

Trapper Galloway Ranch

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"Embryos From the World's Finest Galloway's"

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Attention: All Galloway breeders and people raising carcass cattle

Please find enclosed a video or DVD of Trapper Galloway Ranch's 2009 embryo transfer calves in Alzada, Montana.

There are eight calves this year including four of each sex. I am confident that these calves are as good as the ones we had a year ago. For purebred herd sires, I would suggest that any one of the four bull calves would be prospects – especially #89, sired by Globe Titan. This bull was exported to Scotland some years ago. His blood is represented all over the world wherever Galloways are raised and his mother is Helga of Trapper. She was the best Galloway female that I ever owned and proved it by being mother of Snapshot of Trapper, a top ribbon winner over all of North America in recent years.

There is also a heifer from Globe Titan. So, we have full brother-sister in the eight calves. We are considering taking this pair (#203 and #89) to the Denver Stock Show. In fact, Helga of Trapper is the dam of five out of the eight calves. We have another pair of calves in the group (#240 and #94) that are by the dam Jessie of Trapper. This makes them full brother-sister to the reserve champion at last year's Denver Stock Show, Decebe of Trapper. We have retained Decebe as our herd bull. Their mother, Jessie of Trapper, was one of our top embryo donors, and is in fact ancestor of all purebred Galloways in the state of Virginia.

The four heifers offered for sale would be an excellent package to sell to a new breeder. When I first bought Galloways in 1961 as a teenager, Galloways of this caliber were not available at any price except in Scotland. This was during the same time that my friend Bob Johnstone was buying the imported herd of quality Galloways in Scotland for the HE Ranch in Cloverdale, CA.

My four embryo transfer heifer calves are all closely related as they are from the top two cows that I ever owned and they are sired by Glenfiddich Brodie and Globe Titan. This blood is also the most popular in Europe, where Galloways are tied for the number one spot in popularity and numbers.

We are planning to bring five or six of these calves home to Shell, WY for the winter or until they are sold. They will be home in Shell after October 10th. We will send two or three of the top calves home with Leroy Kindler of Newell, SD to exhibit and show at the Denver Stock Show in January, 2010. Both sexes will be represented in our group.

We also have three bull calves at Shell for sale, two of these are select.

Anyone wanting to start a nice herd of Galloways could buy the four embryo transfer heifers and one of the Wyoming bull calves which would be unrelated.

For delivery from Wyoming to your ranch, it is offered at cost or free to a substantial buyer.

Please email or call me about any further information on the calves and let me know if you would like the videotape or the DVD, as I can furnish either to suit you. All comments and questions are welcomed from interested parties.

Yours in advancement of Galloway Cattle,

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P.S. Inquiry for grass cattle enclosed, and my answer