

JUNE PRODUCT REVIEW FREEFORM TREELESS SADDLE

I have been using a bareback pad for over 8 years now and love it...I have decided that treed saddles are just not for me. My horse has done much better in a treeless form of saddle.

So, I have used just about every treeless saddle out there and know that is what I enjoy riding in as well as knowing my horse is comfortable. That is the important issue.

Recently, I had an opportunity to try a FreeForm Treeless saddle. I knew it would be a good saddle, because it is treeless. But I had no idea it would be as comfortable and versatile as it was.

First, it has adjustable stirrup position placement, for every size rider, long, tall, short, etc. It also has removable "seats" so that if you have different sized riders, the "seat" can be "un-velcroed" and another size put on to accommodate the new rider. The base stays the same. It is wonderfully adjustable!

The leather is very good quality, it is well padded and is extremely comfortable. There are many d-rings all around it to allow you to carry anything you could possibly want on a trail ride. It can also be used as a dressage saddle as well as a trail and endurance saddle.

The girth is the "Y-System" that spreads the weight of the girth completely over the saddle, making it more comfortable for the horse. It only weighs 7 ¾ lbs . It is also made in ultrasuede, which is a waterproof microfiber and easy to clean. It is not as slick as leather and eliminates the need for full seat breeches.

I rode in it for 3 days and felt very comfortable, it never slipped on my horse , stayed in place, I had close contact with my horse and my horse gaited very well in it, no soreness at all and she was not in any way restrained.

If you want a demo to use, please contact Karen (info below)...definitely worth a try if you have any saddle issues at all with your horse. This saddle will be able to be used on multiple horses, saving you money in the long run on multiple saddles! **This is my next saddle!**



For more information, Karen Copeland is a local dealer. Call Karen at 919-732-8206 or email echoice@earthlink.com. Check out her web site for the story of how she became involved with the Freeform. <http://www.equestionalchoice.com>