

# Lost and Found Cat

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**Synopsis:** The true story about one cat's journey to be reunited with his war-torn Iraqi family.

**Suggested Reading Date:** April – Pet Month

## Activity Descriptions:

- Introduce Iraq on Map or Culturegrams  
<https://www.worldatlas.com/webimage/countrys/asia/outline/iqout.htm>



- Vocabulary Discussion: **Refugee** – Person(s) who has been forced to leave their country in order to escape war persecution or natural disaster.
- Checking for Understanding - Have students retell the story's sequence of events.
- Discussions: Advantage of Social Media and how tool was used to raise monies and help reunite family with pet.

## Related Websites:

- YouTube: Interview with Coauthor <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wKh2aBmEi60>
- YouTube: Miracle Lost Cat Reunites with Owner  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q8ai\\_eAWrUM](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=q8ai_eAWrUM)
- Author's webpage: <https://www.lostandfoundcat.com/>

**Text to Text Connections:** If you like this book, you might also want to use:

*Little Lost Dog* -- Monica Carnesi

*Lost Cat* -- Roger Mader

*Nubs* -- Brian Dennis

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