

Mission of Joy

Chestnut Mare; Mar 31, 2020

		El Prado (IRE), 89 gr	Sadler's Wells, 81 b
	Kitten's Joy, 01 ch	Kitten's First, 91 b	Lady Capulet, 74 ro
Mission of Joy		Smart Strike, 92 b	Lear Fan, 81 b
Foaled in Ontario		Misty Mission, 97 ch	That's My Hon, 83 ch
	Smart Mission, 13 ch		Mr. Prospector, 70 b
			Classy 'n Smart, 81 b
			Miswaki, 78 ch
			Hangin On a Star, 84 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 17 crops of racing age, 2070 foals, 1609 starters, 120 stakes winners, 6 champions, 1151 winners of 3678 races and earning \$152,840,914 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.), Play All Day (Champion in Switzerland, \$23,895 USA).

1st dam

Smart Mission, by Smart Strike. 2 wins in 2 starts at 3, \$56,356(USA). Dam of 7 foals, 5 to race, 4 winners--

MISSION OF JOY (f. by Kitten's Joy). Black type winner, see below.

Smart Union (f. by Union Rags). 3 wins in 6 starts at 2 and 3, 2025, \$124,275.

Twice as Smart (g. by Bernardini). 3 wins at 4 and 5, \$60,138(USA).

Stealth Mission (g. by Bernardini). 3 wins at 4, \$29,127(USA).

2nd dam

MISTY MISSION, by Miswaki. 2 wins in 3 starts at 3, \$194,320, Wonder Where S. -R (WO, \$150,000(CAN)). Half-sister to **COMET SHINE** (\$204,612, Champion 2-year-old colt in Canada, Summer S. [L] (WO, \$76,920(CAN)), etc., sire), **Sky Colony** (\$294,544, 2nd Dixie S. **[G2]** twice, etc.). Dam of 8 winners--

IRISH MISSION (f. by Giant's Causeway). 7 wins, 3 to 6, \$1,357,073(USA), Champion 3-year-old filly in Canada, Champion grass mare in Canada, Glens Falls S. **[G3]** (SAR, \$90,000), The Very One S. **[G3]** (GP, \$90,210), La Prevoyante H. **[G3]** (GP, \$56,420), Breeders' S. -R (WO, \$300,000(CAN)), Woodbine Oaks -R (WO, \$300,000(CAN)), 2nd Nassau S. **[G2]** (WO, \$48,000(CAN)), WinStar Matchmaker S. **[G3]** (MTH, \$30,000), Queen's Plate S. -R (WO, \$200,000(CAN)), etc. Dam of--

Ygritte (f. by Tapit). Winner at 3, \$42,495(USA). Dam of--

Youknownothing (f. by Candy Ride (ARG)). Winner at 2 and 4, 2025, \$193,314, 2nd Bewitch S. **[G3]** (KEE, \$48,750).

FRENCH BERET (g. by Broad Brush). 4 wins, 2 to 6, \$659,434(USA), Colonel E. R. Bradley H. **[G3]** (FG, \$60,000) twice, Toronto Cup S. [L] (WO, \$90,000(CAN)), 2nd Mervin Muniz Jr. Memorial H. **[G2]** (FG, \$100,000), Breeders' S. -R (WO, \$100,000(CAN)), Charley Barley S. [L] (WO, \$20,000(CAN)), 3rd Nijinsky S. **[G2]** (WO, \$36,300(CAN)), Connaught Cup S. **[G3]** (WO, \$18,150(CAN)), Singspiel S. [L] (WO, \$11,000(CAN)), etc.

MYTHICAL MISSION (f. by Giant's Causeway). 4 wins at 2 and 4, \$365,425(USA), West Virginia Senate President's Cup S. (MNR, \$46,200), 2nd Woodbine Oaks -R (WO, \$100,000(CAN)), Bison City S. -R (WO, \$45,000(CAN)), All Along S. [L] (LRL, \$30,000), Jammed Lovely S. -R (WO, \$25,000(CAN)), 3rd Wonder Where S. -R (WO, \$24,750(CAN)), Princess Elizabeth S. -R (WO, \$25,000(CAN)), Fury S. -R (WO, \$12,500(CAN)), etc. Producer.

Smart Mission (f. by Smart Strike). See above.

Smooth Stone (g. by Giant's Causeway). 6 wins, 3 to 7, \$254,331(USA).

El Sombre (g. by El Prado (IRE)). 5 wins, 4 to 8, \$152,458(USA).

Cross Every Bridge (g. by Giant's Causeway). 5 wins, 3 to 9, \$113,932(USA).

Dark Mission (f. by Medaglia d'Oro). Winner at 4, \$38,004(USA).

Ain't No Tellin' (f. by Dynaformer). Unplaced. Dam of--

Malibu Secret (g. by Malibu Moon). 7 wins, 3 to 9, \$388,141(USA), 2nd Jacques Cartier S. **[G3]** (WO, \$25,000(CAN)), Vandal S. -R (WO, \$30,000(CAN)), 3rd Kennedy Road S. **[G2]** (WO,

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\$17,500(CAN)), Jacques Cartier S. [G3] (WO, \$16,500(CAN)), Bold Venture S. [G3] (WO, \$13,750(CAN)), etc.

Tidal Forces (g. by Malibu Moon). 8 wins, 3 to 7, 2025, \$296,828(USA), 3rd Appleton S. [L] (GP, \$14,250).

3rd dam

HANGIN ON A STAR, by Vice Regent. 8 wins at 3 and 5, \$449,373, Breeders' S. [LR] (WO, \$105,480(CAN)), La Prevoyante S. [LR] (WO, \$48,600(CAN)), Canadian H. (WO, \$31,644(CAN)), 2nd Prince of Wales S. [LR] (FE, \$35,130(CAN)), Wonder Where S. [LR] (WO, \$22,180(CAN)), Lady Angela S. [LR] (WO, \$15,900(CAN)), 3rd Gallorette H. [G3], Vineland H. [G3], etc. Half-sister to **RAINBOW CONNECTION** (\$382,126, Champion 2-year-old filly in Canada, Champion 3-year-old filly in Canada, Demoiselle S.-G2, etc.), **ARCHDEACON** (\$94,840, Prince of Wales S.-L), **MR. MACHO** (\$192,965, King Edward Gold Cup H., etc.), **Linda's Laughin** (\$132,472, 2nd Plate Trial-R, sire). Dam of 6 winners--

COMET SHINE (c. by Fappiano). 3 wins at 2, \$204,612, Champion 2-year-old colt in Canada, Summer S. [L] (WO, \$76,920(CAN)), Cup and Saucer S. -R (WO, \$72,186(CAN)). Sire.

MISTY MISSION (f. by Miswaki). Black type winner, see above.

Sky Colony (c. by Pleasant Colony). 5 wins, 3 to 6, \$294,544, 2nd Dixie S. [G2] twice, Canadian Maturity S. -R (WO, \$21,188(CAN)), 3rd Play the King H. [G3].

Sanibel Star (f. by Unbridled's Song). Winner at 2, \$69,732(USA). Dam of--

STAR CONTENDER (c. by Henny Hughes). 7 wins, 2 to 7, \$490,390(USA), Cup and Saucer S. -R (WO, \$150,000(CAN)), 2nd Coronation Futurity -R (WO, \$50,000(CAN)), OLG Halton S. -R (WO, \$25,000(CAN)), 3rd Simcoe S. -R (WO, \$20,000(CAN)), Miesque's Approval S. (GP, \$7,425), etc.

Scorecard (f. by Tale of the Cat). 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$102,620. Dam of--

Forged Steel (c. by Vekoma). Winner at 2 and 3, 2025, \$161,560, 2nd Cutler Bay S. (GP, \$29,100), 3rd English Channel S. (GP, \$9,312), Carry Back S. (GP, \$9,000).

Star of Glory (f. by Unbridled). Winner at 3, \$12,900. Dam of--

Let Me In (g. by Any Given Saturday). 2 wins in 4 starts at 3, \$49,300, 3rd Louisiana Legends Cheval S. -R (EVD, \$10,000).

Exuma Cay (f. by Pleasant Colony). Winner at 4, \$27,943. Producer.

Shepherd's Star (f. by Seeking the Gold). Placed at 2 and 3, \$52,190. Producer.

Gold in My Stars (f. by Forty Niner). Unraced. Dam of--

KIMMYV (f. by El Corredor). 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$140,664(USA), Emerald Distaff H. [L] (EMD, \$41,250), 3rd Hastings H. (EMD, \$7,500), Strawberry Morn H. (HST, \$5,500(CAN)).

Erin's Golden Star (f. by Cat Thief). Winner at 2 and 5, \$122,750, 2nd Irish Sonnet S. (DEL, \$11,600). Producer.

Appealing Susan (f. by Successful Appeal). 4 wins at 3 and 4, \$108,880, 3rd Goldfinch S. (PRM, \$6,000). Producer.

Starboard Tack (f. by Seattle Slew). Unraced. Dam of--

STAR QUEEN (f. by Kingmambo). 5 wins at 3 and 4 in NA, placed in 1 start at 2 in FR, \$158,072 (USA), Dade Turf Classic S. (ELP, \$24,000), 3rd Pleasant Temper S. (KD, \$4,500). Dam of--

STARZENE (f. by Cozzene). 6 wins, 2 to 4 in SAF, \$67,351 (USA), Java H. [L], 2nd Gold Bowl [G2], Aquanaut H. [L], 3rd Tarsus Racing Association H. [G3]. Dam of--

=AFRICAN NIGHT SKY (SAF) (g. by =Dynasty (SAF)). 6 wins at 3 and 4 in SAF, \$73,367 (USA), Cup Trial [G3], Highlands Stud Winter Guineas [G3], Highlands Stud Winter Classic [G3], Highlands Stud Winter Derby [G3], 3rd Glorious Goodwood Premier Trophy [G2].

=Wildest Dreams (SAF) (f. by =Dynasty (SAF)). 6 wins, 3 to 5 in SAF, \$24,976 (USA), 3rd Glenlair Trophy [L], Port Elizabeth Gold Cup [L].

PATIENCE GAME (c. by Woodman). 2 wins at 3, \$152,336, Derby Trial S. [G3], 3rd Winnercomm H. [G2].

Charlie the Boss (c. by Street Boss). 4 wins at 3 and 4, \$76,787, 3rd English Channel S. (GP, \$7,500). Sire.

Forest Grinder (f. by Forestry). Placed at 2 and 3, 3rd Catcharisingstar S. (CRC, \$5,500).

Staria (f. by Unbridled's Song). Placed at 3, \$9,062. Dam of--

SIR GENGHIS (g. by Tale of the Cat). 11 wins, 3 to 7, \$523,052, Need For Speed S. (EVD,

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\$36,000), Louisiana Legends Classic S. -R (EVD, \$60,000), Gold Cup S. -R (DED, \$60,000), 2nd Louisiana Legends Sprint S. -R (EVD, \$18,000), Gold Cup S. -R (DED, \$18,000), etc.

TIME TO DAZZLE (f. by Not This Time). 3 wins at 2 and 3, placed at 4, 2025, \$441,077(USA), Ontario Colleen S. **[G3]** (WO, \$81,000(CAN)), 2nd License Fee S. [L] (BAQ, \$30,000), 3rd Caress S. **[G3]** (SAR, \$21,000).

Holiday Song (f. by Harlan's Holiday). 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$66,750, 3rd Elge Raspberry S. -R (LAD, \$8,250).

RACE RECORD for Mission of Joy: At 2, one win in 2 starts; at 3, three wins (Regret S. **[G3]** (CD, \$122,760), Florida Oaks **[G3]** (TAM, \$90,000)), twice 3rd (Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup S. **[G1]** (KEE, \$47,500), Edgewood S. **[G2]** (CD, \$47,000)); at 4, once 3rd (Just a Game S. **[G1]** (SAR, \$60,000)); at 5, 2025, two wins (Rodeo Drive S. **[G2]** (SA, \$120,000)), once 3rd (John C. Mabee S. **[G2]** (DMR, \$30,000)). Totals: 6 wins, 4 times 3rd. Earned \$680,667(USA) (\$677,065, \$4,900(CAN)).