

I started looking for a hunting dog in the fall of 2011 and after researching the various breeds I decided that a German Shorthaired Pointer was the breed I wanted. I browsed all of the websites of local and regional breeders and discovered Shining Star GSP in nearby Iron Ridge, WI. As luck would have it, Shining Star GSP had two planned breeding's for the spring of 2012. I contacted Ed Kerr and met Ed and his wife Emily in January of 2012. Ed and Emily welcomed us into their home and we spent a couple hours meeting their dogs and talking. Before we left we put a deposit down on a puppy. Ed kept in contact and let us know how things were progressing the next few months. On April 30, 2012 the Hannah & Jedi litter arrived. A few weeks later it was time to pick our puppy and once again Ed and Emily welcomed us into their home and we spent a few hours playing with the pups and trying to decide which one to pick. Ed described each puppy's personality helped us make our decision. Finally the day came when it was time to take Shining Star Hightailing Hailey home. Hailey was the perfect pup and we spent the summer enjoying her loving personality. In September we took Hailey back to Ed for his two week puppy school and the transformation was remarkable. Hailey hunted pheasants that fall and did a great job her first season. In April of 2013 Hailey went back to Ed for two months of training and once again Ed worked his magic and Hailey is now more than I could have ever wished for. Hailey's excellent nose and incredible passion to hunt is a testament to the outstanding dogs that Ed has chosen to breed.

Ed is nicest person you could hope to meet and cares for your dog as if it was one of his own. His training results are amazing and if you let Ed train your dog your dog will certainly exceed your expectation.

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