Highlights From Santa Clarita Rose Show October 9, 1999 -- Valencia Town Center

Reported By Kitty Belendez



October 9, 1999 marked the 6th Annual Rose Show of the Santa Clarita Valley Rose Society. The exquisite serpentine trophy tables were covered with burgundy and white linens that enhanced the winning entries as well as the beautiful array of crystal and silver trophies. There were 41 exhibitors who made 537 entries, encompassing 851 blooms of all types including hybrid teas, floribundas, miniatures, shrubs and old garden roses. The "Rose in a Picture Frame" made its debut and was won by Bob & Kitty Belendez with a stunning bloom of Secret.

Members Cal and Barb Haves of Santa Ana won "Double Queens." The Hybrid Tea Queen of Śhow (left) is Moonstone and the Miniature Queen of Show is Irresistible. Cal (right) displays his winning entry along with his Waterford trophy. Moonstone won Oueen of Show at every rose show in Southern California



during the month of October, three times by the Hayes, once by the Grassos.



Jim and Pam Hogan of Canyon Country won their first Challenge Class trophy with an entry of Child's Play in the Miniature Cycle of Bloom Class. The following weekend, Jim and Pam did it again at the Los Angeles Rose Society show at Descanso Gardens with Apricot Twist.



Dr. Teresa Hull of Chino Hills, Calif. beams with pride as she wins her first novice trophy with the hybrid tea Crystalline. Look out "Big Boys"!



The hybrid tea tables were packed full with the highest quality roses. St. Patrick, Lynn Anderson, Natasha Monet, Signature, and Silverado were some of the most popular varieties. The "Most Fragrant" table attracted the noses of many visitors, and was won by Candy's Golden Celebration. Jim Lopez was in charge of placement and did an outstanding job.



Jeff Stage, SCVRS member from San Diego is grinning like a cheshire cat that just swallowed a canary with his winning Best Horticultural Entry of six Crystallines. (The "canary" was Kitty's bouquet of 12 St. Patricks that Jeff edged out for Best Hort.!) The huge Waterford trophy was furnished by the Valencia Town Center, thanks to Kathleen Gill.



Candy LaChance (left) of Stevenson's Ranch won two trophies at Santa Clarita, and four trophies the following weekend at the Los Angeles Rose Society show. Not too shabby for someone with a small garden and a job that requires frequent travel to foreign countries.



Jim Donovan of Canyon Country won the Old Garden Rose and Shrub Challenge Bouquet with a fine collection of roses.

Karen Gubert (right) of Canyon Country won the Novice Miniature with Hot Tamale plus Best Modern Shrub with Ambridge Rose. Heritage Rose Gardens furnished the lovely silver tray for the Shrub trophy. Karen also did a superb job of organizing members to cover security for the show.



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Best Horticultural Entry Six Blooms of Crystalline Jeff & Patty Stage Queen Moonstone / Cal & Barb Hayes King St. Patrick / Cal & Barb Hayes Princess Lynn Anderson Frank & Cherrie Grasso **Court of Honor** Natasha Monet / Cal & Barb Hayes Signature / Cal & Barb Hayes Steppin' Out / Bob Martin Crystalline / Cal & Barb Hayes Breathless / Gail Jenkins Anastasia / Jeff & Patty Stage Silverado / Jeff & Patty Stage Three Hybrid Tea Blooms Andrea Stelzer / Jeff Stage Six Hybrid Tea Blooms Crystalline / Jeff Stage Hybrid Tea Spray Brandy / Gail Jenkins Fully-Open Hybrid Tea Scarlet Knight / Vicki Wanek Classic Modern Hybrid Tea Peace / Dick & Jean Guldin **One Floribunda Bloom** Kanegem / Bob Martin **One Floribunda Spray** Playgirl / Mike & Donna Scott **Polyantha Spray** Perle d'Or / Clay & Jeri Jennings Climber Altissimo / Clay & Jeri Jennings **Classic Shrub** Prosperity / Candy LaChance **Modern Shrub** Raven / Steve Jones David Austin Shrub & **Best of Modern Shrubs** Ambridge Rose / Karen Gubert **Dowager Queen** Sombreuil / Clay & Jeri Jennings Victorian Award Irene Watts / Gail Jenkins Novice Hybrid Tea Crystalline / Teresa Hull **Novice Miniature** Hot Tamale / Karen Gubert

Novice Floribunda Nicole / Denise Zadikov Best Single 5-12 Petals Charlotte Anne / Bob Martin Children's Entry Moonstone / Robert Koyle Seedling Lynn Anderson x Ace of Hearts / Guldin Most Fragrant Golden Celebration Candy LaChance

LARGE CHALLENGE CLASSES **Artist's Palette** Crystalline, Stainless Steel, Lanvin, Silverado, Perfectly Red F & C Grasso **Twelve Hybrid Tea Blooms** St. Patrick / Bob & Kitty Belendez **OGR & Shrub Bouquet** The Prince, Distant Drums, Rosette Delizy, General Gallieni, Bouquet d'or, Sombreuil / Jim Donovan **Cycle of Bloom** St. Patrick / Tim Scoville **English Box** Kardinal / Cal & Barb Hayes Rose in a Bowl Suffolk / Bob Martin **Rose in a Picture Frame** Secret / Bob & Kitty Belendez **Big & Little Look-Alikes** Helen Naude, X-Rated Cal & Barb Haves **Miniature Queen** Irresistible / Cal & Barb Hayes **Miniature King** Fairhope / Frank & Cherrie Grasso **Miniature Princess** Behold / Frank & Cherrie Grasso **Miniature Court of Honor** Dazzler / Frank & Cherrie Grasso Child's Play / Frank & Cherrie Grasso Berry Red, Mini Pearl, Fancy Pants, Luis Desamero Frank & Cherrie Grasso Miss Flippins / Cal & Barb Hayes **Three Miniature Blooms** Behold / Cal & Barb Hayes **Six Miniature Blooms** Jean Kenneally Frank & Cherrie Grasso **One Miniature Spray** Child's Play / Jim & Pam Hogan Single 5-12 Petals Mini Glamour Girl / Jeri & Clay Jennings **Fully-Open Miniature** Dreamsicle / Lynn Snetsinger

MINIATURE CHALLENGE CLASSES

Miniature Artist's Palette Irresistible, Behold, Child's Play, Angelica Renae, Berry Berry Red F & C Grasso **Twelve Miniature Blooms** Miss Flippins / Cal & Barb Hayes Miniature Rose in a Bowl Behold / Frank & Cherrie Grasso **Miniature Cycle of Bloom** Child's Play / Jim & Pam Hogan **Miniature English Box** Behold / Frank & Cherrie Grasso Judge's Hybrid Tea Folklore / Ron Hockwalt Judge's Floribunda Betty Boop / Yvonne Andrew Judge's Miniature Jean Kenneally / Ron Hockwalt Judge's OGR, Shrub, or Other Not Awarded

ARRANGEMENTS Mini Traditional Under 3" "Pixie Treasures" ARS Royalty Award / Gold Ice Queen / Jean Guldin Mini Traditional Over 5" "Carousel of Colors" Mother's Love, Jean Kenneally Jim & Pam Hogan Miniature Oriental Less than 10" "Pearls of the Orient" ARS Mini Artist Award / Silver Irresistible / Steve Jones Large Traditional "Autumn Sunset" ARS Royalty Award / Gold Midas Touch, St. Patrick, Sun Goddess Don Lorenzini Large Oriental "Serene Fountain" ARS Oriental Award / Bronze Color Magic / Steve Jones Large Modern "Y2K" ARS Artist Award / Silver

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