

Reception

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Regards,

Angel

From: Reception [mailto:jeannie@drachen.org]
Sent: Friday, March 10, 2006 3:30 PM
To: Angel Yabut
Subject: RE: Kite photo

Hi Angel,

I was reading the note from Darrell Goemaat to you, and I got confused. Is this a photo of you holding your own kite? I think that's what you said on the phone yesterday, but I want to be clear. I printed out the article from the Trib, and the photo, so that I could start a file on you, and I want to make sure that I got the facts right. Hope you are well...

Jeannie

-----Original Message-----

From: Angel.Yabut@silganclosures.com [mailto:Angel.Yabut@silganclosures.com]
Sent: Tuesday, March 07, 2006 7:46 AM
To: Reception
Subject: FW: Kite photo

From: Darrell Goemaat [mailto:dgoemaat@garbc.org]
Sent: Monday, March 06, 2006 3:38 PM
To: ladynily@hotmail.com; Angel Yabut

Subject: Kite photo

Angel,

Glad you liked the photo.

You would have probably liked it better if you could have seen it in color, like this.



Hope you are doing well. I would love to come see them fly once the weather gets a little warmer.

Kristen has seen a copy of this image in color.

Thanks for sharing your story with us.

Darrell Goemaat

Reception

From: Angel.Yabut@silganclosures.com
Sent: Friday, March 10, 2006 1:51 PM
To: Reception
Subject: FW: MY KHIGHTE - MINOR REVISION - AND ANOTHER REVISION

From: Angel Yabut
Sent: Thursday, March 09, 2006 8:54 AM
To: 'LADYMILY@HOTMAIL.COM'; 'leiakozel@gmail.com'; 'theemaia@hotmail.com'; 'Jared Kozel'
Subject: FW: MY KHIGHTE - MINOR REVISION - AND ANOTHER REVISION

ME AND MY KHIGHTE

I call you khighte because you are an high kite
 and you bring me endless joy when I see you
 glued to the sky.

You soar like an eagle and attract the attention
 of other birds that show an ambivalence to your presence.
 They seem to say:
 " You are trespassing and invaded our territory !
 On the other hand you seem so serene and at peace
 with yourself. We want to call you friend. "

You want to show-off at the Chicago Kite Festivals.
 But I think it is too much for me to ask Mayor Daley
 to pull a string to the FAA so you can dominate
 their flyground.

We got a fair warning from the FAA that I should put you
 on a leash or you will be grounded and I will be severely
 fined and maybe even put to jail. How can you soar to
 your full potential when there is an (FAA) string attached
 to your arrival ? But with due respect to mere mortals
 we will abide by their rule and live in peacefull co-existence.
 I will not allow you to catch a plane and cause harm to humans.

When you start romancing the clouds on two occasions you
 caused an unknown mysterious commotion. Was it an optical
 illusion or an excited UFO giving you the right of way to freedom ?

When I let you fly and seem to be nailed to the sky

I feel connected to an higher being,
an Higher Being much much higher than you are.

(This poem, if it can be called a poem, is inspired by an article written by
Kristen Schorsch and a photo taken by Darrell Goemaat.

It is dedicated to my wife, Olivia or Lily as she is called in the family.)

(And for those who cannot and will not understand the real message of
this poem the key words are "nailed" and Higher Being.

Do you get the connection ? Do you feel the connection ?)

Angel D. Yabut

03-06-06

Reception

From: Angel.Yabut@silganclosures.com
Sent: Wednesday, March 15, 2006 6:09 AM
To: Reception
Cc: LADYMILY@HOTMAIL.COM
Subject: RE: Kite photo

Hello Jeannie,

The khighte in the photo has these dimensions:

Wing span - 60 inches

Distance between wings along spine - 18 inches

Wing tips - 8 inches

Tail - 44 inches

Tail to lower wing - 8.5 inches

Head is made of two bamboo sticks taped to spine and top wing

Spine is made of basswood or spruce for near-perfect straight quality.

Approximate sail area - 6 square feet

I have 12 to 15 khightes ready to fly, ranging from 3 sq. ft to 9 sq. ft sail area; wing spans ranging from 3 ft to 6 ft. If I make them any bigger they won't fit at the back of my car.

There are at least two dozen frames ready for skinning, for which I use black plastic bag, clear plastic bag (when I want to go stealthy), colored cellophane, or colored Christmas wrap. The skin is applied with nothing but one mill clear tape. I don't use ripstop for skin because I want to go "lo tech or bamboo tech", besides I don't know how to sew.

I applied a new idea to one khighte last night to prevent wing stall, which sometimes plague a few of my khightes. It's so simple it should work. Again, as soon as I win the lotto, I will apply a patent for it.

Very simple theory why I believe my khighte design will beat a delta design for the record:

The delta design is built for speed. The wind passing thru it is exited to the rear which gives it a forward push, hence greater speed. My khighte, which is a variation of some Asian bird-like design (gurion to the Philippines where I grew up), traps the wind and

vent it thru the wing tips in equal and opposite direction, giving the khighte balance and greater upward lift. Simple physics, not rocket science. I failed a physics class in college.

Warning ! Don't get too attached to my khightes. They are addictive.

Regards,

Angel the khighte maker/lover

From: Reception [mailto:jeannie@drachen.org]
Sent: Friday, March 10, 2006 4:32 PM
To: Angel Yabut
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Thanks! Angel,

For the files, what are the dimensions of this kite? It is very cool.

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Sent: Friday, August 11, 2006 6:25 AM
To: Reception
Subject: RE: oops

Hi Jeannie,

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Angel

From: Reception [mailto:jeannie@drachen.org]
Sent: Friday, January 21, 2005 2:22 PM
To: ladymily@hotmail.com
Cc: Angel Yabut
Subject: oops

Hi Angel,

I forgot to give you the following:

phone:206.282.4349
fax:206.284.5471

Jeannie

Reception

From: Angel.Yabut@silganclosures.com
Sent: Friday, August 11, 2006 6:42 AM
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From: Reception
Sent: Thursday, August 17, 2006 12:52 PM
To: Ali Fujino
Subject: FW: oops
Attachments: DSC01786.JPG

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8/18/2006

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Attachments: DSC01874.JPG

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Sent: Friday, August 11, 2006 6:17 AM
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Hi Jeannie,

Khightes Galore - I never stop making them.

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