



ROBERT FLETCHER *LUTHER BARRETT AND JEFF*

Robert Fletcher is a career illustrator. His career highlights have been two exhibits of military paintings in Washington, D.C. and publication of the book *Remembrance: A Tribute to America's Veterans*, a collaboration with his son, Rob.

High Breeze: An American Family Farm is dedicated to the family farmers of America. Located on Waywayanda Mountain in Vernon N.J. High Breeze was a 184 acre farm owned and operated by the Barrett Family from 1860 to 1983.

Luther Barrett was the last farmer to work High Breeze. He was a naturalist in the true sense, carefully working the land free of artificial insect control and soil enrichments. He cared deeply for his teams and oxen and horses. Luther was a well-known farrier and home veterinarian and could always be counted on as a neighbor and friend.

In 1968 a friendship began between farmer Luther and neighboring artist Robert Fletcher that lasted 18 years. During that time a highly unusual collection of drawings, paintings, and farm stories were assembled. *High Breeze: An American Family Farm* was created from that collection.

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