the dog. Cats want to keep their place safe, and confident cats often defend their space. Tara lived with the family for many years and she believed the home was her territory.

Or maybe Tara believed she was her child. Cats sometimes fight to protect their child.

Maybe Tara protected her territory. Maybe she protected her child. But one thing is clear: she loves her family. She helped the boy, and her family loves her.

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T or F?

1. Tara saved a young boy from a dog attack.
2. Experts say it is very strange for a cat to act like Tara.
3. Cats never attack their family members.
4. Tara might have thought the boy was her child.
5. Tara was a new cat in the family.

Vocabulary

can : 可能性がある。～することがある

frightened : びっくりさせられた

confident : 自信のある

defend : 攻撃する ⇔ offend

Answers: 1. T 2. F 3. F 4. T 5. F