

Where should I start, please keep in mind I could possibly write 10 pages about how much I love my dog and how well behaved she is and how grateful I am for you and your family for everything you have done for her (and us!).

Koya was born in September of 2008 and came home at 7 weeks. She has been a very important member of our family ever since. At about 7 months old, Koya went to live with Ed and Emily for a few months to receive field training. I visited her once a week and saw so much progress in her each time. The evening that we brought her over to the Kerr's she was walking eloquently with a leash by the time we left—it was so exciting to see this and Ed definitely proved to be just what Koya needed.

Having Koya under Ed's training was the best decision we could have made for her. She not only learned retrieving and backing, but Koya grew into an obedient, well-mannered dog. A week into her stay, she was trained to the e-collar—which is something we still use everyday with her. The Kerr's opened up their home to our dog and treated her like one of their own. My visits to see Koya were so enjoyable and I know she was getting treated like a princess. I smile when I think back to seeing her sprawled out on their living room floor, getting rest after a fun day of retrieving, running, and playing with Nikki, Hannah, and Ella. Koya was also a companion with Ed while he worked, riding along in the car and working on obedience at the same time. I'm not sure who enjoyed this more, Ed or Koya.

Again Ed – Thank you so very much,

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