

Background

Chestnut Gelding; Mar 31, 2017

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| Background Foaled in Florida | Khozan, 12 dk b/ | Distorted Humor, 93 ch | Forty Niner, 85 ch Danzig's Beauty, 87 b A.P. Indy, 89 dk b/ Lyphard's Delta, 90 dk b/ Pulpit, 94 b Multiply, 92 b Beau Genius, 85 ch North East Dancer, 87 dk b/ |
| | | Delta Princess, 99 dk b/ | |
| | Ephyra, 10 ch | Corinthian, 03 ch | |
| | | North East Belle, 99 ch | |

By KHOZAN (2012). Winner of \$49,200, Sire of 3 crops of racing age, 166 foals, 121 starters, 9 stakes winners, 81 winners of 206 races and earning \$7,052,806 USA, including Princess Secret (\$446,400, FTBOA Florida Sire My Dear Girl S. -R (GP, \$240,000), etc.), Liam's Lucky Charm (\$342,800, Pasco S. (TAM, \$105,000), etc.), Background (to 4, 2021, \$287,532, Longacres Mile H. **[G3]** (EMD, \$55,000), etc.), Poppy's Pride (\$214,694, Inaugural S. (TAM, \$80,000), etc.), Me and Mr. C (to 4, 2021, \$205,290, Grey Goose Turf Classic S. -R (TAM, \$70,000), etc.), Sebs Princess (\$172,765, Louisiana Jewel S. -R (DED, \$60,000)), Legal Deal (to 4, 2021, \$162,710, Millions Sprint Preview S. -R (GPW, \$36,828)), Go Jo Jo Go (\$112,800, FTBOA Florida Sire Desert Vixen S. -R (GP, \$60,000), etc.).

1st dam

EPHYRA, by Corinthian. 5 wins, 3 to 5, \$111,879. Dam of 6 foals, 2 to race, 2 winners--

BACKGROUND (g. by Khozan). Black type winner, see below.

Dark Ages (g. by J P's Gusto). 5 wins, 3 to 5, 2021, \$115,025.

2nd dam

NORTH EAST BELLE, by Beau Genius. Winner at 4, \$19,939. Half-sister to **NORTH EAST BOUND** (\$1,363,228, Meadowlands Cup H. **[G2]**, etc.). Dam of 2 winners--

LEONIDES (g. by Richter Scale). 7 wins, 2 to 7, \$303,516(USA), Captain Squire H. [L] (HOL, \$45,945), 2nd Lone Star Derby **[G3]** (LS, \$75,000), Hollywood Juvenile Championship S. **[G3]** (HOL, \$22,980), San Miguel S. [L] (SA, \$15,600).

Ephyra (f. by Corinthian). See above.

Conquest Assassin (g. by Awesome Again). Placed at 3 and 4, \$12,788.

Trail of the Cat (g. by Tale of the Cat). Placed at 2, \$12,291.

What's Important (g. by Five Star Day). Placed at 3, \$4,600.

Rosie Agreed (r. by Battle Cat). Placed at 3.

3rd dam

NORTH EAST DANCER, by Far North. Unplaced in 2 starts. Dam of 8 winners--

NORTH EAST BOUND (g. by D'Accord). 12 wins, 2 to 6, \$1,363,228, Meadowlands Cup H. **[G2]**, Maker's Mark Mile S. **[G2]**, Kent Breeders' Cup S. **[G3]**, Cliff Hanger H. **[G3]**, Canadian Turf H. **[G3]** (GP, \$90,000), Oceanport H. **[G3]**, Battlefield S. [L] (MTH, \$42,000), Choice S. [L] (MTH, \$36,000), etc.

North East Belle (f. by Beau Genius). See above.

Got a Question (g. by Giant's Causeway). 7 wins, 4 to 6, \$136,333.

North East Academy (g. by Academy Award). 11 wins, 3 to 9, \$112,764.

Trae Genius (g. by Beau Genius). 10 wins, 4 to 9, \$93,575.

Hedgfund Investor (c. by Tale of the Cat). 4 wins, 3 to 5, \$86,485.

Don'tcussthefiddle (f. by Theatrical (IRE)). Winner at 4, \$23,564. Producer.

North East Storm (g. by Fusaichi Pegasus). Winner at 4, \$20,525.

North East Star (f. by Siphon (BRZ)). Unplaced. Dam of--

Maegans Princesses (f. by Yankee Gentleman). 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$113,353(USA), 2nd Chariot Chaser H. (NP, \$10,000(CAN)), Northlands Oaks (NP, \$10,000(CAN)), 3rd Sonoma H. (NP, \$5,000(CAN)). Producer.

4th dam

DANSHUA, by Marshua's Dancer. 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$19,723. Sister to **RAISE A HOLME** (\$174,192, Countess Fager H., etc.). Dam of 8 winners, including--

Near Holme (f. by Mr. Redoy). Unraced.

WAJIMEGO (f. by Wajima). 4 wins at 2, \$63,930, Winnipeg Futurity [L] (ASD, \$45,000(CAN)).

North East Dancer (f. by Far North). See above.

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RACE RECORD for Background: At 2, unraced; at 3, one win, 3 times 3rd; at 4, 2021, three wins (Longacres Mile H. **[G3]** (EMD, \$55,000)), twice 2nd (Hanshin Cup S. [L] (AP, \$19,600)), once 3rd. Totals: 4 wins, twice 2nd, 4 times 3rd. Earned \$287,532.