

Balladeer

Bay Colt; Feb 07, 2019

Balladeer Foaled in Kentucky	Distorted Humor, 93 ch Golden Ballad (IRE), 14 b	Forty Niner, 85 ch Danzig's Beauty, 87 b \$Galileo (IRE), 98 b Golden Ballet, 98 ch	Mr. Prospector, 70 b File, 76 ch Danzig, 77 b Sweetest Chant, 78 b Sadler's Wells, 81 b Urban Sea, 89 ch Moscow Ballet, 82 b Golden Jewel Box, 89 b
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By DISTORTED HUMOR (1993). Stakes winner of \$769,964, Commonwealth Breeders' Cup S. **[G2]**, etc. Leading sire in U.S., sire of 22 crops of racing age, 1994 foals, 1613 starters, 169 stakes winners, 4 champions, 1234 winners of 4252 races and earning \$166,882,738 USA, including Funny Cide (Champion in U.S., \$3,529,412 USA, Kentucky Derby **[G1]** (CD, \$800,200), etc.), Some Are Bent (Champion twice in Australia, \$876,959 USA, 3rd Yalumba Plate [L]), Don Dandy (Champion in Puerto Rico, \$413,963, Clasico Dia de Reyes [LR] twice, etc.), Hillaby (Champion in Canada, \$282,265 USA, Bessarabian S. **[G2]** (WO, \$144,000(CAN)), etc.), Regal Ransom (Hwt. in United Arab Emirates, \$1,894,835 USA, Saeed & Mohammed Al Naboodah Group U.A.E. Derby **[G2]**, etc.), Pathfork (Hwt. in Ireland, \$237,871 USA, Boylesports.com Vincent O'Brien National S. **[G1]**, etc.).

1st dam

Golden Ballad (IRE), by \$Galileo (IRE). Unraced. Dam of 4 foals, 2 to race, 1 winner--

BALLADEER (c. by Distorted Humor). Black type winner, see below.

2nd dam

GOLDEN BALLET, by Moscow Ballet. 6 wins in 10 starts at 2 and 3, \$732,145, Santa Anita Oaks **[G1]**, Las Virgenes S. **[G1]**, Santa Ynez S. **[G2]**, Railbird S. **[G2]**, Cinderella S. [L] (HOL, \$57,730), Nursery S. [L] (HOL, \$57,915), 2nd Ashland S. **[G1]**. Half-sister to **GILDED GEM** (\$223,800, Las Flores S. **[G3]** (SA, \$60,000), etc.), **Box of Jewels** (\$109,480, 3rd Courtship S. (BM, \$6,300)). Dam of 6 winners--

DROSSELMAYER (c. by Distorted Humor). 5 wins, 2 to 4, \$3,728,170, Belmont S. **[G1]** (BEL, \$600,000), Breeders' Cup Classic **[G1]** (CD, \$2,700,000), One Count S. (BEL, \$36,000), 2nd Jockey Club Gold Cup S. **[G1]** (BEL, \$150,000), Dwyer S. **[G2]** (BEL, \$40,000), Brooklyn H. **[G2]** (BEL, \$30,000), 3rd Louisiana Derby **[G2]** (FG, \$75,000). Leading sire in Brazil.

STAGE LUCK (f. by Unbridled's Song). 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$154,812, Affectionately H. [L] (AQU, \$49,320), 3rd Ruffian H. **[G1]** (BEL, \$30,000), Rare Treat H. [L] (AQU, \$8,108). Dam of--

Upstager (f. by Distorted Humor). Unraced. Dam of--

La Palina (f. by Overanalyze). Winner at 3, \$15,453(USA), 3rd Chariot Chaser H. (CTM, \$5,000(CAN)).

=Sherlock Holmes (IRE) (g. by \$Galileo (IRE)). 5 wins at 3 and 5 in AUS and IRE, \$148,786 (USA).

Dance Company (g. by Uncle Mo). Winner at 4 and 5, 2023, \$49,888.

Ballado's Gold (c. by Saint Ballado). Winner at 5, \$36,347. Sire.

Black Pond (g. by Forestry). Winner at 5 in NA, placed at 3 and 4 in ENG, \$17,663 (USA).

Our Golden Song (f. by Unbridled's Song). Placed at 3 and 4. Dam of--

Kirov (f. by Distorted Humor). 3 wins in 6 starts at 3 and 4, \$156,850. Dam of--

Frost Me (f. by Frosted). 3 wins, 2 to 4, \$206,670, 2nd Maid of the Mist S. -R (BEL, \$30,000).

Olympic Dreams (g. by Medaglia d'Oro). 3 wins at 4, 2023, \$205,620, 2nd Commentator S. -R (BEL, \$40,000).

Golden Ballad (IRE) (f. by \$Galileo (IRE)). See above.

Ghizlaan (f. by Seeking the Gold). Unplaced in ENG. Dam of--

=**GHAALY (GB)** (c. by =Tamayuz (GB)). 5 wins in 10 starts at 2 and 3 in FR, \$126,248 (USA), Prix de Saint-Patrick [L], 2nd Criterium du Languedoc - Prix Bernard de Marmiesse [L], Prix de Tourgeville [L], 3rd Prix la Force - Figaroscope **[G3]**.

=**ARABDA (GB)** (f. by Elnadim). 7 wins in 14 starts, 2 to 5 in SWE and ENG, placed in 2 starts at 3 in NOR, \$101,581 (USA), Lanwades Stud S. [L]. Producer.

3rd dam

Golden Jewel Box, by Slew o' Gold. Unraced. Dam of 9 winners--

GOLDEN BALLET (f. by Moscow Ballet). Black type winner, see above.

GILDED GEM (f. by Smarty Jones). 4 wins, 3 to 5, \$223,800, Las Flores S. **[G3]** (SA, \$60,000), 2nd Santa Monica S. **[G1]** (SA, \$50,000), Kalookan Queen H. [L] (SA, \$15,600).

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Box of Jewels (f. by Half a Year). 6 wins, 2 to 5, \$109,480, 3rd Courtship S. (BM, \$6,300). Dam of--
 Tiz a Jewel (f. by Tiznow). 4 wins at 4, \$74,800. Dam of--
Frabster (f. by War Chant). 4 wins, 2 to 4, \$156,020, 3rd Isaac Murphy H. -R (AP, \$9,008).
 Producer.
 Bronze Route (f. by Mud Route). Winner in 1 start at 2, \$26,400. Dam of--
BRONZED (g. by Fed Biz). 3 wins at 3, \$132,207, Lookin At Lucky S. (MTH, \$45,000), 2nd
 Jersey Shore S. (MTH, \$15,000).
TOP SEED (g. by Grand Slam). 4 wins at 2 and 4, \$117,583, Inaugural S. (TAM, \$30,000), 3rd
 Chan Balum S. (AQU, \$6,748).
 Gift Box of Jewels (g. by Habitony (IRE)). 4 wins, 2 to 6, \$69,130.
 Champ's Gold (g. by Fabulous Champ). Winner at 2, \$27,100.
 Box of Gold (g. by Half a Year). Winner at 3, \$20,640.
 Voce (f. by War Chant). Winner at 2, \$10,742. Producer.
 Ask the Padre (c. by Songandaprayer). Winner at 3 in TRI.
 Dargonegood (c. by Majestic Style). Placed, 2 to 4, \$17,560. Sire.

4th dam

Miss Storm Bird, by Storm Bird. Placed at 2 and 3 in ENG, \$5,345 (USA). Sister to **Sungull** (\$28,901
 (USA), 2nd Bonusprint Sirenia S. [L]), half-sister to **HAWKIN'S SPECIAL** (\$131,726, Los Angeles
 H.-**G2**, etc., sire), **CHATI** (\$389,049, Riggs H.-**G3**, etc., sire), **SUN LUCK** (\$64,441, Old Hat S.
 (GP, \$14,000), etc.). Dam of 4 winners, including--
 Country Cruise (f. by Riverman). Winner at 3, \$19,670.
MAGIC OF SUNRISE (f. by Woodman). 3 wins in 6 starts at 2 and 3, \$65,280, Moment to Buy H.
 (GG, \$24,440), 2nd Bay Meadows Lassie S. (BM, \$7,000).
Silver Mountain (r. by Victory Gallop). 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$176,523, 3rd Kentucky Cup Turf S.
[G3] (KD, \$14,250), John's Call S. -R (SAR, \$8,970). Sire.
 Flylightly (f. by Capote). 2 wins at 3, \$26,800.
Elusive Air (f. by Elusive Quality). Winner at 2, \$45,630, 3rd Burlingame H. [L] (BM, \$11,250).
 Golden Jewel Box (f. by Slew o' Gold). See above.

RACE RECORD for Balladeer: At 2, once 3rd in 1 start; at 3, one win, once 2nd, once 3rd; at 4, 2023,
 three wins (John Henry Turf Championship S. **[G2]** (SA, \$120,000)), once 2nd. Totals: 4 wins, twice
 2nd, twice 3rd. Earned \$367,290.