

Grand Sonata

Dark Bay or Brown Horse; Apr 02, 2019

Grand Sonata Foaled in Kentucky	Medaglia d'Oro, 99 dk b/	El Prado (IRE), 89 gr	Sadler's Wells, 81 b
		Cappucino Bay, 89 b	Lady Capulet, 74 ro
	A. P. Sonata, 11 b	A.P. Indy, 89 dk b/	Bailjumper, 74 b
		Moonlight Sonata, 00 b	Dubbed In, 73 ch
			Seattle Slew, 74 dk b/ Weekend Surprise, 80 b Carson City, 87 ch Wheatly Way, 89 dk b/

By MEDAGLIA D'ORO (1999). Stakes winner of \$5,754,720 USA, Travers S. **[G1]** (SAR, \$600,000), etc. Among the leading sires twice, sire of 17 crops of racing age, 2521 foals, 1810 starters, 180 stakes winners, 7 champions, 1182 winners of 3576 races and earning \$204,792,422 USA, including Golden Sixty (Horse of the year 3 times in Hong Kong, \$21,251,720 USA, Stewards Cup **[G1]** twice, etc.), Songbird (Champion twice, \$4,692,000, Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies **[G1]** (KEE, \$1,100,000), etc.), Rachel Alexandra (Horse of the year in U.S., \$3,506,730, BlackBerry Preakness S. **[G1]** (PIM, \$660,000), etc.), Vancouver (AUS) (Champion in Australia, \$1,845,530 USA, Tooheys New Golden Slipper **[G1]**, etc.), Wonder Gadot (Horse of the year in Canada, \$1,524,861 USA, Demoiselle S. **[G2]** (AQU, \$150,000), etc.).

1st dam

A. P. Sonata, by A.P. Indy. Placed at 4, \$10,850. Dam of 2 foals, 1 to race, 1 winner--

GRAND SONATA (c. by Medaglia d'Oro). Black type winner, see below.

2nd dam

MOONLIGHT SONATA, by Carson City. Winner at 2 and 4, \$145,203, Arlington-Washington Lassie S. **[G3]** (AP, \$60,000), 2nd Pepsi Bassinet S. [L] (RD, \$20,000), Panthers S. (PRM, \$10,000), 3rd Green River S. [L] (KEE, \$11,150). Sister to **Carson Hall** (\$252,085, 2nd Elkwood S. (MTH, \$13,300)), half-sister to **BEVO** (\$410,328, Futurity S. **[G1]**, etc.). Dam of 6 winners--

WILBURN (c. by Bernardini). 5 wins in 9 starts at 3, \$586,515, Indiana Derby **[G2]** (HOO, \$300,409), Smarty Jones S. [L] (PRX, \$180,000). Sire.

BEETHOVEN (c. by Sky Mesa). 3 wins at 2, \$182,413, Kentucky Jockey Club S. **[G2]** (CD, \$99,994), 3rd Fountain of Youth S. **[G2]** (GP, \$25,000). Sire.

LA APPASSIONATA (f. by Bernardini). 2 wins in 3 starts at 2, \$162,920, My Trusty Cat S. [L] (DED, \$60,000), 2nd Delta Downs Princess S. **[G3]** (DED, \$80,000). Dam of--

Fort Warren (g. by Curlin). Winner at 2 and 3, placed at 4, 2024, \$153,285, 3rd San Vicente S. **[G2]** (SA, \$24,000).

Venetian Sonata (f. by Bernardini). Winner at 2, \$44,430. Dam of--

MOONLIGHT D'ORO (f. by Medaglia d'Oro). Winner at 2 and 3, \$222,670, Las Virgenes S. **[G3]** (SA, \$120,000), 2nd Seashell S. -R (DMR, \$20,750), 3rd La Canada S. **[G3]** (SA, \$24,000), Bayakoa S. **[G3]** (LRC, \$12,000).

Olive Branch (f. by Speightstown). Winner at 2, \$74,500, 3rd Adirondack S. **[G2]** (SAR, \$20,000).

Flynn's Chance (f. by Medaglia d'Oro). Placed at 2, \$47,820, 2nd Starlet S. **[G2]** (LRC, \$40,000).

Southern Sonata (f. by Dixieland Band). Winner at 3, \$6,032. Dam of--

Floripa (f. by Tapit). Unplaced. Dam of--

Pjerrot (c. by Hard Spun). 2 wins at 2 in DEN and SWE, placed at 3 in UAE, \$60,789 (USA), 3rd Baker Tilly Peas and Carrots Mile [L].

Dr. Howard (g. by Sky Mesa). 3 wins at 3 and 5, \$46,739.

A. P. Sonata (f. by A.P. Indy). See above.

3rd dam

WHEATLY WAY, by Wheatly Hall. 2 wins at 2, \$73,416, Melaleuca S. [L] (CRC, \$34,230), 2nd Sunset S. [L] (CRC, \$10,990), 3rd Riviera S. [L] (CRC, \$6,248). Half-sister to **Olde Elegance** (\$275,503, 2nd Super Derby Debutante S. [L] (LAD, \$15,000), etc.), **Satan's Way** (\$89,090, 3rd Pembroke Pines S. [OR]). Dam of 7 winners--

BEVO (c. by Prospectors Gamble). 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$410,328, Futurity S. **[G1]**, Saratoga Special S. **[G2]**, 2nd Forest Hills H. **[G2]**, Riva Ridge S. **[G2]**, 3rd Flash S. [L] (BEL, \$9,028).

MOONLIGHT SONATA (f. by Carson City). Black type winner, see above.

Carson Hall (g. by Carson City). 5 wins, 3 to 7, \$252,085, 2nd Elkwood S. (MTH, \$13,300).

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Hollywood Script (g. by Gone West). 8 wins, 2 to 7, \$128,116.

Simple Wish (f. by Wolf Power (SAF)). 3 wins at 2 and 3, \$96,520. Producer.

Nafath (g. by Smarty Jones). 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$31,142(USA).

Dodger Town (c. by Gone West). Winner at 4, \$14,906.

Nice Way (g. by First Samurai). Placed at 2, \$6,970.

Trumped (c. by Clever Trick). Placed at 2, \$4,070.

Sensual Moment (f. by Deposit Ticket). Unraced. Dam of--

TASMANIAN MOMENT (f. by Grand Slam). 8 wins at 3 and 4, \$72,902, Clasico Miguel Andino Clemente [L].

Vargas Girl (f. by Deputy Minister). Unplaced. Dam of--

ABEL TASMAN (f. by Quality Road). 8 wins in 16 starts, 2 to 4, \$2,793,385, Champion 3-year-old filly in U.S., Longines Kentucky Oaks **[G1]** (CD, \$564,200), Ogden Phipps S. **[G1]** (BEL, \$400,000), Acorn S. **[G1]** (BEL, \$375,000), Personal Ensign S. **[G1]** (SAR, \$375,000), Starlet S. **[G1]** (LRC, \$180,000), etc.

SKY GIRL (f. by Sky Mesa). 3 wins at 3, \$172,191, Dogwood S. **[G3]** (CD, \$67,518), 3rd Arlington Oaks **[G3]** (AP, \$16,335). Producer.

Moonlight Sky (f. by Sky Mesa). Winner at 2 and 4, \$154,313(USA), 3rd Flaming Page S. (WO, \$11,000(CAN)). Dam of--

Urban (f. by Quality Road). Winner at 3, \$97,488(USA), 2nd Sweet Life S. **[G3]** (SA, \$20,000).

4th dam

FAMILY WAY, by Cyane. 7 wins in 13 starts at 3, \$30,676, Cleveland Cotillion S., Independence Day H., Delta Queen H., Coquette H. Dam of 8 winners, including--

WHEATLY WAY (f. by Wheatly Hall). Black type winner, see above.

Olde Elegance (f. by Diamond Prospect). 13 wins, 2 to 7, \$275,503, 2nd Super Derby Debutante S. [L] (LAD, \$15,000), Sanguine H. [L] (LAD, \$15,000), Soft Copy H. (GG, \$6,000), Solva H. (GG, \$6,000), Dr. A. B. Leggio Memorial H. (FG, \$5,615), Cornucopia H. (LAD, \$5,600), Cornucopia H. (LAD, \$5,510), 3rd Carmel H. [L] (BM, \$22,500), etc.

Satan's Way (c. by Dactylographer). 12 wins, 2 to 5, \$89,090, 3rd Pembroke Pines S. [OR].

Family Facts (f. by Judger). Unraced.

RACE RECORD for Grand Sonata: At 2, one win, once 2nd; at 3, two wins (Kitten's Joy S. **[G3]** (GP, \$60,140), Dania Beach S. [L] (GP, \$61,380)), 3 times 2nd (Big Ass Fans Dueling Grounds Derby **[G3]** (KD, \$139,500), Kentucky Utilities Transylvania S. **[G3]** (KEE, \$79,000), Audubon S. (CD, \$37,900)), twice 3rd (Hill Prince S. **[G2]** (BAQ, \$36,000), Gio Ponti S. (AQU, \$16,200)); at 4, one win (cre at Saratoga, 1 1/8 miles in 1:47.87); at 5, 2024, one win (FanDuel TV Kentucky Turf Cup S. **[G2]**-ncr, 1 1/2 miles in 2:24.93 (KD, \$1,195,200)), twice 2nd (United Nations S. **[G2]** (MTH, \$120,000)). Totals: 5 wins, 6 times 2nd, twice 3rd. Earned \$2,057,635.