



The relationship between the cat and man




The relationship between cats and humans began about 12,000 years ago, with the birth of the first agricultural settlements, attracted by the first "farms" that slowly arose in the prairies, cats could in fact find edible leftovers among the waste, catch small birds such as sparrows






but above all to feed on wild mice.

They probably gave birth near human settlements, accustoming their young to the presence of men, and man began to respect them fascinated by the elegance and charm of this animal and its behavior.



A find became clearer when: archaeologists Jean Guilaine, member of the College de France, and Jean Denis Vigne, professor of the Laboratory



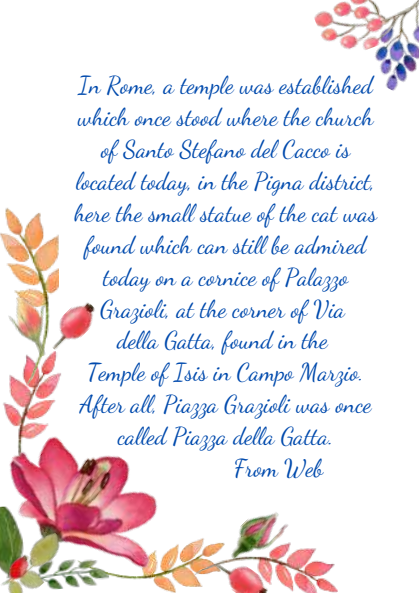


*of Comparative Anatomy of the
History Museum
natural of Paris, they discovered in
2004 a tomb containing the
skeleton of a man and that of a
cat, dating from 7000-7500 BC,
in the Cypriot excavations of the
protohistoric village of
Shillourokambos.*



*Curiosity within
Curiosity: Entitled
to a Cat*



The page is decorated with various floral and botanical illustrations. In the top right corner, there is a branch with clusters of red and purple berries. On the left side, there is a vertical stem with orange and red leaves and a single red rosehip. At the bottom left, there is a large, vibrant pink lily flower. Along the bottom edge, there are more stems with orange and red leaves and small red berries.

*In Rome, a temple was established
which once stood where the church
of Santo Stefano del Cacco is
located today, in the Pigna district,
here the small statue of the cat was
found which can still be admired
today on a cornice of Palazzo
Grazioli, at the corner of Via
della Gatta, found in the
Temple of Isis in Campo Marzio.
After all, Piazza Grazioli was once
called Piazza della Gatta.*

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