

STANDLAKE EQUESTRIAN CENTRE

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Dear Friends,

It is a pleasure to inform you that Christians in Horsemanship have now joined up with the Riding Members of Christians in Sport.

Mandy Myatt, who has headed up the riding section of Christians in sport so successfully, has had to step down due to lack of time and has handed the job over to myself.

We intend to keep the name "Christians in Horsemanship" under "Christians in Sport". The riding section now has a riding base at **Standlake Equestrian Centre, Ranch and Nature Reserve** which will be run as a Christian based riding centre and holiday farm.

We returned from South Africa two years ago to establish a Christian Riding School and Holiday Farm. The purchase of the land has been quite miraculous: plus - 6 horses with the outlay of £200, 40 pupils within the first month of opening, 140 tons of Cotswold stone including 12 windows and doors, already delivered, for only £1,600 and other smaller exciting occurrences to say "It is the Lord who is enabling this venture".

We are now able to offer clinics on the "Biblical Approach" and have a book on sale called "*The Biblical Approach to basic Horsemanship*" which sells for £4.00 per copy including postage. We are also available to come and give talks or clinics on this ideal and rewarding approach. So far, we have two riders now riding at international level who know the joy of riding to the glory of God. They are Caran Gerber, 13 years old, chosen to ride for South Africa in child's "A" Grade show jumping and Mrs. Nicky Barclay, who was chosen to ride for South Africa in the American Saddle Horse Equitation World Cup in Louisville, Kentucky, USA in June this year. Both have been awarded their South African Springbok colours.

If you are interested in joining one of our clinics, please phone us. We hope to be of service to you and would love to hear from you.
Please pray for this work,

Yours in Christ,

Suzanne Pillans