

### **BREED STATEMENT**

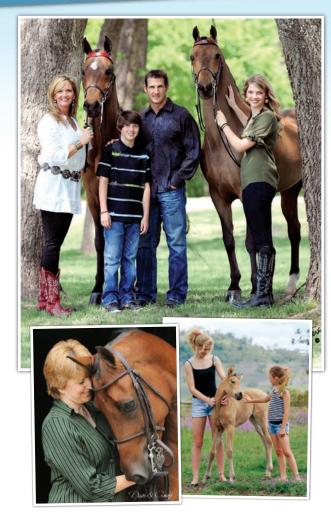
The beauty of the Morgan horse lifts the heart. The breed exists solely because they please people. It's their heritage.

This first American breed can be found worldwide. He is easily recognized by his proud carriage, upright graceful neck, blended with soundness of limb, athleticism, and stamina. In addition, Morgan thriftiness and longevity have made this breed a good bargain for more than 200 years—easy to love and affordable to own.

The Morgan horse is free moving and calm under western tack or elegant and aristocratic when ridden in English style. A tractable temperament allows the Morgan to excel when driving in single or multiple hitches.

Companionable and comfortable on a quiet pleasure ride anywhere open skies beckon, working as a sensible partner in a long day of ranch work or endurance riding, waiting alert and ready to enter a show ring, or performing in formal riding disciplines, the Morgan is a versatile horse within a versatile breed. The Morgan horse agreeably adapts to his owner's lifestyle.

Reliable, loyal, tireless, and versatile, a Morgan becomes one with people of all ages and walks of life and shares the mutual enjoyment in every equine pastime.



### THE PERFECT FAMILY HORSE

For you and your family, owning and enjoying a Morgan horse is a very real possibility. The American Morgan Horse Association, as well as its members, are ready to help you learn more about this wonderful breed. Call, write, or visit our website at www.morganhorse.com to find out firsthand the wonders of the Morgan breed and to find a Morgan horse near you.









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# Style...Beauty...Ability...Possibility!

### WHAT ARE THE QUALITIES THAT MAKE A MORGAN THE PERFECT FAMILY HORSE?

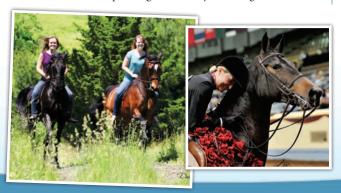
The Morgan horse is known for many things: his extreme beauty and heart, his athleticism and versatility, his willingness and intellect.

But his most important trait—the one that distinguishes him from all other breeds—is his people-loving attitude.

The Morgan horse wants a relationship with you and that is why our slogan is,

"The Horse That Chooses You"

Without a doubt, your involvement with the Morgan horse is a relationship you will treasure for a lifetime. There's just nothing better than spending time with your Morgan.



### WHAT ARE THE QUALITIES THAT MAKE A MORGAN THE PERFECT HORSE FOR SO MANY EQUINE ACTIVITIES?

The Morgan's versatile roots go back to the beginning of the breed. Lifestyles of early American families demanded their horses be useful and strong on the farm and also quick and stylish harness and riding horses. The Morgan was a popular answer to these needs.

## Today, Morgans excel in virtually all disciplines.

They are one of the premier carriage horses in the world, and are used for combined driving, competitive trail and endurance riding, eventing, working western events, Dressage, all show ring disciplines, and as an excellent friend and companion whether in the backyard or on the trail.

An ideal horse for today's modern family, the Morgan will take riders with diverse interests through any competitive or pleasure pursuit. Whether you or your family require a quiet mount or harness horse for a beginner, the excitement of the show ring, the demands of working cattle on the ranch, or enjoy active sporting disciplines like eventing and jumping, the Morgan can be all this and more.

Visit www.morganhorse.com to learn more!

#### MORE ABOUT THE MORGAN

### What color are Morgans?

The approved Morgan coat colors are: Chestnut, Black, Bay, Brown, Palomino, Buckskin, Smoky black, Cremello, Perlino and Smoky cream. And the approved Characteristics are: Dun, Flaxen, Silver, Gray, Roan, and Pinto.

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