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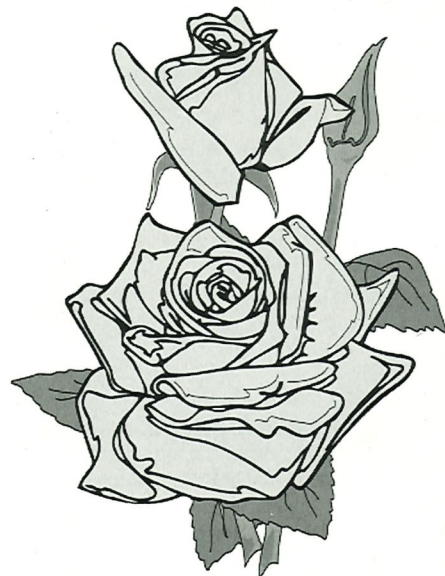
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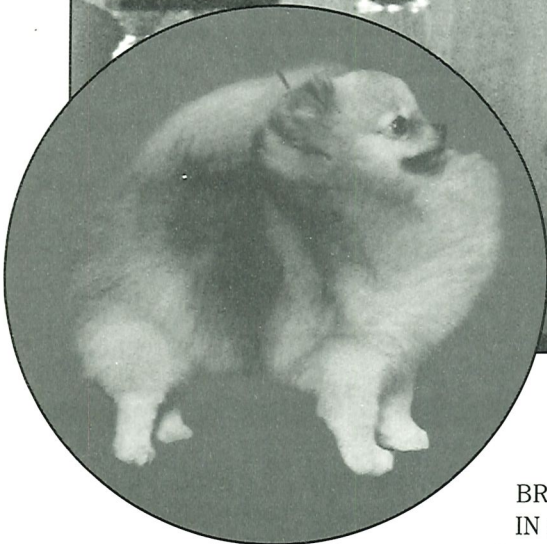
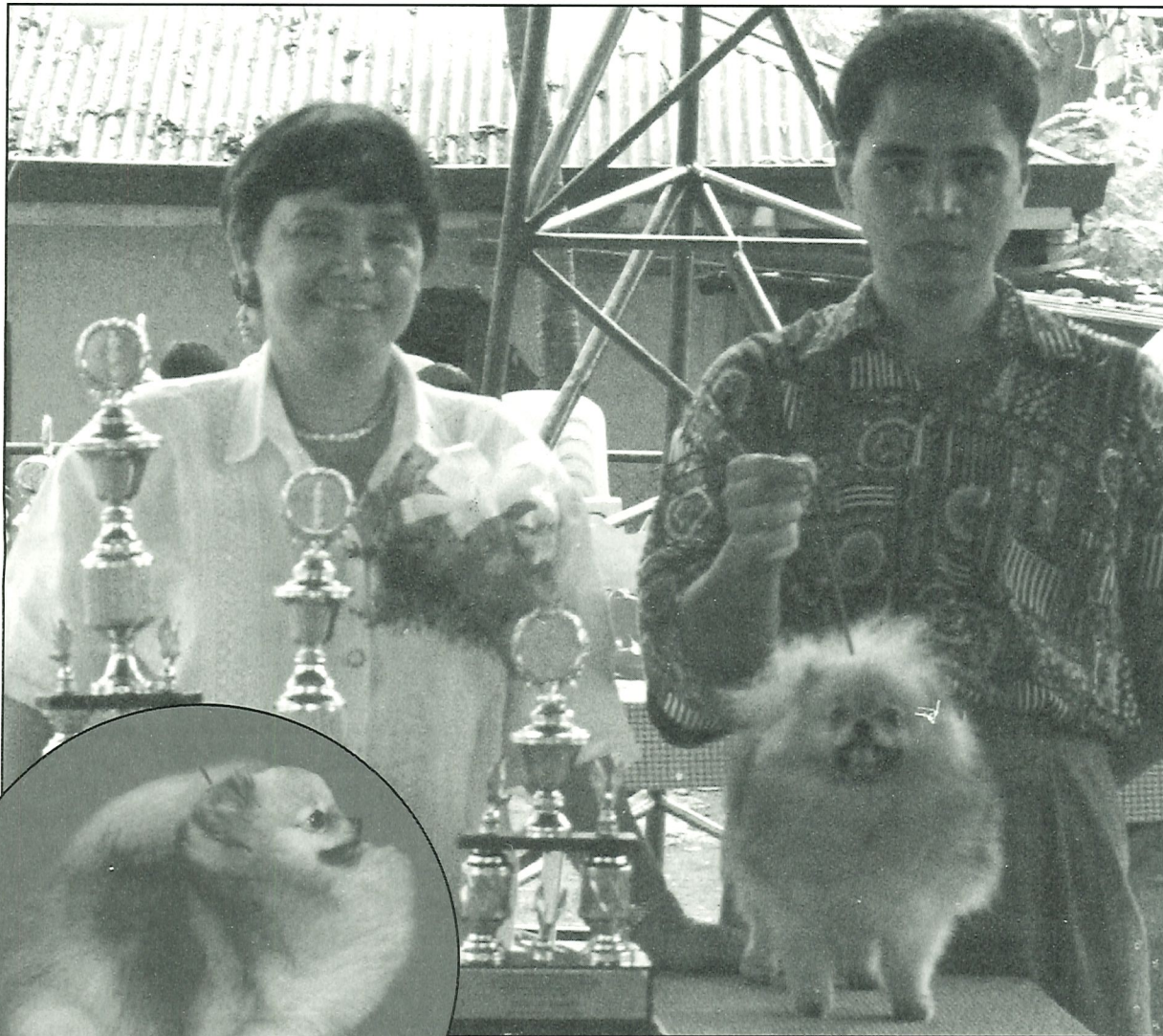
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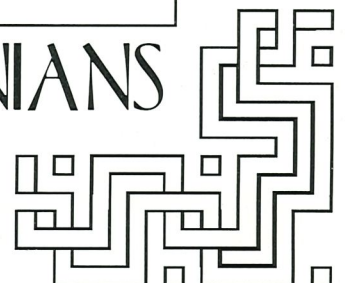
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# ShowSight

F R O M   T H E   E D I T O R

## When the puppy goes far, far away...

Another bestseller that I have yet to write is *I Hate To Sell Dogs* by JMcG. It has long been a joke around here that, if asked, I always tell callers that we have nothing to sell. I'm never sure a pup won't turn out to be irreplaceable; I'm always uncertain I can bear to let that cute one go. And in any case, I know that when it comes to longevity, health, and happiness for a dog that I've bred in somebody else's care, there is no guarantee.

Nobody I know has a crystal ball that can predict what is to come. It is difficult enough to plan for one's own future; relying on present conditions in another household to accurately predict its atmosphere down the line is probably unrealistic. And yet, when placing a dog with a new owner, that is what we have to do.

We can check credentials till we're blue in the face and still leave questions unanswered. Any veterinarian will vouch for a big-spending client, and lots of breeders will give high marks to a buyer who bought, in the past, with no complaints. We ourselves are guilty of misinformation to some degree: The dog fancy has long been afflicted with a hotly-humming grapevine over which, at times, tales have traveled which do not reflect the facts. So we're left in a quandary: what do we believe, in whom do we place trust, when do we feel safe to sell? Unfortunately, there are no easy answers. And yet I've heard of some really priceless criteria by which prospective owners are judged...

*The Car, the Clothes, the apparent Cash.* One of my favorite descriptives came from a friend while referring to a woman she knows who is very wealthy. "Well, you know," the friend says to me, "she's got major change." It seemed a colorful way to say the lady

was rich as midas; it also seemed a stupid reason to sell her a dog. Certainly financial freedom, when coupled with other attributes, would seem the best of all possible worlds, but by itself it is no measure of responsibility. I have known more than a few monied individuals to whom I would not entrust the care of a goldfish. And I have seen households, somewhat strapped for expendable cash, in which the needs of the kids and the household pets are first and foremost; money is carefully budgeted and all necessities – and a sufficient number of niceties – are provided without question. So material possessions are not a great measure of a prospective owner's worthiness.

*Kids? No Kids!* I grow most irritable when told by a breeder that he refuses to sell a dog to anyone with children. I shudder to think what my childhood would have been – and how it might have affected my present – had I not always been blessed with a pet. One of the reasons I'm involved in this sport is to ensure that the children of the future be able to love a happy, healthy pet. Yet of course there are concerns; a wild child could certainly make life uncomfortable for a pet, in particular a pet of small stature. Meeting the family can assuage these fears; one can quickly pick up on the family dynamics and if the whole bunch are creeps, they're shown the door. But simply x-ing people with children out of the buying equation seems as thoughtless as selling to anyone who wanders up the street.

*She's a puppy mill.* To some people, anyone with more than two intact dogs is a breeding factory. This simply makes no sense. To be a breeder, you have to breed; when you breed – with luck, anyways – you get pups. And to continue to grow, improve, and refine a



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bloodline, more breeding is essential: the numbers start to add up. When I think of "puppy mill," however, it is more a reflection on the quality produced than on the actual number of dogs. One of the individuals I most admire in the sport of purebred dogs has, well, *a lot* of dogs. And they're all in fabulous condition, beautifully housed and obviously loved. She also has, over time, lots of pups. The breeding is scientific, thoughtful, and orchestrated. And the pups, by and large, go on to prove their merit and improve the breed. So that's not, to me, a puppy mill: to me a mill is a breeding program in which the only goal is birth.

Those are but some of the dopey criteria I have heard through the years; there are many more. But I have always trusted my gut instinct and it has only on rare occasion served me wrong. And of course, once the sale is made, we have no control, whether the dog's new home is across the street...or across the globe.

It is a pleasure this month to feature a visit with another quality kennel from afar. For years people from foreign lands have complained to me that some of us simply refuse to consider selling quality dogs to them for a number of reasons, several of which just make no sense. As you read of the sport in the Philippines, rejoice with me that we have true dog lovers on virtually all parts of the planet. And for the betterment of the breed...we've all got to work together.

Happy Thanksgiving. Until next month, *Poms Away!*



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# Did You Know...

by Sharon Masnick



## DID YOU KNOW...

Choosing the right breeder for your show or pet puppy is important!

Responsible breeders are dedicated to improving the breed, considering soundness, physical and mental health, and try to strive for the puppy that comes as close to the standard as possible.

A general impression of what the future holds for a new puppy comes from being able to see the dam and hopefully the sire of the puppy. The environment the puppy is raised in is also very important.

For the first-time owner keeping in touch with the breeder is very important. The feeling should be one of an "extended family." Questions will arise as the puppy develops and goes through stages of coat change and growth.

A new owner should not be afraid to ask questions. Be sure to ask if there are any genetic problems within this particular line of breeding. A healthy dog, with proper care, will be a member of the family for many years and you should be prepared to make a commitment.

You should be up-front with the breeders and tell them whether you want a pet, a show dog, a breedable female or a stud dog. If you purchase a companion dog then you should be prepared to spay or neuter the animal.

If you purchase for show or breeding, be prepared to be on a waiting list with a dedicated breeder.

Try to find the best specimen of the breed you can afford. You should always be allowed a 24 or 48 hour approval time to have the animal checked by your vet. This is a time to evaluate the personality and structure. Most animals adapt to change but some are slower than others.

Taking your time and choosing the right breeder and the right puppy will ensure future years of happiness and you will be rewarded for your time and energy.

## DID YOU KNOW...

*What's good for your car can be life-threatening to your dog?*

Winter is upon us and many of us will have to use antifreeze in our cars. The sweet taste of antifreeze makes it attractive to your pet, and all the more critical that you keep your pets far from it.

Ethylene glycol is the active ingredient in most brands of antifreeze...and it is deadly. Just one lick is enough to cause serious kidney damage and blindness within hours!

If you suspect that your dog has come in contact with antifreeze, be sure to contact your veterinarian immediately. Time is critical to saving your dog.

Bones are good for dogs but be sure to furnish the type of bone that your dog will be able to gnaw on in peace, and not one that will splinter and cause mouth injuries or intestinal problems.

Bones come in several forms.

Rawhide, soft plastic, or butcher bones are the best to be used to help dogs clean their teeth and exercise their gums. Dogs should chew bones, not eat them. If you see your dogs eating a bone then remove it. Rawhide bones could irritate the stomach so be sure to watch for constipation or vomiting. Many rawhide chews are manufactured in third-world countries where health standards are lower and many chews have been found to contain insect eggs and have been washed in contaminated water.

*Do you know what to do if your dog chokes?*

Here are steps to follow.....

1. Open the dog's mouth and look for the object that is choking the animal. If you can see or feel anything, try to remove it. Be careful as your dog might bite as he may be disoriented.
2. If you can't see a foreign object, immediately lay your dog on his side on the floor. Place a pillow or towel under his hips so his head is lower than the hind quarters.
3. Then place both your hands on the animal's diaphragm (just beneath his rib cage) and rapidly depress the diaphragm four or five times in a thrusting motion.

For a very small animal or puppy you can pick the dog upside-down with his back against your chest. Then wrap your arms around the midsection and gently sway the animal back and forth for several seconds.



**DID YOU KNOW...**

*Misuse or overuse of pesticides can cause health problems for your dogs and yourself?* If your dog is sensitive to a chemical, the problems could be major, including respiratory, or neurological difficulties.

Below are some basic rules to use as a guide....

1. Read the label twice, and follow the instructions exactly. Be sure not to combine products and to retreat for X number of days as instructed.
2. When using the products, use the proper amount and no more.
3. Watch for side effects and sensitivity for several hours.
4. Protect yourself. Be sure to wear a mask or face shield, rubber gloves, and be sure the area is well ventilated.
5. Be sure to keep flea products away from children. Be sure your dog doesn't ingest the product by licking or biting himself.
6. The young and the old are more sensitive to flea products and should be monitored closely.

If you have questions about a product, check with your vet or poison center.

**DID YOU KNOW...**

*That sometimes we get so wrapped up in the game that winning is all*

*...sometimes we get so wrapped up in the game that winning is all that matters...*

*This method of thinking makes us forget that breeding dogs and showing them is supposed to be a hobby and should be for fun and personal pleasure.*

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The competition causes strange things to happen to relationships. Longtime friends will suddenly no longer speak and sometimes behav-

ior patterns are altered. The feelings of jealousy surface and we lose sight of our goals.

Showing dogs can be an expensive hobby and many people will over-extend themselves when winning becomes the first and foremost goal.

Everyone wants a winner!! For some it comes easier than others to produce that truly almost perfect Pom to show. In order to win, some owners are tempted to say ugly things about the competition; the owners will go so far as to do things that will hamper the chances of another dog winning. I think we all at times need to stop and think about how we feel about dog shows, other fanciers, evaluate our behavior, and see if we need to make some changes.

After all, life is too short not to enjoy everything that we involve ourselves in.

Until next time.....have fun at the next show whether you win or lose.....be friendly.....smile a lot.....treat others as you want to be treated...try it and you will go home feeling a lot better. The ability to treat others as you want to be treated is a phrase my breeding partner, Benson Ray, reminds me of quite frequently!

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# New CHAMPIONS

## CONFIRMED OCTOBER 1995

**Alden's Quest For Zelda** (B) by Ch. Alden's Hero Of Hercules x Ch. Alden's Spring Daisy Dancer  
Breeder/Owner: Alden A Domrase & Janet R. Domrase

**Artic Poms Raisin-A-Ruckus** (D) by Ch. Elan's Fireworks x Artic Poms Hello Dolly Breeder: Audrey E. Darwin Owner: Sharry L. Christianson

**Autumn's Feisty Bewitched** (B) by Ch. Patt's Bev-Nor Teddy Ruxpin x Autumn's Champagne Wishes  
Breeder: Wendy A. Feist & Emily Untaian Owner: Leslie Bracken & Karen Power

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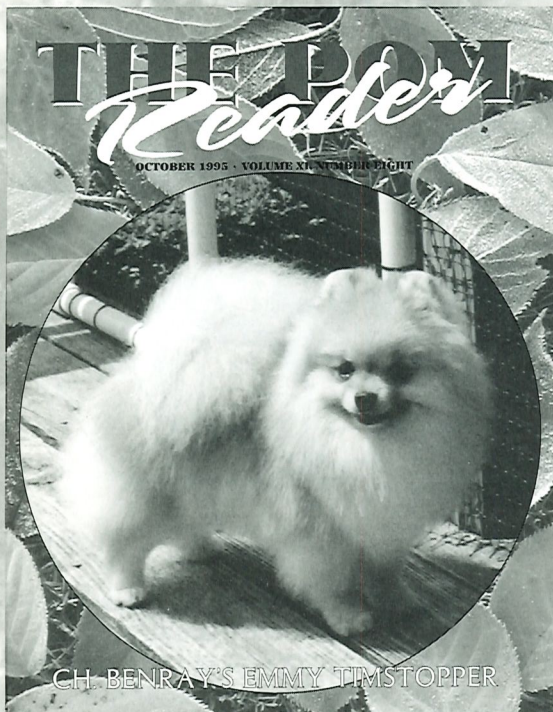
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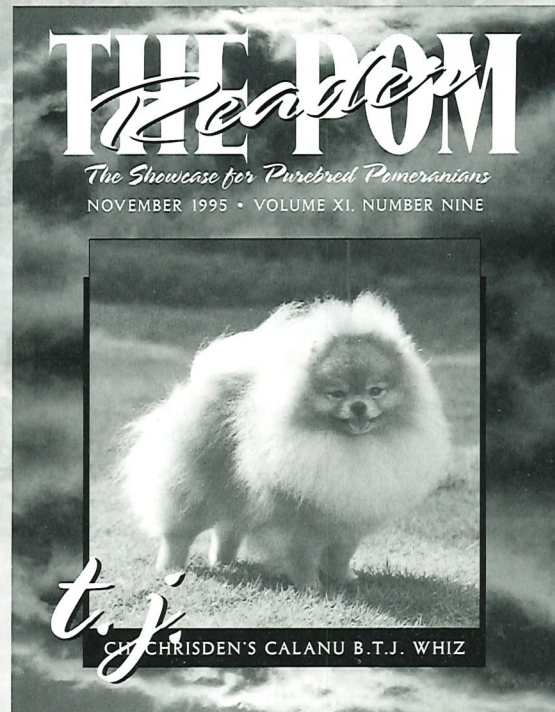
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# Olympia!

## Dogs Howl And

*Since we have so many new people...*

...reading the *Pom Reader*, one more time Olympia must say why she chose the "dogs howl and ..." put it together and it means Dog-Show-Land. When I originally began writing for the *Pom Reader*, long before I became an employee of Doll-McGinnis Publications as an ad salesperson, I wrote more humorous articles than I eventually got into.

In those days people called and said, "Hey-we love your column, it gives us a laugh." Then, somehow, my articles became more serious and I got off on a different track. Looking back, I can see that people began phoning or writing about more serious themes in our Pom Breed, mainly because they wanted a "Forum" for their serious interest in the breed and its problems and they assumed my long tenure in the breed was a bridge over which to walk to get some of these serious jobs done.

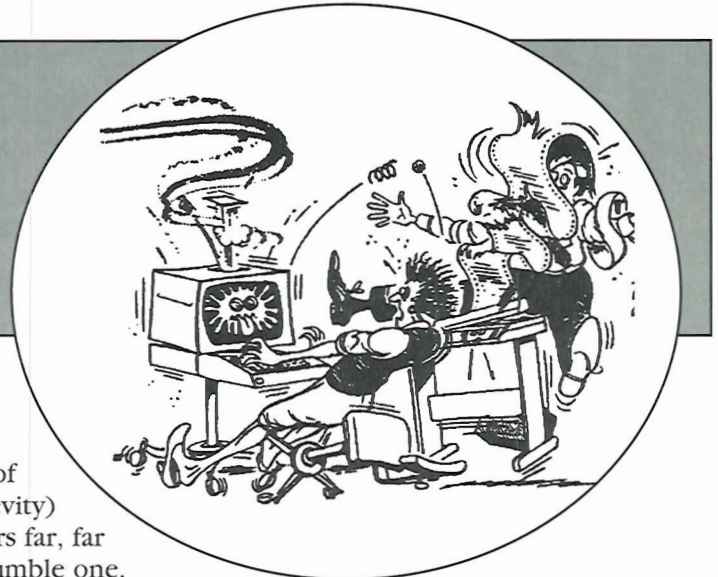
I am very happy about that, although I wish to say my "long tenure" has made me no more of an expert than anyone else; in fact there are many Pom Fanciers out there whose longevity far outdis-

tances mine and many, many fanciers, (whether of long or short longevity) whose show careers far, far surpass my own humble one.

But Dog-Show-Land was where I originated from since the late fifties in breeds other than Poms and the Pom beginning began in 1967. Since, lately, readers of the "The Reader" have requested a few chuckles and a little input on my "longevity" I decided for this issue to go back in time.

Everyone asks me, "How did you get into Poms?" Well, since you asked...

Bernie and I were in the courting stage and as courtship's go, there are ups and downs. He had experienced a heart attack at the early age of 36 and in those days the physicians did not recommend walking or, heaven-forbid, running. He and I were both in German Shepherds. He had to choose another breed. In a quandary, we went to a fun match, showing our last shepherd, and there I spotted a little piece of red



fluff with high set ears, sharp, knowing eyes and an attitude that plainly said: "Hey you, look at me; I may be small but I'm mighty and if you don't believe it, watch me kick a --, er, ahh-dirt!!"

The dirt this little red guy kicked was only a rubber mat in a dog show ring but he performed more miracles to show his "tuff little stuff." He hiked his leg on the first place position in the fun match group ring, on the judge's pant leg and on the stockings of his lady handler. Then he kicked more "dirt," and, tail set high over back to touch his gorgeous little head, he strutted his way around the ring to Best-In-Match and grinned his elfin way through all the photos taken to prove his triumph.

I was hooked, line and sinker.

My birthday was upcoming and Bernie knew darn well what I wanted. However, the ups and downs



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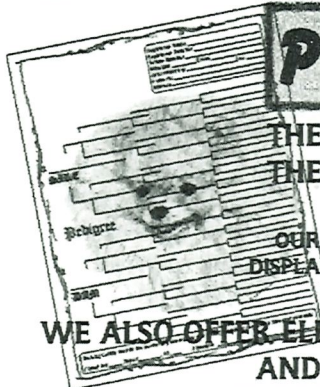
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# OLYMPIA!

being what they are, we had a big, bad argument and I said - "Never, never do I want to see you again!"

For two weeks I didn't. At this time I said to myself, "Good, let Bernie go kick his own dirt!" Ha! But I wasn't really laughing.

Then, on my birthday Bernie showed up at the front door. I slammed it in his face. He knocked again. I kept saying "Ha!" and then I finally opened it. He had something in a paper sack. A real paper-paper sack! Knowing that I loved ice-cream I figured he had brought that "little incidental thing" to go along with the cake nobody baked for me. But I let Bernie in.

I wasn't going to give in easily. My vanity needed assuaging and, after all, there was no cake to go with the "ice cream," I grabbed the sack

and was about to throw it against the wall-splatt-Ha! Bernie moved fast, "Don't!" he yelled and I stopped. Something moved in the paper sack. **Moved!!**

I knew well his propensity for picking up stray things, like baby squirrels fallen from a nest, a duckling lost from its mother, a turtle about to get hit on the road. I stopped, paper sack in hand, half way in mid air. Something moved again. S-L-O-W-L-Y I peeked into the paper sack. It was a squirrel! Grayish with slight black tippings and v-e-r-y small.

"Where'd you find this?" "Doesn't matter-please take it out of the sack!"

Hesitatingly, I did. Squirrels can bite; I had rescued a few myself.

It didn't bite. It was all curled up in a ball and it was - as you have guessed - a Pomeranian puppy!

OHHHH!!! The darling little thing!!!! It uncurled and looked up at me! OHHHH!!! she licked my face and I broke into tears. Bernie kissed my face and I his and she was in the middle. And we named her "Little

"Little Bit" to her. "Little Bit" slept in mom's bed and when mom got up for her orange juice at five in the morning, "Little Bit" sipped some and they ate scrambled eggs together. Mom felt safe with "Little Bit" in the house. "Little Bit" barked when she heard any noise in the nearby area and stood "guard" when mom had neighbors or strangers in the yard or house.

Finally, mom had to enter a nursing home and "Little Bit" had to come back to live with us. "Little Bit" died of a heart attack in her sleep, and we tried to keep this from mom, but mom, somehow, knew.

After that, mom sunk slowly, too. "Little Bit" and mom have been together now for 17 years in a better place, but "Little Bit's" legacy lives on in our hearts, and in all the hearts she touched here on this earth.

She knew how to "kick dirt," how to grin like an elf and how to "win," even though she never was in Dog-Show-Land.

This article, now that I review it, does not make me laugh, but I promise you that my next two will!. Olympia has some "fun" up her sleeve for the holiday season!

Until the dog howls again.....



## CONTINUED

Bit." She was little and she definitely was not going to bite. We left off the "e" and that was that.

Of course, like many of us when we get our first one (pom), "Little Bit" turned out to be pet quality, but that was unimportant. She knew how to "kick dirt" and to grin elfin-like when her photos were taken with our subsequent children, who she "adopted" as her own and in the last 2 years of her 15-year life span she became my aging mother's guardian angel.

My mom had a companion Old English Sheep dog who developed ovarian cancer and had to be euthanized. Mom was lonely. We took

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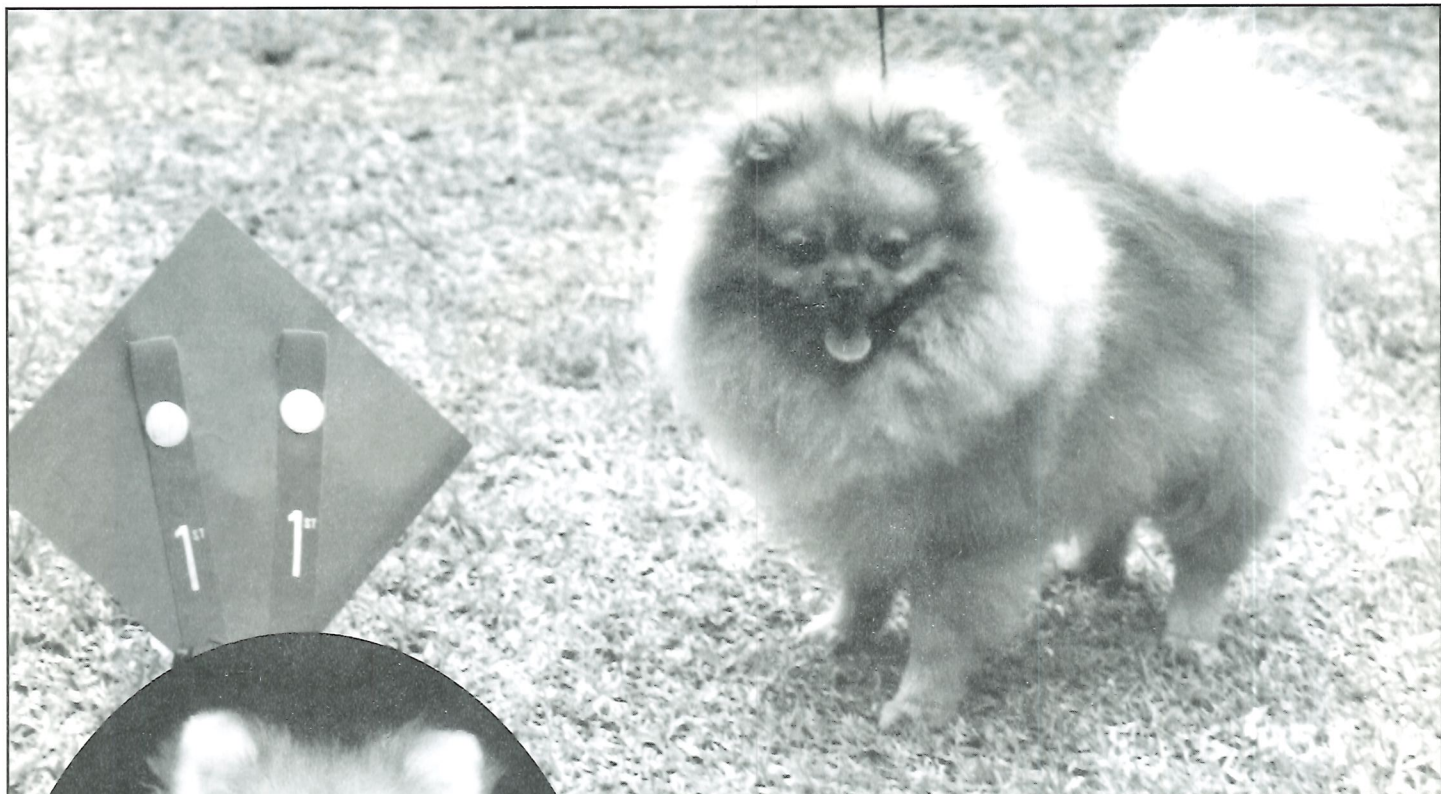
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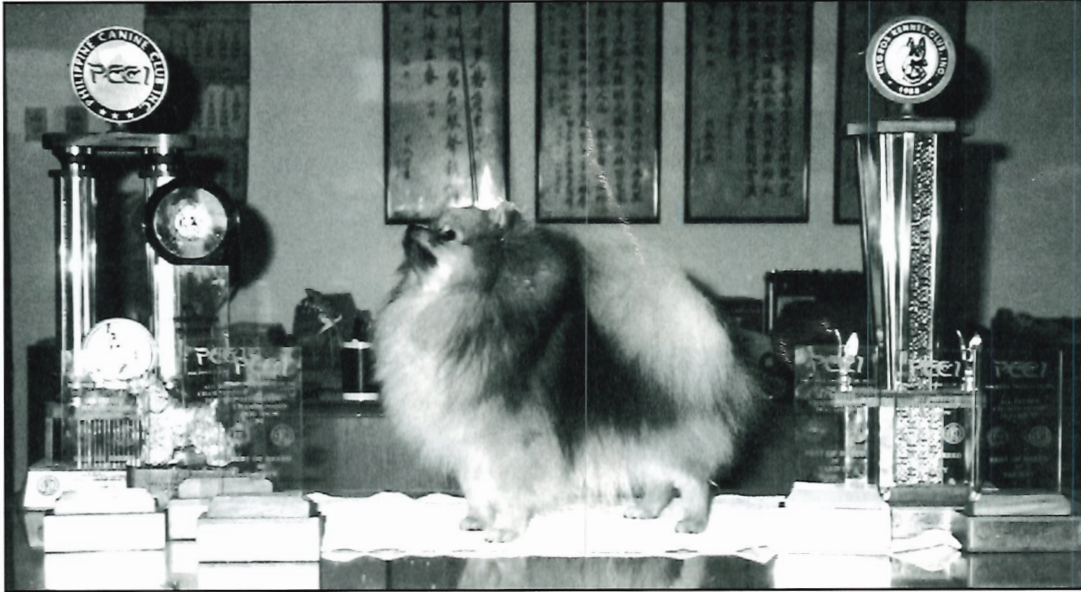
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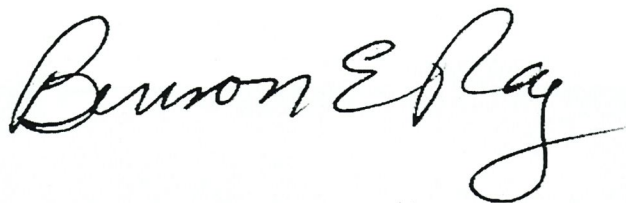
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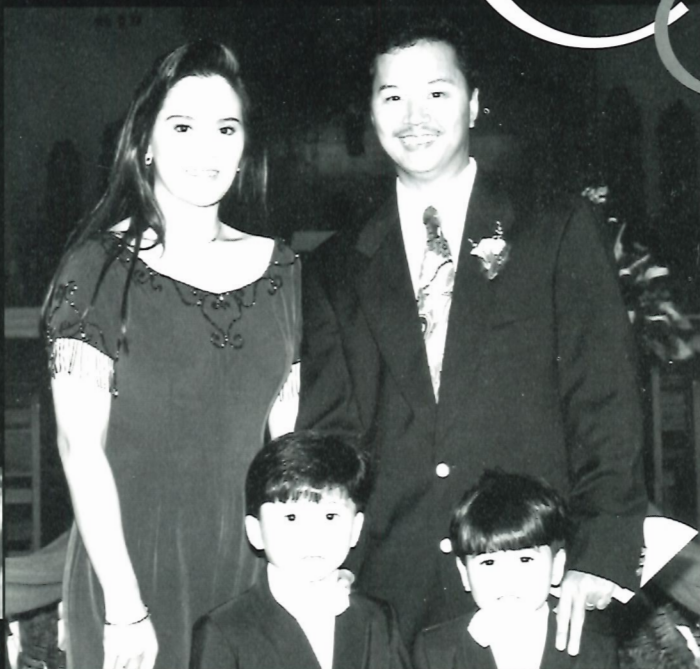
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**DENNIS  
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*Dennis with wife Christina and sons Kyle and Kayne*

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My brother Mario and I have been a team since childhood – specifically when it comes to having pets. We used to raise fighting cocks in our backyard, it was full of them. On the roof of the house we were breeding racing pigeons and at the patio, we had a small fishpond raising fantail guppies. As if this were not enough, we also started raising and breeding parakeets, quail, ducks, Guinea pigs, hamsters, and many more. We always got into trouble with our parents because we had more pets than we could handle and the house started to smell funny!

A time came wherein owning a dog for a pet became popular within the neighborhood. Our parents already sensed that an additional pet would be arriving at the house that was practical-

ly converted into a zoo already, regardless of their furious objections. True enough, before they knew it, we were begging for their permission. However, our parents with the same desire to get rid of all the pets in the house made a tricky offer. We could only have a dog if all the other pets will go. I guess the rest is history.

It was I who had always wanted a Pomeranian as a pet dog for the house and I influenced the whole family to agree with me. However, I was not sure where to get one since I only saw them in a dog book. My hunch was correct. During that period, nobody was breeding this type of dog. In desperation, the family settled for a Japanese Spitz.

Then, the Rottweiler breed became

very popular in the country. It was egotistically prestigious to own even one and an eventual symbol of wealth. We were not spared from the Rottweiler-Mania and we were fortunate to own one of the first imports from Germany through the help of a good family friend. We had several breedings but we were seriously hit by Parvo which discouraged us from further attempts.

Both of us then pursued our individual goals and established ourselves with our chosen career and profession. I finished with a B.S. in Architecture at a well-known University and went to Australia to specialize in Resort Management and Design, Lighting Design, and Practical Interiors. This got me involved in the design of Hyatt Sanctuary Cove Hotel and Sheraton



Mirage in Queensland, Australia. This also led to big major projects in HongKong, Singapore, Brunei, and here in the Philippines. Now, I have my own architectural business office wherein I employ a total of 15 skilled Architects, Engineers, and Interior Designers.

On the other hand, my Brother, Mario, sits on the Executive Committee being a top Marketing Manager of one of the major Baby Care and Consumer firms in the country. He finished with a degree in Management of Financial Institution in one of the most bankable business schools here in Manila and plans to take his Masters degree next year. He is a sports-minded member of the family, having competed in the Fencing Nationals and Track & Field. Some of his passions are scuba diving and playing squash.

After spending several years in Australia, I returned to Manila to marry my longtime girlfriend (who happens to hate dogs). In an effort to convince her to get involved, I named the kennel after her first name "Chrisden."

Now, she does the whelping whenever I am out of town. We are blessed with two (2) naughty boys who I consider the best socialization for the dogs, since they are always at the top of their voices every time they enter the kennel. They just love and adore the dogs and will cry every time I tease them that I will give away their favorite Pom, TJ. (Of course I never would.)

In the case of my brother Mario, he also just recently married his long time girlfriend. His wife works as a Head-Stewardess with an International Airline. At present, they are having their house renovated and putting up a kennel at the back of the house. In his



*Above: ChrisDen's #1 fans in full attire!  
Above right: Mario and TJ show off their winning form  
Right: The kids with Robbin and Gee Whiz  
Below left: Mario in action with the first Black & Tan to be shown in Manila, ChrisDen's Lil Cherob, bred by Cheryl Roseboom*



case, his wife adores dogs – that also includes his mother-in-law.

As I recalled on how we started, this was initially intended for my son and a Pom was perfect idea (at the back of my mind, this was really a lame excuse to finally realize owning one to satisfy my interest). This also revived the partnership I had with my brother, Mario. He was the one I requested to look for a Pom for my son since he had a lot of friends breeding dogs. Since I have always been a perfectionist, I instructed Mario to look for a Pom that is of good quality and possibly to be used for future breeding.

We thought all along that the search (locally) for our ideal Pom was an easy task. Frustrated, we became easy prey from unscrupulous commercial breeders. Finally we found a male puppy which the breeder claimed to be show quality. Not knowing that we were being ripped-off, we left the place of the breeder full of hope that our objective would be met. To our surprise, in just four (4) months, he turned out to be like a miniature German Shepherd

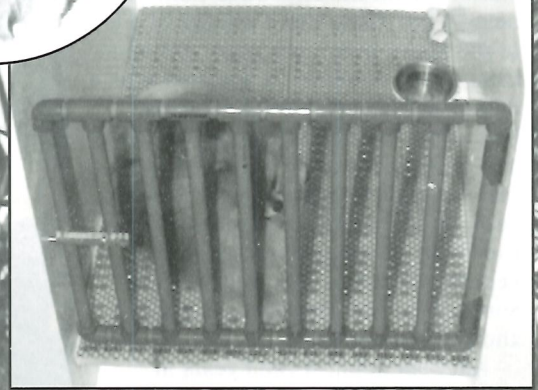
with very destructive temperament. This was a real stressful experience that almost discouraged our interest in the breed. We tried returning the puppy to the breeder, but he violently refused and humiliated us in front of his friends and practically threw us out of the house. If it was not inherent in our nature to persevere and persist to achieve what we wanted, we would have considered other breeds based on that traumatic experience.

Sure enough, our enthusiasm developed into a passion and we vowed to have our sweet revenge.

After that experience, like childhood days we were a team again, partners in crime and in Poms. This time, we would not be fooled and decided to purchase the best Poms in the nation. As if luck were on our side, we met a serious breeder who was getting out of the breed due to its breeding heartaches. This led to acquiring our first imported quality brood bitch, Jan-







Shar's Made in The USA ((Maiden). This purchase came with an added bonus (for FREE) - a three (3) year old bitch of an English line, Esperanza's Sidlyn Dancer (Cindy). Cindy was given because she was not capable of producing anymore as a result of a uterus complication due to C-Section done by the original owner. Since Cindy is of show quality, the breeder requested us to show her to fill-in for points for another dog that was being campaigned. The funny thing is, Cindy ended up taking Best of Breed and finished in just 6 shows! We also had an opportunity to acquire the group winning Am. Ph. Ch. Jan-Shar's Hillbilly Heaven under a co-ownership agreement. Through this endeavor, we were able to meet serious breeders who eventually became our friends and a valuable asset to our success. These friends were also the same people who encouraged us to import good foundation stock to start a sound breeding program.

Before deciding to import, we started subscribing to all the available Pom magazines, videos, and breed books to help us familiarize ourselves with the top winning and producing Poms. We



*The kennel is 16'x20' with heat insulated roof, ceiling fans, exhaust fans and a/c during the hot summer months (March-July). The housing for 14 dogs - the preferred population at ChrisDen - is efficient, sanitary, easy to maintain, and best of all...odor-free.*

*Pup above: TJ at 4 months*

*Below: Mikee at 2 mos.*



believed in doing it right this time and just like in any career, to be successful in this endeavor, thorough product knowledge is a mandated requirement. We have studied the breed by habitually reading about it every night or during spare time and even at the office. There is no substitute for doing your homework diligently and so much can be learned by observing and talking with successful breeders whether or not they breed Poms. We tried very hard to learn the lines we wanted to get into because the more we knew about the weaknesses and strengths of a Pom in the pedigree, the better job we could do in raising them.

We have always liked good moving Poms that have lovely heads, small ears, great laybacks, high tail sets, medium boned, up on toes, and with an excellent personality (in other words, PERFECT!). These qualities reflect the dogs we want to produce and have set our minds in a specific direction, breeding the best gene pool

possible by checking the pedigrees and knowing the dogs behind them. We strongly believe that it is always better to get what we want than to keep failing because we were not using the right ingredients.

Based on our readings, we have always admired the Bi-Mar dogs, Millamor breedings, and the Great Elms lines. Right from the beginning, these are the lines we wanted to get into. We are people who know basically what we are seeking. Certainly there are different types of Poms but this does not denote a difference in quality. We do not criticize a type of Pom that is not our preference. We are Pom people we understand that there are different types of Poms that still meet the Standard. We like Ch. Bi-Mar Sundance Kid, specifically, his ability to pass on his outstanding quality to his progenies. We will always be astonished with Ch. Glen Iris Castle Rock. This is also the reason that we presently have two (2) of "Evan's" daughters.

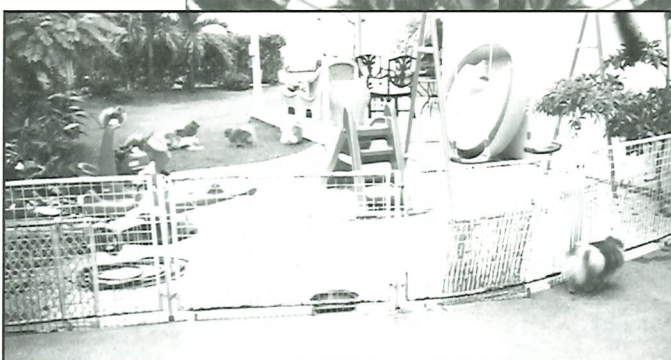




*Left: Socializing the puppies with the kids  
Right: Kyle with their first Poms: Heaven, Cindy & Maiden  
Below: The exterior exercise area borders the kennel building  
Bottom: Ch. ChrisDen's Blue Samsara*



Having an objective makes it easier for us to prepare our plan. Although it proved to be difficult in contacting breeders of dogs from lines we were interested in, persistence prevailed. Rejection was a common response – specifically if they learned that their dogs would be shipped to the Philippines. However, we were lucky to encounter breeders with open minds. This started when we answered an ad in *The Pom Reader*



for a dog for sale in Canada – but we were too late. After several months, the breeder, Leslie Ramsay, offered us some of her stock for she was cutting back on breeding. That resulted in the arrival of Can Ch. Bavanew's Starfighter (who sired our first Best Baby Puppy In Show-All Breed) along with three (3) quality bitches that included our Group Winning Can. Ph. Ch. Tim Sue's Distant Bell. These arrangement had initiated a friendship and sustained its endurance – with trust as a relying factor. Sure enough, it worked! This proved the fact that, even from two (2) different countries, extremely globally apart, we could get things done. Since I got most of her dogs, Leslie decided to send me Int'l. Am. Can. Ph. Ch. Tuscanny's Bobbin Robbin (a gorgeous cream male). Leslie believed that we would need Robbin more to maximize his potential as a show dog and as a sire to continue her (Leslie's) breeding program. Robbin finished quickly and has a flawless movement and gait – it is as if his feet are not touching the ground as he flies around the ring. Robbin is proving to have a remarkable influence on our kennel and is a definite asset in our breeding program passing on his excellent movement and huge coat to

his offspring. Another major event that put us on the map was when our good friend, Ambassador Antonio Magtibay (also a Pom fancier) asked us to co-own a dog from Mary Rosenbaum's Bi-Mar Kennels because he was assigned a post in Qatar, Saudi Arabia. This dog practically changed our lives overnight. We put the Best In Show-All Breed title on him. He became a Grand Champion in a very short time and he was the top Pomeranian 1993 and 1994 and one of the Top 10 Philippine Dogs of the Year. **He is BISA Ph.Gr.Ch. Bi-Mar Sunny's Gee Whiz.** Gee Whiz (as fondly called) is now the King here at ChrisDen and many of

his get are repeating the tradition. His first son, Ph. Ch. ChrisDen's BTJ Whiz (TJ) out of Can. Ph. Ch. Tim Sue's Distant Bell, won several Best In Show-All Breed (Philippine Born) finishing in just 5 shows at 10 months of age. TJ has revolutionized the breed being the first local-born Pom with outstanding qualities that make him very competitive with his import counterparts. TJ has given us the identity of how a ChrisDen Pom should look. His litter sister, Calanu ChrisDen Bell went to Canada with Leslie and is nearing her Canadian title.

Another daughter out of Jan-Shar's Made In The USA, Ch. ChrisDen's Wizard Maiden (Mikee) finished her title in just 5 shows winning the breed and toy group consistently which made her the current top Pom in the nation. She is also nearing her Grand Championship title and rank as the Top 17 for the Philippine Dog of the Year, 1995 in just four (4) months of campaigning considering that she is barely a year old.

The current toast of the show ring now is an other outstanding son of Gee Whiz from group winning Am.Ph. Ch. Jan-Shar's Hillbilly Heaven, Ch. Chrisden's Major of Empee. This outstanding boy is living up to its name by finishing with three (3) majors in just 5 shows at nine (9) months of age. His littermate, Chrisden's Monarch of Empee is now in Malaysia also nearing his Championship title.

Our new hopefuls, Gee Whiz's latest offspring's (1F&2M) out of our show quality bitch Cinnabar's Sugar Smack, are currently making waves at the show scene.

Of course, we have to salute our first Pom and foundation bitch, Jan-Shar's Made In The USA for producing







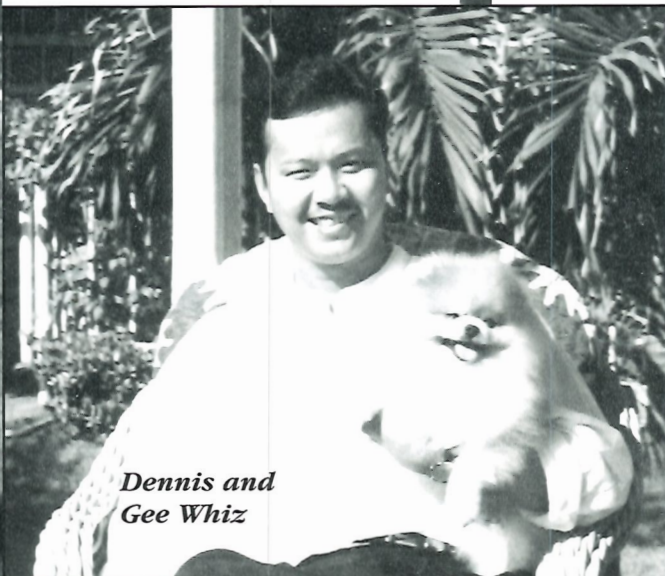
a champion in every litter. The first was (Ch) Chrisden's Blue Samsara. This first homebred winner made quite a stir by going WB, BOW, BOS in her first show at six (6) months of age over top winning Poms and international champions. We sold her to a friend in Hong Kong as she was too small (3.5 lbs.) to breed and immediately made a mark in the show ring to become a Hong Kong champion. The next litter came out to be Ph. Ch. ChrisDen's Li'l Bill Baron who finished in seven (7) shows by winning the Toy Group. Furthermore, we are indeed very grateful to her for producing the group winning PH.Gr. Ch. ChrisDen Wizard Maiden (Mikee) sire by our Gee Whiz.

We do linebreeding and outcrossing, and have read that linebreeding is the sure way to success. However, as the saying goes "there is no perfect dog" and somehow, we find faults in every line (that we can live with at the moment). It is our objective to breed sound Poms with the balance that we are looking for, by combining the good traits in order to produce the quality that we have envisioned, and outcrossing (the same phenotype with excellent genes) is proving to be effective to eliminate the bad points and enhance their qualities to linebreed the next generation. In our country, this is really very hard to accomplish since we have

to build our own gene pool.

Of course, we are not just talking on the technicalities of breeding (which seems to be too complicated) that every time there is something new to learn. Poms need individual attention, proper care, love and interaction with people. We are firm believers in breeding for quality not quantity. We only breed our females once a year (we are lucky if they "take") and usually have 2-4 litters per annum.

Last year we only had one puppy and this year we were a bit more fortunate for we had six puppies out of 2 litters (of which 5 are show prospects).



*Dennis and  
Gee Whiz*

We must love the breed to persist after the small litters, singlets, too frequent C-sections and high incidence of mortality. A lot of our breeder-friends tell us to just shift to another breed to make some money to subsidize our Pom operations. Since we are stubborn/persistent people who persevere no matter what the odds are, just hoping that there will be a Best In Show puppy in the next planned litter helps keep us going. The most difficult thing is, we have so few puppies to share with everyone even if we do sell one, we always enter into a co-ownership agreement until they are finished to make sure that they get the best chance. This also serves as protection from puppy-millers.

We are totally consumed by

this breed and obsessed with breeding the best if we plan to be successful. Most of our females are not yet six (6) years old and we plan to retire them next year at seven (7) years of age as we feel they have given us so much and deserve a better home (other than kennel life). I have a long queue of friends who are more than willing to adopt them and give them the luxury living for the rest of their lives. Cindy (who is not eight (8) years old) went to a close friend of mine that provided her two (2) nannies to look after her needs; she is the prima donna of the house...and the house she lives in is a mansion.

We continuously seek the advice of several top breeders that have produced show quality dogs from their lines as we do not intend to breed simply pets. We breed every time with a

future champion in mind and make sure that when they enter the ring, their presence will be felt because of their outstanding quality that separates them from the rest. Almost all dogs of our breeding have finished in short order and we always aim higher than the Breed wins – Toy Groups, Bests in Show...

We are also grateful to our competitors for entering many of their dogs for us to end up with the majors.

There is no better way to improve the breed than stiff competition (without maligning anybody). We always believe that the show ring is a playing field that must be relaxing and conducive to the exhibitors. The dog game is not always easy or friendly so you must do what you want, have what you like, and do it because you enjoy it. We should be challenged to produce better every time we breed in order to win and show the finest example of the breed we love.

We have always been fascinated the array/variety of colors this breed has to offer. This is also one of the reasons we love POMS. It is definitely not BORING!!! We are currently showing the first Cream and Black and Tan. We are hoping to show the first black and parti-color if luck permits. Seeing the most gorgeous Black we ever laid our eyes on, Ch. Valkopy-Wakhan





Valentino, inspired us even more to consider exotic colors seriously with his outstanding quality excellent movement and soundness.

In this country, the most difficult obstacle to overcome is finding good stock (not to mention finding someone willing to help). It has always been our advice to anyone interested in this breed to learn the standard first, then decide the type that they want. Start with well-bred dogs and **DO NOT** use stock of less than show quality (it is no harder to breed good quality than it is to produce poor quality) and then work for the other attributes that may need improvement. Do not miss out on providing lots of love and attention because that is the essence of their existence – to develop their minds and personality with great attitude. Work very hard for the advancement of the breed, have a little luck and you will have Show Poms.

At CrisDen, the number remains small (on second thought, we can still add more as Mario has a brand new kennel on his spacious lawn) with the emphasis on producing quality Poms of the best bloodlines available and sharing with those who have the same goals.

By working hard and with the little that we have bred, we've managed to produce some winning Poms who have been able to contribute to the future of the breed in the Philippines.

We remain judicious in our practices for we are creating the final perspective – we are the architects of the breed and the reflection of our good kennel name.

We are sure that we would never have gone into showing Poms or been able to do as well as we have now without the help of Mary Rosenbaum for her insight in sending us her best representation of the breed that has set the standard in the Pom history of the Philippines. To Leslie Ramsay, for her support in sending us quality dogs that we were so proud and pleased with. To Dr. Cheryl Jackson, Joel Taylor, Dana Plonkey, Dolores Watts, and Matthew Heindl, from whose knowledge and experience we benefited. To all the wonderful breeders who sent us their Best for establishing the backbone (foundation) of our lines—We are eternally grateful!! And to the Pom Reader for giving us the chance to be visited here at the other side of the World.

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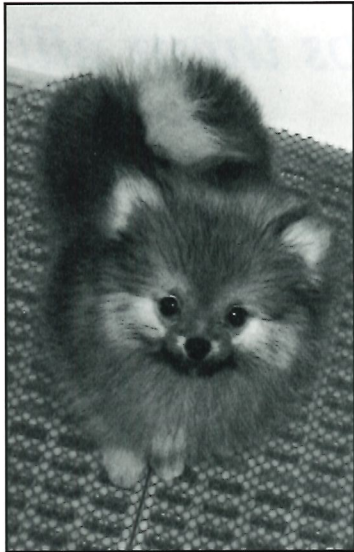
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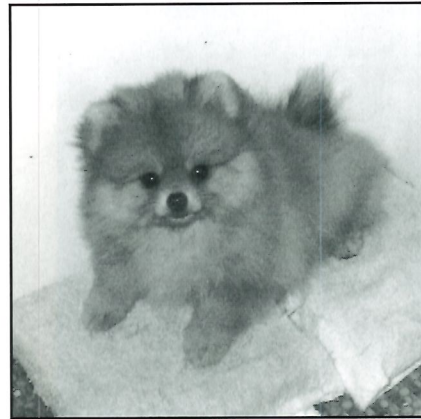
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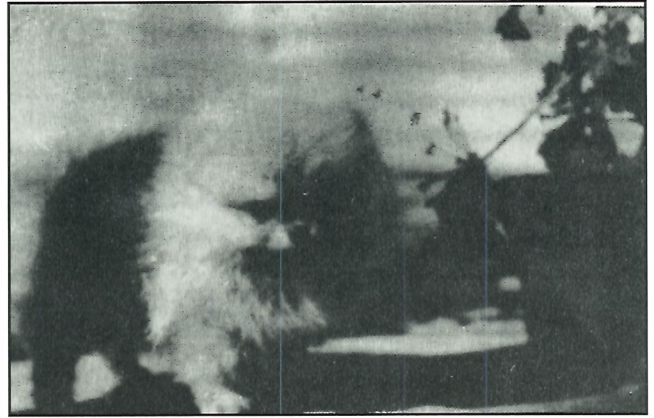
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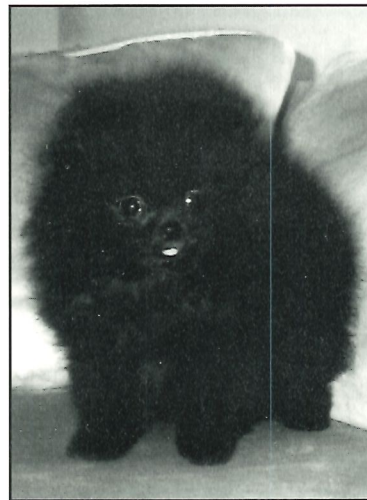
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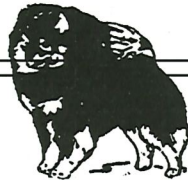


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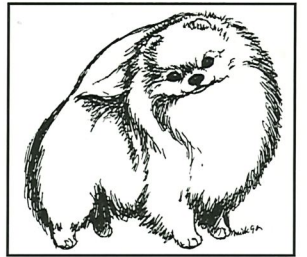
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