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El Prado (IRE), 89 gr  
Cappucino Bay, 89 b  
American Chance, 89 dk b  
Straight South, 86 dk b

By MEDAGLIA D’ORO (1999). Stakes winner of $5,754,720 USA, Travers S. [G1] (SAR, $600,000), etc.  
Among the leading sires in U.S., sire of 9 crops of racing age, 1384 foals, 813 starters, 85 stakes winners, 4 champions, 520 winners of 1426 races and earning $74,019,444 USA, including Rachel Alexandra (Horse of the year in U.S., $3,506,730, BlackBerry Preakness S. [G1] (PIM, $660,000), etc.), Songbird (Champion in U.S., to 3, 2016, $1,982,000, Breeders’ Cup Juvenile Fillies [G1] (KEE, $1,100,000), etc.), Vancouver (Champion in Australia, $1,845,530 USA, Tooheys New Golden Slipper [G1], etc.), Medaglia d’Orizaba (Champion in Mexico, $24,928 USA), Passion for Gold (Hwt. in France, $268,125 USA, Criterium de Saint-Cloud [G1], etc.), Mshawish (to 6, 2016, $2,421,351 USA, Donn H. [G1] (GP, $300,700), etc.).

1st 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 Test S. [G1] (SAR, $50,000), La Brea S. [G1] (SA, $50,000), Go for Wand H. [G1] (SAR, $50,000), Molly Pitcher Breeders’ Cup H. [G2] (MTH, $60,000), etc. Dam of 7 foals, 4 to race, 1 winner--

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BENDING STRINGS (f. by American Chance). Black type winner, see above.

DIXIE PREMIERE (f. by Mane Minister). 4 wins at 2 and 3, $132,255, Nanaimo Breeders’ Cup S. [L] (HST, $39,640(CAN)), Queen Charlotte H. (HST, $21,150(CAN)), 2nd Fantasy S. (HST, $9,000(CAN)), Surrey S. (HST, $6,680(CAN)), 3rd Breeders’ Cup Lassie S. (HST, $8,110(CAN)), Cinderella S. -R (HST, $3,810(CAN)). Producer.

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Strum (f. by Medaglia d’Oro). Placed at 3, $20,450.

Delightful Melody (f. by Tapit). Placed at 3, 2015, $19,332(USA).

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KEY TO THE NORTH, by Key to the Mint. Unraced. Half-sister to MR. NUTCRAKER (President's Cup “A1” H., etc., sire). Dam of 4 winners--

STRAIGHT SOUTH (f. by Hail the Pirates). Black type winner, see above.

Northern Quickstep (f. by Marshua’s Dancer). Winner at 3 and 4, $12,960.

Little Chief (g. by Chief Seattle). 7 wins, 3 to 8, $200,519, 3rd Cyclones H. -R (PRM, $7,500), Iowa Classic Sprint S. -R (PRM, $6,765).

Straight Street (g. by Wall Street Dancer). 5 wins, 4 to 6, $142,459.

Texas Scramble (c. by American Chance). 3 wins at 3 and 4, $52,293.


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Christmas Wishes, by Northern Dancer. 6 wins, 2 to 4, $58,606, 3rd Margate H. Sister to COOL MOOD ($66,214, Canadian Oaks, etc.), half-sister to MISS SUZAKI ($37,399, Belle Mahone S., etc.). Dam of 6 winners, including--

MR. NUTCRACKER (c. by Mr. Prospector). 4 wins at 3 and 4 in JAM, President's Cup "A1" H., Jim Morrison Trophy "A1" H., 2nd Reggae Trophy, Pringle Cup "A1" H. Sire.

Deck the Bough (f. by Tom Rolfe). 3 wins at 4 and 5, $33,370.

Key to the North (f. by Key to the Mint). See above.

Bury the Hatchet (f. by Tom Rolfe). Unraced.

BURRYYOURBELIEF (f. by Believe It). 3 wins at 2 and 3, $308,879, Kentucky Oaks [G1], 2nd Ashland S. [G1], Santa Anita Oaks [G1], Santa Ysabel S. [LR] (SA, $12,000), 4th Mother Goose S. [G1].

RACE RECORD for Stradivari: At 2, one win in 2 starts; at 3, 2016, one win in 1 start. Totals: 2 wins in 3 starts. Earned $64,200.