

## **RPLAUDITSCALICOCLOUD**

RPlauditsCalicoCloud, a 1996 Foundation Pedigree Designated mare earned an automatic spot in the 2014 Appaloosa Horse Club (ApHC) Hall of Fame by achieving her Bronze Supreme Dam Production Plaque. A mare earns a Bronze Supreme Dam Production Plaque and an automatic induction to the Hall of fame when they produce five bronze medallion winners.

RPlauditsCalicoCloud, AKA Calico currently has 14 foals, five of which have earned bronze medallions, these include: R Secret Anniversary, R Secret Cloud Nine, R Secrets R Gold Dun, R Secret Decoration and R Secret Dun Wapiti.

RPlauditsCalicoCloud was bred by Jan Mills of Breckenridge, Missouri. Calico was purchased by Kim and Jeff Rumpsa of Ware, Missouri in 1998 and resides with the family today. When Kim first met Calico, she was struck by her beautiful markings and personality. She wanted to purchase the yearling, but could not agree on a price with the owner, so she continued her search for a new Appaloosa mare.

Five months later, fate brought the Rumpsas and Calico back together. Kim purchased her from someone else, and Calico became the newest member of their Appaloosa family. Today, Calico is not only an outstanding mother, but one of their most trustworthy horses. Kim's mother showed Calico all through her 70's in riding, in hand and driving classes. Calico has participated in many parades, traveled to numerous shows (both ApHCapproved and open) and has spent many miles out on the trails. She is very level headed and is the kind of horse that anyone can ride and be safe.

In addition to Calico's outstanding production record, she has 44 ApHC show points to this date. In 2010 she earned a Register of Merit (ROM) in halter, as well as Year-End Top Ten placings in Broodmares, Ladies' Side Saddle and Green Hunter. She also earned a Year-End Top Ten placing in Foundation Pedigree Designation Halter in 2011 and Broodmares in 2012. The Appaloosa Horse Club is proud to welcome RPlauditsCalicoCloud to the 2014 Hall of Fame and looks forward to what the future holds for this incredible mare.

Editor's note: To nominate a person or a borse for induction into the ApHC Hall of Fame or Racing Hall of Fame, you must be a member in good standing of the ApHC. Horses must be ApHC-registered and deceased to be nominated. The nomination deadline is October 31st each year. For full details and downloadable nomination forms, click on the 'Hall of Fame' link under the 'About Us' tab on the homepage of www.appaloosa.com.