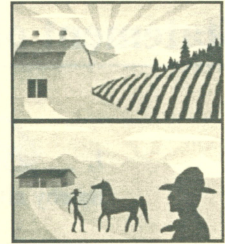


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Rudolph W. Bergstrom

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Oregon Agricultural Education Foundation



Century Farm & Ranch Program Application

Date 6/18/04

Type of designation (please check) Century Farm Century Ranch

Legal owner's name Rudolph W. Bergstrom
(Please attach contact information if other than legal owner)

Mailing address Redacted for Privacy

Telephone Redacted for Privacy E-mail address _____

County Morrow Location of farm or ranch (distance from nearest town) 19m; South of Ione

Township 3 South Range 24 E. W. M. Section E 1/2 of SE 1/4 Sec 19
SE 1/4 & NE 1/4 Sec 30

Original family owner(s) or founder(s) Eric Bergstrom

Date (year) this farm or ranch was acquired by founder(s) Dec 12, 1900
(Attach verifying documentation, see qualification #7)

Founder(s) came to Oregon from Sweden

Who farms or ranches the land today? Rudolph W. Bergstrom

Relationship to original owner (See qualification #5, please explain lineage) Grandson

Are any of the original buildings still in use? Yes No Listed on National Register? Yes No

If yes, please describe House

History of crops or livestock raised on farm or ranch Horses Cattle & Wheat, Barley
later years wheat

What is raised on the farm or ranch today? wheat C.R.P. Grass

How many generations live on the farm or ranch today? 3rd Generation

Please list names and birth years R.W. Bergstrom and Jackie Bergstrom
3/12/35 - 7/16/37

Please submit two or three pages of family history narrative, including, but not limited to generational transfers of the farm or ranch. You are also encouraged to submit photos of the property.

(Please continue application on the back of this form.)

Statement of Affirmation

I, R.W. Bergstrom,
 hereby affirm and declare that the farm or ranch which I own at Lone Oregon,
 in the County of Morrow,
 shall have been owned by my family for at least 100 continuous years, as specified in the qualifications for
 the Century Farm & Ranch Program, on or before December 31 of the current calendar year. Further, I
 hereby affirm that this property meets all other requirements for Century Farm or Century Ranch honors,
 including that the farm or ranch has a gross income from farming or ranching activities of not less than
 \$1,000 per year for three out of the five years immediately preceding making this statement. I understand
 that the application materials will become property of the Oregon Historical Society Library and be made
 available for public use.

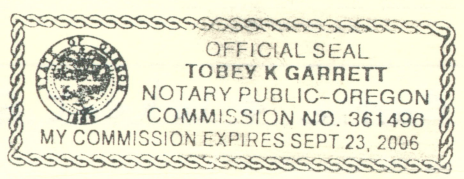
R.W. Bergstrom 6/18/04
R.W. Bergstrom ~~6/18/03~~
 Signature of Owner Date

Certification by Notary Public

State of Oregon
 County of Morrow

Be it remembered, that on this 18th day of June, 2004, before me, the undersigned, a
 Notary Public in and for said county and state, personally appeared the within named
R.W. Bergstrom, known to me to be the identical individual described in
 and who executed the within instrument and acknowledged to me that
he executed the same freely and voluntarily.

In Testimony Whereof, I have set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year last above written.



Tobey K. Garrett
 Notary Public for Oregon
 My Commission Expires Sept. 23, 2006

Fees	
Application Fee <i>(includes one certificate)</i>	\$ <u>50.00</u>
Additional Certificates (\$15 each)	\$ _____
Total enclosed	\$ _____
<i>Make checks payable to Oregon Agricultural Education Foundation or OAEF</i>	

For office use only	
Date Received	_____
Approved?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Authorization	_____ Century Farm and Ranch Project Coordinator
OHS Library	
MSS 1604 Program ID No.	_____

History of Erick and Carrie Bergstrom

Erick Bergstrom came to the U. S. in the late 1880's, Erick worked in the marble quarries in Vermont before heading west to Oregon to join Olaf Bergstrom in the "Eight Mile" area of Morrow County.

Erick worked in the Hardman area herding sheep. His wife Carrie migrated from Sweden. They were married December 8, 1989, in "Gooseberry".

My father, Eric William Bergstrom, was born on the Olaf Bergstrom place, January 6, 1891.

The E. W. Bergstrom family moved to Dry Fork for a short time then came back to "Dripping Springs" in Gooseberry, adjacent to Olaf Bergstrom's place.

Two brothers and a sister were born. Carl F, Oscar G., and Ellen.

They all attended the "Gooseberry" school, walking or riding horseback 3 miles.

Erick homesteaded the "Holmes Place", ("Dripping Springs"), and the Ben Aker's place. This was in 1891. He later purchased the "Esteb" place, where he lived until his death in 1956.

Eric William and Oscar farmed together until 1957. At that time Rudy (Eric William's son). Started farming.

Carl F. Bergstrom farmed the adjoining land. His son Roland lives there.

Ellen Bergstrom married Archie Cochran. They had a son, Robert. Ellen and Archie passed away in the 1920's.

Carl F. and Oscar G. passed away in the late 1970's. Eric William died in 1984.

The present owner, Rudy W. Bergstrom, (grandson), has lived on the land since 1944.

The farm, has a total of 1360 acres. *we have a daughter Erika, & Two Sons, David & Mike*

John Rietmann, leased the wheat ground in 1991, leaving the CRP and pasture still under the family name..

Erik Bergstrom

Walter Crawford
County Clerk.
Est. Cause Deputy

The United States of America,

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Certificate No. 7462

WHEREAS, Erik Bergstrom, of Morrow County, Oregon
has deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States a Certificate of the Register of the Land Office at
The Dalles, Oregon whereby it appears that FULL PAYMENT has been made by the said
Erik Bergstrom according to the provisions of the Act of Congress of the 24th of April, 1820,
entitled "An Act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands" and the acts supplemental thereto, for the
East half of the South East quarter of Section
ninteen in Township three South of Range twenty
four East of Willamette Meridian in Oregon,
containing eighty acres

according to the Official Plat of the survey of the said Lands, returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE by the Surveyor General,
which said tract has been purchased by the said Erik Bergstrom

NOW KNOW YE, that the United States of America, in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the several acts
of Congress in such cases made and provided, have given and granted, and by these presents do GIVE and GRANT, unto the said
Erik Bergstrom and to his heirs, the said tract above described.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, the same together with all the rights, privileges, immunities and appurtenances, of whatsoever
nature thereunto belonging, unto the said Erik Bergstrom and to his heirs and assigns forever; subject to any vested and accrued water rights for mining, agricultural, manufacturing or other purposes,
and rights to ditches and reservoirs used in connection with such water rights, as may be recognized and acknowledged by the local
customs, laws and decisions of courts, and also subject to the right of the proprietor of a vein or lode to extract and remove his ore
therefrom, should the same be found to penetrate or intersect the premises hereby granted, as provided by law; and there is reserved
from the lands hereby granted, the right of way thereon for ditches or canals constructed by the authority of the United States.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States of America,
have caused these letters to be made Patent and the seal of the GENERAL LAND OFFICE to be hereunto affixed.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, at the City of Washington, the twenty ninth day of December in the
year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and four and of the Independence of the
United States the one hundred and twenty ninth.

By the President: T Roosevelt

By F M McKean Secretary.

C H Bush
Recorder of the General Land Office.



Geo. Holmes
To
Erik Bergstrom

at 1 o'clock minutes P.M.

Vauster Crawford County Clerk.
By W. G. Smith Deputy.

Know all Men by these Presents, that I George M. Holmes and Sarah M. Holmes husband & wife of Gooseberry County of Morrow State of Oregon, in consideration of Fourteen hundred to me paid by Erik Bergstrom of Gooseberry County of Morrow State of Oregon, has BARGAINED and SOLD, and by these presents do GRANT, BARGAIN, SELL and CONVEY unto said Erik Bergstrom his heirs

and assigns, all the following bounded and described real property, situated in the County of Morrow and State of Oregon:
The SE 1/4 and NE 1/4 of Sec. 30, Tp. three South of Range 24 E.W.M. containing 320 acres more or less

Stamp \$1.50

Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, and also all their estate, right, title and interest in and to the same, including dower and claim of dower.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the above described and granted premises unto the said Erik Bergstrom and G. M. Holmes and Sarah M. Holmes his heirs and assigns forever.

grantors above named, do COVENANT to and with Erik Bergstrom

the above named grantee his heirs and assigns, that the above granted premises are free from all incumbrances

and that we will and our heirs, executors and administrators shall warrant and forever defend the above granted premises, and every part and parcel thereof, against the lawful claims and demands of all persons whomsoever,

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we the grantor above named, hereunto set our hand and seal this 12th day of December A. D. 1900.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of us, as witnesses.
G. M. Holmes
S. M. Holmes

George M. Holmes (SEAL)
Sarah M. Holmes (SEAL)
(SEAL)
(SEAL)

STATE OF OREGON, }
County of Morrow } ss. THIS CERTIFIES, that on this 12th day of December A. D. 1900 before me, the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace in and for said County and State, personally appeared