

TO WHISPER OR NOT TO WHISPER

FIXING PROBLEMS FROM THE SADDLE

Can one fix problems from the saddle? Yes and No. Depending on your ability as a rider will definitely come into play concerning your results. NO, not really would be the most honest answer. The problems you are experiencing with your horses are the same ones everyone else has. It matters not which discipline you're involved with the issues all remain the same. The reason for this is due to the fact that the character and nature of humans will always remain the same (that of a Predator). The same with the horse (that of a Prey animal). Whose seed is in itself. But there is hope, a fix can occur. However it best begins on the ground. Just as every baby foal begins its life on the ground next to its mother so our training or fixing of an issue must begin the same way. This is where the respect, trust, attitude and the attention given all begins. This is where you fix the "holes". Your daily routine of riding lessons week in week out, month after month, year after year is a slow and most incomplete process. Attitudes can rarely be fixed from the saddle. The mind of a horse first needs to be changed from the ground. After this is accomplished the rest becomes a pleasure. Predators teaching Predators how to be a better Predator on top of a Prey animal is what happens most in this culture when it comes to lesson time. You have issues and problems because you've never had the basics down. However it's never too late to start! Keep it Safe, keep it Natural. Samuel Brown ... email SamuelPotterBrown@gmail.com

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