

2015 Mile High Wagyu Experience Sale

1-21-15; Denver, CO

4 Bulls Avg. **\$9,563**
6 Females Avg. **\$12,875**
2 Matings Avg. **\$6,875**
35 Embryos Avg. **\$936**
200 Units of Semen Avg. **\$385**

Auctioneer: Butch Booker, Colfax, WA

Sale Sponsored and Managed by James Danekas and Associates, Inc.
Wagyu World represented by Mercedes Danekas-Lohse

Top Females:

Lot 8, **MCH MS 0539-1/2 A016**, 3-2-13 by TF Itomichi ½; Monarch Farms, Franklinton, LA
& Emerson Cattle Co, Owensville, IN;
\$27,500 to Rod Smith, Sulphur, LA.

Lot 9, **MFC MS Mitsufuku 437B**, 4-20-14 by TBR Mitsufuku 9028W; Muddy Flats Cattle Co., Augusta, WI
\$12,000 to Foxstand Farm, New London, NH.

Lot 10, **MFC MS Itomoritaka 446B**, 5-27-14 by MFC Itomoritaka 0-41; Muddy Flats Cattle Co., Augusta, WI;
\$11,750 to Foxstand Farm, New London, NH.

Lot 5, **WSI Michihira**, 6-20-10 by Hirashigeharu; Wagyu Sekai, Puslinch, ON, Canada;
\$11,000 to Virginia Wagyu, Alta Vista, VA.

Lot 11, **LMR RMW Itomoritaka X Dow Ranches 827 Heifer Calf**, 9-15; Dow Ranches, Prineville, OR,
\$8,000 to David Whitehead, Kennewick, WA.

Top Bulls:

Lot 1, **LMR Itomoritaka 2381Z**, 8-21-12 by Itomoritaka J2703; Lone Mountain Cattle Co., Golden, NM;
\$18,000 to Thomas Teague, Winston-Salem, NC.

Lot 4, **Pick out of 13 RFI Tested Bulls**, by Bar R Nakagishiro 56T; Bar R Cattle Co., Pullman, WA;
\$9,000 to Southern Cattle Co., Dothan, AL.

Top Percentage Female:

Lot 30, **ECC Lady 2E10**, 10-1-12 by LMR Yo Jimbo; Emerson Cattle Co., Owensville, IN,
\$5,000 to Gypsum Valley Wagyu, Salina, KS.

Top Embryos:

Lot 22, **6 sexed female embryos by Kalanga Red Star X Kalanga Empress Fuyuko E115**; Bald Ridge Wagyu, Mudgee, NSW, Australia;
\$9000 to Jim Long, Sugarland, TX.

Lot 21, **5 sexed female embryos by Bald Ridge Henshin X Bald Ridge Kinochi**; Bald Ridge Wagyu, Mudgee, NSW, Australia;
\$7500 to Jim Long, Sugarland, TX.

Top Semen:

Lot 24B, **5 units of Rueshaw semen**; Kuempel Wagyu, Pampa, TX;
\$4200 per unit.

Lot 24D, **5 units of Mt Fuji semen**; Kuempel Wagyu, Pampa, TX;
\$4100 per unit.

Lot 24A, **5 units of semen on Judo**; Kuempel Wagyu, Pampa, TX;
\$2250 per unit.

Lot 25, **10 units of semen on CHR Kikutsuru Doi 624A**; Crescent Harbor Ranch, Oak Harbor, WA;
\$450 per unit.

Lot **5 units of semen on Bar R Arimura 30B**; Bar R Cattle Co., Pullman, WA;
\$400 per unit.

The Downtown Denver Cowboy Lounge was the perfect setting for the 150 plus crowd of people celebrating the Wagyu breed. For those who were unable to attend, they had the capability to join us via the internet through LiveAuctions.tv where 219 viewers logged in to watch. Just like the sale offering, the crowd represented many nations. The event followed the 4th Annual National Wagyu Show at the 2015 National Western Stock Show. Many of the champions selected in the show were also featured in the sale offering. The A.W.A was represented by Michael Beattie who was also there to accept the donation of a South African safari trip which was donated by P.J. Budler of WagyuBreeders.net. Ralph Valdez of Crescent Harbor Ranch from Washington bought the package which sold for \$2300 and all proceeds will be donated to the American Wagyu Association. The 30 lots offered sold to breeders from 17 states and Germany. The sale crew and auctioneer did a marvelous job and those in attendance enjoyed the event and hospitality.