As most of you know, I have been shoeing horses in this area for many years.

During that time it has been my pleasure and privilege to work with many
of the top trainers in the midwest. Bud Kinney, Chat Nichols, Ed Teater, Bob

Jensen, and Gib Marcucci, where some of the trainers that trusted me with their
shoeing needs. Having an opportunity to work on world champion horses such as
Belle Elegant, Rebel Heir, Ramblin' Gal, Lucky Cuss, Irish American, and many of
the world champion ponies that Gib had, are among my favorite memories.

Wanting to share some of my knowledge and experience with other farriers around the country, I produced and marketed an instructional video on the shoeing of the American Saddlebred, and have written articles published in national horse magazines.

I am indeed happy and honored I was invited to become part of the Iowa

Horsemen's Hall of Fame, and will take my place there representing not just myself,
but also my Dad and brother who taught me the trade, and my two sons to
whom I've passed it on.

Jack Banghart