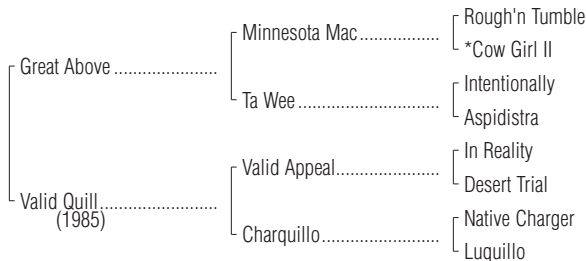


Surprise K

Dark Bay or
Brown Mare;
foaled 1990



By GREAT ABOVE (1972). Black-type winner of \$331,377, Paumonok H.-**G3**, etc. Sire of 18 crops of racing age, 617 foals, 537 starters, 36 black-type winners, 2 champions, 439 winners of 2229 races and earning \$25,612,-564. Sire of dams of 62 black-type winners, including champions Housebuster, Velvet Panther, Sir Flier (VEN), Orrantia, Royal Run, and of Kelly's Landing, Eishin Dansville, Friendly Lover, Nite Dreamer, Miss Macy Sue, El Cielo, Anglian Prince, Above the Wind, Kim Loves Bucky, Eagle Lake.

1st dam

VALID QUILL, by Valid Appeal. Winner at 3, \$32,260. Half-sister to **Sea Horse [G3]** (12 wins, \$303,502), **Handsome Version** (\$117,505, 2nd Brushfire S. [OR]). Dam of 4 registered foals, 4 of racing age, 3 to race--

Surprise K (f. by Great Above). Black-type-placed winner, below.

Sword of Quills (f. by Crusader Sword). Winner at 2 and 3, \$10,556.

Valid Crusade (f. by Crusader Sword). Winner at 3, \$5,000. Producer.

RACE RECORD: At 2, two wins, twice 2nd; at 3, six wins, 5 times 2nd, twice 3rd; at 4, two wins, twice 2nd, 3 times 3rd; at 5, three wins, 4 times 2nd (Sangue H. (LAD, \$7,000)), 5 times 3rd; at 6, five wins, once 2nd, twice 3rd. Totals: 18 wins, 14 times 2nd, 12 times 3rd. Earned \$213,698.

PRODUCE RECORD:

1998 Peaks and Promises, f. by Peaks and Valleys. Unraced, died at 2.

1999 Queen K, f. by Cobra King. 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$38,381.

2000 **COLONIAL SURPRISE**, f. by Colonial Affair. 4 wins at 3 and 4, \$181,-240, in N.A./U.S.; winner at 5, \$151,728, in Canada, Ontario Fashion H. [L] (WO, \$81,225), 2nd Bessarabian H. **[G3]** (WO, \$34,410), Hill 'n' Dale S. [L] (WO, \$20,000). (Total: \$311,256).

2001 Saint d'Or, f. by Touch Gold. Winner at 2 and 4, \$23,850.

2002 Niblett's Bluff, f. by Mt. Livermore. Unraced.

2003 **SEABREEZE BLVD.**, c. by Mt. Livermore. 2 wins in 3 starts at 3, \$59,-400, Inaugural S. [L] (EVD, \$45,000).

2004, 2006 no report.

2005 Lucky Anyway, g. by Skip Away. Unraced.

2007 Shar's Gem, f. by Orientate. Unraced.

2008 f. by Tapit; 2009 not pregnant.

Last mated March 15 and believed pregnant to:

NOBIZ LIKE SHOBIZ (2004), by Albert the Great--Nightstorm, by Storm Cat. Black-type winner of 7 races at 2 and 3, \$1,544,730, Wood Memorial S. [G1] (AQU, \$450,000), Jamaica H. [G2] (BEL, \$180,000), Remsen S. [G2] (AQU, \$120,000), National Museum of Racing Hall of Fame S. [G2] (SAR, \$95,700), Kent Breeders' Cup S. [G3] (DEL, \$300,000), Holy Bull S. [G3] (GP, \$90,000), 2nd Champagne S. [G1] (BEL, \$80,000), Dwyer S. [G2] (BEL, \$30,000), etc. His first foals will arrive in 2010.