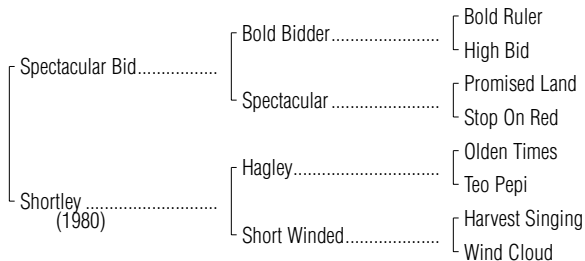


**Very Soon**

Chestnut Mare;  
foaled 1987



**By SPECTACULAR BID** (1976). Horse of the year, classic winner of \$2,781,-608, Kentucky Derby-**G1**, etc. Sire of 20 crops of racing age, 751 foals, 548 starters, 41 stakes winners, 401 winners of 1280 races and earning \$19,025,874 in N.A./U.S. Leading broodmare sire in Peru, sire of dams of 70 stakes winners, including champions Mozart, Janfranco, and of Que Belle, Janet (GB), Kabot, Snow Dance, Cara Rafaela, Feasibility Study, High Stakes Player, Sayaka, Northcote Road, Health Wall, Shame.

**1st dam**

**SHORTLEY**, by Hagley. 9 wins in 14 starts at 3 and 4, \$127,778, First Flight H.-**G3**, Caesar's Wish S., Silver Ice S.-R, Debby's Turn S.-R, 2nd Belle de Nuit S.-L, 3rd Queen Anne H. Sister to **Breathless Wind**, **Vodka Talking**.

Dam of 12 registered foals, 11 of racing age, 9 to race, 7 winners--

**Shortpoint** (f. by Two Punch). 3 wins at 3, \$80,520, 3rd Maryland Million

|| Distaff H.-R (LRL, \$10,000), Politely S.-R (LRL, \$6,600).

**Meadow Flyer** (f. by Meadowlake). Winner at 2, \$25,439, 2nd Pasadena

|| S. [L] (SA, \$15,000). Dam of 7 foals, 6 to race, 4 winners, including--

|| Crafty Flight. 3 wins at 2 and 5, \$60,760.

Very Shortley (c. by Spectacular Bid). 8 wins, 3 to 6, \$110,906.

Short Hunt (f. by Sportin' Life). 4 wins at 3, \$68,650. Producer.

Like Yesterday (f. by Allen's Prospect). 4 wins in 5 starts at 3 and 4, \$45,572.

Shortstop (f. by Allen's Prospect). Winner at 4, \$23,330.

Blueknob (c. by Mountain Cat). Winner at 3 and 4, 2003, \$23,326.

RACE RECORD: At 2, unraced; at 3, unplaced. Earned \$140.

**PRODUCE RECORD:**

1992 Soon to Be Royal, f. by Regal and Royal. Winner at 3 and 4, \$14,188.

1993 Viva American, c. by Meadowlake. Unplaced in 1 start in Japan.

1994 Soontobspectacular, f. by Kris S. 2 wins at 3, \$21,417.

1995 unnamed c. by Premiership, died at 2; 1998 aborted; 2000 barren.

1996 Soon to Be Silver, f. by Silver Buck. Winner at 3, \$17,971.

1997 Soon to Be Seated, c. by Formal Dinner. 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$114,200.

1999 Dinner Soon, g. by Formal Dinner. Winner at 3 and 4, 2003, \$17,387.

2001 Very Formal M. D., c. by Formal Dinner. Has not started.

2002 f. by Kissin Kris; 2003 no report.

**Last bred May 11 and believed in foal to:**

**WEEKEND CRUISE** (1997), by A.P. Indy--South Sea Dancer, by Northern Dancer. Placed at 3, \$5,310. Half-brother to stakes winner Signal Tap. His first foals are weanlings of 2003. Son of horse of the year A.P. Indy, among the leading sires, sire of 49 stakes winners, including champions Tempera (\$670,240, in N.A./U.S., Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies [G1], etc.), Festival of Light [G3], and of Golden Missile (\$2,-194,510, Pimlico Special H. [G1], etc.), Aptitude [G1], Lu Ravi [G2].