

Quick Release Collars

From Vicki...

One day I was outside raking leaves. Quantus was playing w/our overnight guest, Garth, in the fenced in yard. They were having a blast chasing each other around, chewing sticks and just being pups. At one point I looked over and Quantus was in one of his favorite spots – under the lilac bush - BUT he had a look of panic and he wasn't moving. I then realized that his collar was stuck on one of the branches and whenever he moved, it would tighten. I dropped my rake and tried hard not to panic!!! Of course Garth did not have a clue of the danger and was hoping Quantus would chase him. I quickly grabbed Quantus and moved him as close to the tree branch as possible so I could release his collar before he choked to death! Thank Goodness We had a very happy ending! Quantus and I were both shook up, but the glee of happiness from Garth that his buddy could get back to play, made us shake it off and smile!



My point – QUICK RELEASE COLLARS!!!! When I place a pup with you, I give you a small and large collar with a break away release. They SAVE LIVES!!! You may purchase your own collar, but PLEASE make sure it has the quick release. If Quantus had a buckle collar on, I may not have been able to save him.

Yes, it would be best to not have a collar on, BUT we need our pups to have their tags on for ID even when IN the home. If they get out without ID, we can lose them forever.

When inside or out – please leave the martingale or training collar on the hook by the door. Use them when you are going for a walk or park time. Collar, with quick release snap, SE tag, rabies tag and personal tag, should be on at ALL times except when they are in the crate.

Please supervise your pup when outside on a line, in a fenced in yard AND in your home. You NEVER know what can happen!