



Dear Customers and Friends,

On behalf of Jim and Sue Coleman and the entire team here at Vintage Angus Ranch, I would like to take this time to personally invite you to our 22<sup>nd</sup> Annual Genetic Gold Female Sale on Sunday October 12, 2008 in Modesto, California.

We have once again selected from the best of every age division in our program for this offering. We are confident that the cattle in this sale are among some of the best in the industry for traits of economic importance.

If you cannot make it to the sale we will broadcast live on the internet via [www.liveauction.tv](http://www.liveauction.tv) . If you choose to bid over the internet, please register ahead of sale time for a buyer's number. It is an easy process that takes only a few minutes.

On September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2008 the American Angus Association reported the possibility of a recessive gene associated with "Curly Calf Syndrome". In response to this seemingly rare condition, Vintage Angus is taking additional action in giving our customers a clear and comprehensive guarantee on our upcoming female sale October 12, 2008. Please review the following guarantee and know that customer satisfaction has always been the #1 goal at Vintage Angus Ranch.

Sincerely,  
Doug Worthington

### **Vintage Angus Ranch Guarantee**

Every purchase in the 2008 Vintage Angus Ranch Genetic Gold sale is guaranteed to test negative for the recessive gene associated with "Curly Calf Syndrome" reported by the American Angus Association on September 5, 2008. With this guarantee, we provide our customers the opportunity to purchase their choice of cattle with zero risk. DNA samples have been harvested on every animal in the sale offering and will be submitted for testing when a test approved by the American Angus Association becomes available. Official results from this test will be provided to the purchaser. If any animals from this sale are determined by the American Angus Association to be carriers of this recessive gene, Vintage Angus Ranch will provide the purchaser the following options: refund of original purchase price; credit the purchase in a future Vintage Angus Ranch sale; replace the purchase with a non-carrier animal of equal quality; or retention of the original animal by the buyer with no further liability held by Vintage Angus Ranch.