

Siskin

Dark Bay or Brown Colt; Feb 25, 2017

Siskin Foaled in Kentucky	First Defence, 04 b	Unbridled's Song, 93 gr/ro	Unbridled, 87 b Trolley Song, 83 gr/ro Seattle Slew, 74 dk b/ Toussaud, 89 dk b/ Green Desert, 83 b =Hope (IRE), 91 b Zafonic, 90 b Monroe, 77 b
	Bird Flown (GB), 11 b	Honest Lady, 96 dk b/ Oasis Dream (GB), 00 b Silver Star (GB), 96 b	

By **FIRST DEFENCE** (2004). Stakes winner of \$580,534, Forego H. **[G1]** (SAR, \$150,000), etc. Sire of 8 crops of racing age, 348 foals, 249 starters, 11 stakes winners, 1 champion, 191 winners of 616 races and earning \$20,669,758 USA, including Close Hatches (Champion in U.S., \$2,707,300, Cotillion S. **[G1]** (PRX, \$556,000), etc.), Dundonnell (\$1,764,895 USA, Pinsent Masons LLP Acomb S. **[G3]**, etc.), Antonoe (\$565,377 USA, Longines Just a Game S. **[G1]** (BEL, \$375,000), etc.), Irish Jasper (\$560,300, Thoroughbred Club of America S. **[G2]** (KEE, \$150,000), etc.), Lockdown (\$445,900, Busanda S. (AQU, \$60,000), etc.), Tombelaine (to 7, 2019, \$437,278 USA, Power E.B.F. Tetrarch S. [L], etc.), Siskin (at 2, 2019, \$328,508 USA, Keeneland Phoenix Stakes (Group 1) **[G1]**, etc.), Sky Defence (\$286,986, Curriobot H. (SUN, \$45,000), etc.).

1st dam

BIRD FLOWN (GB), by Oasis Dream (GB). Winner at 2 in FR , \$37,499 (USA). Dam of 4 foals, 1 to race, 1 winner--

SISKIN (c. by First Defence). Black type winner, see below.

2nd dam

Silver Star (GB), by Zafonic. Winner at 2 in FR , \$25,148 (USA), 3rd Prix Coronation [L]. Sister to **=XAAR (GB)** (\$591,359 (USA), European Champion 2-year-old colt, Hwt. at 3 on English Free Hand., 9 1/2 - 11 fur., Hwt. at 3 on French Free Hand., 9 1/2 - 11 fur., Hwt. at 3 on Irish Free Hand., 9 1/2 - 11 fur., Hwt. colt at 2 on European Free Hand., Hwt. colt at 3 on European Free Hand., 9 1/2 - 10 1/2 fur., Hwt. colt at 2 on English Free Hand., Hwt. colt at 2 on French Free Hand., Thoroughbred Corporation Dewhurst S. **[G1]**, etc., sire), half-sister to **MASTERCLASS** (\$248,926 (USA), Prix Quincey **[G3]**, etc., sire), **DIESE** (\$109,867 (USA), Prix Corrida **[G3]**, etc.), **ILE DE JINSKY** (\$134,841, River City H. [L] (CD, \$44,618), etc., sire), **Didicoy** (\$80,977 (USA), 2nd J. Horgan E.B.F. Pearl Sprint [L], etc.), **=Esquire** (\$45,157 (USA), 2nd Grosser Amdahl Deutschland Pokal Bayerisches Zuchtrennen **[G2]**, etc.). Dam of 9 winners--

=BARSANTI (IRE) (g. by Champs Elysees (GB)). 5 wins at 4 and 6, placed at 7, 2019 in ENG, \$345,570 (USA), Carey Group Buckhounds S. [L], 2nd Hardwicke S. **[G2]**, John Smiths Silver Cup [L] twice, Mukhadram Godolphin S. [L] twice, 3rd Smarter Bets At Matchbook Tapster S. [L], Bet Your Way On The Betfair Exchange Tapster S. [L], Carey Group Buckhounds S. [L], Totepool Pontefract Castle S. [L], etc.

Rising Tornado (f. by Storm Cat). Winner at 3 in FR , \$39,366 (USA). Dam of--

CLOSE HATCHES (f. by First Defence). 9 wins in 14 starts at 3 and 4, \$2,707,300, Champion older mare in U.S., Cotillion S. **[G1]** (PRX, \$556,000), Ogden Phipps S. **[G1]** (BEL, \$535,000), Apple Blossom H. **[G1]** (OP, \$360,000), Personal Ensign S. **[G1]** (SAR, \$300,000), Mother Goose S. **[G1]** (BEL, \$180,000), etc. Dam of--

TACITUS (c. by Tapit). 3 wins at 2 and 3, 2019, \$1,353,000, Wood Memorial S. **[G2]** (AQU, \$400,000), Lambholm South Tampa Bay Derby **[G2]** (TAM, \$210,000), 2nd Belmont S. **[G1]** (BEL, \$280,000), Jim Dandy S. **[G2]** (SAR, \$120,000), 3rd Kentucky Derby **[G1]** (CD, \$300,000).

LOCKDOWN (f. by First Defence). Winner at 2 and 3, \$445,900, Busanda S. (AQU, \$60,000), 2nd Gazelle S. **[G2]** (AQU, \$60,000), Mother Goose S. **[G2]** (BEL, \$50,000), 3rd Longines Kentucky Oaks **[G1]** (CD, \$91,000), Cotillion S. **[G1]** (PRX, \$107,900).

Hail (f. by Tapit). Winner at 2, \$76,151, 3rd Busanda S. (AQU, \$10,000).

Bird Flown (GB) (f. by Oasis Dream (GB)). See above.

=Hugin (IRE) (g. by Henrythenavigator). 3 wins at 3 and 5, 2019 in ENG and HK , placed in 1 start at 2 in IRE, \$106,186 (USA).

Silver Country (c. by Storm Cat). 5 wins at 4 and 5, \$91,184.

Magic Motif (f. by Giant's Causeway). Winner at 3 in FR , \$51,740 (USA). Producer.

Nebulous (g. by Silver Deputy). Winner at 3 and 5, \$36,883.

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Fresh Air (IRE) (f. by \$Montjeu (IRE)). Winner at 3 in FR , \$23,508 (USA).

Faraway Flower (f. by Distant View). Winner at 2 in ENG, \$19,852 (USA). Producer.

Sailing North (c. by Mizzen Mast). Placed at 3 in ENG.

=Sarim (IRE) (c. by Declaration of War). Placed at 3 in ENG.

3rd dam

MONROE, by Sir Ivor. 3 wins in 6 starts at 2 and 3 in IRE, placed in 2 starts at 2 in ENG, \$34,422 (USA), Ballyogan S.-**G3**, 2nd Gallagher Phoenix S.-**G1**, Mulcahy S.-**G3**, Castleknock Sprint S. Sister to **MALINOWSKI** (\$27,190 (USA), Champion 2-year-old in Ireland, Ladbroke Craven S.-**G3**, etc., sire), **GIELGUD** (\$56,635 (USA), Laurent Perrier Champagne S.-**G2**, etc., sire), **Minnie Hawk** (2nd Cornelscourt S., etc.), half-sister to **BLUSH WITH PRIDE** (\$536,807, Kentucky Oaks-**G1**, etc.), **Star of Bagdad** (2nd Princess Margaret S.). Dam of 14 winners--

=**XAAR (GB)** (c. by Zafonic). 5 wins in 10 starts, 2 to 3 in ENG and FR , placed in 1 start at 3 in IRE, \$591,359 (USA), European Champion 2-year-old colt, Hwt. at 3 on English Free Hand., 9 1/2 - 11 fur., Hwt. at 3 on French Free Hand., 9 1/2 - 11 fur., Hwt. at 3 on Irish Free Hand., 9 1/2 - 11 fur., Hwt. colt at 2 on European Free Hand., Hwt. colt at 3 on European Free Hand., 9 1/2 - 10 1/2 fur., Hwt. colt at 2 on English Free Hand., Hwt. colt at 2 on French Free Hand., Thoroughbred Corporation Dewhurst S. [**G1**], Prix de la Salamandre [**G1**], Prix de Cabourg [**G3**], City Index Craven S. [**G3**], 2nd Coral-Eclipse S. [**G1**], Prix Morny Piaget [**G1**], Prix Guillaume d'Ornano [**G2**], 3rd Esat Digifone Irish Champion S. [**G1**], etc. Sire.

MASTERCLASS (c. by The Minstrel). 4 wins, 2 to 4 in FR and NA , \$248,926 (USA), Prix Quincey [**G3**], 2nd CIGA Grand Criterium [**G1**], Prix Maurice de Gheest [**G2**], Prix de Saint Patrick [L], 3rd Hollywood Park Budweiser Breeders' Cup [L] (HOL, \$22,500). Set ncr at Belmont Park, 6 furlongs in 1:07.31. Sire.

ILE DE JINSKY (c. by Ile de Bourbon). 4 wins at 3 and 4, \$134,841, River City H. [L] (CD, \$44,618), Blue Skies H. (LAD, \$17,022), 3rd Fayette H. [**G2**], Gator H. [L] (LAD, \$6,166). Sire.

DIESE (f. by Diesis (GB)). 4 wins in 7 starts at 3 and 4 in FR , \$109,867 (USA), Prix Corrida [**G3**], Prix Rose de Mai [L], Prix de la Pepiniere [L], 3rd La Coupe [**G3**]. Dam of--

SENURE (c. by Nureyev). 7 wins, 2 to 5 in ENG and NA , \$764,213 (USA), United Nations H. [**G1**], Clement L. Hirsch Memorial Turf Championship S. [**G1**], Fastness H. [**G3**], Steinlen H. [L] (HOL, \$48,450), 2nd Charles Whittingham H. [**G1**]. Sire.

SPEAK IN PASSING (c. by Danzig). 5 wins, 2 to 6 in FR and NA , \$284,778 (USA), San Simeon H. [**G3**] (SA, \$82,500), 2nd Hollywood Turf Express H. [**G3**], Morvich H. [**G3**], Live the Dream H. [L] (DMR, \$15,330). Sire.

DEXTERITY (c. by Kingmambo). 4 wins, 4 to 6 in ENG and FR , \$109,774 (USA), Grand Prix Anjou Bretagne-Prix des Vignerons du Gros Plant Nantais [L]. Sire.

Terrazzo (g. by Nureyev). 13 wins, 4 to 10 in ENG and FR , \$269,769 (USA), 3rd Prix Vicomtesse Vigier [**G2**], Prix Gladiateur [**G3**], Grand Prix de la Ville de Nantes [L], Prix Denisy [L] twice.

Cochin (f. by Swain (IRE)). Winner at 3 in FR , \$17,069 (USA). Dam of--

=**PERMIT (GB)** (g. by \$Dansili (GB)). 9 wins, 3 to 7 in AUS and FR , \$665,701 (USA), Schweppes Chairman's H. [**G2**], Longest Ride N E Manion Cup [**G3**], Ambassador Travel N. E. Manion Cup [L], Tattersall's Club Cup [L], Inglis Christmas Cup [L], etc.

=**Seaport (GB)** (g. by Champs Elysees (GB)). 3 wins at 3 and 4 in FR , placed at 7 in ENG, \$76,877 (USA), 2nd OSAF Prix de Reux [**G3**].

Five Fields (f. by Chester House). Winner at 3 in ENG, \$7,865 (USA). Dam of--

=**UPCOUNTRY (GB)** (g. by Oasis Dream (GB)). 6 wins, 3 to 5 in ENG and MAC, Macau Spring Trophy [L], 2nd Macau Director's Cup [L], Macau Sprint Trophy [L], 3rd SJM Macau Derby [L].

Seatone (f. by Mizzen Mast). Winner at 3 in FR , \$17,188 (USA). Dam of--

=**Romanesque (IRE)** (g. by \$Montjeu (IRE)). Winner at 3 and 4 in AUS and IRE, \$75,907 (USA), 3rd Sungold Milk Warrnambool Cup [L].

Starlight Night (f. by Distant View). Placed at 3 in ENG, \$3,031 (USA). Dam of--

=**Divine Night (IRE)** (f. by Danehill). Winner at 2 in IRE, \$26,952 (USA), 3rd Derrinstown Stud One Thousand Guineas Trial [**G3**].

Il Palazzo (f. by Giant's Causeway). Placed at 3 in IRE, \$5,335 (USA). Dam of--

=**STILL STANDING (IRE)** (c. by Mastercraftsman (IRE)). 5 wins in 9 starts, 2 to 4, 2019 in IRE, \$94,686 (USA), Devoy S. [L].

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- Didicoy** (f. by Danzig). 3 wins in 5 starts at 2 and 3 in ENG, placed in 1 start at 3 in IRE, \$80,977 (USA), 2nd J. Horgan E.B.F. Pearl Sprint [L], 3rd Waterford Candelabra S. [G3]. Dam of--
- DIDINA (GB)** (f. by Nashwan). 5 wins, 2 to 3 in ENG and NA , \$202,606 (USA), Dahlia H. [G2], City of York S. [L], 2nd Wilshire H. [G2], 3rd Gamely H. [G1], Kyoto Sceptre S. [L]. Dam of--
- COLONIALISM** (c. by Empire Maker). 9 wins, 3 to 6 in CHI and NA , \$165,756 (USA), Ilustre Municipalidad de Santiago [L]. Sire.
- TANTINA** (f. by Distant View). 4 wins in 5 starts at 3 in ENG, \$89,961 (USA), Oak Tree S. [L], JRA London Offices Kyoto Sceptre S. [L], 3rd Charlton Hunt Supreme S. [G3]. Dam of--
- =CITYSCAPE (GB)** (c. by Selkirk). 6 wins, 2 to 6 in ENG, FR , IRE and UAE, placed at 5 and 6 in HK , ITY and NA , \$4,653,891 (USA), Hwt. older horse at 5 on Irish Free Hand., 7 - 9 1/2 fur., Hwt. older horse at 6 on United Arab Emirates Free Hand., 7 - 9 1/2 fur., Dubai Duty Free [G1], Prix Perth [G3], Nayef Joel S. [G3], Woodies DIY Supporting Irish Autism Solonaway S. [G3], Betfred Goals Galore Superior Mile [L], etc. Sire.
- =BATED BREATH (GB)** (c. by \$Dansili (GB)). 6 wins, 3 to 5 in ENG, placed in 1 start at 4 in NA , \$664,036 (USA), Betfred.com Temple S. [G2], Sportingbet.com Leisure S. [L], 2nd Nearctic S. [G1] (WO, \$100,000(CAN)), Darley July Cup [G1], King's Stand S. [G1], etc. Sire.
- =Scuffle (GB)** (f. by \$Daylami (IRE)). 3 wins at 3 in ENG, \$49,958 (USA), 3rd Oddschecker.com Snowdrop Fillies' S. [L].
- Trekking** (f. by Gone West). Winner at 3 and 4 in ENG and NA , \$104,746 (USA), 2nd Santa Barbara H. [G2] (SA, \$50,000). Dam of--
- Hiking** (f. by First Defence). 4 wins, 2 to 5 in ENG and NA , \$114,171 (USA), 2nd Possibly Perfect S. [L] (SA, \$15,280).
- Auction Room** (f. by Chester House). Winner at 2 in ENG, \$14,821 (USA). Dam of--
- CRYING LIGHTENING (IRE)** (f. by =Holy Roman Emperor (IRE)). 3 wins, 2 to 3 in ENG and UAE, placed at 4 in NA , \$141,658 (USA), Miles & Morrison E.B.F. October S. [L], 2nd German-Thoroughbred.com Sweet Solera S. [G3], 3rd Weatherbys Bloodstock Insurance Star S. [L].
- =Lucky Bridle (IRE)** (g. by Dylan Thomas (IRE)). 5 wins, 3 to 5 in FR and IRE, \$90,875 (USA), 2nd Prix de Saint-Patrick [L], 3rd Prix de Tourgeville [L].
- Lilyfire** (f. by First Defence). Winner in 2 starts at 2 in ENG, \$12,344 (USA). Dam of--
- =Chaleur (GB)** (f. by \$Dansili (GB)). 2 wins at 2, placed at 3, 2019 in ENG, \$65,814 (USA), 3rd Duchess Of Cambridge S. [G2].
- Nessina** (f. by Hennessy). Unraced. Dam of--
- =AJAYA (GB)** (c. by =Invincible Spirit (IRE)). 2 wins at 2 in ENG, placed in 1 start at 2 in FR , \$256,315 (USA), Irish Thoroughbred Marketing Gimcrack S. [G2], 2nd Prix Robert Papin [G2].
- =Extra Elusive (GB)** (c. by Mastercraftsman (IRE)). 3 wins at 2 and 3, placed at 4, 2019 in ENG, \$62,615 (USA), 2nd Matchbook Magnolia S. [L], Davies Insurance Services Gala S. [L], 3rd Bet365 Gordon Richards S. [G3].
- =STAR CLUSTER (GB)** (f. by Observatory). Winner at 2 and 3 in ENG, \$48,648 (USA), Weatherbys VAT Services Distaff S. [L]. Producer.
- ESPIONAGE (GB)** (c. by Zafonic). 2 wins in 3 starts at 3 in FR , \$43,062 (USA), Prix Ridgway [L].
- =Explode (GB)** (g. by Zafonic). 2 wins at 3 in ENG, \$29,764 (USA), 3rd Lawdirect James Seymour S. [L].
- =Rakli (GB)** (f. by Warning (GB)). Placed in 1 start at 2 in ENG. Dam of--
- Flinch (GB)** (f. by Zafonic). 4 wins at 3 and 4 in FR and NA , \$98,771 (USA), 3rd Top Corsage S. [L] (AP, \$5,885). Producer.
- =Lamping (GB)** (f. by Warning (GB)). Unraced in Great Britain. Dam of--
- =Luther (ITY)** (c. by =Martino Alonso (IRE)). 4 wins at 3 and 5 in ITY, \$105,307 (USA), 2nd Premio Enrico Camici [L] twice.
- =Esquire** (c. by =High Line (GB)). 3 wins at 3 and 4 in ENG, placed at 4 in GER and IRE, \$45,157 (USA), 2nd Grosser Amdahl Deutschland Pokal Bayerisches Zuchtrennen [G2], Pacemaker International S. [G3], Gerry Feilden S. [L], 4th Diomed S. [G3].

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Silver Star (GB) (f. by Zafonic). Black type placed winner, see above.

Victoriana (f. by Storm Bird). Winner at 3 in FR , \$5,847 (USA). Dam of--

=**VICTORIAN ORDER (GB)** (c. by Zamindar). 4 wins at 3 and 4 in FR , placed at 5 in IRE, \$87,306 (USA), Prix Pelleas [L], 3rd La Coupe **[G3]**.

Victorian Style (GB) (f. by Nashwan). 4 wins at 3 and 4 in ENG and NA , \$107,000 (USA), 3rd Flawlessly H. [L] (HOL, \$9,000), Reloy H. [L] (SA, \$9,000). Producer.

=Attribute (GB) (f. by Warning (GB)). Placed at 2 in ENG. Dam of--

=Danza Nera (IRE) (f. by \$Dansili (GB)). Placed at 3 in IRE. Dam of--

=**Jalapeno (IRE)** (c. by =Windsor Knot (IRE)). 6 wins, 2 to 5, placed at 6, 2019 in ITY, \$131,838 (USA), 3rd Premio Circo Massimo Tattersalls [L], Premio Criterium di Pisa [L], Premio Conte Felice Scheibler [L].

=In The Past (GB) (f. by Zafonic). Unplaced in 1 start in FR . Dam of--

=**DOMESDAY (AUS)** (c. by Red Ransom). 2 wins at 2 in AUS, \$293,202 (USA), Silver Slipper S. **[G2]**, 2nd Grease the Arena Spectacular Todman S. **[G2]**. Sire.

Danthonia (f. by Northern Dancer). Winner at 2 in ENG. Dam of--

ZANTE (GB) (f. by Zafonic). 3 wins at 3 and 5 in ENG and NA , \$165,739 (USA), Upavon Fillies S. [L], 2nd Ballymacoll Stud S. [L], 3rd Estrapade S. [L] (HOL, \$18,000), Bold Ballet S. -R (SA, \$7,662). Producer.

Requete (GB) (c. by Rainbow Quest). 3 wins at 3 and 4 in FR and NA , \$308,050 (USA), 2nd Woodford Reserve Turf Classic S. **[G1]** (CD, \$89,060), Manhattan H. **[G1]** (BEL, \$80,000). Sire.

Questionia (GB) (f. by Rainbow Quest). 2 wins at 3 in ENG, \$35,474 (USA). Dam of--

Query (f. by Distant View). Unraced. Dam of--

=**Sensei (IRE)** (c. by Dr Fong). Winner at 2 and 3 in ENG and MAC, 3rd Matalan Washington Singer S. [L].

=Concept (GB) (f. by Zafonic). Unraced in Great Britain. Dam of--

=Statenice (GB) (f. by \$Montjeu (IRE)). Unplaced in IRE. Dam of--

=**Alfonsine (IRE)** (f. by =Approve (IRE)). 3 wins at 2 in ITY, \$41,271 (USA), 2nd Premio Repubbliche Marinare [L], 3rd Premio Criterium Femminile-Memorial Tudini [L].

Gyrfalcon (GB) (c. by Zafonic). 6 wins, 2 to 8 in NA and FR , \$138,112 (USA). Sire.

Mountain Top (GB) (g. by Zafonic). 5 wins at 4 and 6 in NA , placed at 3 in FR , \$74,660 (USA).

Easy Choice (c. by Easy Goer). 6 wins, 3 to 6 in ENG and NA , placed at 3 in FR , \$49,403 (USA).

Reassure (c. by Halo). Winner at 4 in NA , placed at 3 and 4 in AUS and ENG, \$45,580 (USA). Sire.

=Modus Vivendi (GB) (c. by Zafonic). Winner in 4 starts at 2 and 3 in FR , \$32,135 (USA). Sire.

Private Audience (c. by Private Account). Placed at 6 in NA , \$7,131 (USA).

=Motion (GB) (f. by Zafonic). Placed at 3 in FR , \$3,716 (USA). Producer.

=Stardom (GB) (f. by Known Fact). Unraced in Great Britain. Dam of--

=**TRICK OF LIGHT (GB)** (f. by \$Dansili (GB)). 6 wins, 3 to 5 in AUS and ENG, \$213,522 (USA), Queen of the South S. **[G2]**, 2nd Matron S. **[G3]**. Producer.

Supercharger (GB) (f. by Zamindar). Unraced. Dam of--

=**Anonimo Veneziano (GB)** (g. by =Compton Place (GB)). 5 wins, 3 to 8 in ITY, \$84,314 (USA), Hwt. at 3 on Italian Free Hand., 5 - 7 fur., 3rd Premio Gardone [L].

=**Amante Latino (GB)** (c. by Mujahid). 11 wins, 2 to 9 in ITY, \$309,940 (USA), 2nd Premio Gardone [L], 3rd Premio Parioli Gioco del Lotto-Italian Two Thousand Guineas **[G3]**, Premio Chiusura **[G3]**, Premio del Piazzale-Memorial Enrico Camici [L], Premio Signorino [L].

RACE RECORD for Siskin: In Ireland. At 2, 2019, four wins (Keeneland Phoenix Stakes (Group 1) **[G1]**, GAIN Railway S. **[G2]**, Irish Stallion Farms E.B.F. Marble Hill S. [L]) in 4 starts. Earned 292,470 Euro (\$328,508 USA). Sent from United States to Ireland in 2018.