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Beau Geste

Golden Retrievers of Quality

Name _____
Date

Address

City State Zip Code

Telephone Email

Married? _____ If yes, name of spouse if not included above _____

Children? _____ If yes, names and ages _____
Number

Other household members _____
Include grandchildren, neighbor children who visit regularly, if applicable

Is someone at home during the daytime? ____ If no, how long would a dog be left alone? _____

Do you travel a lot? _____ If yes, do you take the dog or board it? _____

Type of residence and yard _____

Fence? _____ How high? _____ Kennel or pen? _____ Invisible fence? _____ Dog door? _____

Why do you want a Golden Retriever? _____

Have you ever had a dog before? _____ If yes, what breed(s)? _____

When? _____ Living? _____ If no, how old was the dog when it died? _____

How did it die? _____

Veterinarian _____

Other pets _____

Rate your family's activity level on a scale of 1-10, where 1 is a stay-at-home couch potato and 10 is a tri-athlete. Explain. (E.g., do you jog daily, climb mountains on weekends? Do you play soccer or just watch a game once a week? Do you have a swimming pool? Do you go to the lake or ocean all summer? Do you hunt? Bicycle? Cross-country ski?) Please answer with consideration. From your answers I will learn at least two things: how your dog will get exercise and what activity level may be appropriate for your family.

Where will your puppy sleep at night? _____ During the day? _____

Where will your puppy spend most of its time? _____

Are you prepared for constant shedding? _____ Tracking in mud? _____ Digging? _____

Is your lawn meticulously kept? _____ Do you use lawn fertilizers/weed-killers/household pesticides?

Will you take your puppy to puppy kindergarten/obedience classes? _____ For performance? _____

Will you teach your dog tricks? _____ Play games? _____

Will you train your dog to retrieve? _____ Field train? _____ For fun or performance? _____

Do you want a show dog? _____ Junior showmanship? _____ Potential breeding? _____
(All my pets are sold on spay/neuter contracts; surgery must be done by two years of age.)

Are you interested in Tracking? _____ Therapy dogs? _____ Agility? _____ Rescue? _____

Do you know the Golden Retriever breed standard? _____

Have you read any books about Golden Retrievers and/or dog training? _____ If so, which ones? _____

When do you hope to take your puppy home? _____

Please share any other information that you think will help me make the best match between you and your puppy, including any special needs, preferences, or "must haves." For instance, if it is imperative that you have a specific sex of puppy, please let me know and explain why. Thank you.