NATURAL HORSEMANSHIP CREATES SOLUTIONS FOR THE FOLLOWING EQUINE RESISTANCE PROBLEMS:

Which Of These 10 Major Problem Areas Give You Your Biggest Headaches?

GROUND HANDLING	YES	NO	BEHAVIORAL PROBLEMS	YES	NO
I have trouble catching my horse			 My horse is mouthy, tends to nip or bite 		
My horse pulls when leading			 My horse is aggressive at feeding time 		
I have trouble getting him to stand still			He kicks at me or other horses		
My horse drags behind when leading			He hates men		
 My horse frequently stops and won't 			 I've been told to sell him or put him down 		
go forward			· I've sent him to the trainers and it didn't work		
He doesn't want to leave the barn			He's a bucker, bolter or rearer		
 He doesn't want to leave the other horses 			He's either really lazy or just plain stubborn		
He's spooky and scared of everything			, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	1000	-
He runs me over or steps on me			RIDING PROBLEMS		
I have trouble calming him down if he			He won't stand still to saddle		
gets excited			He tries to nip when I do up the girth or cinch	7.00	
He rears up under pressure			He's hard to bridle or unbridle		
Can't tie him, he pulls back		Ö	I can't get him to stand still to mount		
- Carre de film, ne puils back	-		He has a hard mouth		
TRAILERS & TRAVEL			He has dull sides		
			I have to keep him going, he's lazy		
I can't get him in the trailer without other name to be a single him you from name to be a single him					
people helping me, chasing him up from			I have to hold him back all the time		
behind with whips or a butt rope, or both!			He's spooky		
He has trouble when traveling			He won't cross water, ditches or bridges		
- Scrambles			He's scared of traffic		
- Paws and kicks	0		I can't ride him among other horses		
- Panics		<u> </u>	 He won't leave other horses (herd-bound) 		
 He rushes out of the trailer, is really impatient 			He won't leave the barn (barn sour)		
 He bumps his head as he comes out 			 He's easily distracted, won't concentrate 		
			 He's unpredictable, hard to read 		
GROOMING & CARE			 He's bad tempered and often cranky 		
He's hard to groom			He's often disobedient		
- Tries to nip and bite at me			He's crazy!		
 Kicks out when I groom his belly or flanks 			 He won't walk, always jigs 		
- I have to cross tie him			 I have trouble going into the canter 		
- He's scared of the hose			 He's dreadful in the arena but great on the trai 		
 He has to be tranquilized or twitched 			 I can't ride him outside of an arena 		
for clipping			I can't ride him on windy days!		
			He's over-reactive or hypersensitive		
FARRIER & VETERINARY CARE			He won't go forward sometimes		
He's hard to shoe or trim					
- Can't pick up his hind feet			TRAIL RIDING PROBLEMS		
- Snatches his foot away from you			Jigs, won't walk		
- He has to be twitched or tranquilized			Crowds the horse in front		
to shoe			Tries to get to the front all the time		
He has a lot of trouble with veterinary	_		Spooks at everything		
procedures			Walks too slowly, can't keep up		
- I can't give him shots			Tries to eat grass all the time		
- Difficult to paste-worm			Kicks at horses behind him		0
He has to be twitched or tranquilized for	0		Won't cross water or jump over fallen logs		
everything			Spooks at noises in the bushes		
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TRAINING ISSUES	YES	NO	PERFORMANCE ISSUES	YES	NO
Won't go into the arena			Scared of applause		
 Doesn't learn well, is unpredictable 			 Afraid in new or certain types of areas 		
Has trouble with canter leads			Nervous in competition		
 Flying Changes are problematic 			Dressage		
Tense			- Tense, can't relax		
Bracey			- Hurries his gaits		
Leans on the bit			- Rushes his transitions		
 Puts his tongue over the bit or out 			- Is stiff, doesn't flex well		
the side			- Comes above the bit		
Wrings his tail			- Needs draw reins		
Won't go forward			- Leans on the bit		
Dull to the leg			- Baulks and rears or bucks		
High headed			- Dull, won't go forward		
Fights the trainer			- Grinds his teeth		
Bucks			- Opens his mouth		
Rears			- Foams at the mouth		
Is non responsive and lackluster			- Puts his tongue over the bit or out the side		
Seems depressed			- Wrings his tail		
- Carrier Carrier	1000	1000	• Jumping	3.97	
AS A RIDER			- Often refuses a jump		
I am bored not having fun any more			- I have to use the whip before the jump		
Have fear issues - I'm scared of			- Rushes at jumps, especially the last		
falling off			few strides		
Lose confidence easily			- Runs out		
Progress is slow			- Bucks		
Get frustrated or mad			- Doesn't turn well		
Afraid to ride in the open			- Needs strong bit for control		
Hate riding in an arena			- Needs a martingale to keep his head down		
Can't ride bareback			Barrel Racing	_	_
I bounce in the saddle			- Won't go in the arena		
Tense in my shoulders / back / body			- Goes crazy before the start		
Brace in my stirrups			- Doesn't turn well one way		
Lean forward too much			- Always knocks the barrels down		
I am a control freak!			- I have to use a strong bit		
I don't have a good riding position			- I have to use a tie down		0
I'm always sore after riding		ā	- I have to use a brain chain		
I get chafed legs (or butt!)			Cutting / Cow Working		_
I don't know how to make progress		_	- Won't look at the cow		
without riding lessons			- Runs off at the ends		
I don't know how to solve problems			- Leaks forwards		
without resorting to artificial aids					
(stronger bits, tie down, martingales,			Doesn't turn well one way Nervous during the cut		
draw reins, spurs, etc.)			- Won't circle		
diaw ieliis, spuis, etc./			- Won't circle - Won't rate a cow		
			 Doesn't stop before he turns 		