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WHERE ARE YOU!

You won a pair of Nanday Conures but failed to put your address or phone number on the ticket stub.

Please contact Raffle Chairman,
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LIST OF RAFFLE WINNERS AND DONORS

WINNER | ITEM | DONOR
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Gary Winter | Car |
Northbrook, IL | | 
Al Jakisbec | Umbrella Cockatoo (pair) | Basically Birds
St. Charles, MO | | 
Ruth Lacoch | Golden Mantle Rosellas (pair) | Joy Bird Imports
Chico, CA | | 
Henry Dryman | Mutation Love Birds (pair) | Agapornis Acres
Canoga Park, CA | | 
A. Nichol | Blue Peach Face Lovebirds (pair) | Dave West/Lee Horton
Los Angeles, CA | | 
Marie Ollsen | Pearl Cockatiels (pair) | Stan Dumke
Naples, FL | | 
Dave Balster | Bourke Parrakeets (pair) | Ralph Smith
Kirkwood, MO | | 
Henry R. Barrillot | Albino Cockatiels (pair) | Anonymous
Garden Grove, CA | | 
Patricia Serpa | Shaft Tail Finches (pair) | Walnut Acres
San Diego, CA | | 
Mark Lucas | Orange Winged Amazon Parrot (pair) | Charles Terris Kennels
Scottsdale, AZ | | 
Bill Cook | Red Fronted Amazon Parrot (pair) | Bird Mart
Tucson, AZ | | 
Earl Haga | Orange Winged Amazon Parrot (pair) | Sharon & Steve Clause
Phoenix, AZ | | 
James A. Campolo | Black Swan (pair) | Mickey Olsson/Gene Hall
Oroville, CA | | 
Carol L. Hamilton | Blue Eared Pheasants (pair) | California Pheasantry
Oelrich, SD | | 
Carol Patterson | Nanday Conures (pair) | Magnolia Bird Farm
R. Rodney | Half Moon Conures (pair) | Helen Hanson
San Francisco, CA | | 
Janice Pritchard | Peach Face Love Birds (pair) | Harold Brown
La Mesa, CA | | 
Sarnelle Constructions Co. | Peach Face Love Birds (pair) | Moe Ratzlif
Reseda, CA | | 
Dale Piatt | English Parrakeets (pair) | David Cox
Florence, KY | | 
J.F. Brungard | Golden Pheasants (pair) | Tropical Jungle
San Diego, CA | | 
Don Thomas | Book-Finches & Softbills | Palos Verdes Bird Farm
Coral Gables, FL | | 
Six books (Sexing Birds) | | Loyl Stromberg
to the following winners:

GRAND PRIZE WINNER

Gary Winter

Dear Joe:

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of the check accepted in lieu of the car raffled at the Annual Convention.

I am obviously very glad I recently joined the American Federation — not so much for winning the car but for the relationship which I hope will be fruitful both for myself and the association. It was a great thrill winning the car mainly because it will allow me an opportunity to expand my bird population. Also, it’s much more fun than winning a 5 pound ham.

To show my appreciation to the Federation, please accept my $100.00 donation for whatever purposes you see fit. Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

Gary Winter

Not everybody could have a winning ticket. Joe de Aguiar looks on as Scottie Nogaim of Las Vegas consoled herself with a rubber chicken and a stiff martini...