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By TAPIT (2001). Stakes winner of $557,300, Wood Memorial S. [G1] (AQU, $450,000), etc. Leading sire 3 times, sire of 13 crops of racing age, 2617 races, 135 stakes winners, 7 champions, 875 winners of 2617 races and earning $158,920,604 USA, including Untapable (Champion in U.S., $3,926,625, Breeders’ Cup Distaff [G1] (SA, $1,100,000), etc.), Stardom Bound (Champion in U.S., $1,861,610, Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Fillies [G1] (OSA, $1,080,000), etc.), Hansen (Champion in U.S., $1,810,805, Breeders’ Cup Juvenile [G1] (CD, $1,080,000), etc.), Unique Bella (Champion twice, $1,272,400, Beholder Mile S. [G1] (SA, $240,000), etc.), As de Trebol (Champion in Spain, $246,135 USA, 2nd Prix du Palais-Royal [G3], etc.), Chachkova (Champion twice in Turkey, $210,276 USA, Marmara S. [L], etc.).

1st dam
Delightful Quality, by Elusive Quality. Winner at 3 and 4, $253,900, 2nd Correction S. [L] (AQU, $20,000), Mandys Gold S. -R (SAR, $20,000), Garland of Roses S. (AQU, $20,000), Shine Again S. -R (SAR, $20,000), Cagey Exuberance S. -R (AQU, $15,000), 3rd Bed o’ Roses H. [G3] (BEL, $15,000), Garland of Roses S. [L] (AQU, $7,500). Dam of 5 foals, 2 to race, 1 winner--Essential Quality (c. by Tapit). See below.

2nd dam
CONTRIVE, by Storm Cat. Unraced. Half-sister to Prinz Oskar ($73,903 (USA), 3rd Prix Hampton [L]). Dam of 9 winners--


Delightful Quality (f. by Elusive Quality). Black type placed winner, see above.

Amusing Plan (f. by Pleasantly Perfect). Winner at 3, $34,690. Dam of--

Street Moxie (g. by Street Sense). 6 wins, 3 to 7, $192,456, 2nd Bull Dog H. (FNO, $10,000).

Sterkel (c. by Orientate). 6 wins, 5 to 8 in MEX and NA, $59,486 (USA).

Contreve (r. by Elusive Quality). 7 wins, 3 to 6, $55,911 (USA). Sire.

Dreamup (f. by Bernardini). 3 wins in 6 starts, 2 to 4, $41,927. Producer. Calculated (c. by Tiznow). Winner at 3 in UAE, $10,416 (USA).

3rd dam
JEANO, by Fappiano. 10 wins, 3 to 6, $439,203, Thoroughbred Club of America S. [G3], Shirley Jones H. [G3], Ellis Park Budweiser Breeders’ Cup H. [L] (ELP, $63,795), Doubledogdare S. (KEE, $26,784), Doubledogdare S. (KEE, $23,436), 2nd Shirley Jones H. [G3], Majorette H. [L] (LAD, $11,550), Cleopatra H. [L] (AP, $10,970), etc. Dam of 7 winners--

Prinz Oskar (c. by Dayjur). 5 wins, 2 to 6 in FR and SIN, $73,903 (USA), 3rd Prix Hampton [L].

Stormy Antics (f. by Stormy Atlantic). Winner at 3, $12,269(USA). Dam of--

STUDENT BODY (f. by Colonel John). 5 wins, 3 to 5, $159,956, Mardi Gras S. (FG, $45,000).

Kew Garden (f. by Seattle Slew). Winner at 3, $9,000. Dam of--

QUEENS PLAZA (f. by Forestry). 2 wins at 2, $92,507, Sorority S. [L] (MTH, $60,000). Dam of--

QUEEN CAROLINE (f. by Blame). 6 wins at 3 and 4, $401,608, Indiana Grand S. [L] (IND, $201,767 USA, Marmara S. [L], etc.).
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$118,446, TaWee S. (IND, $58,824), Nellie Mae Cox S. -R (RLR, $43,200), Brookmeade S. -R (RLR, $35,640), 2nd Steve Pini Memorial S. -R (SUF, $15,500), etc.


Queen Teuta (f. by Theatrical (IRE)). Winner at 2 and 3 in NA, placed in 2 starts at 3 in KSA, $89,594 (USA), 3rd Debutante S. [G3] (CD, $10,711).

Lady Tiz (f. by Tiznow). Unplaced in 2 starts. Dam of--

=LORD ALEX (ARG) (c. by Exchange Rate). 5 wins at 2 and 3 in ARG, $36,736 (USA), Velocidad [G3], Antartida Argentina [L], Propietarios [L], Islas Malvinas [L], 2nd Cylene [G2].

Tappinintovictory (g. by Pleasant Tap). 15 wins, 3 to 8, $291,295.

He's a Big Daddy (g. by Deputy Commander). 17 wins, 3 to 8, $143,680(USA). Set ntr at Turfway Park, 1 5/8 miles in 2:50.48.

Toyo Kris (c. by Kris S.). Winner at 2 in JPN, $70,328 (USA).

Go Jeano Go (g. by Broad Brush). Winner at 2, $17,187(USA).

Contrive (f. by Storm Cat). See above.

Never a No Hitter (f. by Kris S.). Unraced. Dam of--


Skipstone (f. by Montbrook). Winner at 2, $24,300. Dam of--


Queen's Lady (f. by Storm Cat). Unraced. Dam of--

Iqbaal (c. by Medaglia d'Oro). 2 wins in 3 starts at 3, $63,900, 3rd Pegasus S. [G3] (MED, $16,500), Sire.

Ghostslayer (f. by Ghostzapper). Winner in 1 start at 3, $33,600. Dam of--


4th dam

BASIE, by In Reality. 9 wins at 3 and 4, $355,738, Delaware H. [G1], Helena S., [Q] [Q] at 3 times, 2nd Ladies H. [G1], Anne Arundel H.-L, 3rd Arlington Oaks-G3, Rampart H. [L], Sweet Tooth S.-L, etc. Sister to PASSING BASE ($250,333, Ridan H., etc., sire), half-sister to ASK CLARENCE ($134,444, Choice H., etc., sire), DON'T WORRY BOUT ME ($95,562, My Dear Girl S.-R (HIA, $14,790), etc.), SPOILS OF WAR ($64,536, 2nd Stuyvesant H.-G3). Dam of 6 winners, including--

JEANO (f. by Fappiano). Black type winner, see above.

RACE RECORD for Essential Quality: At 2, 2020, one win in 1 start. Earned $55,144.