

Serving the industry with the best of both: training & breeding

Herbert & Jill Derickson own and operate Derickson Training and Breeding Facility located in Shelbyville, TN. The 67-acre farm has four barns with 60 stalls, separate breeding and mare care barns, and many pastures and private lots for mares.

In the training division, there is an

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indoor riding arena and outdoor riding ring where riding lessons are offered for adults and children.

The stallions standing at the Derickson Farm are Solar Generated, Pushover's Powerstroke, Mister Pushbutton, Strictly Speaking and Poison.

Poison, the Dericksons are extremely proud to announce, is the sire of the 2004 World Grand Champion, The Black Night Shade, and one of only four living sires that as produced a World Grand Champion stallion. Poison is jointly owned by the Dericksons, Dr. & Mrs. John Brundige and Joe & Cena Martin.

The Dericksons are very proud of their stallion lineup and feel they offer a very talented group of studs carrying world champion bloodlines and standing at very reasonable fees.



Maria & Erica, twin daughters of Jill & Herbert Derickson.

Having a family atmosphere is an important part of the business – and it's a family operation at the Dericksons. Herbert and Jill have four children: 17-year-old twin daughters, Erica and Maria, and two sons, Thomas and Will, five and one years respectively.



Maria, Jill, Will, Erica, Herbert & Thomas Derickson

Their daughters are very involved in the horse business, giving riding lessons to children at the barn. They also are accomplished riders themselves and both have won numerous world championships.

Herbert has been involved with Tennessee Walking Horses all his life and has made a successful career in both the training and breeding divisions of the industry.

A trainer of many World Champions, Herbert's greatest reward is working with young horses and helping amateurs and young riders make it to the winner's circle.

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