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To Whom It Concerns:

I met Captain Dana when she was recommended to me by Sara Bay Marina in June 2013. At that time I hired Captain Dana in conjunction with me chartering a Grand Banks 42 to take my wife and sister on a 3-day cruise of SW Florida. I was highly impressed by her professional approach along with her likable interpersonal skills with her customers (us). Having a technical background, I could tell right away how well she understood and treated the 42 GB and I greatly appreciated her consciousness for safety. Her pre-departure checks were both systematic and comprehensive. That I liked! Afterwards, I asked Captain Dana about "yacht deliveries" because I was close to purchasing my own GB 42. She said yes, no problem for a Florida to Texas delivery and that along the way she'd provide me, the new owner, with comprehensive instructions and training on the specific boat as well as all the general intelligence needed to run a boat partially outside and mostly inside (ICW) from FL to TX. After purchasing my GB 42 in Ft Lauderdale, Captain Dana was the first and only Captain I contacted to do the delivery to Galveston, TX. Besides Captain Dana and me, we had one other crew member on board for the entire trip. I can say unequivocally, Captain Dana did everything she said she would do, namely a) get my new boat and us safely to Texas, and b) teach me everything I needed to know to gain the confidence of running my new boat in a proper and safe manner.

I highly recommend Captain Dana and in the future, if I ever attempt a cruise I feel is beyond my capability, I'd use her again!

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