

John Talsma Lacombe, AB	*1977
Byron Chester. Tanner Habitant Farms, Beaumont, AB Byron Chester Tanner died June 1988	*1960
Todd & Grace Thauberger Double T Cattle Co., Holdfast, SK	*2002
Harold & Georgina Taylor John & Kirsten Tayolr Poplar Bluff Stock Farm, Chauvin, AB	*1993
Todd & Yvette Taylor Taylor Maid Charolais, Bowden, AB	*1992
Robert & Cheryl Tchorewski Rock R Charolais, Alvena, SK	*1990
Harold Tedford Gary & Lynn Tedford Forest Hill Charolais, Outram SK	*1965
Happy & Sharon Tegart Justanother Farm, Irricana, AB dispersal Dec. 1991	*1976
Vern & Sandra Temple VST Charolais, Saltcoats, SK children Laura (& Jeff), Amanda, Kevin, Krystal Vern Temple died Aug. 1997 dispersal Dec. 1997	*1986
Ken & Marilyn Teneycke Creekview Charolais, Young, SK	*1973
Lise Tetreault St. Armand, PQ children: Pierre Pierre Tetreault Sec. QCA - 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982	*1978
Jean-Yves & Celine Thibault Beaumont, PQ children Guillaume, Chantal Jean-Yves Thibault died 2002	*1971

Charolais Banner April 2002

Jean-Yves Thibault got his first experience of Charolais in 1962 on the farm of Paul Lacroix. In 1977 he purchased 25 purebred Charolais from Paul Lacroix.

Gerry & Lesley Thiessen *1989
Thiessen Charolais, Vanderhoof, BC
Charolais Banner July/August 2003
Along with being a realtor at Re/Max Vanderhoof Realty, Gerry and his wife Lesley Thiessen operate Thiessen Charolais. They entered the Charolais business in 1989 and now have 50 cows.

Bob & Rob Thompson *1987
Blue Oak Farms, Ripley, ON

Darrell & Judy Thompson *1986
Border Corner Charolais, Carnduff, SK

Doug & Linda Thomson *1977
Orton, ON
Doug Thomson Sec. OCA 1978, 1979

Ron & Gail Thompson *1973
Bonnie Haven Charolais, Arrowwood, AB

Bruce & Glen Thornton *1977
Pomona Farms, Thamesford, ON

Harold & Dolores Thornton *1969
Thornmont Ranches Ltd., Blackie, AB
children: Scott, Leanna, Jocelyn
Harold Thornton- CCA director 1972 - 1981
CCA president 1976, 1977
Dolores Thornton Pres. Charolettes 1973, 1974
dispersal Oct. 1984
Charolais Banner - April 1974

Harold Thornton has farming in his blood. The Thorntons farmed in the Woodstock area of Ontario for generations prior to Harold's grandfather moving to Alberta where he homesteaded in Rumsey in the 1920's. Dried out in the 30's he moved north and homesteaded again near Grande Prairie. Douglas, Harold's father, taught at Rumsey and Coaldale, then worked as Publicity Director for the U.F.A. .

Harold's interest in farming developed early and grew during high school summers spent working on an uncle's farm at Coaldale where he had been born.. Harold earned a degree in Geological Engineering and worked in the Canadian oil industry as an Engineer, planning and supervising the drilling of oil wells and putting them on production. Finally in 1968 there was enough money left over from raising a family to buy a small group of cattle from his old college roommate, Harvey Trimble, and Jim Golley.

Ralph & Jean Thornton *1983

Sharp Hills Charolais, Sedalia, AB
children: Ralph, Vickie, Kendall, Garret, Aron
Ralph Thornton Pres. ACA 1986
CCA director 1997 - 2001

Charolais Banner Nov. 1998

Ranching is a tradition in the Thornton family. Ralph and his family are the 4th and 5th generations on the family ranch established in 1910 by his great grandfather. In the early years Shorthorn was the main influence in their commercial herd. In 1981, the switch was made to Charolais. The Charolais decision was based on their rate of gain and ability to cross well with other breeds.

Ralph & Michele Thornton *1983

Sharp Hills Ranch, Sedalia, AB

Eldon & Gloria Thulien *1987

Thulien Charolais, Veteran, AB
children Carla, Deryk
dispersal 2000

Louis G. & Janet Tinant *1991

Tinant Riverview Charolais, Drayton Valley, AB
Pristine Cattle Co. Drayton Valley, AB

Jim & Eldred Tindall *1985

B & T Ranches, Sedgewick, AB

Sheldon Tindall *1980

Tindall Charolais, Sedgewick, AB

Lee & Tanya Timmey *1997

Grizzly Trail Charolais, Stoney Plain, AB

Keith & Jamie Tyson *1990

Ty-bar Charolais, Harris, SK

Grant & Marjorie Tober *1996

Golden T charolais, Moosehorn, MB

Alfred & Jo Toker *1983

A & J Charolais Farm, Bonnyville, AB

Gord & Shauneen Tomlinson *2003

Whiskey Hollow Cattle Co. Morwood, ON

Hugh & Dale Tomlinson *1973

Charcan Services

2T Cattle Breeders Ltd. / 2T Charolais Services Ltd.

Hugh Tomlinson died May 1979

Charolais Banner - Jan. 1973

Mr. John Owen, President of Charcan Services Ltd. is pleased to announce the appointment of High Tomlinson as Sales Manager of the Company, effective Nov. 1972

Mr. Tomlinson is a native of South Africa and attended Cedara Agricultural College where he obtained his degree in General Agriculture, majoring in Animal Science. He emigrated to the United States in June of 1969 and joined the Litton Charolais Ranch at Chillicothe, Mo. Before coming to Charcan, Mr. Tomlinson was manager of the famous Johnny Cake Ranch at Mansfield, Arkansas.

Charolais Banner - Oct. 1976

The appointment of Mr. High Tomlison to the position of Marketing Manager was announced today by General Manager Lloyd Quantz.

Walter & Irene Tomm *1992

Barr-Alta Charolais, Barrhead, AB

Ron Tomolak *1990

RJTT Farms, Esterhazy, SK

Don & Joanne Toms *1980

Char View Farm, Redvers, SK

Bruce & Derek Tona *1990

Tona Charolais, Rimbey, AB

Clayton Tondou *1991

White Cloud Farm, Wainwright, AB

Ray & Edna Toner *1974

Rockie Tee Stockfarm, Bengough, SK

Richard W. Torio *1977

Torio Charolais Ranch, Dawson Creek, BC

Jack & Ruth Townsend *1979

Togo, SK

William Trabysh *1966

Hairy Hill, AB

Dennis Trachuk *1991

Shadee Vallee Charolais, Two Hills, AB

Ray & Kay Traffors *1973
Donray Farms, Northgate, SK

Carl & Jean Trapp *1973
Elnaora, ON

Dwein & Brenda Trask *1975
Blind Creek Ranch, Harris, SK
children Cheryl, Lloyd, Jeff

Dennis Trachuk *1989
Shadee Vallee Charolais, Two Hills, AB

Leo Tremblay *1989
Bar 4T Charolais, Courval, SK

Eric Trepanier *1992
Fern Charolais, Fassett, PQ
Eric Trepanier CCA director 2005
Charolais Banner July/Aug. 2005

Eric Trepanier was first exposed to Charolais cattle as a youth. He was so impressed with the bulls that he vowed if they ever had beef cattle they would be Charolais. He and his dad bought their first purebred in 1992 and Fern Charolais now calves 80 females. They seed approx. 250 acres to corn and oats for feed and pasture the rest of their land.

Alfred, Hedi & Peter Trescher *1965
Brisco Charolais, Brisco, BC
children: Peter (1958), Heidy (1960), Anne (1963)
Alfred Trescher CCA director 1967 - 1973
Hedi Trescher Sec. BCCA 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977
CCA director 1983 - 1989
Sec. BCCA 2001, 2002, 2003
CCA director 2001 - 2004

Charolais Banner - October 1967

I came to this country, right into the Windermere Valley, as an immigrant from Germany in 1952. At first I worked in mines and logging camps. After a few years, I started a small sawmill with a partner. It was during this time that I married Hedi, who was born in Switzerland.

I had been raised on a farm in the old country and I liked farming very much. So when we sold the sawmill six years later, we were able to buy our farm in 1962.

We took over a herd of commercial Herefords with the farm and after two years we came to the conclusion that either we or the Herefords would have to go..

Our neighbor, Winston Wolfenden, with his immense enthusiasm for Charolais, helped to convince us that this is the coming breed. We were also very impressed by the open A.I. policy of the Canadian Charolais Association and we still feel that this is our best tool for constantly improving the breed.

We bought our first Charolais in 1965 and now have 30 females, mostly purebreds. We still have 30 head of Herefords which we are crossbreeding. Of these calves we have had 7 months weaning weights of 610 lbs.

As a cash crop we grow 12 acres of Foundation Seed potatoes.

I enjoy belonging to the Canadian Charolais Association and have great pleasure in meeting all the pleasant and enthusiastic people at the conventions.

We live in the beautiful Windermere Valley (renamed Charolais Valley) and hope any of you travelling in the district will drop in for a visit.

David Tribe & Elizabeth MacDonald *1990
Enterprises Farm, Beavearton, ON

Stan & Enid Triggs *1972
Triggs Charolais Ranch, Carberry, MB
children: Dale, Leigh
dispersal - Oct. 1975

Harvey A. & Jackie Trimble *1966
Charhat Charolais / Valiant Ranches, Okotoks, AB
Highfield Charolais (July 1979-1982)
children: Rodger (1962), Leslie Ann (1968)
Harvey Trimble CCA director 1968 - 1974
Presiden of CCA 1969, 1970, 1971
Charolais Banner - March 1968

I was raised in Calgary, the son of an elementary school principal, but I always had a yen for the farm and for livestock. An opportunity was never passed up to visit and work on my uncles' farms

Eleven years ago I graduated in Engineering from Oklahoma University. Six months later Jackie (a native Oklahoman) and I were married. I have worked in the oil business in Calgary since graduation. Currently I am Production Manager for Amax Petroleum Corp.

About 5 years ago I made my move into the cattle business whith my brother Grant and with the advice of Carl Skibsted, a retired Polled Hereford breeder. We bought a small commercial herd. Our search for the right man to look after them led us to the farm of John Wilson of Lacombe. Our relationship with John and his family has been most enjoyable.

My suubscription to the Canadian Cattleman took over from my oil magazines. The first articles to catch my eye were those pertaining to performance testing. Then those on cross-breeding as a rapid means of advancement in performance. Then came the articles on Charolais, the breed which was currently contributing the most to improvements in performance in beef cattle, both as a pure breed and in crossbreeding.

The spring of 1966 brought the need for a new bull for our commercial operation. An ad pertaining to the A.C.A. sale at Stettler caught my eye and we went out there and solved the bull problem in a hurry. However, it opened the door and I caught a very bad case of Charolais fever. Before we had any Char-cross calves, I sold John the commercial cows and the bull and went looking for Charolais breeding stock. By the way, the calves

proved up the merits of commercial crossbreeding with Charolais bulls and John was my first customer for a commercial Charolais bull from my own breeding herd.

My basic breeding stock was purchased from Ron Rouse, Rodney James, Don Pochylko and Ken Bargholz. Since I was looking for quality regardless of percentage, I ended up with everything from half bloods to 15/16 Charolais cows.

Our program is built around a 6 week A.I. season plus the services of a top pickup bull. My goal right now is a fairly small herd concentration on the improvement and up-breeding of the basic cow herd. I hope to increase the amount of French influence in the herd with selected bulls as they prove out. I hope to import fullblood French stock also.

Bob & Myrna Trimmer *1987
Trimmer Stock Farm, Duchess, AB
dispersal Dec. 1995

Clifford & Marsha Trinder *1978
TCJ Charolais, Russell, MB

Dennis & Richard Trinder *1978
Denrich Charolais, Russell, MB

Richard & Lindsay Trippler *1987
Chevon-Char Farms, Petersfield, MB

Kenneth Tucker & Sons *1979
North Battleford, SK

Bud & Irene Tull *Founding Member 1959
Tu Hara Ranch, Forestburg, AB
Bud Tull CCA director 1959 - 1962
Bud Tull died 1967

Charolais Newsletter Sept. 1965 - Bud Tull wrote:

I started out in life and still live about 1 miles from where my Dad homesteaded. He came from Kentucky in 1902 with only a mule horse and a walking plow. My formal education was a bit lengthy, 12 years in school which I never liked, 2 years at Olds Ag College, plus 3 years at U of A.

Since horses have always come before women and cows, we began raising Percherons when I was about 16. We ended up with a fairly good string of bucking horses, so I was a rodeo contractor for a few years, but the rest were sold for about \$10.00 a head. From there we started raising Thoroughbreds and found out that we just had good chuck-wagon horses, so our outfit ran the circuit for 10 years. At present we have Arabians and some Walking Horses.

The cattle business has progressed much the same way - from Hereford to Brangus and then Charolais. In 1940 I had a little argument with some polio bugs and sent 18 months in hospital and darn near lost the fight. My dad passed away in 1945 and left me with a lot of land and twice as many mortgages to pay off. It was either make a go of it or go

broke. Very fortunately I had a lot of good help - all except a cook - so I married Irene in 1947.

We were all set up to go but the cattle were not paying and our small well bred heifers gave a lot of trouble reproducing. Our old veterinarian, Dr. Block said to me one day, "Boy, if you intend to make any money with cattle, you're going to have to raise them bigger and longer".

For the next few years I used Brangus bulls and had no luck. The next breed to try was Charolais, so in 1956 I imported a few cows and a bull from Ross Parker at Hagerman, Idaho. The first calf produced was performance tested at the University of Alberta and did so well I had to promise not to publicize the results. Consequently this was our new breed for the future and we purchased 12 heifers from Earl Thode at Caca Grande, Arizona. At the same time I bought a bull from Herb Hawthorne at Meridian, Texas, which proved to be no good and his replacement even worse. So from then on I used A.I. I haven't promoted the breed too much because I sell the poorer ones for beef and keep only the top ones for our herd. No doubt we've turned in more papers to the association dead animal file than anyone in Canada. Never the less, Charolais are good profitable cattle no matter how you sell them. If our breeders continue performance testing and not looking for the fast buck, we will produce bulls with a 5 lb. gain and a 6 lb. conversion on hay. This will continue to make them the most profitable cattle in North America. Please note: I'm a sticker for profit as it's the only cattle fad I have. The head, hide and color don't mean too much to me.

Chester Tupling	*2003
Michael Tupling	
Chester Tupling	Pres. OCA 2005
Rollin' Acres., Shelbourne, ON	
Ken & Midge Tupper	*1977
Pine View Charolais, Melfort, SK	
Marcel & Velina Turgeon	*2002
Marvel Farms, Lac La Biche, AB	
Don Turnbull	*1971
Donmoore Farms, Mooretown, ON (partner Don Scott)	
Don Turnbull died May 1998	
Graeme & Mary Turner	*1968
Abbotsford, BC	
Graeme Turner	Pres BCCA 1972
Keith & Jamie Tyson	*1987
Ty-Bar Charolais, Harris, SK	
Bud Ullery	*1970
Cochrane, AB	

Ed Ully Vulcan, AB	*1982
Kevin & Yvonne Umscheid Pioneer Farms, Ltd., Milo, AB	*1991
Daryl & Judy Usenik Monnery River Charolais, Paradise Hill, SK dispersal Dec. 1997	*1984