

Questing (GB)

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Questing (GB) Foaled in Great Britain	Hard Spun, 04 b	Danzig, 77 b	Northern Dancer, 61 b
		Turkish Tryst, 91 ch	Pas de Nom, 68 dk b/ Turkoman, 82 dk b/ Darbyvail, 84 ch
	Chercheuse, 98 b	Seeking the Gold, 85 b	Mr. Prospector, 70 b Con Game, 74 dk b/ Storm Bird, 78 b
		Sassy Bird, 92 b	Tash, 77 dk b/

By HARD SPUN (2004). Stakes winner of \$2,673,470, King's Bishop S. **[G1]** (SAR, \$150,000), etc. Sire of 11 crops of racing age, 1709 foals, 1301 starters, 85 stakes winners, 1 champion, 906 winners of 3099 races and earning \$120,234,320 USA, including Questing (GB) (Champion in U.S., \$876,876 USA, Alabama S. **[G1]** (SAR, \$360,000), etc.), Le Romain (\$3,181,578 USA, Girvan Waugh Randwick Guineas **[G1]**, etc.). Sire of dams of 28 stakes winners, including Good Magic (champion), Broderie, Danon Smash, Alcohol Free, Silver Dust, Wells Bayou, Lone Rock, Special Reserve, Adventuring, Whateverybodywants, Souper Tapit, Forza Di Oro, Kiss the Girl, Informative, Itsmyluckycharm.

1st dam

CHERCHEUSE, by Seeking the Gold. 5 wins at 3 and 4 in FR, placed at 5 in NA, \$109,207 (USA), Prix Contessina [L], Prix Asselco Grand Prix Anjou Bretagne [L], 3rd Prix du Cercle [L], CERF H. -R (DMR, \$8,556). Dam of 7 foals, 6 to race, 6 winners--

QUESTING (GB) (f. by Hard Spun). Champion, see below.

=My Target (IRE) (g. by \$Cape Cross (IRE)). 10 wins, 2 to 9, placed at 10, 2021 in ENG, \$148,923 (USA).

=Piepowder Court (IRE) (g. by =Pivotal (GB)). Winner at 5 in UAE, \$35,175 (USA).

Vaguely Familiar (f. by A.P. Indy). Winner in 2 starts at 3, \$29,265. Producer.

Cherchuese d'Or (g. by A.P. Indy). Winner at 3, \$22,060.

Ruly (f. by A.P. Indy). Winner in 1 start at 3, \$10,500. Producer.

2nd dam

SASSY BIRD, by Storm Bird. Placed in 2 starts at 2, \$4,650. Sister to **MUKADDAMAH** (\$271,363 (USA), Hwt. at 3 on French Free Hand., 7 - 9 1/2 fur., John Roarty Memorial International S. **[G2]**, etc., sire), **CONTEMPT** (\$61,730, Rancho Santa Fe S. [LR] (DMR, \$31,050), sire), half-sister to **TATAMI** (\$78,139 (USA), Vodafone Horris Hill S. **[G3]**, etc., sire), **MARIUKA** (\$228,005, Bryan Station S. [L] (KEE, \$43,850), etc.). Dam of 6 winners--

CHERCHEUSE (f. by Seeking the Gold). Black type winner, see above.

=**ASAWER (IRE)** (f. by =Darshaan (GB)). 2 wins at 3 in ENG, \$97,105 (USA), Free Archive Video on Attheraces.com John Musker S. [L], 2nd Siemens Smart Homes Technology Aphrodite S. [L], 3rd Ribblesdale S. **[G2]**, Princess Royal John Doyle S. **[G3]**, Lanwades Stud Severals S. [L]. Dam of--

=Ertiyaad (GB) (f. by Sakhee). Placed at 3 in ENG. Dam of--

=**Ostwind (IND)** (g. by =Holy Roman Emperor (IRE)). 3 wins at 2 and 3 in IND, 3rd Kunigal Stud Breeders' Produce S. [L].

Taste the Stars (c. by Benny the Dip). 3 wins at 3 and 6 in FR, \$99,086 (USA).

Sasanuma (f. by Kingmambo). 3 wins at 3 and 4 in FR, \$75,071 (USA). Producer.

Osprey (g. by Seeking the Gold). 5 wins, 4 to 6, \$65,693.

=Aquilifer (IRE) (g. by =Holy Roman Emperor (IRE)). 4 wins at 3 in ENG, \$16,544 (USA).

=Yaasah (IRE) (f. by Distant View). Unraced in Ireland. Dam of--

=**Alyaasaat (AUS)** (g. by =Dawn Approach (IRE)). 7 wins, 2 to 5, placed at 6, 2021 in SAF and MAU, \$66,365 (USA), 2nd Premiers Champion S. **[G1]**, Joburg Spring Challenge **[G2]**.

3rd dam

TASH, by Never Bend. 2 wins at 2, \$16,620. Half-sister to **GREGORIAN** (\$194,912 (USA), Joe McGrath Memorial S.-**G1**, etc., sire), **TRULY BOUND** (\$382,449, Arlington-Washington Lassie S.-**G2**, etc.), **IVORY WAND** (\$97,452, Test S.-**G3**, etc.), **BLOOD ROYAL** (\$28,870 (USA), Queen's Vase-**G3**, etc., sire), **ARKADINA** (\$79,830 (USA), Athasi S., etc.). Dam of 9 winners--

MUKADDAMAH (c. by Storm Bird). 4 wins, 2 to 5 in ENG, IRE and NA, placed in 1 start at 3 in FR, \$271,363 (USA), Hwt. at 3 on French Free Hand., 7 - 9 1/2 fur., John Roarty Memorial International S. **[G2]**, Lanson Champagne Vintage S. **[G3]**, 2nd Racing Post Trophy **[G1]**,

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Emirates Prix du Moulin de Longchamp [G1], Singer & Friedlander Greenham S. [G3]. Sire.

MARIUKA (f. by Danzig). 5 wins, 2 to 4, \$228,005, Bryan Station S. [L] (KEE, \$43,850), A.P. Indy S. [L] (KEE, \$43,974), 2nd Dade Turf Classic S. [L] (ELP, \$10,000), Lt. Governor S. (ELP, \$10,000), 3rd Valley View S. [L] (KEE, \$8,407), Edgewood S. [L] (CD, \$8,385), Magnolia Breeders' Cup S. [L] (ELP, \$6,006). Dam of--

LYDGATE (c. by Pulpit). Winner at 3 and 4 in NA, \$139,769 (USA), Aegon Turf Sprint S. [G3] (CD, \$71,114). Sire.

TATAMI (c. by Lyphard). 5 wins at 2 and 5 in ENG and UAE, \$78,139 (USA), Vodafone Horris Hill S. [G3], 2nd O & K Troy S. [L]. Sire.

CONTEMPT (c. by Storm Bird). 2 wins at 2, \$61,730, Rancho Santa Fe S. [LR] (DMR, \$31,050). Sire. Queen of Women (f. by Sharpen Up (GB)). Winner at 3 and 4 in FR and NA, \$42,082 (USA). Dam of--

ANTONIETTE (f. by Nicholas). 9 wins at 3 and 4, \$399,140, Athenia H. [G3], River Cities Breeders' Cup S. [L] (LAD, \$90,000), Valnor Breeders' Cup H. [L] (HAW, \$66,450), 3rd River Downs Breeders' Cup H. [L] (RD, \$12,500). Dam of--

SWITCH (f. by Quiet American). 6 wins, 2 to 5, \$1,479,562, La Brea S. [G1] (SA, \$150,000), Santa Monica S. [G1] (SA, \$150,000), A Gleam H. [G2] (BHP, \$120,000), Hollywood Oaks [G2] (HOL, \$90,000), Torrey Pines S. [L] (DMR, \$60,000), etc. Producer.

KEYSTONE GULCH (f. by Gulch). 4 wins in 7 starts at 2 and 3, \$81,180, Goldfinch S. (PRM, \$30,000). Dam of--

=Top Ravine (AUS) (g. by =Redoute's Choice (AUS)). 4 wins at 3 and 5 in AUS, \$77,536 (USA), 3rd Ladbrokes Caulfield Autumn Classic [G2].

=Celtic Beauty (IRE) (f. by No Nay Never). Winner at 2 in IRE, placed at 2 in ENG, \$44,624 (USA), 2nd Albany S. [G3], 3rd Coolmore Stud Irish E.B.F. Naas Juvenile Fillies Sprint S. [G3].

Tessie Flip (f. by Grand Slam). Winner at 2 and 4, \$72,859. Dam of--

JO JO AIR (f. by Scat Daddy). 4 wins, 2 to 4, \$221,474, William Walker S. [L] (CD, \$75,950), Daisycutter H. (DMR, \$41,700), 2nd Senator Ken Maddy S. [G3] (SA, \$20,000), The Very One S. [L] (PIM, \$20,000).

Art Affair (f. by Mineshaft). Unraced. Dam of--

C J 's Cat Five (f. by Astern (AUS)). Placed at 2, 2021, 3rd Jamestown S. -R (CNL, \$11,000).

FRENCH CHARMER (g. by French Deputy). 9 wins, 3 to 6, \$322,420, John D. Schapiro Memorial Breeders' Cup H. [L] (LRL, \$90,000), Flying Pidgeon H. [L] (CRC, \$60,000).

Courtlandt Queen (f. by Deputy Minister). 4 wins at 3 and 4, \$77,672, 3rd Spicy Living Sweepstakes H. [L] (RKM, \$10,000). Producer.

Diamond Light (f. by Fantastic Light). Winner at 3 in GER, placed at 2 and 3 in ENG, \$13,720 (USA). Dam of--

=DIAMONDS POUR MOI (GB) (f. by =Pour Moi (IRE)). Winner at 2 and 3 in ENG and FR, \$45,218 (USA), Prix Belle de Nuit - Fonds Europeen de l'Elevage [L], 3rd Arkle Finance Cheshire Oaks [L].

=Double Diamond (FR) (f. by \$Muhtathir (GB)). Winner at 2 in FR, \$55,757 (USA), 3rd Prix la Sorellina [L].

Krakowviak (f. by Tale of the Cat). 3 wins, 3 to 5, \$32,685. Dam of--

Hidden Vow (g. by Broken Vow). 5 wins, 4 to 8, \$295,372, 3rd Kingston S. -R (BEL, \$12,500).

Morning Calm (c. by Broken Vow). 4 wins, 2 to 4, \$215,019, 2nd Spider John S. (GPW, \$14,850).

Unclouded (f. by Danzig). Unplaced in 2 starts. Dam of--

Reason (f. by Quiet American). Unplaced. Dam of--

Barilko (g. by Elusive Quality). Winner at 2 and 4, 2021, \$76,630 (USA), 2nd Ontario Racing S. (WO, \$24,000 (CAN)).

Volk (c. by What a Pleasure). 15 wins, 3 to 8, \$63,789.

Constrictor (g. by Tabasco Cat). 4 wins, 3 to 5, \$36,317.

Triple Encore (f. by Stop the Music). 2 wins at 3, \$26,257. Producer.

Strictly Personal (c. by Secreto). Winner at 2 in ENG, \$9,879 (USA).

Sassy Bird (f. by Storm Bird). See above.

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Tashinsky (f. by Nijinsky II). Placed in 1 start at 2 in FR , \$3,760 (USA). Dam of--

=Fanfare (GB) (f. by =Deploy (GB)). 3 wins at 3 in ENG, \$29,960 (USA). Dam of--

=**DAN TUCKET (GB)** (g. by \$Dansili (GB)). 11 wins, 2 to 6 in ENG, DEN and NOR, \$211,668 (USA), Champion 3-year-old colt in Scandinavia, Beierholm Golden Mile [L], 2nd Messehallen Elektriske a/s Jockey Club Cup [L], 3rd Scandinavian Open Championship [G3], Polar Mile Cup [L].

Bobbey's Dreamer (f. by Roberto). Placed, 3 to 5 in FR and NA , \$22,492 (USA).

Take to Task (c. by Conquistador Cielo). Placed at 2 in ENG, \$5,639 (USA).

All Ladies (f. by Nicholas). Placed in 2 starts at 3, \$3,880.

RACE RECORD for Questing (GB): In England. At 2, one win, once 2nd (Sakhee Oh So Sharp S. [G3]), once 3rd (Whiteley Clinic Prestige S. [G3]). Earned 15,500 Pounds (\$24,556 USA). In NA. At 2, unplaced in 1 start; at 3, Champion 3-year-old filly (2012), 3 wins (Alabama S. [G1] (SAR, \$360,000), TVG Coaching Club American Oaks [G1] (SAR, \$180,000)), once 2nd (Cotillion S. [G1] (PRX, \$202,000)). Earned \$852,320. Grand Totals: 4 wins, twice 2nd, once 3rd. Earned \$876,876(USA). Died 2019. Sent from Great Britain to United States in 2011.

PRODUCE RECORD for Questing (GB):

2014 Lady Hester, f. by Bernardini. Winner at 5 in NA , placed at 3 in ENG, \$66,584 (USA).

2015 Not bred previous year.

2016 **Romantic Pursuit**, f. by Medaglia d'Oro. 2 wins at 3, \$292,804(USA), 2nd The Very One S. [G3] (GP, \$27,900), 3rd Sands Point S. [G2] (BEL, \$25,200).

2017 Achievable, g. by Medaglia d'Oro. Unplaced in 2 starts.

2018 **ADVENTURING**, f. by Pioneerof the Nile. 3 wins at 3, 2021, \$449,100, Exacta Systems Dueling Grounds Oaks [L] (KD, \$303,800), Bourbonette Oaks [L] (TP, \$88,350), 3rd Kentucky Downs TVG Preview Dueling Grounds Oaks (ELP, \$9,700).

2019 Dead foal (bred to Pioneerof the Nile).