

Gray's Fable

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<p>Gray's Fable Foaled in Kentucky</p>	<p>Gio Ponti, 05 b</p> <p>Myrtle's Gray, 07 gr/ro</p>	<p>Tale of the Cat, 94 dk b/ Chipeta Springs, 89 b Oratory, 02 b Trustees Gray, 98 gr/ro</p>	<p>Storm Cat, 83 dk b/ Yarn, 87 dk b/ Alydar, 75 ch Salt Spring (ARG), 79 dk b/ Pulpit, 94 b Arrested Dreams, 96 dk b/ Flying Chevron, 92 dk b/ Esquisite Diamond, 92 gr</p>
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By GIO PONTI (2005). Champion 3 times, Stakes winner of \$6,169,800 USA, Arlington Million S. **[G1]** (AP, \$588,000), etc. Sire of 7 crops of racing age, 536 foals, 379 starters, 16 stakes winners, 2 champions, 253 winners of 667 races and earning \$20,206,545 USA, including Drefong (Champion in U.S., \$1,538,385, Breeders' Cup Sprint **[G1]** (SA, \$825,000), etc.), Long Runner (Horse of the year in Turkey, to 4, 2020, \$958,277 USA, Cumhurbaskanlis [L], etc.), Sir Dudley Digges (\$939,690 USA, Queen's Plate S. -R (WO, \$600,000(CAN)), etc.), Gucci Factor (\$564,325, Poker S. **[G3]** (BEL, \$165,000), etc.), Zanotti (\$435,154, Queens County S. (AQU, \$75,000), etc.), America's Tale (\$405,853, Inside Information S. **[G2]** (GP, \$120,280), etc.).

1st dam

Myrtle's Gray, by Oratory. 4 wins, 2 to 6, \$186,209, 3rd East View S. -R (AQU, \$7,180). Dam of 6 foals, 2 to race, 2 winners--

GRAY'S FABLE (g. by Gio Ponti). Black type winner, see below.

Richie Gary (g. by Intidab). 2 wins at 3, placed at 4, 2020, \$47,683.

2nd dam

TRUSTEES GRAY, by Flying Chevron. 5 wins at 2 and 3, \$103,269. Half-sister to **VICKI VALLENCOURT** (\$356,014, Ellis Park Breeders' Cup H. [L] (ELP, \$63,030), etc.), **Cute Caboose** (\$31,927, 2nd Jack Hardy S. (ASD, \$5,500(CAN)), etc.). Dam of 5 winners--

HEAD HEART HOOF (g. by Intidab). 18 wins, 2 to 7, \$519,102, Toboggan S. **[G3]** (AQU, \$90,000), 2nd Hollie Hughes S. -R (AQU, \$15,000), 3rd Tom Fool H. **[G3]** (AQU, \$20,000), Valley Forge S. [L] (PRX, \$8,365). Set ntr at Aqueduct, 5 1/2 furlongs in 1:03.50.

Myrtle's Gray (f. by Oratory). Black type placed winner, see above.

Calamity Jenn (f. by Vicar). 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$46,291.

Thunder Roaring (f. by Roaring Fever). 2 wins at 4, \$26,645. Producer.

Cousin Paul (g. by Vicar). Winner at 2 and 3, \$21,070.

3rd dam

ESQUISITE DIAMOND, by Fight Over. 3 wins at 3, \$14,008. Half-sister to **REISSAURUS** (\$111,910, Blue Sparkler S. (MTH, \$24,000), etc.), **Carols Inheritance** (\$135,277, 2nd Florida Stallion/Susan's Girl S. [LR] (CRC, \$15,000), etc.), **Stuteously** (\$69,770, 2nd Juan Gonzalez Memorial S. (PLN, \$6,000), etc.), **Go Country** (\$47,017 (USA), 2nd Premio Junta de Control de Juegos [L], etc., sire). Dam of 4 winners--

VICKI VALLENCOURT (f. by Regal Classic). 6 wins at 2 and 4, \$356,014, Ellis Park Breeders' Cup H. [L] (ELP, \$63,030), Indian Summer S. [L] (KEE, \$50,288), Top Flight S. [L] (AP, \$45,000), 2nd Thelma S. [L] (FG, \$15,000), 3rd Stonerside Beaumont S. **[G2]** (KEE, \$25,000). Dam of--

Follow Me Crev (g. by Quality Road). 6 wins, 3 to 5, \$552,240, 2nd Gold Cup at Santa Anita S. **[G1]** (SA, \$100,000), Californian S. **[G2]** (SA, \$40,000), 3rd Santa Anita H. **[G1]** (SA, \$85,000), Suburban S. **[G2]** (BEL, \$75,000).

Magic Norman (g. by Songandaprayer). 4 wins, 2 to 4, \$100,447, 2nd Bert Allen S. -R (CNL, \$9,400), 3rd Punch Line S. -R (CNL, \$5,170).

Cute Caboose (f. by Marquetry). 3 wins at 2 and 3, \$31,927, 2nd Jack Hardy S. (ASD, \$5,500(CAN)), 3rd Assiniboia Oaks (ASD, \$3,000(CAN)), Danka Canada Ltd. Chantilly S. (ASD, \$2,750(CAN)). Producer.

Trustees Gray (f. by Flying Chevron). See above.

Diamond Deal (g. by Chequer). 2 wins at 3, \$26,487.

4th dam

GORGEOUSLY DIVINE, by Al Hattab. Unplaced. Dam of 9 winners, including--

REISSAURUS (f. by Country Pine). 5 wins at 2 and 3, \$111,910, Blue Sparkler S. (MTH, \$24,000), Candy Eclair S. (MTH, \$21,000), 2nd Jersey Lilly S. (MTH, \$6,650), 3rd Dixie Miss S. (LAD, \$4,400).

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Sharkille O'Neal (g. by Sharkey). 4 wins at 3 and 4, \$104,742, 3rd ITBOA Sales Futurity -R (PRM, \$6,102).

Carols Inheritance (f. by Sovereign Dancer). 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$135,277, 2nd Florida Stallion/Susan's Girl S. [LR] (CRC, \$15,000), Miramar S. (CRC, \$9,080), Sunrise S. (CRC, \$8,650), 3rd Camellia S. [L] (BIR, \$5,595).

Stuteously (f. by Stutz Blackhawk). 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$69,770, 2nd Juan Gonzalez Memorial S. (PLN, \$6,000), 3rd Corte Madera S. [L] (GG, \$7,500).

Go Country (c. by Country Pine). 15 wins, 2 to 6 in PAN, \$47,017 (USA), 2nd Premio Junta de Control de Juegos [L], Premio Felipe E. Motta [L]. Sire.

Esquisite Diamond (f. by Fight Over). See above.

Miss University (f. by Beau Genius). Unplaced in 2 starts in ENG.

THREE DEGREES (IRE) (f. by \$Singspiel (IRE)). 3 wins at 3 in NA , placed in 2 starts at 2 in ENG, \$490,241 (USA), Honeymoon Breeders' Cup H. **[G2]** (HOL, \$88,275), 2nd Matriarch S. **[G1]** (HOL, \$100,000), Del Mar Oaks **[G1]** (DMR, \$60,000), Palomar Breeders' Cup H. **[G2]** (DMR, \$30,000), Senorita S. **[G3]** (HOL, \$22,380), etc.

MEHRONISSA (GB) (f. by =lffraaj (GB)). 6 wins, 2 to 4 in ENG, \$130,032 (USA), E.B.F. Stallions Highfield Farm Flying Fillies S. [L], 2nd John Guest Bengough S. **[G3]**.

RACE RECORD for Gray's Fable: At 2, unraced; at 3, unraced; at 4, once 3rd in 1 start; at 5, three wins, once 2nd, twice 3rd; at 6, 2021, one win (Kitten's Joy Appleton S. **[G3]** (GP, \$60,140)) in 1 start. Totals: 4 wins, once 2nd, 3 times 3rd. Earned \$173,743(USA) (\$100,960, \$97,250(CAN)).