

## Hall of Fame Record - All-Breed High In Trials



### Mistihil Turmwirt CD, CDX, UD

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We purchased Misti at 10 weeks old. Her breeder had a policy that all buyers take their Saints to obedience school. I discovered that Misti liked being trained and that I liked training her. I decided that I would train and show her for so long as we both enjoyed it. That mutual pleasure continued right up to the end of her life. We worked together every day, about an hour a day and almost always seven days a week for nearly five years.

Misti and I did much more than obedience training together. We took long back pack trips together – she carried her own pack of food and water. We went on many, many ski trips together. And we often went snow camping on weekends, sleeping in a tent on the snow. Misti would sleep at my feet; it kept me comfortably warm. Sometimes I was tempted to stay in the sack, with Misti at my feet, rather than to get up to cold feet on the snow.

I made Misti a sled harness, and along with a couple other Saints, and she served as lead dog in my sled dog team – yes, a real dog sled. When the whole team was not along, I would hook her up, and she would pull me down the trail on my cross-country skis (called skijoring). But, running was never one of her favorite exercises. She did not win against the real sled dogs. She did, one time though, pull 1,350 lbs on a dead drag at a weight-pull contest.

Misti was always a pleasure to have around. She was a house dog, along with another Saint and a small Dachshund-mix. Misti would walk around the room and never step on a paper or a toy. The little ole Dachshund, on the other hand, seemed to go around twice just to be sure she missed nothing. Misti always slept under an end table next to my chair; getting in or out, she never tipped a lamp or broke a trinket.

Misti was always the dog everyone would want to own. We had great times together and with our other dog-friends and dog friends – at dog shows and obedience trials, in our home, and in the wilderness.

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CH      Titles      Date      Trial      NA    NB    OA    OB    UA    UB    HIT    A    N    S    #    M    E

Open	Mistihil Turmwirt															
CDX	November 17, 1974	Whidbey Island KC, WA			199.50						1	1				4
UD	June 28, 1975	SBC of Puget Sound, WA				198.50					3				1	15
UD	September 21, 1975	Peninsula DFA, WA				199.50					6	5				25
UD	October 25, 1975	Portland KC, OR				198.00					7	6				27
UD	January 18, 1976	DFA of Oregon, OR				199.00					8	7				32
UD	May 01, 1976	Whidbey Island KC, WA				199.00					9	8				34
UD	May 28, 1976	Portland Dog OC, OR				199.00					10	9				37
UD	June 20, 1976	Emerald DOC, OR				199.50					12	10				42
<b>High In Trial summary and type of show breakdowns:</b>											8	7	0	1	8	f

Utility																
UD	June 22, 1975	Emerald DOC, OR							199.00	2	2					14
UD	July 06, 1975	DFA of Oregon, OR							199.50	4	3					20
UD	July 20, 1975	Longview Kelso KC, WA							198.00	5	4					22
UD	June 02, 1976	SBC of America # 3 CO							197.00	11			1		40	
<b>High In Trial summary and type of show breakdowns:</b>											4	3	1	0	4	f

<b>Overall class score averages and type of show breakdowns:</b>											ERR	ERR	199.50	198.93	ERR	198.38	12	10	1	1	
<b>Overall number of qualifying scores in each class:</b>											0	0	1	7	0	4					

HIT = Total Number of High In Trials

HIT = Number of High in Trials in Novice, Open or Utility

\*Code\* A = All Breed Trial; N = SBC of America's Trial; S = Saint Bernard Independent Specialty

# = Number of Qualifying Scores in the Classes of Open and/or Utility at the time of the High In Trial

Obedience Scores changed to current system in 1948. Prior to 1948 the scoring system was different.

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