



► "In Apple Blossom Time" is the latest Angus artwork by Frank Champion Murphy.

Apple Blossoms and Angus

Angus Foundation offers a new, limited-edition
print by Frank Champion Murphy.

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Renowned Angus artist Frank Champion Murphy has finished another oil painting for the American Angus Association. The painting is titled "In Apple Blossom Time" and features a cow and newborn calf in a Midwest pasture scene.

The Angus Foundation will offer 1,000 signed and numbered prints of this original oil painting for a donation of \$100 per print, plus \$10 shipping and handling. An initial offering was made to those who previously purchased a print of Murphy's "Mists of Autumn" painting. The prints were first offered publicly at the 2003 National Junior Angus Show (NJAS) July 13-19 in Louisville, Ky. The remainder of the prints can be ordered by contacting the Junior Activities Department.

"This latest work by Frank Murphy is truly different from anything previously commissioned by the Association," says Abbie Nelson, Wilton, Calif., chairman of the Angus Foundation Board. "Angus art collectors will be more than pleased to add this print to their collections, and it will make a great addition

to any home or office décor. However, the best part of this project is that all proceeds from the offering go to the Angus Foundation and support the future of our breed."

To order a print of "In Apple Blossom Time," contact Monica Jordan at (816) 383-5100 or mjordan@angus.org. Payment can be made by check, Visa or MasterCard. If you would like to order a specific print number, your request must be made at the time of purchase.

The Angus Foundation was established in 1980 as a 501(c)(3) organization, an affiliate of the American Angus Association, with the mission of supporting youth, education and research relating to agriculture. A majority of the programs supported by the Angus Foundation are related to Angus youth and youth activities and are organized as part of the National Junior Angus Association (NJAA).

Today, the Angus Foundation provides programs, events, awards and scholarships to Angus youth across the country and supports other projects that benefit the Association and its members.

