Andy Doran took his falconry seriously. Many can talk about their falcons – others let their birds flying ability speak for itself. Andy was the latter. His birds were consistent winners at the highly competitive Utah Sky Trials. Andy’s attention to detail in training and conditioning produced outstanding falcons. His kite and balloon training produced s falcons that were masters of the sky! Such conditioning does not come by accident but is the product of a comprehensive, rigorous, consistent training program. And, for Andy, the sky trials were just another step toward developing fine game hawks. Simply, Andy took great care of his birds and dogs – and it showed!

“I will always remember Andy as one of the first who soar hawked a Harris. Andy was always someone who knew how to get the best out of any bird he flew whether it was a hawk during his younger years or his beloved falcons that he won so many prizes with. He was passionate about the sport, was always approachable, and would gladly give advice if asked.”

-Ron Brown

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“You can tell a lot about a man by watching him handle his falcons. Andy was kind, gentle and patient. I will miss seeing him and his fine falcons.”

-Kenny Sterner

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