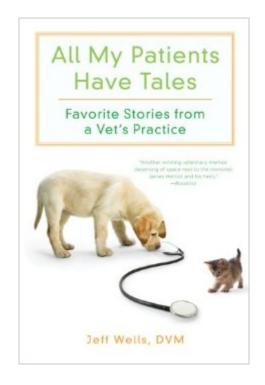
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# All My Patients Have Tales: Favorite Stories From A Vet's Practice





## Synopsis

All My Patients Have Tales is a charming, funny, and engaging collection of stories in the great tradition of All Creatures Great and Small by the late James Herriot. Jeff Wells works in a mixed practice where he treats both farm animals and house pets, with the occasional exotic thrown in. Among the many uplifting, life-altering, life-threatening, and hilarious episodes Wells relates are stories featuring a turkey attack, porcupine-quill covered terriers, a pregnant male cat, a heavy-metal Chihuahua with road burn, an ornery pygmy donkey, a giant hog, a constipated cow, and many others. This perfect little gem of a book will appeal to anyone who has pets, all animal lovers, and anyone who has ever toyed with the idea of becoming a vet.

### **Book Information**

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#### **Customer Reviews**

I have read so many books about animals, dogs are a real favorite for me and there are many wonderful books about dogs. I had recently read a book by another vet and did not find it all that interesting, thought it was written by a professional for other professionals instead of a book for pet lovers. Knowing all that I almost did not read Jeff Wells book thinking it was probably very much the same. I am so glad I went ahead and read the book as it was very different. There was much to be learned in the book about the medical of animals but Mr. Wells also made the reading a lot of fun while learning about the pets and their antics. Anyone who has owed a pet knows how wonderful they are and how much they can add to your life. My husband and I got a late start when it comes to pet ownership. We got our first two dogs, a brother and sister from the same Maltese litter. They were about 11 weeks old when we brought them home. We started out even, none of us having

experience but we quickly got acquainted. It was love at first sight. Myron & Babydoll were with us for many years. Myron crossed the Rainbow Bridge when he was ten and Babydoll when she was eleven. Our years with them are still looked at as wonderful and though they have been gone now for about five years we miss them every day.Now we have Taz our little three year old Maltese. He was six months old when we got him. He is very different from our other little loves. I would say that his six months before moving in with us were not good ones and that he was abused and not well cared for. It has left a mark on him but after almost three years he has come to know that he is loved and cared for and he is safe with us.

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