**LIMITED REGISTRATION Contract**

Breeder: Elena Ralston

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This agreement is between the Seller/Breeder and Buyer/Owner

*Elena Ralston*

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and Buyer(s) and Owner (s):

Address, City, State/Providence, Zip Code:

Phone number:

Email:

This Contract is for the purpose of setting forth the terms and conditions of the purchase and ownership by the Buyer/Owner of a purebred White German Shepherd Dog from the litter out of:

Sire:

Dam:

**Puppy Information**

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| **Registered Name of Puppy:** | **Call Name:** |
| **Sex:** | **DOB:** |
| **AKC #:** | **TYPE OF REGISTRATION:** *Limited.* |
| **UKC #:** | **Color:** *White* |
| **Microchip #:** | **TOTAL PRICE:** |

**Date purchased puppy was shipped: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ picked up:**

**BREEDER’S GUARANTEES**

The ownership of the following puppy will be shared for the life of this dog between the Breeder/Seller and the Buyer/Co-Owner (s) on the date the contract is signed. All puppies are sold with Limited Registration unless noted above.  Puppies that are sold on a co-ownership contract as the show/breeding dogs will receive their full AKC registration after completing the requirements listed in this contract. Each puppy is purebred and registered with the American Kennel Club. The puppy’s AKC individual registration application will be given to the Buyer when ownership fee is made in full, contract is signed and mailed to the Seller/Breeder. Buyer/Owner has one year from date of issue of AKC registration application to register the puppy. Each puppy comes with Breeder’s notes of recommendations for the further training and temperament test evaluation results.

1. As of the date of this agreement, the puppy is in good health and free of communicable diseases. It has been de-wormed, vaccinated, examined by a licensed veterinarian, and comes with a veterinarian health certificate.
2. The Buyer/ Owner may return puppy (in good condition) to Breeder/ Owner for a full refund for any reason within 72 hours of purchase, providing Buyer agrees to pay all transportation costs to the Breeder’s address, if any. After 72 hours the Buyer accepts full responsibility for temperament and physical wellbeing of the purchased pup/dog.
3. This puppy is sold with a Limited registration and must be spayed or neutered by the time this pup reaches one and a half year old.

**HEALTH GUARANTEE:**

Due to the variety and quality of available dog foods, the Breeder requires that ALL of her puppies be kept on:

1. NuVet Labs nutritional supplement, "NuVet Plus Canine" until 2 yrs. of age. This supplement is very important for immune system. This supplement can be ordered from NuVet Labs at 1-800-474-7044 using order code #79837 or <http://www.nuvet.com/79837>, or an equal quality supplement.
2. A Good Glucosamine Supplement which feeds the cartilage of the joint. We recommend NutriVet Hip/Joint wafers.
3. Failure to keep your pet on this supplement, or equal quality supplement will render all guarantees **null and void**.

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All our pups are guaranteed against crippling genetic diseases detected within **one year** of age. The Breeder must be notified immediately and provided with a licensed veterinarian’s report. Any claims must be made within this time period and will be verified by the Breeder’s own veterinarian. The Breeder needs to have a copy of the x-rays.

In case if the puppy has minor faults that are not health related, the Buyer/Owner will receive a $100 discount that will be applied during the final payment for this puppy.

**BUYER/ OWNER’S AGREEMENTS**

**1.** The Buyer/Owner agrees that this animal is subject to a AKC non breed agreement and cannot be bred.

**2.** The Buyer/Owner agrees that the puppy will reside at the home of the registered Owner, have access to a fenced yard, not be chained or "tied out", or left alone in a backyard or kennel only and will be provided with proper housing, and exercise.

**3**. The Buyer/Owner agrees to inform Breeder/Owner any time they move or change phone numbers during ownership of the dog.

**4.** The Buyer/Owner agrees to use name VICTORIOUS at the beginning of dog’s registered name. Any name or letter that the Buyer chooses may follow the kennel name. For example: Victorious Comet.

**5.** The Buyer/Owner agrees to register the puppy with AKC within 1 month of receiving the form and to send a photocopy of the certificate to the Breeder to qualify for the guarantees on this contract.

**6**. The Buyer/Owner agrees not to sell, trade, lease out, euthanize (except under emergency conditions to end suffering), or give away this dog without verbal, or written permission from the Breeder.

**7.** If for ANY reason the Buyer/Owner can no longer keep the puppy he/she MUST notify the Breeder immediately. Breeder and the Buyer/Owner will work together to find an acceptable new home for the puppy. If an acceptable home cannot be found the Breeder will take responsibility of the puppy. The Buyer/Owner understands that in such case he/she must to return the dog with signed AKC registration transfer to the Breeder without receiving any refund.

**8.** The Buyer/Owner agrees to comply with all local ordinances regarding the keeping of dogs, in addition to providing adequate food, water, housing, immunizations and health care, and humane treatment for the dog.

**9**. The Buyer/Owner agrees to actively train the puppy and provide daily activity and mental stimulation for it.

**10.** The Buyer/ Owner agrees to maintain this dog in good health, provide routine preventative health care including, but not limited to, inoculation, internal and external parasites, and - where suggested by a vet - heartworm preventative medication. All expenses regarding the animals including shipping of the animals, proper care, veterinary fees, housing, or legal liabilities are the responsibility of the Buyer/ Owner at whose home the animal will reside. The Buyer/ Owner agrees to purchase a Pet Health insurance that will cover at least emergency accidents.

**12.** The Buyer agrees to keep this dog properly nourished (HIGH QUALITY FOOD) and exercised (NO JUMPING OUT OF HIGH TRUCKS, JUMPING AFTER A BALL, CATCHING FIRSBEES, OR JOGGING etc. before 1 year of age). The dog must be kept lean and not over weight.

**LIMITATION OF THE CONTRACT**

**1.** If the pup/dog is used heavily for agility, open obedience, or any other strenuous activity including road working, quad working or forced jogging by treadmills or the opposite extreme and is restricted to a travel crate for prolonged extended routine periods of time without easy regular exercise resulting in underdeveloped muscle tone prior to being 12 months of age, environmentally induced hip or elbow dysplasia and other joint problems may develop. If these factors are factors in diagnoses, it is left to the breeder's discretion to honor this agreement. The Seller/Breeder may reserve the right for the prompt return of said dog.

**2.** This Contract applies to the original Buyer/Owner only and not transferable to a second party. The Breeder must receive signed contract within 30 days of receipt of dog or it will be considered invalid.

**3.** Please note: the Breeder does not guarantee that pup’s coat will stay pure white, nor that the dark nose pigment will not fade, as some pups develop some cream in their coat, or the nose may lighten as they mature, which is perfectly normal and does not affect the health of the puppy. The Breeder does not guarantee that the pup will win at the conformation shows, or performance trials.

**4.** This guarantee does not cover common Giardia, Coccidia, or other intestinal parasites that puppies frequently pick up.

If Breeder can document the Buyer/ Owner’s failure to keep these agreements and so informs Buyer by certified letter, the buyer shall have 72 hours to return the dog and the signed AKC registration transfer to the seller at his own expense. If the Buyer/ Owner fails to do so, the seller shall have the legal right to repossess the dog and get a signed AKC registration transfer application from the Buyer/ Owner without refunding any money. The parties to this contract agree to submit to the jurisdiction of the Erie County of the New York State for any dispute arising out of this contract.

Both, the Breeder/Seller and the Buyer/ Owner have read and agree to the above conditions.

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| Breeder/Seller Signature: Date: |
| Buyer/Owner’s Signature: Date: |