

=African Story (GB)

Chestnut Gelding; Mar 10, 2007

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| =African Story (GB) Foaled in Great Britain | =Pivotal (GB), 93 ch | Polar Falcon, 87 dk b/ =Fearless Revival (GB), 87 ch | Nureyev, 77 b Marie d'Argonne (FR), 81 ch Cozzene, 80 gr Stufida (GB), 81 b Mr. Prospector, 70 b Secrettame, 78 ch Danehill, 86 b Tea House (IRE), 80 ch |
| | Blixen, 98 b | Gone West, 84 b Danish (IRE), 91 b | |

By PIVOTAL (GB) (1993). Stakes winner of \$228,855 USA in England, Nunthorpe S. [G1], etc. Sire of 16 crops of racing age, 1509 foals, 1082 starters, 123 stakes winners, 6 champions, 801 winners of 2544 races and earning \$82,969,025 USA, including Golden Apples (IRE) (Champion in U.S., \$1,672,583 USA, Beverly D. S. [G1] (AP, \$420,000), etc.), Somnus (European Champion, \$1,240,537 USA, Stanley Leisure Sprint Cup [G1], etc.), Sariska (European Champion, \$1,113,771 USA, Darley Irish Oaks [G1], etc.), Entangle (GB) (Champion 5 times in Scandinavia, \$682,577 USA, Marit Sveaas Minnelop [G3], etc.), Portcullis (Horse of the year in Holland), Cross Check (Champion in Austria), African Story (Hwt. in United Arab Emirates, to 8, 2015, \$7,865,831 USA, Emirates Airline Dubai World Cup [G1], etc.).

1st dam

Blixen, by Gone West. Winner in 2 starts at 2 in IRE, 3rd Flame of Tara Tyros S. Dam of 9 foals, 8 to race, 5 winners--

=AFRICAN STORY (GB) (g. by =Pivotal (GB)). Black type winner, see below.

Storybook (UAE) (f. by Halling). 3 wins at 3 in NA and ENG, \$86,911 (USA). Dam of--

Camp Courage (c. by War Front). 2 wins at 2, 2015 in FR, \$62,957 (USA), 2nd Grand Criterium de Bordeaux - Prix du Hong Kong Jockey Club, 3rd Prix Etalons la Cauviniere - Criterium de l'Ouest.

Romeo Lima (c. by Medaglia d'Oro). Winner at 2, placed at 3, 2015 in FR, \$62,436 (USA), 2nd Prix Herod.

=Proofreader (GB) (g. by =Authorized (IRE)). Winner at 3 and 6, 2015 in ENG, \$18,132 (USA).

=African Blue (JPN) (g. by =Deep Sky (JPN)). 13 wins in 23 starts at 3 and 4, 2015 in JPN.

=Sensibility (GB) (f. by Halling). Winner at 3 in FR, \$10,917 (USA).

=Swan Song (JPN) (f. by \$Singspiel (IRE)). Placed at 2 and 3 in JPN, \$156,849 (USA).

2nd dam

DANISH (IRE), by Danehill. 6 wins, 2 to 5 in FR, IRE and NA, \$563,138 (USA), Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup S. [G1], Saratoga Breeders' Cup H. [G3], My Charmer H. [L] (CRC, \$60,000), Prix La Sorellina, 2nd Flower Bowl Invitational H. [G1], New York H. [G2] twice, Diana H. [G2], Sheepshead Bay H. [G2], etc. Sister to **ACE (IRE)** (\$1,087,268 (USA), Desmond S. [G3], etc., sire), **HAWKEYE (IRE)** (\$389,423 (USA), Desmond S. [G3], etc., sire), half-sister to **=TEISHEBAINI (IRE)** (\$95,390 (USA), Premio Daumier, etc.), **Tea Service (IRE)** (\$35,405 (USA), 3rd Turf Club Officials Goal Debutante S.). Dam of 2 winners--

Blixen (f. by Gone West). Black type placed winner, see above.

Wester Skeld (f. by Gone West). Winner at 3 in FR, \$7,551 (USA). Producer.

Yeoman (c. by Diesis (GB)). Placed at 6 in HOL.

3rd dam

TEA HOUSE (IRE), by Sassafras (FR). 4 wins in 7 starts at 2 and 3 in IRE, placed at 4 in NA, \$26,163 (USA), Cornelscourt S. Half-sister to **ACADEMIC (IRE)** (\$143,257 (USA), Prix de la Ville de Trouville, etc., sire), **=Bag O'Rhythm** (\$24,037 (USA), 2nd Roses S., etc.). Dam of 10 winners--

ACE (IRE) (c. by Danehill). 3 wins at 3 in IRE, placed, 4 to 6 in ENG, FR, NA and UAE, \$1,087,268 (USA), Desmond S. [G3], 2nd Breeders' Cup Turf [G1] (BEL, \$456,000), Prince of Wales's S. [G1], Dubal Al Rashidiya [G3], High Chaparral E.B.F. Mooresbridge S. [G3], Ladbrokes.com International S. [G3], 3rd Joe Hirsch Turf Classic Invitational S. [G1] (BEL, \$75,000), Tattersalls Gold Cup [G1], etc. Sire.

DANISH (IRE) (f. by Danehill). Black type winner, see above.

HAWKEYE (IRE) (c. by Danehill). 3 wins at 3 in IRE, placed, 3 to 4 in ENG, FR and ITY, \$389,423 (USA), Desmond S. [G3], 2nd Pentax Perfect Image S., 3rd Queen Elizabeth II S. [G1], Gran Premio di Milano [G1], Prix du Moulin de Longchamp [G1]. Sire.

=TEISHEBAINI (IRE) (c. by Hamas (IRE)). Winner at 2 and 3 in ITY, \$95,390 (USA), Premio

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Daumier, 2nd Premio Divino Amore, Premio Nearco.

Tea Service (IRE) (f. by Roi Danzig). 3 wins, 2 to 4 in IRE and NA , placed in 1 start at 2 in ENG, \$35,405 (USA), 3rd Turf Club Officials Goal Debutante S. Producer.

=Sybillin (g. by Henbit). 16 wins, 2 to 7 in ENG, placed at 4 and 9 in FR , \$323,068 (USA).

=Teio License (IRE) (c. by Fools Holme). Winner at 3 in JPN, \$89,999 (USA).

=Mr Sunday Sport (c. by Henbit). 17 wins, 2 to 7 in ENG and ITY, \$38,137 (USA).

=Sure Haven (IRE) (g. by Sure Blade). Winner at 3 in ENG, \$8,792 (USA).

=Come To Tea (IRE) (f. by Be My Guest). Winner at 2 in IRE. Producer.

=Butter Knife (IRE) (f. by Sure Blade). Unraced. Dam of--

=Crumpetsfor tea (IRE) (f. by Henbit). Unraced. Dam of--

=**CONTEMPORARY (IRE)** (f. by Alzao). 2 wins at 2 in FR , \$44,079 (USA), Prix Miesque [G3]. Dam of--

=**OTTONE (GB)** (c. by =Dutch Art (GB)). 3 wins in 5 starts at 2, 2015 in ITY, \$80,560 (USA), Premio Primi Passi [G3], 2nd Premio Divino Amore-Trofeo Sga.

=**Force of Ransom (IRE)** (g. by Red Ransom). 6 wins, 2 to 5 in ITY, \$83,610 (USA), 2nd Premio Alberto Giubilo, Premio Giuseppe de Montel.

=Yippee (IRE) (f. by Orpen). 5 wins at 3 and 4 in FR , \$122,903 (USA). Dam of--

=**Woodstock City (FR)** (g. by =Sagacity (FR)). 2 wins at 3 in FR , placed at 4 and 5 in HK , \$97,407 (USA), 2nd Prix de Tourgeville.

4th dam

=HOUSE TIE (IRE), by =Be Friendly (GB). Winner at 3 in ENG, \$3,736 (USA). Half-sister to =**BELITIS (FR)** (Bedford Guineas Trial S., etc.), =**Coin of Gold (GB)** (\$18,388 (USA), 2nd Royal Lodge S.-G2, etc., sire), **Guest Night (IRE)** (3rd Fred Darling S.-G3, etc.). Dam of 6 winners, including--
ACADEMIC (IRE) (c. by Mill Reef). 3 wins at 3 and 4 in FR and NA , \$143,257 (USA), Prix de la Ville de Trouville, 2nd Santa Gertrudes H. [LR] (SA, \$15,000), Prix de Pontarme, 3rd San Juan Capistrano Invitational H. [G1]. Sire.

TEA HOUSE (IRE) (f. by Sassafras (FR)). Black type winner, see above.

=**Bag O'Rhythm** (c. by Be My Guest). 3 wins at 2 and 3 in ENG, placed at 2 in GER, \$24,037 (USA), 2nd Roses S., 3rd Moet & Chandon Zukunfts-Rennen [G2].

=Nahilah (IRE) (f. by Habitat). Winner at 3 in ENG, \$4,692 (USA).

=**Intimaa (IRE)** (f. by Caerleon). Winner at 2 in ENG, \$23,307 (USA), 3rd Mer Car Polish Chartwell Fillies S., Michael J. Lonsdale Fortune S.

Ittisaal (GB) (f. by Caerleon). Placed at 3 in ENG, \$3,782 (USA).

=**KAFHAR (GB)** (c. by \$In the Wings (GB)). 3 wins in 6 starts at 2 and 3 in ITY, \$73,065 (USA), Hwt. at 3 on Italian Free Hand., 9 1/2 - 11 fur., Premio Botticelli, 3rd Premio Guido Berardelli [G2]. Sire.

=Twine (IRE) (f. by =Thatching (IRE)). Unraced.

ROYAL STRAND (IRE) (c. by Royal Academy). 10 wins, 2 to 7, \$716,411, Kent Breeders' Cup S. [L]-ncr, 1 1/8 miles in 1:48.01 (DEL, \$90,000), Crown Royal American Turf S. [L]-ecr, 1 1/16 miles in 1:40.93 (CD, \$71,796), Sycamore S. [L]-ncr, 1 5/8 miles in 2:38.68 (KEE, \$42,315), Sycamore S. [L]-ncr, 1 5/8 miles in 2:41.93 (KEE, \$33,015), 2nd Niagara Breeders' Cup H. [G2], etc. Sire.

=**ALDERBROOK (GB)** (c. by =Ardross (IRE)). 15 wins in 29 starts, 3 to 7 in ENG and FR , placed in 1 start at 6 in GER, \$558,438 (USA), Prix Dollar [G2], Abtrust Select S. [G3], Festival S., 2nd Prix Ganay [G1], 24 Grosser Preis der Wirtschaft [G2]. Sire.

=**RESTRUCTURE (IRE)** (c. by Danehill). 6 wins, 3 to 5 in ENG and IRE, \$173,117 (USA), Ragusa Stud Minstrel S. [G3], Baring International Darley S., 2nd Queen Anne S. [G2], Supreme S. [G3], Joel S., etc. Sire.

NATIVE TWINE (GB) (f. by Be My Native). 4 wins, 2 to 3 in ENG and NA , \$111,972 (USA), Marie P. DeBartolo Memorial Oaks [L] (LAD, \$75,000), Ballymacoll Stud S., 2nd Saxone S.

=Jamaican Punch (IRE) (f. by Shareef Dancer). Unplaced in 2 starts in ENG.

RACE RECORD for =African Story (GB): In France. At 2, unraced; at 3, one win, once 2nd in 2 starts; at 4, one win, twice 2nd (Prix de la Porte Maillot [G3]), twice 3rd (Prix Quincey Lucien Barriere [G3]). Earned 79,350 Euro (\$112,895 USA). In Hong Kong. At 5, unplaced in 1 start. Earned 240,000 HK\$ (\$30,936 USA). In United Arab Emirates. At 5, three wins (Etisalat Godolphin Mile [G2], Emirates Sky Cargo Burj Nahaar [G3]), once 3rd (Dubal Firebreak S. [G3]) in 4 starts; at 6, one win (Burj Nahaar

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Sponsored by Emirates Holidays [**G3**] in 2 starts; at 7, Hwt. older horse on United Arab Emirates Free Hand. 9 1/2 - 11 fur. (2014), one win (Emirates Airline Dubai World Cup [**G1**]), once 2nd (IPIC Al Maktoum Challenge R2 [**G2**]); at 8, 2015, one win (Emirates Airline Al Maktoum Challenge R3 [**G1**]). Earned 28,358,750 Dirhams (\$7,722,000 USA). Grand Totals: 8 wins, 4 times 2nd, 3 times 3rd. Earned \$7,865,831(USA).