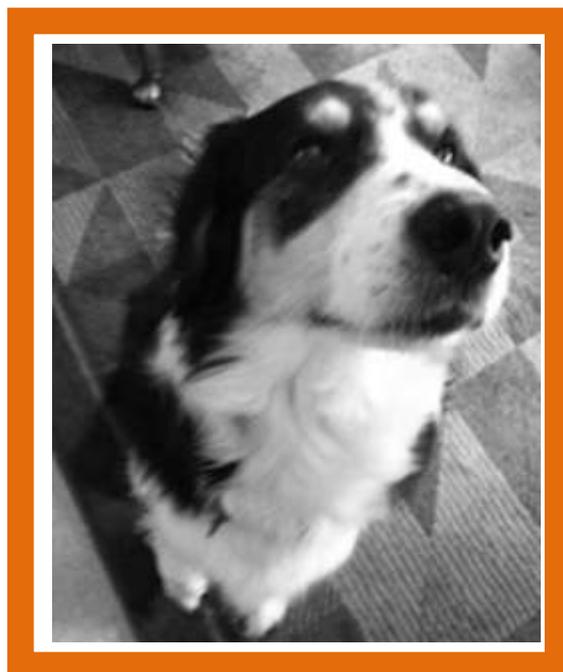


## CLANCY'S CLICHES

Arf Arf! 'Tis the season for Thanks. At the table, remember to enjoy the sharing of the meal and don't "woof" everything down.

In my leisure time going through books and mags, here are some "nuggets" that were "paws" for reflection during my morning, afternoon, and evening naps.

The dog is mentioned in the Bible eighteen times — the cat not even once. - W.E. Farbstein (referring to the Old Testament) (*Apparently cats did make it on the ark but not specifically mentioned.*)



One reason a dog can be such a comfort when you're feeling blue is that he doesn't try to find out why. - Unknown Author (*We keep our snouts shut. This is a good reflection!*)

Gratitude cannot always change circumstances, but it can help you see beyond them. (*Especially when lunch comes at 4pm, dear loved master!*)

A Canadian psychologist is selling a video that teaches you how to test your dog's IQ. Here's how it works: if you spend \$12.99 for the video, your dog is smarter than you. – Jay Leno (*No comment on this one!*)

There is no psychiatrist in the world like a puppy licking your face. - Bern Williams (*Puppies and an old dog like me!*)

"As we express our gratitude, we must never forget that the highest appreciation is not to utter words, but to live by them." - John Fitzgerald Kennedy (*He said that well! He probably had a dog by his side for inspiration.*)

A meal shared with family and friends sustains you in more ways than one. (*Ohboyohboyohboy! Scraps under the table!*)

Thanksgiving Day comes, by statute, once a year; to the honest man it comes as frequently as the heart of gratitude will allow.-Edward Sandford Martin

*And don't forget - DOG is GOD spelled backwards.*

~ ~ ~ ~ ~ **Happy Thanksgiving!!** ~ ~ ~ ~ ~