

February 14th, 2015



It Was A Special Valentine's Day

Thoroughbred Herd Dispersal.

Life isn't always fair.

Even good people aren't immune to situations that creep up without warning and can cause major despair.



And for some it will effect their beloved animals, including horses they have taken care of well for many years.

Just before Valentine's Day we were contacted by a family member of an older lady who had given her all to her herd of Thoroughbreds.

Some she had raced, some she had bred, but all of them she had loved dearly.

And then life happened; her health became fragile and rendered her incapable of tending to her horses.

As it always happens in the horse world, when word gets out that an entire group of horses needs to be placed, the vultures come out to prey on the innocent.

Phone calls with offers to take the entire herd and "place them into loving homes" started to come in.

We all know better, don't we?

We have seen it too many times, and never has it been the outcome anyone was looking for.

Thank God for the presence of mind by said family member to contact us as a Horse Rescue, to ask for guidance and to help keep potential kill buyers from scamming their way into the lives of these equines.

We gladly stepped up to the plate and all 20 horses were signed over to us on Valentine's Day. **The day of love and hope.**

Will you help us keep them safe and happy?

Provide them with unlimited hay, daily feed and lots of love until we can place them into SAFE homes?

Our volunteers have answered with a resounding YES

Our volunteers are braving the Polar Vortex, filling water troughs, moving round bales into the pastures, cleaning the run-in sheds, mucking the open barn area and checking over the horses several times a day.

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these wonderful horses so deserve.**

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