By SIDESTEP (AUS) (2010). Champion 2-year-old colt in Australia, Stakes winner of $1,333,448 USA in Australia, Arrowfield Royal Sovereign S. [G2], Bowermans Office Furniture Pago Pago S. [G2], etc. Sire of 6 crops of racing age, 459 foals, 264 starters, 4 stakes winners, 1 champion, 139 winners of 362 races and earning $10,698,074 USA, including Kiamichi (Champion in Australia, $1,676,372 USA, Longines Golden Slipper [G1], etc.), Sidefish Fal (Hwt. in Morocco), Real Appeal (GER) (to 6, 2023, $342,244 USA, Clipper Logistics Boomerang Mile Solonaway S. [G2], etc.), Best Lightning (to 5, 2023, $178,988 USA, Derby du Languedoc [L], etc.), Step by Step ($94,597 USA, Derby du Languedoc [L], etc.), Surreal Step ($279,193 USA, 2nd Kia Ora Stud Ortensia S. [L], etc.).

1st dam
=Best Dreaming (GER), by Big Shuffle. 3 wins at 3 and 4 in GER, $70,366 (USA). Half-sister to =BEST WALKING (GER), =BEST JOKING (GER), =Best Smiling (GER), =Best in Show (GER). Dam of 6 foals, 4 to race, 4 winners--
=BEST LIGHTNING (FR) (c. by =Sidestep (AUS)). Black type winner, see below.
=Best Spirit (FR) (g. by Tertullian). Winner at 4 in GER, placed, 2 to 5 in FR, $41,255 (USA).
=Best Evening (FR) (f. by =Sommerabend (GB)). Winner at 5, 2022 in GER, placed at 3 and 4 in FR, $17,854 (USA).

2nd dam
=Bergwelt (GER), by =Solarstern (FR). 7 wins, 3 to 5 in GER, $38,316 (USA). Half-sister to =Be my Dream (GER) ($64,562 (USA), 2nd Hippodrom-Flieger-Preis [L], etc.). Dam of 10 winners--
=BEST JOKING (GER) (f. by Big Shuffle). 5 wins, 3 to 4 in FR and GER, $133,362 (USA), Hwt. older mare at 4 on German Free Hand., 5 - 7 fur., Coolmore Stud Baden-Baden-Cup [L], Weidenpescher Stutenpreis E.B.F.-Kolner Sprint-Preis [L], 2nd Flieger-Preis [L], 3rd Prix MTPA "Office de Tourisme de l'île Maurice" Prix du Cercle [L], Flieger-Preis [L].
=BEST WALKING (GER) (f. by Big Shuffle). 3 wins, 2 to 4 in GER and FR, $83,886 (USA), Hwt. older mare at 4 on German Free Hand., 5 - 7 fur., Prix de Saint-Georges [G3], Prix du Cercle [L], 3rd Dallmayr Coupe Lukull [L].
=Berger (GER) (c. by =Dashing Blade (GB)). 8 wins in 16 starts, 3 to 6 in ITY, placed at 2 and 5 in GER, $130,794 (USA), 3rd Grosser Preis der Freien Hansestadt Bremen [G3].
=Best Dreaming (GER) (f. by Big Shuffle). Black type placed winner, see above.
=Best Smiling (GER) (f. by Big Shuffle). Winner at 3 in GER, $18,807 (USA), 3rd WH Sport International-Silberner Peitsche [L], Spielbank Bad Neuenahr-Europa-Sprint [L], Producer.
=Best in Show (GER) (f. by Big Shuffle). Winner at 3 and 4 in GER, 3rd Wetten XXL Oster-Stutenpreis [L].
=Bellcaro (GER) (g. by =Areion (GER)). 12 wins, 3 to 9, placed at 10, 2022 in FR and GER, $193,911 (USA).
=Best Dancing (GER) (f. by Keos). 3 wins at 3 and 4 in GER, $10,408 (USA). Producer.
=Best Roaring (GER) (f. by Royal Dragon). Winner at 4 in GER, $7,664 (USA). Producer.
=Betti Barcli (GER) (f. by Goolfalk). 2 wins at 4 in GER, $5,517 (USA).
=Best Moving (GER) (f. by =Reset (AUS)). Unraced. Dam of--
BINTI AL NAR (GER) (f. by =Areion (GER)). Winner at 2 and 3 in GER and ITY, placed at 3 and 4 in FR and NA, $222,464 (USA), Premio Elena E Sergio Cumani [G3], 2nd Premio Dormello [G3], Sparkasse Holstein Cup [G3], Preis des Lillas [L], 3rd Premio Verziere Memorial Aldo Cirla [G3].
=Best on Stage (GER) (f. by =Pastorius (GER)). Winner at 2 and 4 in GER and IRE, $55,163 (USA), 2nd Irish Stallion Farms E.B.F. Garnet S. [L], Grosser Preis der Burckhardt Metall
Glas GmbH [L].

3rd dam
Best Selling, by Double Zeus. Placed in 1 start at 3 in FR. Dam of 6 winners--

=Be my Dream (GER) (f. by Dictator's Song). 2 wins at 2 in GER, $64,562 (USA). 2nd Hippodrom-Flieger-Preis [L], 3rd Koelner Flieger-Preis [L]. Dam of--

=Bold Dragon (GER) (c. by Royal Dragon). Placed in 2 starts at 2 in ITY, Champion imported 2-year-old colt in Austria.

=Boa Vista (GER) (f. by =Dashing Blade (GB)). Placed at 3 in GER and ITY, $17,359 (USA), 3rd Henkel-Stutenpreis [L].

=Bergwelt (GER) (f. by =Solarstern (FR)). See above.

=Belanco (GER) (c. by Dictator's Song). 6 wins, 3 to 5 in GER, $30,409 (USA).

=Bold Step (GER) (c. by =Experte (GER)). 6 wins, 3 to 8 in GER, $28,188 (USA).

=Bardera (GER) (f. by =Pharly (FR)). 3 wins at 4 in GER, $10,279 (USA). Producer.

=Blushing Dancer (GER) (c. by Dictator's Song). Winner at 3 in GER, $6,287 (USA).

=Boy of Love (GB) (c. by Dictator's Song). Placed at 2 in GER.

=Bold Prince (FR) (c. by =Pampabird (IRE)). Placed in 2 starts at 4 in GER.

4th dam
BERGLUFT (GER), by =Literat (GER). 5 wins at 3 and 4 in GER, Konrad Werner Wille-Memorial, Loden-Frey-Pokal. Half-sister to =BURKAU (GER) (Jacobs-Kaffee-Rennen). Dam of 2 winners, including--

Best Selling (f. by Double Zeus). See above.

RACE RECORD for =Best Lightning (FR): In France. At 2, two wins, once 2nd (Prix Herod [L]) in 3 starts. Earned 29,760 Euro ($35,071 USA). In Germany. At 3, once 2nd (Mehl Mulhens Rennen Two Thousand Guineas [G2]), once 3rd (Grosser Preis der Landeshauptstadt Dresden [G3]) in 2 starts. Earned 26,250 Euro ($31,730 USA). In France. At 3, once 2nd (Prix Paul de Moussac Longines [G3]). Earned 17,050 Euro ($20,246 USA). In Italy. At 4, 2022, unplaced in 1 start. In England. At 4, 2022, unplaced in 1 start. Earned 3,766 Pounds ($4,532 USA). In Germany. At 4, 2022, two wins (Kronimus Badener Meile [G2]) in 4 starts. Earned 47,300 Euro ($50,157 USA). In France. At 4, 2022, unraced; at 5, 2023, unplaced in 1 start. In Germany. At 5, 2023, one win (34. GROSSER PREIS DER WIRTSCHAFT [G3]). Earned 34,000 Euro ($37,252 USA). Grand Totals: 5 wins, 3 times 2nd, once 3rd. Earned $178,988(USA).