

Meet Terry!

The Fredricks Family



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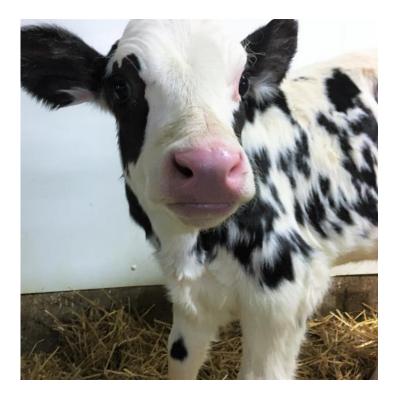
Glenn, Daphne (6), Dan (12), Sadie and Monika (10)

Both Glen & Sadie grew up on dairy farms but neither wanted to go back to their home farm. Instead, they bought their own farm after getting married and now raise over 200 cows & heifers.



Glen & Sadie bought their farm in 2005.





**Terry** 

Name: **Terry** 

Birthdate: October 7, 2019

**Sire**: Fly High

**Dam**: Tessa

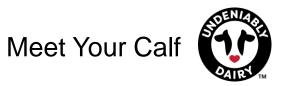
Height: 34 inches

Weight: 90 pounds

Breed: Holstein











Within a few hours after birth, Terry drinks colostrum and takes her first few steps in life.



**Naval Dip** 

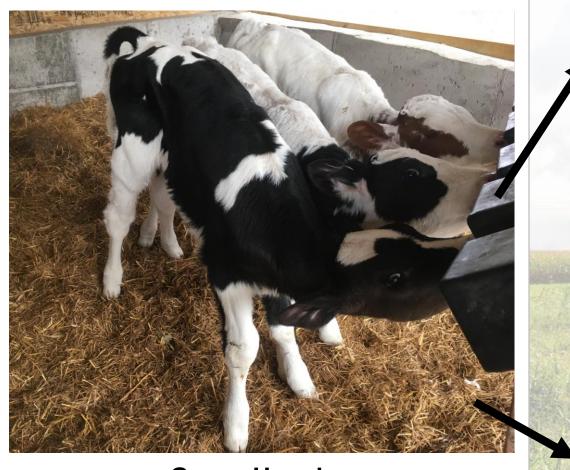
Terry's <u>naval</u> is dipped with iodine to protect her from getting an infection.



Terry also always has fresh water to drink.



**Automatic Waterer** 





Terry will live with her herdmates in group housing for the next few months.





Terry drinks from a bottle. The milk bottle is placed into a holder with a hole the nipple slides through to drink from.

The Fredricks freshly bed Terry's bed with straw weekly which includes a layer of shavings underneath.





Soon, Terry will get an <u>ear tag</u> like her mom for identification. This is just like human's getting their ear's pierced.

Blue Diamond
Dairy disbuds
horns using
lidocaine (a pain
reliever) to prevent
horn growth for the
safety of the other
animals and
humans.





Hi, I'm Tessa. I'm Terry's Mother!

Name: Tessa

Age: 7 years old

Height: 5 feet, 8 inches

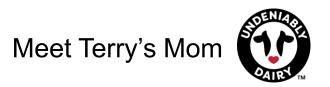
Weight: 1,550 pounds

Tessa produces 80 pounds or 10

gallons of milk per day

Tessa's job on the farm is to produce high-quality milk for the Fredrick's family to sell so it can be made into fluid milk and other dairy products for you to consume.

What are your favorite dairy products?





This is the Tie Stall Barn where Tessa and her herdmates live in the winter.





Cows have an unlimited supply of water 24/7. Indoors, they have a water bowl that fills up at a touch of a nose!

Tessa's sleeping area is called a bedded pack.
The bedded pack is covered with straw for comfort and warmth in the winter.





This is the pasture where Tessa and her herdmates live during the warm months.





Outside, Tessa has access to water 24/7 from huge water troughs that all the cows share.

Throughout the summer, Glenn moves the cows from pasture to pasture (called rotational grazing), so the cows always have fresh grass to eat.





97% of dairy farms across the country are family owned and operated just like the Blue Diamond Dairy. Dairy Farming is a family affair, with a lot of love, hard work and perseverance put in to take good care of their cows. Terry is well loved by them all!

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