

Buffy's story by Joel Goodman

We bought Buffy as a baby five years ago from a really friendly Shih Tzu breeder in Brisbane. She flew her up and Juliette collected her at the airport. She was pitch black and smaller than my hand.

Buffy is a crazy weirdo but also very delicate and loving. She also loves people, especially kids, and loses her mind when she gets to meet someone new.

As she was our first dog, she gives our other two a lot of attitude. Despite them being older and larger, they are scared of her, but when she lets her guard down she happily snuggles with them.

I don't find anything annoying about Buffy. Sometimes she plays a game where she tries to burrow under me while I'm asleep. I guess if I'm particularly tired that can be annoying.

My favourite characteristic is her attempts at communication via hand patting and glaring and kicking. She makes me smile when she shares my pillow or tries to play hide and seek.

Naughty: she gets on top of the table a lot. We have to position the chairs in a way that makes it impossible for her to "MacGyver" her way up there.

