

# Practice Random Kindness and Senseless Acts of Beauty

## 1991 Summarized

1991 was quite a year for me and Roy. It began with a huge 'Qualifying' exam (part of my progress through Grad School) in February, continued with a car crash in March (never swerve for small animals!), a Masters of Science degree in May, a summer of research and learning German, two more huge exams in September (which finished them off - I'm now 'Qualified' as a candidate for the Ph.D.!), a trip to Germany to be best man for a best friend's wedding in October, with the year closing in Paris (yep, the one in France) with my parents, brothers, and sisters-in-law.

Roy had a big year also, changing residence in July to a new barn where he can go out daily with the herd. He has made several new friends, including a Clydesdale (named, appropriately enough, Pal) with whom he hangs out. He competed in two dressage competitions and managed to bring home several ribbons (including two blues - 1st place!).

Barring nervous breakdown, or simply becoming sick of school, 1992 will hold lots more work, and possibly prelim exams (the next step toward becoming Dr. Eben).

Please feel free to write (it will help keep you on my holiday card list!). My address remains the same:

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## Best Holiday Wishes



From Eben & Roy!