

Useful Cars

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Considering my grievances about riding in a car, I have to admit to the appreciation of their conveniences.

My daughter leased a Terrain SUV because of the space needed for my walker. It's a little troublesome but since I have to use it all the time patience is essential.

My friend Susie picked me up one day and the experience we had could have won a first prize in the funniest videos show. We tried fitting my walker in the trunk of her red sports car. We had done it before so I was sure that it would be a breeze this time. Not to be. Oh my! For some reason it was stiff as a board just like me. We tried this way and that way and we couldn't close the trunk. After a few minutes by mutual agreement I walked it back to the apartment. Struggling with just my cane I made do.

The agreement to purchase a three-wheeler sent my two daughters shopping. Someday I'll be able to carry it on any type of car. As the cars get prettier, I become more like a two year old.