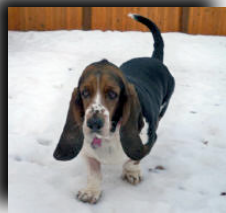


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2011 A Year to Remember ...

On March 26th Charlie and Linda drove me from Casper, Wyoming to Butte, Montana. I got into the dog food, helping myself during the ride. Yum!



In Butte I jumped out of the vehicle and licked my prospective master's hand. He liked that and thought it was a sign of great things to come. It was and I am forever happy for that!



It did not take long to settle into my new home with my master. And, to everyone's surprise, I was not deaf as I formerly thought.



Construction began July 5th. The back porch was removed and a big hole dug.

The back door, my former exit to the backyard, was boarded up. Every day there was something different! No routine around here, that was for sure.



Early in July, Allyson Weller interviewed me for KPAX News in Missoula. It aired on KPAX several days later. Then the Philipsburg Mail published an interview of me and my master. Meanwhile, I was preparing *The Rocky Report No. 6*, and *The Rocky Report* was generously made available on three websites.



Clyde, the plumber, came over to work on the sunporch. I kept my eye on him to make sure he did everything according to spec. To my satisfaction he did. Clyde left with a wave and big smile for a job well done.

The sunporch was completed in early October. WOW! Eugene, Doug, and Dave did a great job. You can tell from the sunroom that they

take pride in their work. Thank you, thank you. My master and I never imagined the sunroom would be so beautiful and fantastic!

Here I am looking out the window



and resting on the couch.



During this time I joined Facebook. Because of this I received my last name of Montana. So now I was Rocky "The

Rocket" Montana. A great name, don't you think? Then for Christmas I received doggy boots to wear outside when the weather gets sub-zero. Thank you master!

And you, the subscribers, thank you for your comments and emails. It has made doing *The Rocky Report* a joy, always wondering what will come next.

All in all it could not have been a more wonderful year for me and my master. Who knows what 2012 will bring? Guess it's time to live in the question. May 2012 be full of welcome surprises for you as well.

