

MOUNTAIN'S TOP KENNELS **OUR BREEDING PROGRAM**

There are two types of Labrador retrievers. Those that are bred for performance, and those that aren't. We specialize in breeding top performing chocolate Labrador retrievers for hunting, hunt tests and field trials.

The greatest investment you will have in a new pup is your time. The time you invest in socializing and training your new dog may be wasted if your dog does not have the intelligence and attitude to learn those skills necessary to meet your expectations.

If you want to try your luck with a pup out of "good hunters" or one that is "farm raised" you will probably get what you pay for. The only way you can increase the probability that the pup you purchase will give you a satisfactory return on your investment of your time is to evaluate three criteria:

- 1) Since the sire and dam have the greatest genetic influence on your pup's abilities, do they *both* have the *proven* characteristics you want in your pup?
- 2) Do *both* sire and dam have the pedigrees that demonstrate that these characteristics will be passed down to your pup?
- 3) Do *both* sire and dam have clean health histories?

Mountain's Top Kennels is located on a 200-acre training ground south of Des Moines, Iowa near Interstate-35. We whelp several litters of top quality Labradors each year. We also provide stud services, boarding and training.

If you are interested in purchasing a pup, we invite you to review the pedigrees and pictures of our dogs.

If the next litter meets your expectations, please review the Purchasing Information and the Purchase Contract.

If you want to use our stud services, please review the Breeding Contract.

If you have any questions, please call, write or e-mail us. We look forward to meeting you.