

**Iowa Beef Expo Gelbvieh Gold Sale**  
**February 12, 2008**  
**Des Moines, Iowa**  
**Auctioneer: Doak Lambert**  
**Sale Manager: MMS**

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| 34        | Bred & Open Females       | \$2,404        |
| 15        | Gelbvieh & Balancer Bulls | \$1,810        |
| 1         | Flush Opportunity         | \$2,600        |
| <b>50</b> | <b>Total Lots</b>         | <b>\$2,230</b> |

Frigid weather greeted those attending the annual Iowa Beef Expo in Des Moines. Topping the sale offering was the first lot in the ring, an entry from Sauers Valley View Farms of Minnesota. This moderate framed JBOB Carolina Fortune daughter sold bred to BC Lookout 7024 for a Balancer calf. Joining forces to own her at \$6,300 was Lone Oak Gelbvieh of Mechanicsville and Hostert Gelbvieh of Bernard.

The next high seller, Lot 14, also came from Sauers Valley View Farms. This SAVE 8180 Traveler 004 daughter sold bred to RTRT Solution. Scott Braddock of North Dakota bid \$4,200 on the Internet to purchase this bred heifer.

Chiming in at \$4,000 was a bred heifer consigned by Schroeder Ranch of South Dakota. This JDPD Rolex 151M daughter sold bred to Messmer Judge for a Balancer calf. Jumping Cow Gelbvieh of Colorado was the buyer.

Topping the open heifers was Lot 19 from Stacy and Dana Evans. This JBOB J-Bob 4665M ET daughter caught the eye of many junior exhibitors. She sold to Sara Hixson for \$4,000.

The high selling bull lot was Lot 47 from TNT Farms of Butler, Ill. TNTF First Class 7161T sold to John Lewis of Monticello, Ky., for \$4,000. This powerhouse is a son of CTR Echo 575E.

Rounding out the top selling bulls was Lot 50 from 3G Ranch of Indiana. GGGE 3G Tailgunner 751 ET is a powerfully built son of SLC Freedom 178F ET that sold for \$3,500.