

# 20 QUESTIONS

... about your life with Arabian horses ... with KAREN CAUGHELL



**1** What is your current involvement with Arabian horses?

*Owner, Exhibitor, Volunteer.*

**2** How many years have you been around horses? 37.

**3** They say, "the Arabian horse finds you". How did the Arabian horse find you?

*My friend's family had Arabian horses when I was growing up and I spent a lot of time at the farm with her and the horses.*

**4** Who is or has been your favorite horse companion? *Fire Majik+//.*

**5** Who has been your (horse) mentor? *Willi Krol*

**6** What is your favorite horse book? *The Black Stallion.*

**7** What is your favorite horse movie? *Hidalgo.*

**8** What are some 'Arabian horse activities' in which you participate?

*Shows, Trail rides, Convention.*

**9** What would be your most memorable experience or moment with an Arabian horse?

*Presenting the Canadian flag on Fire Majik+// at the Canadian Arabian National Show.*

**10** What has been your greatest achievement with your Arabian horse(s) so far?

*Winning Canadian Reserve National Champion with Fire Majik+//.*

**11** Which horse do you consider to be your "dream" horse, either past or present?

*My new horse KM Palermo. He is an Arabian Stallion who will be my next Western Pleasure show horse.*

**12** Horses are amazing teachers. What has your horse taught you that has helped you become a better person? *Patience.*



**13** What is the best thing about working and playing with your Arabian horse?

*Her personality, and her willingness, she will do anything I ask her to do.*

**14** What would you say to a person considering buying a horse to encourage them to purchase an Arabian?

*They are the most intelligent breed there is. They love people and are for any family member, adults and kids.*

**15** What is your advice to someone, "brand new," considering becoming involved with horses?

*Get a mentor, go to a barn, take lessons, join a club and get involved and learn about the beautiful breed of the Arabian horse.*

**16** Is there a favorite reference book you'd like to share?

*I look everything up on Google.*

**17** What is the one thing you'd like to do that you haven't done yet?

*Win a National Championship in Western Pleasure.*

**18** What about 'kids' and an Arabian horse?

*Perfect. They are intelligent and loyal, trustworthy and safe.*

**19** Why do you think you get such a "rush" being around or riding your Arabian horse(s)?

*They are beautiful and intelligent, gentle and kind.*

**20** What are your words to live by?

*No Regrets. Just do it! ■*