

All Bark and no Bite

An insight into the anxiously aggressive pupper

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To the most amazing cooks in my life, Xie Shaobai and Si Zhinan.

—Yihui

To my supporting wife, Caroline, and our lovely newborn, Axel.

—Christophe

To my mom, who taught me the joy of life-long learning.

—Emily

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Leo the Lurcher

Thank you for buying my first book!

My name is Leo. I'm a 4 year old lurcher pup. This book is all about what it means when dogs like me get the barks and how you can help us to feel better.

This book should be seen as resource to help you out with your pup. This should be seen as a replacement for individual advice from a well trained professional. I take 0 liability for anything that happens to you from reading this book. If you are concerned about any of the suggestions in this book then feel free to discuss them first with your veterinary specialist.

How to use this book

I recommend that you read this book cover-to-cover.

I have included some boxes to help you out while reading. These include raise a paw (i.e., common questions), have a treat (i.e., here is a tip), and lets go for a walk (try it yourself).

Have fun!

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About the author

Woof, woof

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Why do dogs bark?

Part I

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