



Ken McNabb

Discovering the Horseman Within

When I was 18, a neighboring rancher, who I had worked for and dearly loved, had a serious horseback hunting accident that caused paralysis to his left side. To Jerry, riding was more than a way of life; it was a connection with creation, a love that gave ranching purpose. Watching Jerry's frustration was tearing the rest of us apart. His was the first horse I ever taught to lay down to allow his rider mounting access. To this day, Jerry continues to tend his cattle horseback. Starting in the first two weeks of

May, RFD-TV viewers will learn this wonderful exercise. I love training horses, but my real passion is helping people discover the abilities already waiting within themselves.

Born to Horses

When I was 10 days old, I was on a family pack horse trip in the mountains. Growing up in ranch country, 30 miles from town, naturally gave me thousands of hours working and playing the saddle. Today on our ranch we maintain a herd of 80 working

horses to meet the needs of several disciplines.

Boys' Home Background

For over 32 years my parents have operated a boys' home for "at risk" teens. When I was born, I instantly had 10 teen-aged brothers. I always enjoy the shock value of telling people that I have 400 brothers. Growing up with that many siblings wasn't always fun, but as I look back, I'm thankful for the ability to work with all kinds of people that it fostered.