

MARRAKESH EXPRESS
2014 Chestnut Mare

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| UNION RAGS | DIXIE UNION | DIXIELAND BAND |
| | | SHE'S TOPS |
| | TEMPO | GONE WEST |
| | | TERPSICHORIST |
| LAYOUNNE | MT. LIVERMORE | BLUSHING GROOM (FR) |
| | | FLAMA ARDIENTE |
| | LA AFFIRMED | AFFIRMED |
| | | LA MESA |

By UNION RAGS (2009). Classic winner of 5 races in 8 starts at 2 and 3, \$1,-798,800, Belmont S. **[G1]** (BEL, \$600,000), Champagne Stakes **[G1]** (BEL, \$180,000), Fasig-Tipton Fountain of Youth S. **[G2]** (GP, \$240,000), Three Chimneys Saratoga Special S. **[G2]** (SAR, \$290,000), 2nd Breeders' Cup Juvenile **[G1]** (CD, \$360,000), 3rd Florida Derby **[G1]** (GP, \$100,000). **His first foals are 3-year-olds of 2017.** Leading freshman sire, sire of Dancing Rags (Darley Alcibiades **[G1]**) and Union Strike (Del Mar Debutante **[G1]**).

1st dam

LAYOUNNE, by Mt. Livermore. Placed in 2 starts, \$8,280. Dam of 8 foals to race, 7 winners, including--

Dark Cheetah (g. by Storm Cat). 2 wins at 2, €69,611, in Ireland, hwt. colt at 3 on Irish Hand., 5 - 6 fur., 2nd Racing Post in Ireland Belgrave S.; 5 wins, 4 to 8, \$241,184, in N.A./U.S., 2nd Bold Ruler H. **[G3]** (BEL, \$21,-340), 3rd Bold Ruler H. **[G3]** (BEL, \$10,814). (Total: \$328,490).

Mogador (c. by Danzig). 4 wins at 3 and 4, \$172,370, 2nd Elusive Quality S.-R (BEL, \$12,220). Sire.

Shadow of Storm (f. by Storm Cat). Winner at 2, \$39,635, 2nd Anna M. Fisher Debutante S. (ELP, \$10,000).

Lil Rockerfeller (c. by Hard Spun). 4 wins, 3 to 4, 2015, £74,383, in England.

Tarfaya (f. by Pulpit). Unraced. Dam of 2 foals, including--

STORMING INTI (c. by Stormy Atlantic). 4 wins to 3, \$395,665, Awad S. (BEL, \$60,000), Kitten's Joy S. (GP, \$60,000), Pulpit S. (GP, \$60,-000), 2nd American Turf S. **[G2]** (CD, \$55,955), 3rd Palm Beach S. **[G3]** GP, \$15,000), Penn Mile S. (PEN, \$55,600), Sir Cat S.

2nd dam

LA AFFIRMED, by Affirmed. Winner, \$20,875. Sister to **LOVELIER [G3]**, half-sister to **OUTSTANDINGLY [G1]** (\$1,412,206, champion 2-year-old filly).

Dam of 6 winners, including--

DELLA FRANCESCA (c. by Danzig). 2 wins, €116,202, in Ireland, Gallinule S. **[G3]**, etc.; placed, £19,241, in England, 2nd Macau Jockey Club Craven S. **[G3]**, Somerville Tattersalls S. **[G3]**; 2 wins, \$180,110, in N.A./ U.S., Belmont Breeders' Cup H. **[G2]** (BEL, \$125,760). (Total: \$317,201). Sire.

CARESS (f. by Storm Cat). 13 wins, 3 to 5, \$666,076, Athenia H. **[G3]**. Dam of **SKY MESA [G1]** (c. by Pulpit, \$633,076, sire), **GOLDEN VELVET [G3]** (f. by Seeking the Gold, \$341,309), **Caressive [G2]**-ntr, etc.

BERNSTEIN (c. by Storm Cat). 3 wins in 4 starts to 3, \$173,120, Anheuser Busch Railway S. **[G3]**, Coolmore Home of Champions Concorde S. **[G3]**.

COUNTRY CAT (f. by Storm Cat). 9 wins, \$564,424, Gardenia H. **[G3]**, etc.

Unify (f. by Farma Way). Winner at 3, \$73,811, 2nd Nijana S. **[G3]**, etc.

Emmaus (f. Silver Deputy). Dam of **WISEMAN'S FERRY** (c. by Hennessy, 4 wins, \$825,266, West Virginia Derby **[G3]** (MNR, \$360,000), sire.

In foal to leading sire **DISTORTED HUMOR** (Forty Niner-Danzig's Beauty), lbd 5/08/17.