

The Story of Serenity Hill Kennels

Founded by John E. & Constance J. Brennan, Serenity Hill Kennels has been family owned and operated since 1964.

One Easter Sunday in the late 1950's, Mom and Dad took our family to purchase a St. Bernard puppy. The breeder had all the beautiful St. Bernard puppies in a pen and they were rolling around and playing so cute. One frisky little boy got Colleen's Easter glove caught in his tooth as he was playing, and he pulled the glove yarn! This puppy was special and he wanted to be remembered! That was it, we took him home that day and we named him "Brandy". A little fat fur baby bundle of joy St. Bernard. We loved him so much. Brandy grew up to be "A Gentleman In A Fur Coat".

Mom and Dad then decided to join the American Kennel Club and they chose Brandy's A.K.C. registered name as "Keg of Brandy Boy of Boston".

Through the years, our family attended many dog shows and entered our prize winning "Keg of Brandy Boy of Boston. "Brandy" won multiple blue ribbons and trophies which we proudly displayed in our home.

Mom, was never without a cat or dog near by. She wanted to start a dog boarding kennel to go along with the breeding of pure bred St. Bernards, hence Serenity Hill Kennels of Plymouth, MA was born.

Our amazing Dad, with far too many talents to list, built every inch of our kennel. He laid every cement block, drove every nail, hung every door, erected every fence, roof shingle, etc. all by himself to make Mom's dream a reality.

Mom and Dad decided they wanted to raise pure bred St. Bernards, so they took Brandy to Shagg Bark Kennels in Bridgewater, MA to breed him. Mom and Dad wanted puppies that would inherit Brandy's wonderful placid temperament, strong build, deep black lined coat and superb markings. They knew that surely Brandy would sire prize winning puppies, and he sure did!

Our family kept one of Brandy's handsome sons from his first litter and Mom named him "Samoset". We called him Sammy. Sam's fur coat was short hair, but in every other sense he was definitely Brandy's son, awesome in every way. We loved him so. Both Brandy & Sammy lived long wonderful lives creating unforgettable memories that we will always cherish.

Mom & Dad had many litters of gorgeous pure bred St. Bernard puppies through the years, and each time it was so difficult for our Mom to let them go, she would cry as they left to go to their new loving homes. If Dad would have let her, she would have kept them all!

Through the years, after many litters of beautiful, healthy pure bred St. Bernard pups that were placed in their new loving homes, Mom & Dad retired the breeding end of the business, and continued the dog boarding at Serenity Hill Kennels as it is today.

Your Fur Baby's Vacation Away From Home

Kind Regards,
The Brennan Family