## two special awards for the appaloosa celebration from slice of country by shirley magnusson





two hand painted lazy susans to be awarded at classes to be announced at the show.

JUDGES ANNOUNCED FOR THE APPALOOSA-REICHERT CELEBRATION

Darrell Bilke
Fain Yearty
Robert Meneely
Cynthia Rucker

## Thank Tous

To Don and Karen Marr for every mile, round trip, from Scottsburg, Indiana to Claremore, Oklaboma and back bome again!

The reason for this trip? Here is a photo story of an elegant, highly bred, colored, baby filly who is the last Forty One JJ filly bred by the Marrs who saw to it Editor Gerry, and Marian Clton were "tortured" to the point of no return and couldn't resist owning this most special, much loved filly. "The partners in crime" now happily co-own "Gracie" and agree her registered name will hopefully be Karen's choice, JJS Prissy Miss. She is big, about 3/4 TB, has a fabulous laid back disposition, and an excess of pride to accompany unbelievable floating action. She will be bandled by and at home with Gerry Lukacik,

Oktaba, Oklaboma.





The above photos were taken on the day she was foaled. Don and Karen's daughter, Debbie, who from day one, helped handle and care for the mare and foal is accepted as family (above left). How could anyone resist this little girl? We couldn't (above right).





"Gracie," two weeks old at left, and one month old above.



Three months old with Debbie (left) and (above, left to right) Editor Gerry, Gracie at 4 1/2 months, and Karen, on June 5, 2009-arrival in Oktaha, Oklahoma.

Sire: ApHC Forty One JJ (SI 98, earned \$65,450)

Starbuck Leopard descendant, plus AQHA Some Kinda Man SI 105, etc. Dam: Party Miss (TB) (Earned \$43,166)

Descendant of Damascus, Nijinsky, Buckpasser, Northern Dancer, Princequillo, Tom Rolfe, Tom Fool, Swaps, and Dr Fager.

Jerry Crouch took a lot of razzing from Marrs, Marian and Gerry about Editor Gerry and assistant acquiring another Appaloosa, but Jerry was impressed with "Gracie's" laid back disposition and class and had to admit he's looking forward to her future and sometime in the years ahead, breeding her to Bugs J Man a.k.a "Stelen." Meanwhile, Gerry and Gracie will head for the shows.

Larry Colley and "Stelen" stand on Butterfield Stage trail.

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"Dottie", "Gracie", and "Roxie" at Diamond Run Farm.

