

MAXIMUS "FIRE STOPPER"

One bitter cold afternoon in January, my husband was at work and I was able to spend some quality time with my dearly loved canine. I decided to build a fire to warm my small dog and myself. Once I had achieved a roaring fire, it was then time for my daily shower. At that moment the day took a dark turn for the worse! I was just about to step into the shower when suddenly my yorkie, Maximus, fled into the bathroom with wild eyes, barking madly, running up and down the hall, trying desperately to get my attention, his persistence was perpetual and fortunately for all, I did not dismiss this behavior. It was then that Maximus guided me into the living area, where a log from the ghetto fireplace rolled out onto the carpet still aflame! Panicked, I was able to lift the blazing log with the fireplace forceps back onto the hearth and stomp out any remaining flames. My strong-willed little eight pound wonder saved my life and the lives of everyone in by building! Never underestimate a yorkie!!!