

FAVORITE BID

RACE AND (STAKES) RECORD

FAVORITE BID did not race.

IN THE STUD

FAVORITE BID entered stud in 2009. His first foals are weanlings of 2010.

MALE LINE

FAVORITE BID is by **SPECTACULAR BID**, classic winner 105th Kentucky Derby **G1**, by 2¾ lengths, Preakness Stakes **G1** by 5½ lengths, 3rd Belmont Stakes **G1**. Winner of \$2,781,608, 26 wins out of 30 starts, 2-2nds, 1-3rd. Horse of the Year, Eclipse Award winner, Champion Older Horse, numerous track record setter. Holds the World Record for fastest time on a dirt track at 1:57½. Never lost a middle-distance race between 7 furlongs and 1¼ miles. In the Thoroughbred Hall of Fame. Wins include: at 2-**G3** World's Playground Stakes, **G1** Champagne Stakes, the Young American Stakes, **G1** Laurel Futurity- set track record, Heritage Stakes, 2nd Dover Stakes. (Eclipse 2 yr old Champion) at 3-Hutcheson Stakes, the Fountain of Youth, the Florida Derby, Kentucky Derby, Preakness Stakes, 3rd Belmont Stakes, the Flamingo Stakes, Blue Grass Stakes, the Marlboro Cup, Meadowlands Cup- set track record, 2nd Jockey Club Gold Cup. (Eclipse 3 yr old Champion). At 4- set 4 track records, Won Malibu Stakes, **G2** San Fernando Stakes, **G1** Strub Stakes, **G1** Santa Anita Handicap, **G2** Mervyn LeRoy Handicap, **G1** Amory, Haskell Inv. Handicap, and a walkover in the Woodward Stakes. (Eclipse Champion Older Horse of the Year). Sire of 44 stakes winners, including—

LOTUS POOL. 2 wins at 3 in Ireland, Harp Lager E.B.F. Two Thousand Guineas Trial S., 2nd Windfields Farm E.B.F. Gallinule S.-**G2**, Kilfrush E.B.F. Concorde S.-**G3**, E.B.F. Solonaway Race, 3rd Airlie Coolmore Irish Two Thousand Guineas-**G1**; 9 wins, 4 to 7, \$515,761, in N.A., Sea O Erin H.-**G3**-ecr, Keeneland Breeders' Cup S.-**G3**, Louisville H.-L, 2nd Bernard Baruch H.-**G2**, Longfellow H.-**G3**, Saratoga Budweiser Breeders' Cup H.-**G3**, River City H.-L, 3rd Caesars International H.-**G2**.

LAY DOWN. 11 wins, 3 to 6, \$593,423, Excelsior H.-**G2**, Washington Park H.-**G2**, Forego H.-**G2**, Grey Lag H.-**G3**, Queens County H.-**G3**, 3rd Gulfstream Park H.-**G1**.

DOUBLE FEINT. 11 wins, 2 to 8, \$493,928, Hill Prince S.-**G3**, Col. F. W. Koester H.-L, Poker S.-L, Ben Franklin H.-L-ncr, Thunder Puddles S., 2nd Hollywood Derby-**G1**, 3rd Heritage S.-L, Federico Tesio S.-L.

PRINCESS PIETRINA. 8 wins, 2 to 5, \$406,639, Princess Rooney H.-**G3**, Voo Doo Dance H., Insight to Cope H., 2nd Azalea Breeders' Cup S.-**G3**, Maggie's Pistol H., Jasmine S., North Miami Beach S., 3rd Hibiscus S., Kimscountrydiamond H., Dade County S.

MARQUETTE. 6 wins, 3 to 9, \$356,313, National Museum of Racing Hall of Fame H.-**G2**, Forerunner S.-L, Budweiser Challenger S.-ncr, mi. in 1:35, Kissin Kris S.-R, 2nd Maker's Mark Mile S.-**G2**, Palm Beach S.-**G3**, 3rd Flying Pidgeon H.-L.

ANN'S BID. 11 wins, 2 to 5, \$310,733, Pippin H.-L, American Beauty H.-L, Martha Washington S.-L, Jameela S.-R, 2nd Geisha H.-LR, Abrogate S., 3rd Magnolia S.-L, Oaklawn Budweiser Breeders' Cup H., Monty Levine Classic.

FESTIVITY. 7 wins at 3 and 4, \$297,123, Palomar H.-**G2**, Matinee S.-R, 2nd Ramona H.-**G1**, Athenia H.-**G3**, 3rd Las Palmas H.-**G2**, Beverly Hills H.-**G2**.

STARFIELD. 9 wins, 2 to 4, \$278,297, Chrysanthemum H.-L, Sensational H.-L, Lady Baltimore H.-L, 2nd Martha Washington H.-**G3**, Chrysanthemum H.-L, 3rd

2003 Gray or Roan - Dosage Profile: 8-8-8-0-0; DI: 5.00; CD: +1.00

Spectacular Bid (1976)	Bold Bidder	Bold Ruler	*Nasrullah	Nearco Mumtaz Begum	
			Miss Disco	Discovery Outdone	
Spectacular	High Bid		To Market	Market Wise Pretty Does	
			Stepping Stone	*Princequillo Step Across	
	Promised Land		Palestinian	Sun Again Dolly Whisk	
			Mahmoudess	*Mahmoud Forever Yours	
Stop On Red		To Market	Market Wise Pretty Does		
		Danger Ahead	Head Play Lady Beware		
No Holding Back (1983)	No Bend	Never Bend	*Nasrullah	Nearco Mumtaz Begum	
			Lalun	*Djeddah Be Faithful	
	Take Warning		Traffic Judge	*Alibhai Traffic Court	
			Nalee	Nashua Levee	
	Cautious Fairy	Neptune		Crafty Admiral	Fighting Fox Admiral's Lady
				Timely Tune	Eight Thirty Gala Song
Fairy Good			Watch Your Step	Citation Stepwisely	
			Fairyland	*Ardan War Siren	

Penn National Budweiser Breeders' Cup H. twice. **BITE THE BULLET**. 5 wins at 2 and 4, \$216,809, Sanford S.-**G2**, 2nd Iroquois S.-L, Tri-State Breeders' Cup H., Stirrup Cup H., 3rd Arlington-Washington Futurity-**G1**, Governor's H.-L. Sire.

SUM. 5 wins at 2 and 3, \$197,578, Pucker Up S.-**G3**, Queen Hopeful S., Herecomesthebride S., 2nd Columbian H.-**G3**, Suwannee River H.-**G3**, 3rd Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup S.-**G3**, Regret S.-L, Misty Isle S.-L.

SHEPHERD'S FIELD. 2 wins at 2, \$186,600, Norfolk S.-**G2**, 3rd San Rafael S.-**G2**. Sire.

SPECTACULAR LOVE. 4 wins at 2 and 3, \$179,500, Futurity S.-**G1**, 2nd Charles Whittingham S.-R, 3rd Hollywood Juvenile Championship-**G2**. Sire.

WHOW. 7 wins, 3 to 5, \$171,096, Lady Mannequin H.-L, Michigan Budweiser Breeders' Cup H.

SPECTACULAR SUE. 4 wins at 2 and 3, \$169,000, Bonnie Miss S.-**G2**, 3rd Davona Dale S.-L.

MAISON CLOSE. Winner in France, 2nd Prix d'Automne; 4 wins, \$134,395, in N.A., Nassau S.-L, 2nd Politely S.

ACQUIRE. 8 wins at 4 and 5, \$167,328, White Swan S., 2nd Quick Reward H., Mint Julep S., 3rd River Downs Budweiser Breeders' Cup S., Pan Zareta H.

SPECTACULAR BEV. 4 wins at 2 and 3, \$167,257, Bold Princess S.-L, Summer Guest S., 2nd Nijana S.-**G3**, Pucker Up S.-**G3**, 3rd Athenia H.-**G3**, Miss Grillo S.-**G3**.

SPECTACULARPHANTOM. 5 wins at 2 and 3, \$167,072, Hyde Park S.-L, Spectacular Bid S.-L, 2nd Carquinez H., 3rd Round Table S.-**G2**, Jaipur S.-**G3**, Fort Lauderdale H., Cypress West Farm H.-R. Sire.

DIBS. 4 wins at 3 and 4, \$165,643, Locust Grove H.-L.

SPECTACULAR APRIL. 7 wins at 3 and 4, \$156,380, Office Queen Breeders' Cup H., 2nd Calder Budweiser Breeders' Cup H.-L, Toga Toga S., 3rd Coral Gables H.-L.

BOLD SPECTACLE. 10 wins, 2 to 6, \$156,308, Sun Beau S.-L, Eagan H. Sire.

DRAMATIS. 2 wins in France, Prix Servanne, 2nd Prix de la Jonchere-**G3**; winner, \$99,130, in N.A., 3rd Lawrin H.

AT FULL FEATHER. 3 wins at 2 and 3, \$141,766, Santa Fe Futurity S. Sire.

PHONE BID. 6 wins at 3 and 4, \$138,700, Decathlon S.

SPECTACULAR SPY. 6 wins in 11 starts at 3, \$138,335, Devon H.-L, Warminster H.-L. Sire.

NORTHERN BID. 7 wins, 2 to 4, \$115,722, Gray Bar S., 2nd President's Cup-**G3**, LeComte H., 4-H. S., 3rd Lexington S.-L.

LAMPLIGHT. 4 wins to 4, \$110,011, Mount Vernon H.-LR. **CROWN SILVER**. 3 wins at 2, \$107,045, Cameo S., 2nd Selene S.-L.

SWEETTUC. Winner at 2, in France; winner at 2, \$92,850, in N.A., Hoist the Flag S.-**G3**, 2nd Senorita S.-L; placed in 1 start at 2 in Italy, 3rd Premio Dormello-**G2**.

BID TO ROMEO. 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$86,438, Fairview S., 3rd Hessian S., Fairview H.

FEMALE LINE

1st dam
NO HOLDING BACK, by No Bend. Winner at 4, \$31,680.

Dam of—
Select a Dream (f. by Well Selected). 3 wins at 5 and 6, \$14,400.

Broodmare Sire
NO BEND, 1977. Sire of 8 dams of 43 foals, 26 mrs (60%), 16 wns (37%), 0 2yo wns (2%), 0.53 AEI, 1.15 CI, 0 stakes winners.

2nd dam
CAUTIOUS FAIRY, by Neptune. Unraced. Dam of 6 other foals to race, 4 winners—

SHADOWMAR (c. by Pontoise). 8 wins, 2 to 7, \$263,580, Cornish Prince S.-L, Elmira S., 2nd Hollie Hughes H.-LR, Joe Palmer S.-R, Williamson S.-R, 3rd Toboggan H.-**G3**, Joe Palmer S.-LR. Sire.

Kakarapis. 10 wins, 3 to 7, \$75,963.

Doron de La Pont. Winner at 4, \$14,400.

Evelyn's Pal. Winner at 6, \$3,675.

Evelyn's Shadow. Placed at 5. Producer.

3rd dam

FAIRY GOOD, by Watch Your Step. 5 wins at 2 and 5, \$22,966. Dam of 2 winners—

Time 'n Trouble. 6 wins, 3 to 8, \$33,970.

Regal Barb. Winner at 5, \$3,600.



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Spectacular Bid—No Holding Back, by No Bend

ONE OF THE YOUNGEST SONS OF LEGENDARY SPECTACULAR BID,

#10 of the 100 Greatest Racehorses of the 20th Century

Winner of the Kentucky Derby and Preakness Stakes, Champion 2yo, 3yo, Older Horse and Horse of the Year, earnings of \$2,781,608 (26 wins from 30 starts) 16% Stakes Winners 1st 4 crops.

GENETICALLY ASSESSED- "In terms of achieving breeding consistency, Favorite Bid is close to ideal. He has similar inbreeding/out breeding levels (heterozygosity) to many top sires in not being overly out bred. On the whole, this is a rare and useful characteristic.

He has the potential to produce regular stock in the UPPER MILE to MIDDLE DISTANCE stamina range."

—Dr. Stephen Harrison, Thoroughbred Genetics Ltd. www.thoroughbredgenetics.com.

Favorite Bid has the stamina and precocity profiles, and the genetics to succeed in medium range races like: *Kentucky Derby, Preakness Stakes, Belmont Stakes, Laurel Futurity, Frizette Stakes, Del Mar Oaks, Lawrence Realization Stakes, Travers Stakes, Hollywood Gold Cup and the Santa Anita Handicap...* (un-raced due to a non-race related injury)

BROODMARE SIRE LINE NICKINGS: Northern Dancer, Northern Dancer line sire (especially sons) Danehill, Gone West, Diesis, Lion Cavern, Kris, Dehere, Gilded Time, Cure the Blues, Septieme Ciel, Pulpit, Langfuhr, any sons of these animals. Also Touch Gold, Johannesburg, Malibu Moon, Tale of the Cat...

2010 INTRODUCTORY FEE: \$2,500

(payable when foal stands and nurses)

*Offering Free Genetic Pedigree Test through Thoroughbred Genetics Ltd. with each signed booking contract for approved mare and resulting foal

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