

# **Rodeos Are Cruel!**

## **Physical Abuse and Psychological Suffering!**

**Tame and docile "stock" are transported around the rodeo circuit. Some will let you pet them, some will back away because they are afraid of humans.**

**They are provoked and tormented to appear to be fierce and aggressive. They are worked over in the chutes: tail twisted, hair twisted, electric "hotshot", kicked and cut by spurs and a bucking strap is cinched tightly around the sensitive abdomen and groin.**

**Painful injuries include cuts; internal organ bruising and damage; hemorrhaging; bone fractures; ripped tendons; torn ligaments and muscles and dislocated joints.**

**Frightened, battered and bruised  
- then off to slaughter.**

**Vancouver has banned rodeos.**

**Cloverdale Rodeo has banned calf roping (tie down roping), team roping, steer wrestling and cow-milking race.**

**It's Time to Ban All Rodeos!**

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