

# GIBRALTAR



This is to certify that  
your Barbary Macaque  
known as



*Nelson*

was born 412 metres above sea level  
at the 'Top of the Rock' of Gibraltar  
to the Barbary Macaque family  
living free at the Cable Car top station



Signed: Rocky macaque

Date:        /        /       

Day:            Month:            Year:



Why Nelson? After the famous victory at the Battle of Trafalgar on the 21<sup>st</sup> October 1805 during which Admiral Lord Haratio Nelson was killed, his flag ship HMS Victory put into Rosia Bay, Gibraltar for emergency repairs. Many of the injured crew were brought ashore at Gibraltar and treated in the Naval Hospital. Men who subsequently died from injuries sustained during the battle are buried in the Trafalgar Cemetery, at the south end of Main Street. Nelson's body was taken back to England in a barrel of rum. In the British Royal Navy rum is still referred to as 'Nelson's Blood.'

