

# The Labrador survives



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When the Danish author, Finn Bech Christensen, about 7 years ago, more or less was persuaded to be a Labrador owner, he hardly knew that a breed of that kind existed. Then, when his previous girlfriend so deeply wanted a classic yellow Labrador, he felt it was his duty to find out what kind of dog it was so he could support its development in the right and correct way, making it a good life for the puppy and utilise the qualification the dog was born with. During the authors research he became very amazed of the knowledge he gathered about the Labrador. These researches also lead him to the fact that the master ancestors to the Labrador, St. Johns Waterdog actually was extinct in its own homeland, Newfoundland. The author hereafter decided to pass on the eye opening story and the first book "The Genesis of the Labrador" was written. It was soon followed by the second main book "The Dogs in St. Johns", plus 30 other books, telling about the fantastic properties of the Labrador.

## The Dogs in St. Johns – 150 pages

- *The successor to: The Genesis of the Labrador.*



Read the exciting and dramatic actions carried out by the dogs, when they tried to save as many of their fellows as possible from death.

The dog specie that, for more than 300 years, helped fishermen and hunters feeding their families, (and even had a great influence in the tremendous development of Newfoundland, also financially), was suddenly unwanted and should be exterminated. The reason was that the fishing industry was completely depressed. Many starved because of high unemployment. Therefore, Newfoundland decided to create new economies and jobs through sheep farming, as they have seen from back home in England, would create jobs related to sheep farming, namely meat production through the slaughter of sheep and wool production from the treatment of wool. They just forgot that Newfoundland is geographically placed in an arctic region, where sheep farming on a large scale is impossible.

St. John's Water Dog was accused of attacking and killing sheep in large quantities. Therefore, it should be drastically limited through eradication, to ensure sheep farming. Fishermen and hunters had their troubles with the authorities, as told in 'The Genesis of the Labrador'. Fishermen and hunters lost the battle and silently had to watch their beloved dog being destroyed. Truly the sheep died from frostbite and gangrene. They died of hunger and cold in the arctic climate due to bitter and harsh winters. In order to even get something to eat, they turned in to cannibals, where they ate their dead companions.

The dogs, had for a long time, sensed from their owners, that something was very wrong. They were no longer allowed to run free and play in the harbor or beach, as they used to when they were not out fishing or hunting. They were told to hide in sheds, fish shacks and under the inverse fishing boats. Here they crawled up on the opposite bench board and lay quietly until the fishermen came next morning and had to start fishing. The dogs understood nothing, but they did what they were told by their owner, a St. John's Water Dog is well known for its obedience and zeal.

It was a terrible time to live through for both humans and dogs, and especially the children cried every night when they could hear the shots from soldiers' guns. For every shot they knew there was one dog less. The dogs noticed, that from one day to the other, one or more of their fellows didn't arrive on the harbor, as they used to. Where have they suddenly gone? They just couldn't understand!

The dogs decided to use their collective intelligence and knowledge about people and their behavior, and generated that knowledge to implement some intelligent and exciting action. They decided actively to fight against their worst enemies; bullets, poison, dog catchers, animal shelters, police and soldiers. In St. John's, many mysterious events happened that saved thousands of dogs from dying. There have never been any explanations for the events! Police investigations have never led to any solution, and no one has been charged. In St. John's the fishermen and hunters believe that it was the dogs, which were behind the incidents.

# MalusenLand



Lis Walker  
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To remain a psychological strong person, your life must be filled with joy and good experiences, but it also requires great self-confidence, and that you achieve through knowledge – **and that's exactly what MalusenLand is offering. Joy and knowledge in one unity!**

The two introductory main books **"The Genesis of the Labrador"** and **"The Dogs in St. Johns"**, describes the actual and most fantastic story about the very close course of extinction of the Labrador, and how it was eliminated in the very last minutes. The two books and the following 30 in the series, **"Fairy tales and stories of the Labrador"** is written with a highly factual content in a humoristic and empathetic way, making it a true pleasure for the whole family to listen to, or read.

MalusenLand is a fantastic book-, play- and learning concept, which is based on the extremely heartbreaking, humorous and educational books about the Labrador, how it was saved from extinction, and later in the book series "Adventures and stories about the Labrador", where the stories are based on observations from Malusens life, and is written from the author's interpretation of Malusens thinking when she explores the world. This means, that the books are incredibly humorous and at the same time very educational, combined with a good portion of philosophical and thorough explanation of problem issues. **I would call it hidden learning to everyday life for children.**

**MalusenLand has a mission:** To inform children and give them a possibility to make their life blossom through joy and knowledge.

**Lis Walker says:** 20 % of children leave school without being able to read or write properly. It is not only the schools problem; it is a problem we are all responsible to solve.

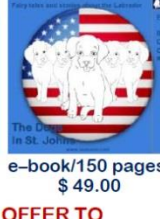
**The solution lies within the child itself:** The innate desire to create and learn. Our learning material can activate children through help to self-help!  
... And in a funny and exciting way!

**The Malusen idea:** Is to tell and teach children the importance of learning to live within a "flock" and being able to respond quickly to the verbal and non-verbal behavior and from a very early stage of their life – just like Malusen who is the focal point in all the books. It is through our books the children will be fortified with this understanding in an effortless way.

Today, children have toys and leisure activities as never seen before. That might slightly affect some of the most essential in their upbringing, namely learning the language and to behave socially correct in real life. With this in mind, it has given us the idea to create the possibility to unite play and learning, and also create a universe for children, where language is the central element. In MalusenLand language learning and other subjects is done through play, games and funny competitions, and here it will be exciting to go on adventures and absorb knowledge.

**A completely different way of turning education into a joyful experience...  
- And at the time same making children happier and more self-reliant**

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