Foaled February 20, 2022


By VEKOMA (2016). Black-type winner of 6 races, $\$ 1,245,525$, Runhappy Metropolitan H. [G1] (BEL, \$275,000), Runhappy Carter H. [G1] (BEL, $\$ 137,500)$, Toyota Blue Grass S. [G2] (KEE, \$600,000), Nashua S. [G3] (AQU, \$110,000), Sir Shackleton S. (GP, \$44, 175), 3rd Xpressbet Fountain of Youth S. [G2] (GP, \$37,600). His first foals are yearlings of 2023.

## 1st dam

CAPULETTA, by Munnings. Unraced. Dam of 1 registered foal, above.

## 2nd dam

STRUM, by Medaglia d'Oro. Placed at 3, \$20,450. Dam of--
Rhapsody (f. by Goldencents). Winner in 1 start at 2, 2023, \$43,200, in Canada. (Total: \$32,611).

## 3 rd dam

BENDING STRINGS, by American Chance. 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$870,612, Nassau County Breeders' Cup S. [G2] (BEL, \$120,000), Chilukki S. [G2] (CD, \$104,997), First Flight H. [G2] (AQU, \$90,000), Safely Kept Breeders' Cup S. [G3] (PIM, \$90,000), 2nd Go for Wand H. [G1] (SAR, \$50,000), La Brea S. [G1] (SA, \$50,000), Test S. [G1] (SAR, \$50,000), Molly Pitcher Breeders' Cup H. [G2] (MTH, \$60,000), etc. Dam of 4 winners, including--
Sun Studio. 2 wins to 4, \$107,222, 3rd Lady's Secret S. [L] (MTH, \$10,000).
Delightful Melody. Placed at 3, \$17,329, in Canada; placed in 2 starts at 3, $\$ 5,900$, in N.A./U.S. (Total: \$19,332). Dam of 2 winners, including-ARZAK. 3 wins in 5 starts at 2 and $4, \$ 233,700$, in Canada, Jacques Cartier S. [G3] (WO, \$90,000), Thorncliffe S. (WO, \$60,000)-ntr, 5 1/2 fur. in 1:02 $3 / 5,2$ nd Highlander S. [G2] (WO, $\$ 40,000$ ); 2 wins at $3, \$ 142,988$, in N.A./U.S., Tom Ridge S. (PID, \$45,000), 2nd James W. Murphy S. [L] (PIM, \$20,000), 3rd My Frenchman S. (MTH, \$7,500). (Total: \$324,799).
4th dam
STRAIGHT SOUTH, by Hail the Pirates. 2 wins at $3, \$ 62,903$, Fall Fashion S.R (EP, \$16,900(CAN)), 3rd Liberation S.-R (EP, \$3,635(CAN)). Dam of--
BENDING STRINGS. Black-type winner, above.
DIXIE PREMIERE. 4 wins at 2 and $3, \$ 132,255$, Nanaimo Breeders' Cup S. II [L] (HST, \$39,640(CAN)), Queen Charlotte H. (HST, \$21,150(CAN)), etc. Hail the Minister. 11 wins, 3 to $8, \$ 57,446$. Dam of 2 winners, including--

DEACON SPEAKIN'. 8 wins, $\$ 231,532$, Portland Mile H. (PM, \$29,150).
Rich Seam. Winner, \$44,431. Dam of DYNAMIC WITHIN (4 wins, \$149,702), EL SADDLER (3 wins, \$87,886), Little Chief (7 wins, \$200,519).
Get It Straight. Unplaced. Dam of 4 winners, including--
BANGKOK. 5 wins, 3 to $6, \$ 441,477$, in Canada, Valedictory S. [G3] (WO, \$108,000). (Total: \$354,981).

## Engagements: Breeders' Cup.

Foaled in Kentucky.

