

Another amazing story about my Pletinckx !!

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While I was in the loft catching my last three Frillbacks for a guy this last weekend, I looked over to my right and one of my Pletinckx was just sitting on the perch beside me so I reached over and picked him up and he did not struggle at all but became very settled within my hands! I have been calling out to them the same thing I always called out to them when I lived in Melrose.... "Hey Kids"

He remembered me! Most amazing since we have been separated for 4 years! But more amazing when I tell you the rest....he is a 1988 #773 old cock bird. Not only that, he was mated up with an old 1993 hen #726 when I lived in Melrose! Now, let me tell you that is old and if he has been around that long and the hawks were taking so many of them at Cindy's place I would venture to say that this guy is totally incredible just to be alive!!!

I checked my paperwork in the house and sure enough there he was!!!! He is one of the original 17 youngsters that I had shipped up from San Diego in 1988. I had a guy raise those 17 from my old birds down there that I sold to him with the provision that he raise a bunch of young birds for me as soon as I had a place to live. I still have all the paperwork from my birds and I will take it out to the loft tomorrow and see if I have any more old ones like him....and if I do I think I will keep them always and set them up again next year 2008 and keep pedigrees on them.

These old birds will stay with me till they or I die!! *I love my Pletinckx!*

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