

Cupid's Claws

Chestnut Gelding; Apr 13, 2015

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| Cupid's Claws | Kitten's Joy, 01 ch | El Prado (IRE), 89 gr | Sadler's Wells, 81 b |
| Foaled in Kentucky | | Kitten's First, 91 b | Lady Capulet, 74 ro |
| | Primetimevalentine, 99 ch | Affirmed, 75 ch | Lear Fan, 81 b |
| | | Dancing Mahmoud, 90 ch | That's My Hon, 83 ch |
| | | | Exclusive Native, 65 ch |
| | | | Won't Tell You, 62 b |
| | | | Topsider, 74 b |
| | | | Execution, 75 ch |

By KITTEN'S JOY (2001). Champion grass horse in U.S., Stakes winner of \$2,075,791, Joe Hirsch Turf Classic Invitational S. **[G1]** (BEL, \$450,000), etc. Leading sire twice, sire of 12 crops of racing age, 1653 foals, 1221 starters, 99 stakes winners, 5 champions, 874 winners of 2634 races and earning \$113,309,281 USA, including Big Blue Kitten (Champion in U.S., \$2,983,350 USA, Sword Dancer Invitational S. **[G1]** (SAR, \$360,000), etc.), Sweet Kitten (Champion in Puerto Rico, \$182,673, Clasico Dia de la Raza [L], etc.), Ransom the Kitten (Champion in Puerto Rico, \$93,867, Clasico Prensa Hipica [L]), Trust Me Bet (Champion in Macau, \$88,590 USA, 2nd Macau Star of the Sand S. [L], etc.), Second Chance (VEN) (Champion in Dominican Republic).

1st dam

PRIMETIMEVALENTINE, by Affirmed. 3 wins at 4, \$138,589, Possible Mate S. -R (BEL, \$36,000), 2nd Glens Falls H. **[G3]** (SAR, \$22,620), 3rd Robert G. Dick Memorial Breeders' Cup H. [L] (DEL, \$16,500), Sabin S. -R (BEL, \$6,080). Dam of 10 foals, 5 to race, 5 winners--

ALL FOR THEE (f. by Elusive Quality). 4 wins at 3 and 5, \$185,654, Go for Wand S. [L] (DEL, \$45,000), 2nd Sabin S. **[G3]** (GP, \$20,000), 3rd Delaware Oaks **[G2]** (DEL, \$33,000). Dam of--

Savage Battle (g. by War Front). 4 wins, 3 to 5, \$123,163(USA), 2nd Colonel Power S. (FG, \$15,000).

CUPID'S CLAWS (g. by Kitten's Joy). Black type winner, see below.

My Sugar Bear (f. by Giant's Causeway). 2 wins at 3, \$56,058. Dam of--

Vevina (f. by More Than Ready). 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$130,798, 2nd Searching S. (PIM, \$20,000).

Revelation Bowl (c. by Pulpit). 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$42,817.

Tiz Prime Time (g. by Tiznow). 2 wins at 3, \$22,406(USA).

2nd dam

DANCING MAHMOUD, by Topsider. Winner at 2, \$11,670. Half-sister to **POSSIBLE MATE** (\$675,999, Sheepshead Bay H. **[G2]**, etc.), **CHINESE EMPRESS** (\$163,814, Sweetest Chant S. [L] (GP, \$30,000), etc.), **SHY PROPOSAL** (\$97,488, Ontario Colleen H. [LR] (FE, \$71,343(CAN))), **Ajaad** (\$54,730 (USA), 3rd Fairey Group Spring Trophy S. [L], sire). Dam of 5 winners--

GUIDED TOUR (g. by Hansel). 12 wins, 3 to 5 in NA, \$1,964,253 (USA), Stephen Foster H. **[G2]**, Washington Park H. **[G2]**, Kentucky Cup Classic H. **[G2]**, San Antonio H. **[G2]**, Hall of Fame Breeders' Cup H. **[G3]**, Seagram Cup S. [L] (WO, \$79,650(CAN)), Louisiana H. [L] (FG, \$45,000), 2nd Clark H. **[G2]**, etc.

PRIMETIMEVALENTINE (f. by Affirmed). Black type winner, see above.

Open Sesame (g. by Phone Trick). 8 wins, 3 to 5, \$346,178, 2nd Annapolis S. [L] (LRL, \$20,000), 3rd Discovery H. **[G3]**.

Hansel's Girl (f. by Hansel). 5 wins, 2 to 5, \$237,980, 2nd Comely S. **[G3]**, 3rd Black-Eyed Susan S. **[G2]**. Dam of--

MINE OVER MATTER (c. by Mineshaft). 7 wins, 3 to 6, \$526,348, Hudson S. -R (BEL, \$90,000), Fabersham S. -R (AQU, \$45,000), Corma Ray S. -R (BEL, \$51,000), Salute Me Sir S. -R (BEL, \$36,000), 2nd Shy Groom S. -R (BEL, \$20,000), etc. Sire.

Chestertown Slew (c. by Seattle Slew). 5 wins, 3 to 5, \$171,826, 3rd Mohawk H. -R (BEL, \$15,000), Hasta La Vista H. (TUP, \$5,000). Sire.

Motor Patrol (c. by Cherokee Run). 4 wins at 3 and 4, \$148,633, 3rd High Ice S. -R (BEL, \$7,430).

America the Brave (g. by Quiet American). Winner at 4, \$18,285.

Torch Dance (c. by Seeking the Gold). Placed, 4 to 5 in KSA and UAE, \$6,729 (USA).

3rd dam

EXECUTION, by The Axe II. Unraced. Half-sister to **JACKSBORO** (\$467,283, King Edward Gold Cup **[G3]**, etc., sire), **Jimmy's Trick** (\$109,625, 2nd Sunflower Farm H. (BM, \$5,000)). Dam of 7

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winners--

POSSIBLE MATE (f. by King's Bishop). 14 wins, 3 to 5, \$675,999, Sheepshead Bay H. [G2], New York H. [G2], Boiling Springs H.-G3, Violet H. [G3], Royal Heroine S. [L]-ecr, 1 mile in 1:34.60, Mutual Savings Life Ladies H. [L] (FG, \$79,200), Beaugay H. [L], Buckram Oak Farm S. (GP, \$25,128), etc. Dam of--

FAIRY GARDEN (f. by Lyphard). 10 wins, 3 to 6 in FR and NA, \$554,195 (USA), Orchid H. [G2], Matchmaker S. [G2], Seneca H. [G3], Athenia H. [G3], Waya S. [L]-ncr, 1 3/8 miles in 2:13.35 (SAR, \$33,240), etc. Producer.

A. O. L. HAYES (f. by A.P. Indy). 6 wins at 3 and 4, \$263,163, Prismatical S. [L] (MED, \$60,000), 2nd Summit S. (MED, \$9,000), 3rd Rare Treat H. [G3] (AQU, \$11,946), Anne Arundel S. [G3]. Dam of--

Quinn Girl (f. by Fusaichi Pegasus). Placed in 2 starts at 2 in NA, \$5,001 (USA). Dam of--

=Imbative Hulk (BRZ) (c. by =Holy Roman Emperor (IRE)). 4 wins at 3 and 5 in BRZ, \$24,319 (USA), 3rd Adhemar e Faria e Roberto Gabizo de Faria [G3].

Hot Mambo (f. by Kingmambo). Unplaced in 2 starts. Dam of--

=Katie Barows (JPN) (f. by =Manhattan Cafe (JPN)). 4 wins at 3 and 4 in JPN, \$641,985 (USA), 3rd Empress Hai [LR].

KING'S MATE (f. by Kris S.). 3 wins at 3, \$111,258, Oakley S. -R (CNL, \$18,000), 3rd Christiana S. [L] (DEL, \$11,000). Producer.

Day Mate (f. by Dayjur). Winner at 3, \$36,000. Dam of--

TAP DAY (c. by Pleasant Tap). 11 wins, 2 to 5 in NA, \$784,897 (USA), Meadowlands Breeders' Cup S. [G2] (MED, \$300,000), Dave Feldman S. (GP, \$39,780), Budweiser Challenger S. (TAM, \$30,000), Frisk Me Now S. (MTH, \$39,000), Princeton S. (MED, \$36,000), etc. Sire.

Street Mate (f. by Street Cry (IRE)). Winner at 4, \$73,092. Dam of--

BELL'S THE ONE (f. by Majesticperfection). 7 wins in 14 starts, 2 to 4, 2020, \$790,040, Derby City Distaff S. [G1] (CD, \$303,800), Lexus Raven Run S. [G2] (KEE, \$150,000), Winning Colors S. [G3] (CD, \$60,140), Letellier Memorial S. (FG, \$45,000), Allen Black Cat LaCombe Memorial S. (FG, \$45,000), etc.

Running Mate (c. by Creative Cause). 3 wins at 2 and 3, \$92,550, 3rd Sugar Bowl S. (FG, \$4,950).

Bishop's Mate (f. by Lyphard). Winner at 3, \$33,870. Dam of--

STRIKE IT UP (f. by Smart Strike). 5 wins, 2 to 4, \$201,485, Susan's Girl S. [L] (DEL, \$45,000), Wide Country S. [L] (LRL, \$32,550), 2nd Go for Wand S. [L] (DEL, \$15,000), 3rd Kattegat's Pride S. [L] (LRL, \$8,250), Serena's Song S. [L] (MTH, \$5,500). Dam of--

EUPHONY (f. by Forest Wildcat). 9 wins at 3 and 4, \$589,636(USA), Arlington Matron H. [G3] (AP, \$86,400), Iowa Distaff S. [L] (PRM, \$75,000), Bayakoa S. [L] (OP, \$60,000), Instant Racing S. [L] (OP, \$45,000), Prairie Meadows Oaks [L] (PRM, \$45,000), etc.

STRIKE AGAIN (c. by Dixie Union). 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$210,553(USA), Tap The Admiral S. (SAR, \$45,090), Buddy Diliberto Memorial H. (FG, \$36,000), 3rd Remington Green S. [L] (RP, \$16,500). Sire.

Tequila Joe (g. by Stormy Atlantic). 5 wins, 2 to 6, placed at 7, 2020, \$248,967, 2nd Lure S. -R (DMR, \$15,740), 3rd American Derby [G3] (AP, \$12,925).

Sense of Art (f. by Unbridled's Song). Winner at 2 and 4 in JPN, \$181,228 (USA). Dam of--

=ACANTHUS (JPN) (f. by =Fuji Kiseki (JPN)). 4 wins, 2 to 4 in JPN, \$1,342,547 (USA), Ireland Trophy [L], Sweetpea S. [LR], 3rd Fukushima Himba S. [G3].

Possible Consort (f. by Deputy Minister). Winner at 4, \$46,205. Dam of--

Marina Minister (g. by Rubiano). 14 wins, 3 to 8, \$305,221, 3rd Native Dancer S. (LRL, \$6,600), Polynesian S. (CNL, \$6,600). Etr at Flagstaff, 7 furlongs in 1:26.20.

Consort Music (f. by Prospector's Music). 4 wins, 2 to 4, \$187,299, 3rd Affectionately H. [G3] (AQU, \$10,960), Lady's Secret S. [L] (MTH, \$8,250). Producer.

Charming Kid (g. by Lemon Drop Kid). 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$104,193, 3rd Woodchopper S. [L] (LAD, \$8,250).

Prospective Wife (f. by Mr. Prospector). Unplaced. Dam of--

POLITICAL WIFE (f. by Dehere). 3 wins, 2 to 4, \$50,989, Sandpiper S. -R (TAM, \$21,000).

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Jungle Girl (f. by Forest Camp). 6 wins at 3 and 4, \$151,200. Dam of--

ROCKIN HOME (g. by Rocky Bar). 8 wins, 2 to 6, \$199,031, Arizona Breeders' Futurity -R (TUP, \$28,517), 2nd Honor the Hero S. (CBY, \$15,000).

Stormin Wife (f. by Stormin Fever). Winner at 3 and 4, \$42,855. Dam of--

PALADIN BAY (f. by Sligo Bay (IRE)). 4 wins at 2 and 3, \$607,316(USA), Selene S. [G3] (WO, \$151,200(CAN)), Princess Elizabeth S. -R (WO, \$150,000(CAN)), Ontario Lassie S. -R (WO, \$90,000(CAN)), 2nd Star Shoot S. [L] (WO, \$40,000(CAN)), Shady Well S. -R (WO, \$30,000(CAN)), etc.

She's a Dream (f. by Silent Name (JPN)). 3 wins at 2 and 3, 2020, \$95,123(USA), 3rd OLG Muskoka S. -R (WO, \$17,500(CAN)), Victorian Queen S. -R (WO, \$10,000(CAN)).

Rivanna (f. by El Corredor). Winner at 2 and 3, \$38,730. Dam of--

Rapid Dan (g. by More Than Ready). 6 wins, 3 to 6, \$301,974, 2nd Marshall Jenney H. -R (PRX, \$20,000), 3rd Karl Boyes Memorial S. [L] (PID, \$10,000), Laurel Dash S. [L] (LRL, \$10,000).

Diva From Dixie (f. by Dixieland Band). Placed at 4, \$4,685. Dam of--

Greg's Diva (f. by Shackelford). Winner at 2, placed at 3, 2020, \$82,200, 3rd Speakeasy S. (SA, \$12,000).

CHINESE EMPRESS (f. by Nijinsky II). 5 wins, 2 to 4, \$163,814, Sweetest Chant S. [L] (GP, \$30,000), 3rd Beaugay H. [G3]. Dam of--

DREAM EMPRESS (f. by Bernstein). 2 wins at 2, \$763,154, Darley Alcibiades S. [G1] (KEE, \$310,000), 2nd Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies [G1] (OSA, \$400,000). Dam of--

Bubbles and Babies (f. by A.P. Indy). Placed at 3, \$7,444. Dam of--

FIREBALL BABY (f. by Noble's Promise). 4 wins at 2 and 3, placed at 4, 2020, \$273,618, Indiana Stallion S. -R (IND, \$60,412), Miss Indiana S. -R (IND, \$60,000), 3rd Indiana First Lady S. -R (IND, \$15,840), Hoosier Breeders Sophomore S. -R (IND, \$11,182), Richmond S. -R (IND, \$11,136).

SHY PROPOSAL (f. by Blushing Groom (FR)). 2 wins at 3, \$97,488, Ontario Colleen H. [LR] (FE, \$71,343(CAN)). Dam of--

Charming Proposal (f. by Belong to Me). 2 wins at 3, \$83,636, 3rd Carotene S. -R (WO, \$18,216(CAN)).

Shy Swan (f. by Nureyev). Placed at 3, \$13,220. Dam of--

Silver Swan (f. by Silver Hawk). 4 wins at 3 and 4 in GER, placed in 1 start at 4 in ITY, \$30,025 (USA), 3rd Premio E.B.F. Terme di Merano [L]. Producer.

Striking Proposal (f. by Smart Strike). Unraced. Dam of--

Skipped Bail (g. by Skip Away). 4 wins at 4 and 5, \$258,185(USA), 3rd Chief Bearhart S. [L] (WO, \$11,000(CAN)).

Libby (f. by Council Member). Winner at 3, \$18,353, 3rd ATBA Fall Sales S. -R (TUP, \$5,356).

Ajaad (c. by Nureyev). 3 wins at 3 in ENG, \$54,730 (USA), 3rd Fairey Group Spring Trophy S. [L]. Sire.

Dancing Mahmoud (f. by Topsider). See above.

Mr. Executioner (c. by Deputy Minister). Winner at 4, \$21,926. Sire.

Deftly (f. by In Reality). Winner at 3, \$18,720. Producer.

Homewrecker (f. by Buckaroo). Placed at 2, \$14,960. Dam of--

CAT'S AT HOME (c. by Tabasco Cat). 9 wins, 3 to 5, \$708,575, Philip H. Iselin H. [G2] (MTH, \$210,000), Excelsior Breeders' Cup H. [G3], Westchester H. [G3], Paterson S. [L] (MED, \$60,000), Skip Away S. (MTH, \$30,000), etc. Sire.

HONOR THE HERO (g. by Hero's Honor). 25 wins, 3 to 7 in NA, \$688,037 (USA), Churchill Downs H. [G3], Phoenix Gold Cup S. [G3]-ewr, 6 furlongs in 1:06.80, Phoenix Gold Cup H. [G3], Hot Springs S. [L] (OP, \$33,750), Turf Paradise Derby (TUP, \$38,437), etc. Set ncr at Turf Paradise, 5 furlongs in 0:56.20.

PRENUP (c. by Smarten). 10 wins, 2 to 5, \$428,142, Jerome H. [G1], Maryland Million Sprint H. -R (LRL, \$55,000), 2nd Sanford S. [G3], 3rd Futurity S. [G1]. Sire.

GIANT WRECKER (c. by Giant's Causeway). 6 wins, 3 to 5, \$357,097, Canadian Turf H. [G3] (GP, \$60,000), 2nd Oceanport S. [G3] (MTH, \$30,000), Miami Mile Breeders' Cup H. [G3]

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(CRC, \$30,000), Larry R. Riviello President's Cup S. [L] (PHA, \$40,000), 3rd Red Bank S. [G3] (MTH, \$16,500), etc. Set ncr at Monmouth Park, 1 1/16 miles in 1:40.41. Sire.

CAPITALIMPROVEMENT (c. by Dixieland Band). 6 wins, 2 to 5, \$185,081, Old Rosebud S. (OP, \$22,920), 2nd Lafayette S. [G3], Clear Fork H. (TRM, \$5,000), 3rd Remington Park Derby [L] (RP, \$27,500), Governor's Day H. [L] (HOU, \$11,000), etc. Sire.

Record the Call (f. by Phone Trick). 2 wins at 3, \$39,000. Dam of--

AFTER THE TONE (f. by Stormin Fever). 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$265,204, Long Look S. (MED, \$36,000), 2nd Affectionately H. (AQU, \$14,060), Oakley S. -R (CNL, \$10,000).

Lovely Bay (f. by Thunder Gulch). 2 wins in 3 starts at 3 in URU, placed at 3 in NA , \$9,301 (USA). Dam of--

=LONGCHAMP (URU) (c. by =Demostrado (ARG)). 4 wins at 3 in URU, \$40,296 (USA), Clasico Argentina [L], 2nd Gran Premio Pedro Pineyrua [L].

Marital Spook (f. by Silver Ghost). Placed in 1 start at 2. Dam of--

YONAGUSKA (c. by Cherokee Run). 6 wins at 2 and 3, \$536,355, Hopeful S. [G1], Hutcheson S. [G2], Fall Highweight H. [G2], Sport Page H. [G3], Flash S. [L] (BEL, \$49,470), etc. Sire.

CALL IT OFF (c. by Metfield). 10 wins, 3 to 7 in NA and KSA, \$283,546 (USA), Supertrack Racing Series S. -R (GP, \$60,000).

HALO HOMEWRECKER (c. by Southern Halo). 3 wins at 3, \$177,961, Bay Shore S. [G3] (AQU, \$90,000), 2nd W. Meredith Bailes Memorial S. -R (CNL, \$10,000), 3rd Riva Ridge Breeders' Cup S. [G2] (BEL, \$22,000). Sire.

Cherokee Spook (c. by Cherokee Run). 4 wins, 2 to 4, \$182,412, 3rd Skip Away S. (MTH, \$8,400). Sire.

Witch Wife (f. by Smarten). Placed at 2, \$4,500. Dam of--

Sunkosi (g. by Montbrook). 3 wins at 2 and 3, \$150,077, 2nd Gateway to Glory S. (FPX, \$8,500), 3rd Pomona Derby [L] (FPX, \$12,000).

Triangle (f. by A.P. Indy). Unplaced in 2 starts. Dam of--

Domesticated (f. by Forest Wildcat). Winner at 4 in ARG, placed at 2 in NA , \$17,734 (USA). Dam of--

=SEÑOR DON (ARG) (c. by Señor Candy). 3 wins at 2 and 3 in ARG, \$50,403 (USA), Polla de Potrillos de La Plata [G3], Isidoro Aramburu [G3], 3rd Jockey Club [G1].

Mini Series (f. by Theatrical (IRE)). Unraced. Dam of--

Mini Tales (f. by Tale of the Cat). 3 wins at 2, \$69,300, 2nd Tiburon S. (GG, \$10,000), 3rd Princess S. (BM, \$6,600).

Gender War (f. by Green Dancer). Unplaced in 1 start. Dam of--

FUSAICHI AUSTER (c. by Stormin Fever). 6 wins, 3 to 11 in JPN, \$1,311,359 (USA), Miyako Oji S. [L], Yonago S. [L], 2nd American Jockey Club Cup [L], R. F. Radio Nippon Sho St. Lite Kinen [LR].

Gender Dance (f. by Miesque's Son). 2 wins at 3, \$38,124. Dam of--

GREAT WHITE EAGLE (c. by Elusive Quality). 2 wins at 2 in IRE, placed at 4 and 5 in QA , \$77,520 (USA), Go & Go Round Tower S. [G3].

Quarrel (c. by Maria's Mon). 2 wins at 2 in ENG, \$44,835 (USA), 3rd Dubai Duty Free Mill Reef S. [G2].

RACE RECORD for Cupid's Claws: At 2, unraced; at 3, one win, once 2nd, once 3rd; at 4, once 2nd; at 5, 2020, three wins (Tokyo City Cup S. [G3] (SA, \$60,000)), twice 3rd. Totals: 4 wins, twice 2nd, 3 times 3rd. Earned \$172,296.