The Wagyu Breed's First Million Dollar Sale Lone Mountain Cattle Company Fullblood Wagyu Female Sale May 17th, 2014; Albuquerque, NM

12 Bred Heifers Avg. \$14,417
4 Heifer Pairs Avg. \$14,250
28 Open Heifers Avg. \$11,304
27 Bred Cows Avg. \$10,898
15 Open Cows Avg. \$10,083
3 Flushes Avg. \$8,333
21 Embryos Avg. \$805

Auctioneer: Butch Booker

Sale Manager: James Danekas & Associates, Inc.

Tops:

LMR Ms Sanjirou 713T, 3/19/2007 by Sanjirou; \$27,500 to Stepaside Farm, Sanger, CA.

LMR Ms Itomoritaka 1433Y, 11/19/2011 by Itomoritaka ETJ002; \$24,000 to Société de Gestion, Nyon, Switzerland.

LMR Ms Itomoritaka 1428Y, 11/17/2011 by Itomoritaka ETJ002; \$22,500 to Clear Creek Cattle Co & Zen 10, Ocala, FL.

LMR Ms ETJ-5632 775T, 10/20/2007 by BR ETJ-001 5632 ET with a 3/23/14 heifer; **\$21,000** to **Stepaside Farm, Sanger, CA**.

LMR Ms Michifuku 783T, 11/09/2007 by Michifuku; \$20,500 to Clear Creek Cattle Co & Zen 10, Ocala, FL.

LMR Ms Kitaguni 2354Z, 6/6/2012 by Kitaguni Jr; \$20,500 to Société de Gestion, Nyon, Switzerland.

LMR Ms Kitaguni 3423A, 3/21/2013 by Kitaguni Jr; \$20,000 to Société de Gestion, Nyon, Switzerland.

LMR Ms Itomoritaka 1436Y, 11/22/2011 by Itomoritaka ETJ002; \$18,000 to Société de Gestion, Nyon, Switzerland.

LMR Itozurudoi 815T, 12/30/2007 by Itozurudoi TF151; \$16,500 to Kuempel Wagyu, Pampa, TX & Mahan Wagyu, Waco, TX.

LMR Ms Haruki 1201Y, 2/26/2011 by Haruki II; \$16,000 to Clear Creek Cattle Co & Zen 10, Ocala, FL. LMR Ms Kitaguni 2305Z, 3/6/2012 by Kitaguni Jr; \$16,000 to Société de Gestion, Nyon, Switzerland.

A rather hot May day greeted the sale attendees to this 2014 Lone Mountain Sale. Cattle sold at a rapid fire pace to 10 states and to Switzerland to record the breed's first one million dollar sale totaling \$1,033,400 with the live lots averaging \$11,529. The internet activity was strong with over 100 tuned in to witness the event. The flushes topped at \$10,000 on LMR Ms Sanjirou 617S, 5/3/06 by Sanjirou, selling to Rick Waddell, Flemingsburg, KY while the top selling embryos sold at \$1,100 each on five sired by Sanjirou out of LMR Ms Itohana 8175U and purchased by Bill Askew, Malin, OR. The hospitality extended by Bob & Mary Estrin of Lone Mountain Cattle Co was superb with the social on the night prior to the sale and the Mexican style Wagyu lunch on sale day. Indeed a great event for Lone Mountain Cattle Co and the Wagyu breed.