

# =Falcon Eight (IRE)

Bay Gelding; Feb 20, 2015

=Falcon Eight (IRE) Foaled in Ireland	\$Galileo (IRE), 98 b	Sadler's Wells, 81 b	Northern Dancer, 61 b Fairy Bridge, 75 b Miswaki, 78 ch Allegretta (GB), 78 ch Danzig, 77 b Razyana, 81 b Affirmed, 75 ch Talking Picture, 71 dk b/
	=Polished Gem (IRE), 03 b	Urban Sea, 89 ch	
		Danehill, 86 b	
		Trusted Partner, 85 ch	

**By GALILEO (IRE)** (1998). European Champion, Classic winner of \$2,245,373 USA in England and Ireland, Budweiser Irish Derby **[G1]**, etc. Leading sire 21 times in Czechoslovakia/Czech Republic, England, France, Ireland and Slovakia, sire of 19 crops of racing age, 3234 foals, 2483 starters, 373 stakes winners, 17 champions, 1689 winners of 4399 races and earning \$312,293,482 USA, including Russian Emperor (Champion in Hong Kong, to 6, 2023, \$5,217,408 USA, Citi Hong Kong Gold Cup **[G1]**, etc.), Frankel (European Horse of the year, \$4,789,144 USA, QIPCO Two Thousand Guineas **[G1]**, etc.), New Approach (European Champion twice, \$3,885,308 USA, Vodafone Epsom Derby **[G1]**, etc.), Cape Blanco (IRE) (Champion in U.S., \$3,855,665 USA, Dubai Duty Free Irish Derby **[G1]**, etc.).

## 1st dam

=Polished Gem (IRE), by Danehill. Winner at 2 in IRE, \$19,944 (USA). Broodmare of the year in 2015. Broodmare of the year in 2022. Sister to **DRESS TO THRILL (IRE)**. Dam of 10 foals, 10 to race, 10 winners--

=**KYPRIOS (IRE)** (c. by \$Galileo (IRE)). 8 wins in 12 starts, 2 to 4, placed at 5, 2023 in ENG, IRE and FR , \$1,484,460 (USA), Hwt. older horse at 4 on European Free Hand., 14 fur. & up, Hwt. older horse at 4 on English Free Hand., 14 fur. & up, Hwt. older horse at 4 on French Free Hand., 14 fur. & up, Hwt. older horse at 4 on Irish Free Hand., 14 fur. & up, Gold Cup **[G1]**, Al Shaqab Goodwood Cup S. British Champions Series **[G1]**, Comer Group International Irish St. Leger **[G1]**, Qatar Prix du Cadran **[G1]**, Saval Beg Levmosse S. **[G3]**, Vintage Crop S. [L], 2nd Comer Group International Irish St. Leger **[G1]**, Qipco British Champions Long Distance Cup **[G2]**.

=**SEARCH FOR A SONG (IRE)** (f. by \$Galileo (IRE)). 5 wins, 3 to 5 in ENG and IRE, placed at 6 in FR , \$1,086,486 (USA), Hwt. at 3 on Irish Free Hand., 14 fur. & up, Hwt. older mare at 4 on European Free Hand., 14 fur. & up, Hwt. older mare at 5 on European Free Hand., 14 fur. & up, Hwt. older mare at 4 on English Free Hand., 14 fur. & up, Hwt. older mare at 4 on Irish Free Hand., 14 fur. & up, Hwt. older mare at 5 on Irish Free Hand., 14 fur. & up, Comer Group International Irish St. Leger **[G1]** twice, Raa Atoll Loughbrown S. **[G3]**, British E.B.F. & Sir Henry Cecil Galtres S. [L], 2nd Prix Royal-Oak **[G1]**, QIPCO British Champions Long Distance Cup **[G2]**, Comer Group International Irish St Leger Trial S. **[G3]**, Irish Stallion Farms E.B.F Naas Oaks Trial [L], Vintage Crop S. [L], etc.

=**CUSTOM CUT (IRE)** (g. by =Notnowcato (GB)). 13 wins, 3 to 8 in ENG and IRE, \$951,925 (USA), Hwt. older horse at 6 on Irish Free Hand., 7 - 9 1/2 fur., Clipper Logistics Boomerang S. **[G2]**, Shadwell Joel S. **[G2]**, Bet365 Sandown Mile **[G2]**, Betfred Play Todays 2million Scoop6 Strensall S. **[G3]**, Invesco Pension Consultants Desmond S. **[G3]**, Ard Glen Construction Amethyst S. **[G3]**, Big Bad Bob Gladness S. **[G3]**, Skybet Supporting The Yorkshire Racing Summer Festival Pomfret S. [L], etc.

=**FREE EAGLE (IRE)** (c. by High Chaparral (IRE)). 3 wins in 6 starts, 2 to 4 in ENG and IRE, \$926,416 (USA), Hwt. older horse at 4 on European Free Hand., 9 1/2 - 11 fur., Prince Of Wales's S. **[G1]**, KPMG Kilternan Enterprise S. **[G3]**, 2nd Icon Breeders Cup Juvenile Turf Trial **[G3]**, 3rd QIPCO Champion S. **[G1]**, QIPCO Irish Champion S. **[G1]**. Sire.

=**SAPPHIRE (IRE)** (f. by =Medicean (GB)). 6 wins in 11 starts, 3 to 4 in IRE and ENG, \$518,947 (USA), Hwt. older mare at 4 on Irish Free Hand., 11 - 14 fur., QIPCO British Champions Fillies & Mares S. **[G2]**, Kerry Group Noblesse S. **[G3]**, Irish Stallion Farms E.B.F. Give Thanks S. **[G3]**, Go Racing in Kildare Finale S. [L], 2nd Barclays Bank Ireland Pretty Polly S. **[G1]**, Www.thetote.com Blandford S. **[G2]**, 3rd Irish Stallion Farms E.B.F. Hurry Harriet S. [L]. Dam of--

=**Federica Sophia (IRE)** (f. by \$Galileo (IRE)). Winner at 3 in IRE, \$53,812 (USA), 2nd Irish Stallion Farms E.B.F. Stanerra S. **[G3]**, Her Majesty's Plate [L], 3rd Irish Stallion Farms E.B.F. Give Thanks S. **[G3]**.

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=**Kiss For A Jewel (IRE)** (f. by =Kingman (GB)). 2 wins at 3 in IRE, \$51,162 (USA), 3rd Kilboy Estate S. [G2].

=**VALAC (IRE)** (g. by =Dark Angel (IRE)). 12 wins, 5 to 9 in AUS, placed at 3 in IRE, \$448,653 (USA), Dominant Queens Cup [G3], R.M. Ansett Classic [L].

=**FALCON EIGHT (IRE)** (g. by \$Galileo (IRE)). Black type winner, see below.

=**AMMA GRACE (IRE)** (f. by \$Galileo (IRE)). Winner at 2 and 3 in IRE, \$90,880 (USA), Trigo S. [L], 2nd Moyglare Jewels Blandford S. [G2].

=Rich History (IRE) (c. by Dubawi (IRE)). 3 wins at 4 in QA , \$104,175 (USA).

Amber Romance (IRE) (f. by =Bahamian Bounty (GB)). Winner at 4 in IRE, \$9,373 (USA). Producer.

## 2nd dam

**TRUSTED PARTNER**, by Affirmed. 3 wins in 5 starts at 2 and 3 in IRE, \$204,132 (USA), Hwt. filly at 3 on Irish Free Hand., 7 - 9 1/2 fur., Goffs Irish One Thousand Guineas [G1], C. L. Weld Park S. [G3], 2nd Mount Coote Stud Matron S. [G3]. Sister to **EASY TO COPY** (\$70,423 (USA), Champion miler in Ireland, Premio Legnano [G2], etc.), **LOW KEY AFFAIR** (\$294,159 (USA), Chicago Budweiser Breeders' Cup H. [G3], etc.), **EPICURE'S GARDEN** (\$31,242 (USA), Hermitage Farm S. [L], etc.), **Magical Cliche** (3rd Derrinstown Stud One Thousand Guineas Trial S. [L]), half-sister to **GUARANTEED INCOME** (\$38,001 (USA), Coors Portland Mile H. (PM, \$16,410)). Dam of 11 winners--

**DRESS TO THRILL (IRE)** (f. by Danehill). 7 wins in 14 starts, 2 to 4 in IRE, ENG and NA , \$777,158 (USA), Matriarch S. [G1] (HOL, \$300,000), Peugeot Sun Chariot S. [G2], All Along Breeders' Cup S. [G3] (CNL, \$120,000), Desmond S. [G3], Matron S. [G3], E.B.F. Brownstown S. [L], Flame of Tara Tyros S. [L], 2nd Moyglare Stud S. [G1]. Dam of--

=Supernovae (IRE) (f. by =Dalakhani (IRE)). Winner at 3 in IRE, \$15,661 (USA). Dam of--

=**SOLENE LILYETTE (IRE)** (f. by =Pivotal (GB)). 3 wins at 4 in IRE, \$60,186 (USA), Irish Stallion Farms E.B.F. Hurry Harriet S. [L].

Ki Maniere (IRE) (f. by Sadler's Wells). Unraced. Dam of--

**Glory** (f. by Tapit). 3 wins at 3, \$202,690, 2nd Santa Ana S. [G2] (SA, \$40,000), California Oaks (GG, \$10,000), 3rd Robert J. Frankel S. [G3] (SA, \$12,000), Santa Ysabel S. [G3] (SA, \$12,000). Dam of--

**Escape Artist** (r. by Good Magic). 2 wins at 3, 2023, \$125,967, 3rd Singletary S. (SA, \$12,000).

=**Act of Defiance (IRE)** (c. by Caerleon). 6 wins, 2 to 7 in IRE, \$57,517 (USA), 3rd Tyros S. [L].

=Polished Gem (IRE) (f. by Danehill). See above.

=Trust in Luck (IRE) (f. by Nashwan). Winner at 3 in IRE, \$5,505 (USA). Dam of--

=**Aahaykid (IRE)** (g. by Intikhab). Winner at 2 in ENG, \$19,062 (USA), 3rd Mountgrange Stud Horris Hill S. [G3].

=Out of Thanks (IRE) (f. by Sadler's Wells). 2 wins at 3 in IRE, \$39,983 (USA). Dam of--

=**LOVE LOCKDOWN (IRE)** (g. by Verglas (IRE)). 4 wins in 7 starts at 2 in ENG and IRE, placed at 3 and 4 in HK , \$183,702 (USA), Totepool Sirenia S. [G3], Kerry Spring Water Rochestown S. [L], 3rd Julia Graves Roses S. [L].

=Small Sacrifice (IRE) (f. by Sadler's Wells). Unraced in Ireland. Dam of--

=**TABLE ROCK (IRE)** (g. by =Fastnet Rock (AUS)). 5 wins, 3 to 5 in HK , IRE and ENG, \$643,136 (USA), Hastings Direct Sir Henry Cecil Stubbs S. [L], 2nd Queen Mother Memorial Cup [L].

=**THUNDER MOON (IRE)** (c. by Zoffany (IRE)). 2 wins at 2 in IRE, placed at 2 and 3 in ENG and FR , \$365,398 (USA), Goffs Vincent O'Brien National S. [G1], 2nd Haras d'Etreham Prix Jean Prat [G1], 3rd Darley Dewhurst S. [G1], Hollywoodbets Gladness S. [G3].

=Tiny Petal (IRE) (f. by Grand Lodge). Unraced in Ireland. Dam of--

=**VERT DE GRECE (IRE)** (c. by Verglas (IRE)). 2 wins in 4 starts at 2 in IRE and FR , \$232,074 (USA), Criterium International [G1], 2nd Galileo E.B.F. Futurity S. [G2]. Sire.

=Archive Footage (GB) (g. by Sadler's Wells). 8 wins, 3 to 7 in IRE, \$148,852 (USA).

=Striking Force (IRE) (g. by Danehill). 5 wins at 6 and 8 in IRE, \$85,634 (USA).

=Brave Raider (IRE) (g. by Dixieland Band). 3 wins at 3 and 4 in IRE, \$22,622 (USA).

=Tackling Reality (IRE) (c. by Soviet Star). 4 wins at 3 and 5 in ITY, \$18,701 (USA).

=Blend of Pace (IRE) (f. by Sadler's Wells). Winner at 3 in IRE, \$17,750 (USA). Producer.

=Battle In Hand (IRE) (g. by Rock of Gibraltar (IRE)). Winner at 4 in IRE, \$13,693 (USA).

=Foolish Thought (IRE) (g. by Green Desert). Winner at 4 in ENG, placed at 2 in IRE, \$5,413 (USA).

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=Wow The Critics (IRE) (f. by Danehill). Placed in 2 starts at 3 in IRE, \$3,370 (USA). Producer.

=Myth And Magic (IRE) (f. by =Namid (GB)). Unraced in Ireland. Dam of--

=**Eudokia (GB)** (f. by Duke of Marmalade (IRE)). 4 wins, 3 to 5 in GER and FR , placed in 2 starts at 5 in ITY, \$41,635 (USA), 3rd Premio Giovanni Falck [L]. Producer.

RACE RECORD for =Falcon Eight (IRE): In Ireland. At 2, unraced; at 3, two wins, once 3rd (Loughbrown S. [**G3**] in 3 starts. Earned 23,264 Euro (\$27,063 USA). In England. At 4, one win (Coral Marathon Esher S. [L]) in 2 starts. Earned 34,744 Pounds (\$43,189 USA). In France. At 4, unplaced in 1 start. Earned 8,580 Euro (\$9,420 USA). In Ireland. At 4, once 2nd (Saval Beg Levmoos S. [L]) in 1 start; at 5, once 3rd (Saval Beg Levmoos S. [L]) in 2 starts; at 6, unplaced in 1 start. Earned 15,175 Euro (\$17,003 USA). In England. At 6, one win in 2 starts; at 7, unplaced in 2 starts. Earned 75,295 Pounds (\$102,846 USA). In Ireland. At 7, two wins, once 2nd, once 3rd. Earned 36,040 Euro (\$36,890 USA). In England. At 8, 2023, unplaced in 2 starts. In Ireland. At 8, 2023, one win (Comer Group International Loughbrown Stakes (Group 3) [**G3**]), once 2nd in 2 starts. Earned 147,000 Euro (\$156,943 USA). Grand Totals: 7 wins, 3 times 2nd, 3 times 3rd. Earned \$393,354(USA).