

Higher Power

Bay Colt; Apr 13, 2015

Higher Power Foaled in Kentucky	Medaglia d'Oro, 99 dk b/ Alternate, 99 gr/ro	El Prado (IRE), 89 gr Cappucino Bay, 89 b Seattle Slew, 74 dk b/ Strike a Balance, 83 gr/ro	Sadler's Wells, 81 b Lady Capulet, 74 ro Bailjumper, 74 b Dubbed In, 73 ch Bold Reasoning, 68 dk b/ My Charmer, 69 b Green Dancer, 72 b Strike a Pose, 71 gr
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By MEDAGLIA D'ORO (1999). Stakes winner of \$5,754,720 USA, Travers S. **[G1]** (SAR, \$600,000), etc. Among the leading sires twice, sire of 12 crops of racing age, 1978 foals, 1306 starters, 133 stakes winners, 5 champions, 833 winners of 2405 races and earning \$128,308,834 USA, including Songbird (Champion twice, \$4,692,000, Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies **[G1]** (KEE, \$1,100,000), etc.), Rachel Alexandra (Horse of the year in U.S., \$3,506,730, BlackBerry Preakness S. **[G1]** (PIM, \$660,000), etc.), Vancouver (AUS) (Champion in Australia, \$1,845,530 USA, Tooheys New Golden Slipper **[G1]**, etc.), Wonder Gadot (Horse of the year in Canada, \$1,524,861 USA, Demoiselle S. **[G2]** (AQU, \$150,000), etc.), Medaglia d'Orizaba (Champion in Mexico, \$24,928 USA).

1st dam

ALTERNATE, by Seattle Slew. 6 wins, 3 to 5, \$550,695, Robert G. Dick Memorial Breeders' Cup H. [L] (DEL, \$90,000) twice, Go for Wand S. [L] (DEL, \$45,000), 2nd Monmouth Breeders' Cup Oaks **[G2]** (MTH, \$50,000), Delaware Oaks **[G3]** (DEL, \$50,000), Bewitch S. **[G3]** (KEE, \$22,680), Susan's Girl Breeders' Cup S. [L] (DEL, \$35,000), New Castle H. [L] (DEL, \$20,000), 3rd Glens Falls H. **[G3]** (SAR, \$12,441), etc. Dam of 12 foals, 9 to race, 9 winners--

ALTERNATION (c. by Distorted Humor). 9 wins, 2 to 4, \$1,064,727, Oaklawn H. **[G2]** (OP, \$240,000), Peter Pan S. **[G2]** (BEL, \$120,000), Pimlico Special S. **[G3]** (PIM, \$180,000), Razorback H. **[G3]** (OP, \$75,000), Governor's Cup S. [L] (RP, \$125,000), Essex H. [L] (OP, \$60,000), 2nd Oklahoma Derby [L] (RP, \$80,000). Sire.

HIGHER POWER (c. by Medaglia d'Oro). Black type winner, see below.

INTERRUPTED (f. by Broken Vow). 5 wins in 10 starts, 2 to 4, \$251,005, Lady Baltimore S. [L] (LRL, \$90,000), Penn Oaks S. [L] (PEN, \$57,400), 3rd Florida Oaks **[G3]** (TAM, \$15,000).

Elision (f. by Elusive Quality). 4 wins, 2 to 4, \$203,651(USA). Producer.

Armament (g. by War Front). 3 wins at 4 and 5, 2019, \$90,043(USA).

Quick Change (c. by Awesome Again). 4 wins at 3 and 4, \$61,724.

Moving Away (f. by Distorted Humor). Winner at 3, \$51,294.

Transportation (f. by Giant's Causeway). Winner at 3, \$30,650.

Take Turns (c. by Seeking the Gold). Winner at 2, \$30,060. Sire.

2nd dam

STRIKE A BALANCE, by Green Dancer. 2 wins in 3 starts at 3, \$30,720. Half-sister to **WEDDING PICTURE** (\$152,997, Revidere H. [L], etc.), **TONKA WAKHAN** (\$134,256, Minstrel S., etc.). Dam of 10 winners--

PEAKS AND VALLEYS (c. by Mt. Livermore). 9 wins in 16 starts, 2 to 4, \$1,589,270, Horse of the year in Canada, Champion 3-year-old colt in Canada, Molson Export Million S. **[G1]**, Meadowlands Cup H. **[G1]**, Illinois Derby **[G2]**, Derby Trial S. **[G3]**, Miller High Life Cradle S. [L] (RD, \$120,000), 2nd Saratoga Cup H. **[G3]**, Lafayette S. **[G3]**, Col. R. S. McLaughlin H. [L] (WO, \$15,885(CAN)), etc. Leading sire in Canada.

ALTERNATE (f. by Seattle Slew). Black type winner, see above.

Counterpoise (f. by Storm Cat). 2 wins at 3, \$45,330. Dam of--

TIP TAP TAPIZAR (c. by Tapizar). 2 wins at 2, \$199,310, Sapling S. [L] (MTH, \$60,000), 2nd Saratoga Special S. **[G2]** (SAR, \$40,000), Jean Lafitte S. [L] (DED, \$40,000), 3rd Bashford Manor S. **[G3]** (CD, \$9,600).

Divine Music (g. by Songandaprayer). 4 wins, 2 to 4, \$153,658(USA), 2nd Black Gold S. (FG, \$12,000). Set ntr at Fort Erie, 6 1/2 furlongs in 1:15.22.

Elusory (f. by Broken Vow). Unraced. Dam of--

Tappin Cat (g. by Tritap). Winner at 2 and 3, 2019, \$73,737, 2nd Star De Naskra S. -R (LRL, \$15,000).

Balancing Act (f. by Spectacular Bid). 2 wins at 3, \$22,855. Dam of--

ELEUSIS (f. by Diesis (GB)). 6 wins in 10 starts at 3 in FR and NA, \$165,801 (USA), Long Island

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- H. **[G2]** (AQU, \$90,000), Prix Joubert [L].
TIP THE SCALE (f. by Valiant Nature). 9 wins at 4 and 5, \$129,530, Highland Happening S. (SUF, \$18,000). Dam of--
Wildcat Wizard (c. by Forest Wildcat). 2 wins at 2 in ENG, placed in 1 start at 2 in FR , \$60,863 (USA), 3rd Prix du Haras de la Huderie [L].
 Silver Frau (f. by Silver Charm). Unplaced. Dam of--
 Flycita (f. by Badge of Silver). Placed in 1 start at 2 in PER. Dam of--
=FATIMA (PER) (f. by Forestry). 5 wins, 2 to 4 in PER, \$24,299 (USA), Clasico Augusto Mostajo Barrera **[G3]**.
 Striking Distance (f. by Blushing John). 2 wins at 4, \$61,802. Dam of--
 Slam Strike (f. by Grand Slam). Unraced. Dam of--
=Ashwa Raftar (IND) (g. by Sedgfield). 7 wins, 2 to 4 in IND, 3rd Juvenile Sprinters' Million [L].
 Pleasantville (f. by Pleasant Colony). Winner at 3, \$38,252. Dam of--
 Westerville (f. by Gone West). 2 wins at 3, \$80,510. Dam of--
=Barbara Star (VEN) (f. by Borrego). Placed at 3 in VEN, 3rd Copa Dia del Trabajador [L].
 Happy Medium (c. by Homebuilder). 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$115,590.
 Level Land (c. by Gulch). 3 wins at 3 and 4 in NA , \$72,080 (USA). Sire.
 Align (f. by Rainbow Quest). Winner at 4, \$34,460.
 Golden Mean (f. by Mt. Livermore). Winner at 3, \$8,250. Producer.
 Countervail (f. by Seeking the Gold). Placed at 3, \$12,840. Dam of--
 Itsagiantcauseway (f. by Giant's Causeway). 3 wins at 3 and 5, \$79,705. Dam of--
MUCHO GUSTO (c. by Mucho Macho Man). 5 wins in 8 starts at 2 and 3, 2019, \$630,800, Robert B. Lewis S. **[G3]** (SA, \$90,000), Lazaro Barrera S. **[G3]** (SA, \$60,000), Affirmed S. **[G3]** (SA, \$60,000), Bob Hope S. **[G3]** (DMR, \$60,000), 2nd TVG.com Haskell Invitational S. **[G1]** (MTH, \$200,000), etc.
 Take the Balance (c. by Maria's Mon). Placed in 1 start at 4, \$4,290.
 Hopes and Fears (f. by Mt. Livermore). Unraced. Dam of--
CRYPTOGRAPH (c. by Cryptoclearance). 7 wins, 2 to 4, \$531,705(USA), Woodbine Slots Cup H. **[G3]** (WO, \$98,640(CAN)), Durham Cup H. **[G3]** (WO, \$96,390(CAN)), Round Table S. [L] (AP, \$60,000), Grand Prairie Turf Challenge S. [L] (LS, \$45,000), 2nd Lone Star Park H. **[G3]** (LS, \$60,000), etc. Sire.
 Jocaster (f. by Service Stripe). Winner at 3, \$13,730. Dam of--
Coronado Again (g. by Gemologist). 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$124,730, 3rd Groomstick H. (GP, \$4,900).
 Equilibrate (f. by Gone West). Unraced. Dam of--
EQUALITY (c. by Mt. Livermore). 4 wins at 2 and 3, \$252,150, Tampa Bay Derby **[G3]** (TAM, \$120,000), Gleaming S. (DEL, \$35,220), 2nd Aventura S. [L] (GP, \$50,000). Sire.
EQUAL OPPORTUNITY (g. by Rahy). 4 wins at 3 and 4, \$102,530, Awad S. (AP, \$24,975).
Equitable (c. by A.P. Indy). 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$256,516(USA), 2nd Commonwealth Turf S. [L] (CD, \$32,634), 3rd United Nations S. **[G1]** (MTH, \$80,000). Sire.
- 3rd dam**
Strike a Pose, by Iron Ruler. 4 wins, 2 to 4, \$53,048, 2nd Marigold S., 3rd Coquette H. Half-sister to **FRENCH FRIEND** (\$56,698 (USA), Prix de Conde-**G3**, etc., sire), **STAGE LUCK** (\$73,984, Eatontown H., etc.), **No Points** (\$71,372, 2nd Key West S. (HIA, \$5,720), etc., sire). Dam of 6 winners--
WEDDING PICTURE (f. by Blushing Groom (FR)). 8 wins in 14 starts at 3 and 4, \$152,997, Revidere H. [L], Pinafore S., [Q] [Q] at, 2nd Candy Eclair S. [OR]. Dam of--
WINGED VICTORY (c. by Nijinsky II). 5 wins, 3 to 6 in ENG and NA , \$191,864 (USA), Fort Lauderdale H. **[G3]**, Haydock Park July Trophy S. [L], 2nd King Edward VII S. **[G2]**, 3rd Early Times Turf Classic S. **[G1]**. Sire.
WHERE'S THE RING (c. by Seeking the Gold). 6 wins at 2 and 4, \$182,900, Chuck Taliaferro Memorial S. (RP, \$21,000), 2nd Count Fleet Sprint H. **[G3]** (OP, \$30,000). Among the leading sires 5 times.
SERVICE STRIPE (c. by Deputy Minister). 10 wins, 2 to 5, \$130,043, Pontiac H. (DET, \$15,000), 2nd Beau Genius H. (DET, \$5,000), 3rd Isi Newborn Memorial H. (TDN, \$3,240). Sire.
PUZZLED LOOK (f. by Gulch). 7 wins, 2 to 4, \$110,434, Plaza H. (WDS, \$18,000), 2nd

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- Sequoyah H. (RP, \$5,605), Before Dawn S. (PRM, \$5,450), Hoist Her Flag S. (CBY, \$5,000), 3rd Safely Kept S. (AP, \$4,064). Dam of--
- =Temple Place (IRE)** (g. by Sadler's Wells). 7 wins, 2 to 10 in ENG, \$118,477 (USA), 3rd MBNA Europe Bank Chester Vase [G3], Tom McGee Autumn S. [G3], Bet365 Feilden S. [L].
- Wedded Bliss** (f. by His Majesty). 3 wins at 4 and 5, \$68,276, 3rd Fairway Fun S. [L] (TP, \$6,290). Dam of--
- EVER AFTER** (f. by Kris S.). 5 wins, 2 to 4, \$240,678, Edgewood S. [L] (CD, \$67,704), Audubon Oaks (ELP, \$30,500), 2nd Appalachian S. [L] (KEE, \$22,660). Dam of--
- Every Way** (f. by City Zip). 4 wins at 2 and 4, \$222,254(USA), 2nd Pucker Up S. [G3] (AP, \$33,950), Hatoof S. (AP, \$15,399), Minnesota H. B. P. A. Distaff S. (CBY, \$14,250), Jersey Lilly S. (HOU, \$10,000), 3rd Mazarine S. [G3] (WO, \$22,000(CAN)).
- WEDLOCK** (g. by Maria's Mon). 5 wins at 2 and 3, \$190,260, Vincent A. Moscarelli Memorial S. [L] (DEL, \$45,000), 2nd Kelso S. [L] (DEL, \$15,000).
- EXTROVERT** (g. by Wild Again). 13 wins, 3 to 7, \$165,621, I-80 S. (PRM, \$15,000).
- Do Not Disturb (f. by Maria's Mon). Winner at 2, \$24,250. Dam of--
- Gonna Fly Now** (g. by Rockport Harbor). 3 wins, 3 to 9, \$190,190, 3rd Pat O'Brien S. [G2] (DMR, \$30,000).
- Wedding Vow (f. by Nijinsky II). Winner at 4 in NA, \$22,650 (USA). Dam of--
- BROKEN VOW** (c. by Unbridled). 9 wins in 14 starts at 3 and 4, \$725,296, Philip H. Iselin H. [G2], Ben Ali S. [G3], Sir Barton S. [L] (PIM, \$60,000), R. R. M. Carpenter Jr. Memorial S. [L] (DEL, \$60,000), Skip Away S. [L] (MTH, \$45,000), etc. Sire.
- THRESHOLD** (g. by Homebuilder). 20 wins, 2 to 9, \$286,339, Commencement S. (DET, \$18,000), Southfield S. (DET, \$18,000), Renaissance S. (DET, \$15,000), 2nd Inaugural S. (TAM, \$5,710), Piston H. (DET, \$5,500), etc.
- Vow That Binds (f. by Miswaki). 2 wins in 3 starts at 4, \$40,500. Dam of--
- ALWAYS IN MY HEART** (f. by Hennessy). 6 wins, 3 to 6, \$170,604, Sam Houston Distaff S. (HOU, \$30,000), 2nd Wild Rose S. (PRM, \$9,000), 3rd Pin Oak Valley View S. [G3] (KEE, \$12,500), Iowa Distaff S. [L] (PRM, \$10,000), Jersey Lilly S. (HOU, \$5,500).
- Bondage** (f. by Broad Brush). 5 wins, 2 to 4, \$187,470, 3rd Justakiss S. (DEL, \$6,418).
- Let's Get Married** (f. by More Than Ready). 3 wins in 6 starts at 3 and 4, \$77,455, 3rd Windward S. [L] (PID, \$10,000).
- Really and Truly** (f. by Pulpit). 2 wins in 3 starts at 2, \$44,443, 2nd Trapeze S. (RP, \$10,000).
- Cross Your Heart (f. by Miswaki). Winner at 3, \$26,640. Dam of--
- Holiday Promise** (c. by Harlan's Holiday). Winner at 2 and 4, \$191,200(USA), 2nd Vinery Racing Spiral S. [G3] (TP, \$94,000), 3rd Marine S. [L] (WO, \$16,500(CAN)). Sire.
- Anchorage** (f. by Tapit). Winner at 2, \$45,932, 2nd Busher S. (AQU, \$13,000), 3rd Dreamy Mimi S. (AQU, \$6,000).
- Love Or Money (f. by Coronado's Quest). Placed at 3, \$8,910. Dam of--
- Here Is Happy** (g. by Tale of Ekati). Winner at 2, \$36,886, 3rd Speakeasy S. (SA, \$8,616).
- With This Ring (f. by Green Dancer). Placed at 3. Dam of--
- I THEE WED** (g. by Affirmed). 8 wins, 3 to 7, \$496,199(USA), Nearctic H. [G2] (WO, \$169,650(CAN)), 3rd Bold Venture H. [L] (WO, \$15,538(CAN)).
- Constant Companion (f. by Relaunch). Unraced. Dam of--
- FOREVER TOGETHER** (f. by Belong to Me). 9 wins, 2 to 5, \$2,957,639(USA), Champion grass mare in U.S., Breeders' Cup Filly and Mare Turf [G1] (OSA, \$1,150,200), Diana S. [G1] (SAR, \$300,000) twice, First Lady S. [G1] (KEE, \$248,000), Jenny Wiley S. [G2] (KEE, \$124,000), Forward Gal S. [G2] (GP, \$90,000), etc. Dam of--
- Truly Together** (f. by Smart Strike). 3 wins in 6 starts at 4, \$119,760, 3rd Lambholm South Endeavour S. [G3] (TAM, \$15,000).
- Smart Together** (f. by Smart Strike). Winner at 3 in ENG, \$16,915 (USA), 3rd Ballymacoll Stud Lord Weinstock Memorial E.B.F. Stallions S. [L].
- Princess Patricia** (f. by Aptitude). Winner at 2 and 3, \$69,089, 3rd WinStar/Sunland Park

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Oaks [L] (SUN, \$25,000), Serena's Song S. (ZIA, \$4,200), Aspen Cup Thoroughbred S. (RUI, \$4,000). Producer.

TONKA WAKHAN (c. by Big Spruce). 7 wins, 2 to 5, \$134,256, Minstrel S., Preview S., 3rd Breeders' Futurity-G2.

Strike a Balance (f. by Green Dancer). See above.

Irish Jo Jo (c. by Irish Castle). 10 wins, 2 to 6, \$33,264.

Tin Type (f. by Blushing Groom (FR)). 2 wins at 3, \$20,400.

Georgian Dancer (c. by Nijinsky II). Winner at 3 in ENG, \$6,463 (USA).

Strike Home (c. by Green Dancer). Placed in 2 starts at 3, \$5,720.

Vogueing (f. by Rare Brick). Unplaced. Dam of--

RADICAL RILEY (g. by Wheaton). 5 wins, 2 to 4, \$292,198, What a Pleasure S. [G3], Holy Bull S. [G3], 2nd Foolish Pleasure S. [L] (CRC, \$20,000), Florida Stallion Affirmed S. -R (CRC, \$25,000), Unbridled S. -R (CRC, \$10,780), etc.

Cost and Effect (f. by Artie Schiller). Placed at 2, \$17,656(USA). Dam of--

SILENT MISTAKE (f. by Silent Name (JPN)). 2 wins at 2, placed at 3, 2019, \$112,271(USA), Victorian Queen S. -R (WO, \$60,000(CAN)), 2nd Kingarvie S. -R (WO, \$20,000(CAN)), 3rd OLG Muskoka S. -R (WO, \$17,500(CAN)).

Brick Home (f. by Homebuilder). Placed at 2 and 3, \$13,224. Dam of--

Wheaton Home (g. by Wheaton). 12 wins, 2 to 8, \$255,495, 2nd Ford Express S. (LS, \$10,000), Chuck Taliaferro Memorial S. (RP, \$10,000), Temperance Hill S. (LAD, \$10,000).

Native Brick (f. by Native Regent). 9 wins, 2 to 5, \$176,327, 2nd Matron H. (EVD, \$10,000). Producer.

Chic Thief (f. by Cat Thief). Unplaced in 2 starts. Dam of--

Dark and Chic (c. by Aptitude). 3 wins at 2, \$29,846, 3rd Clasico Fanatico Hipico [L].

RACE RECORD for Higher Power: At 2, one win, once 3rd in 2 starts; at 3, one win, twice 3rd (Northern Spur S. (OP, \$15,000)); at 4, 2019, three wins (\$1 Million TVG Pacific Classic S. [G1] (DMR, \$600,000)), once 2nd (Wickerr S. [LR] (DMR, \$17,900)), once 3rd. Totals: 5 wins, once 2nd, 4 times 3rd. Earned \$800,648.