

# =Gran Alegria (JPN)

Bay Mare; Jan 24, 2016

=Gran Alegria (JPN) Foaled in Japan	=Deep Impact (JPN), 02 b	Sunday Silence, 86 dk b/	Halo, 69 dk b/
		Wind in Her Hair (IRE), 91 b	Wishing Well, 75 b
		Tapit, 01 gr/ro	Alzao, 80 b
		Flying Marlin, 99 b	=Burghclere (GB), 77 b
	Tapitsfly, 07 gr/ro		Pulpit, 94 b
			Tap Your Heels, 96 gr/ro
			Marlin, 93 b
			Morning Dove, 93 b

**By DEEP IMPACT (JPN)** (2002). Horse of the year twice in Japan, Triple Crown winner of \$12,825,285 USA, Japan Cup **[G1]**, etc. Leading sire 5 times in Japan, sire of 12 crops of racing age, 1757 foals, 1571 starters, 175 stakes winners, 19 champions, 1164 winners of 3256 races and earning \$673,812,913 USA, including Gentildonna (Horse of the year twice in Japan, \$18,468,392 USA, Yushun Himba-Japanese Oaks **[G1]**, etc.), Vivlos (Champion in Japan, \$8,441,484 USA, Shuka Sho **[G1]**, etc.), Gran Alegria (Champion 3 times in Japan, to 5, 2021, \$7,799,543 USA, Mile Championship **[G1]**, etc.), Contrail (Champion twice in Japan, to 3, 2020, \$7,776,989 USA, Tokyo Yushun Japanese Derby **[G1]**, etc.).

## 1st dam

**TAPITSFLY**, by Tapit. 7 wins, 2 to 5, \$1,495,503, Longines Just a Game S. **[G1]** (BEL, \$300,000), First Lady S. **[G1]** (KEE, \$210,000), Honey Fox S. **[G2]** (GP, \$90,000), Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf [L] (OSA, \$540,000), P. G. Johnson S. (SAR, \$44,250), 2nd Churchill Distaff Turf Mile S. **[G2]** (CD, \$43,786), Ballston Spa S. **[G2]** (SAR, \$40,000), Miss Grillo S. [L] (BEL, \$31,500), etc. Sister to **Flying Tipat**. Dam of 2 foals, 2 to race, 2 winners--  
**=GRAN ALEGRIA (JPN)** (f. by =Deep Impact (JPN)). Champion, see below.  
**=Blutgang (JPN)** (c. by =Deep Impact (JPN)). Winner in 1 start at 2 in JPN, \$65,240 (USA).

## 2nd dam

**FLYING MARLIN**, by Marlin. 4 wins at 3 and 4, \$146,051. Dam of 3 winners--  
**TAPITSFLY** (f. by Tapit). Black type winner, see above.  
**Flying Tipat** (f. by Tapit). 3 wins, 2 to 5, \$176,344, 3rd TaWee S. (IND, \$11,054).  
 Marlin Mission (f. by Strategic Mission). Winner at 3, \$70,014.  
 Flying Vision (f. by Pollard's Vision). Placed at 2, \$10,031. Producer.  
 Junk Yard (g. by Forest Danger). Placed at 4, \$5,301.  
 Classy Marlin (f. by Sky Classic). Unplaced. Dam of--  
**HESINFRONT** (c. by War Front). 7 wins, 2 to 5, \$446,658, Delta Mile S. [L] (DED, \$150,000).

## 3rd dam

**MORNING DOVE**, by Fortunate Prospect. Winner at 3, \$9,575. Half-sister to **MOONSHINE HALL** (\$384,907 (USA), Charlie Barley S. [L] (WO, \$67,200(CAN)), etc.), **MALLI STAR** (\$195,895, Sweetest Chant S. [L] (GP, \$30,000), etc.). Dam of 4 winners--  
 Flying Marlin (f. by Marlin). See above.  
 Bayani (f. by Deputy Commander). Winner at 2 and 4, \$113,192. Producer.  
 Chairman A. P. (g. by A.P. Indy). Winner at 2 and 4, \$63,667.  
 Camp Del Mar Rules (f. by Marlin). Winner at 3, \$36,400.  
 Charlie Cartwright (c. by Siphon (BRZ)). Placed at 3 and 5, \$9,217.  
 Morning Delite (c. by Afternoon Deelites). Placed at 3 and 4 in KOR.

## 4th dam

**PINK DOVE**, by Argument (FR). Winner at 3, \$11,538. Half-sister to **GOLDEN PHEASANT** (\$2,453,958 (USA), Arlington Million **[G1]**, etc., sire), **SEEWILLO** (\$129,730, Queen Charlotte H. **[G3]**, etc.), **TRIAL BY ERROR** (\$38,190 (USA), Dee S.-**G3**, etc., sire), **AGGIES BEST** (\$256,752, Ak-Sar-Ben H. [L] (AKS, \$60,000), etc.), **SUPREME EXCELLENCE** (\$118,120, Indian Maid H. (HAW, \$23,700), etc.), **Gourmet Dinner** (\$80,160, 2nd Twilight Tear H. [O], etc.), **I Forget** (\$20,600, 3rd Pepsi Challenge H.). Dam of 10 winners, including--  
**MOONSHINE HALL** (g. by Spinning World). 8 wins, 3 to 8 in NA, \$384,907 (USA), Charlie Barley S. [L] (WO, \$67,200(CAN)), 2nd Storm Cat S. [L] (KEE, \$16,845), 3rd Toronto Cup H. **[G3]** (WO, \$18,051(CAN)).  
**MALLI STAR** (f. by Baldski). 5 wins at 2 and 3, \$195,895, Sweetest Chant S. [L] (GP, \$30,000), Patricia S. (HIA, \$24,000), 2nd Del Mar Invitational Oaks **[G1]**, Honeymoon H. **[G3]**, Linda Vista Breeders' Cup H. **[G3]**, Hidden Light S. -R (HOL, \$12,000).

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=**BELLA RHEIA (JPN)** (f. by =Narita Top Road (JPN)). 3 wins at 3 in JPN, \$2,082,610 (USA), Sankei Sports Sho Flora S. [LR], 2nd Fuchu Himba S. [**G3**], Yushun Himba-Japanese Oaks [LR], Kansai Telecasting Corporation Sho Rose S. [LR], 3rd Queen Elizabeth II Commemorative Cup [**G1**], etc.

=**Mallos (JPN)** (c. by Sunday Silence). 2 wins at 2 in JPN, \$276,214 (USA), 3rd Niigata Nisai S. [LR].

White Wing (f. by A.P. Indy). Winner at 3, \$42,530.

**Valid Performance** (c. by Valid Expectations). 8 wins, 2 to 5, \$133,681, 2nd My Dandy Texas Stallion S. -R (RET, \$25,000), 3rd Jim's Orbit Texas Stallion S. -R (RET, \$13,750). Sire.

Morning Dove (f. by Fortunate Prospect). See above.

RACE RECORD for =Gran Alegria (JPN): In Japan. At 2, two wins (Saudi Arabia Royal Cup [**G3**]), once 3rd (Asahi Hai Futurity S. [**G1**]) in 3 starts; at 3, Champion 3-year-old filly (2019), 2 wins (Oka Sho Japanese One Thousand Guineas [**G1**], Hanshin Cup [**G2**]) in 3 starts; at 4, Champion sprinter (2020), Champion miler (2020), 3 wins (Mile Championship [**G1**], Sprinters S. [**G1**], Yasuda Kinen [**G1**]), once 2nd (Takamatsunomiya Kinen [**G1**]) in 4 starts; at 5, 2021, one win (Victoria Mile [**G1**]) in 2 starts. Earned 845,635,000 Yen (\$7,799,543 USA). Totals: 8 wins, once 2nd, once 3rd in 12 starts. Earned \$7,799,543(USA).