

Memories of Gold

Sandy Sonntag

February 22, 1956 - August 16, 2002



Sandy Sonntag died tragically just before Yankee's hunt test in August 2002. She was a very talented lady born and educated in Kentucky, whose kindness, ready smile, and southern charm enchanted all her friends.

Sandy was a renaissance woman who enjoyed everything she had an opportunity to take part in — she was a designer, sewer, painter, teacher, baker, gardener, dog trainer, a lover of life and the wonderful things it had to offer. Yankee has lost a great friend who was loved by all. She made everything she touched golden.

The club is donating a stone bench inscribed with her name to the daffodil garden at Riverview. In addition, the club will offer a perpetual trophy in Sandy's name beginning in 2004. The trophy will be awarded for dedicated service to Golden Retrievers and the community, in the spirit of Sandy's life.