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Before I started to hunt jackal I met Gary Laubscher from [www.africanpredator.com](http://www.africanpredator.com)

We start chatting and it wasn't long before we organized a hunt together. Since then we have hunt on numerous occasions and get along well. I ordered all my equipment from Gary, who was more than helpful. He gave me everything I wanted from callers, camo nets, mouth calls, red filters, spotlights and a shooting chair. But from the beginning he told me to get myself Night Vision. As everybody knows that is really pretty expensive equipment. Hunting with Gary in the Free State I had a chance to use Night Vision, I was amassed with the clarity and the product itself, to watch a jackal come in at 400 - 600 meters. What was great that no jackal were suspicious of anything, because there was no use of red light.

During this time I was hunting jackal and lynx on a farm in Marico. These farmers have a huge problem with these predators. As everybody knows, Marico is bushveld and not the Free State. Its much easier to call in predator in open grasslands or mielie fields than in the bushveld. I hunted for about 3 weeks on that farms the last couple of months and believe it or not, I only had 1 kill on a jackal and 2 on lynx. It is very difficult terrain cause the jackal use the bush to hide itself and you only have a 3 seconds to identify, load and shoot.

Now, the problem has escalated that the farmers has no other option but to start put out poison for the predators. After a couple of meetings with the Minister of Finances "My Wife" I recently ordered myself night vision. NOW, I have the greatest advantage of anyone, I can spot the jackal before it spot me. Now more will the farmers use poison, I will have the advantage of the use of Night Vision to spot anything out to 500 - 700 meters. Fantastic !

I went out quickly last night just to set my Night Vision for my hunt in Marico, and I had fantastic results. The vehicle was set up before dark and we waited for some time so everything quiet down before I started calling. While scanning with my Night Vision I saw the 2 jackal that came running in from about 400 - 500 meters. What was great I could already identify them on that distance, with a red light a I would have only identified them on about 100 - 120 meters. They came in at 50 meters from the bakkie, next to my caller. I shot them both of them within 30 minutes of calling. That's all the results I was hoping for. The farmer had the farm for 10 years and shot two jackal, and here I come and within 30 minutes I shot 2. The farmer was ecstatic and so was I.

Conclusion, Use Night Vision to improve your results, It really give you the edge to kill the dogs in you area. Money was well spend on the Night Vision. Please don't think that R3000 is going to get you night vision. You need to have R20,000 spare to use equipment that I used I used the following Night Vision LUNA PB5 with a extended illuminator. Here is two photo's.

I would like to take this opportunity to thanks Gary Laubscher en Richard Sanders. Gary, thanks for all the advice and helping me choose the right equipment. Richard Sanders, what can I say, you will not find better service in South Africa, RicSan Agencies. Richards thanks for the equipment, I would recommend anyone to give Richard a call if you are in interested in Night Vision. Gary thanks for all the advice and all the your equipment like the Foxpro and many others, you and Richard have the best customer service in the whole of South Africa.

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