

# DESERT CLASSIC

1983 Dark Bay or Brown - Height 16.0 - Dosage Profile: 13-14-9-0-0; DI: 7.00; CD: +1.11

## RACE AND (STAKES) RECORD

Age	Starts	1st unraced	2nd	3rd	Earnings
2					
3	4	1	0	0	\$14,825
4	2	0	0	0	600
5	16	1	1	5(1)	46,875
6	6	3	0	2	25,475
	28	5	1	7(1)	\$87,775

At 3, **WON** a maiden special weight race at Santa Anita Park (1 mi., defeating Cheapskate, Agitate's Pride, Rafael's Dancer, etc.).

At 5, **WON** an allowance race at Bay Meadows (1 mi., defeating I Love Racing, Key to the World, Wonder How, etc.), **3rd Harvest H.** at Fresno (1 1/8 mi., to Calvary Charge, Days Surpassed, defeating Aleteen, etc.).

At 6, **WON** a race at Santa Rosa (1 mi., defeating Sharp Prediction, Bortino, P. M. Express, etc.), a race at Bay Meadows Fair (1 mi., defeating Uncultivated, Sonny Barich, Aliso Boy, etc.), a race at Bay Meadows (1 mi., defeating Astrology, Gallant Dividend, Viento de Oro, etc.).

## IN THE STUD

DESERT CLASSIC entered stud in 1990.

## STATISTICAL SUMMARY

(Through November 9, 2003)

11 crops	Lifetime	Lifetime 2yo
Foals of racing age	151	151
Starters (FIs)	97(64%)	29(19%)
Winners (S/Str)	59(61%)	6(21%)
Total Starts	1,596	123
Total Wins (S/Starts)	191(12%)	9(7%)
Total Earnings	\$3,853,135	\$184,418
Avg. Earnings (S/Str)	\$39,723	\$6,359
Avg. Earnings (Start)	\$2,414	\$1,499
Stakes Wnrs (S/Str)	4(4%)	1(3%)
Stakes Horses (S/Str)	8(8%)	3(10%)
Avg. Earnings Index	1.11	0.65
Comparable Index	0.80	
<b>2003 Statistics</b>		
Starters	36	
Winners (S/Str)	13(36%)	
Total Starts	211	
Total Wins (S/Starts)	20(9%)	
Total Earnings	\$336,915	
Avg. Earnings (S/Str)	\$9,359	
Avg. Earnings (Start)	\$1,597	
Stakes Wnrs (S/Str)	1(3%)	

## DESERT CLASSIC HAS Sired

**NATIVE DESERT** (1993 c., dam by Princely Native). 21 wins, 3 to 9, placed at 10, 2003, \$1,828,177, **California Champion grass horse 3 times**, California Cup Mile H.-LR twice, Ralph M. Hinds Pomona Invitational H.-L, Political Ambition H.-L, Aprisa H.-L, TVG Khaled S.-LR, Crystal Water H.-LR, California Turf Championship H.-LR 3 times, Khaled S.-LR, Blaze O'Brien S.-LR, Campanile H.-LR, Foster City H., Governor's Cup H., 2nd Eddie Read H.-G1, Citation H.-G2, San Gabriel H.-G2, Ralph M. Scurfield California Cup Mile H.-LR, Ralph M. Hinds Pomona Invitational H.-L, TVG Khaled S.-LR, Crystal Water H.-LR, California Turf Championship H.-LR, 3rd Citation H.-G2, San Marcos H.-G2, California Cup Mile H.-LR, Fastness H.-L, Khaled S.-LR, Crystal Water H.-LR, Super Diamond H.-LR, California Turf Championship H.-LR, Wickerr H.-LR, Harry F. Brubaker H.-LR.

**WILL MEYERS** (1991 c., Terresto). 16 wins, 3 to 6, \$235,137, Montclair H.-LR, Sweepida H., 2nd Sunnyvale H., 3rd Ernest Finley H., Albany H., Bull Dog S.-R.

Year	Sire	Dam	Sire		Dam		
			1st	2nd	1st	2nd	
Damascus (1964)	Sunglow	Sword Dancer	Sun Again	Sun Teddy Hug Again			
			Rosern	Mad Hatter			
			By Jimminy	*Pharamond II Buginarug			
	Highland Fling	Kerala	Swing Time	*Royal Minstrel Speed Boat			
			Djebel	Tourbillon Loika			
			Perfume II	Badruddin Lavendula			
Classic Perfection (1972)	*My Babu	Never Bend	*Sickle	Phalaris Selene			
			Blade of Time	Bar Nothing	<b>Blue Larkspur</b> Beaming Beauty		
			*Nasrullah	Nearco	Pharos Nogara		
	Lalun	Mira Femme	Mumtaz Begum	*Blenheim II Mumtaz Mahal			
			*Djeddah	Djebel Djezima			
			Be Faithful	Bimelech Bloodroot			
*Dumpty Humpty	Mlle. Somebody	Stalino	Stardust Inking				
		Foolishness	Furrokh Siyar Nun's Folly				
		Oil Capitol	*Mahmoud	*Never Again II			
			Eyes of Blue	<b>Blue Larkspur</b> Danise M.			

**CONSTANTLY CLASSY** (1996 f., Stanstead). 4 wins, 2 to 5, \$152,066, Bay Meadows Lassie S., City of Roses H., 3rd Luther Burbank H.-L, Luther Burbank H., Pleasanton Senorita S., Burlingame S., Harvest H., Mid-Peninsula S.-R (filly div.).

**CLASSIC FOOL** (1999 c., Fool the Experts). Winner at 4, 2003, \$88,023, Governor's H.

**Miss Classic** (1994 f., Corn Off the Cob). 4 wins at 4, \$115,704, 2nd Menlo Park H., Golden State Lassie S.

**Tickle the Ivories** (1999 c., Messenger of Song). Winner at 2 and 4, 2003, \$50,462, 2nd Sail on By S.

**Desert Gambler** (2001 c., Prospectors Gamble). Winner at 2, 2003, 3rd Everett Nevin Alameda County Futurity-R.

**Karbala** (1994 c., Bold Tropic (SAF)). Winner at 4 and 5, 3rd Grants Pass Marathon Series S.

**Desert Bloomer** (1996 c., Crystal Water). 7 wins, 2 to 6, placed at 7, 2003, \$137,112.

**Knowmee** (1997 c., Pilot Khal). 2 wins at 5, placed at 6, 2003, \$88,572.

**Negev Wind** (1997 c., Just Right Mike). 6 wins, 3 to 6, 2003, \$71,900.

**Twice's Girl** (1991 f., British Battle). 8 wins, 3 to 6, \$64,380.

**Negev Lady** (1996 f., Just Right Mike). 5 wins, 3 to 6, placed at 7, 2003, \$54,176.

**Oro Desert** (2000 c., Candi's Gold). 4 wins at 3, 2003, \$51,735.

**Pure Mirage** (1998 c., Regal Bearing (GB)). 3 wins, \$50,360.

**Desert Lew** (1996 c., Air Forbes Won). 6 wins at 4 and 5, placed at 7, 2003, \$47,567.

**John Brazil** (1997 c., Batonnier). 4 wins at 4 and 5, placed at 6, 2003, \$47,475.

**Negev Dancer** (1998 f., Dance in Time). Winner, \$40,205.

**Bally's Desert** (1996 c., Steelinctive (GB)). 4 wins, \$34,009.

**Gold Desert** (1997 f., Search for Gold). 4 wins to 4, \$33,080.

**Tabiz** (1996 c., Royal Prayer (GB)). 3 wins at 4 and 5, placed at 7, 2003, \$32,781.

**Theres No Tomorrow** (1997 f., Irish Tower). Winner at 4, placed at 6, 2003, \$32,460.

**Classic Jourdan** (1999 f., Siyah Kalem). 3 wins at 3 and 4, 2003, \$32,268.

## MALE LINE

DESERT CLASSIC is by **DAMASCUS**, classic winner of 21 races, 2 to 4, \$1,176,781, **Horse of the year, Champion 3-year-old colt, Champion handicap horse**, Belmont S., Preakness S., etc. **Among the leading sires**, sire of 71 stakes winners, including--

**LORD DURHAM**. 4 wins in 6 starts, \$52,136, **Champion 2-year-old in Canada**, Coronation Futurity, Sire.

**BELTED EARL**. Winner at 3 in England; 3 wins in 3 starts in Ireland, **Champion sprinter, Champion older horse**, Desmond S.-G3, Greenlands S.-G3, Sire.

**DAMASCUS REGAL**. 5 wins in Italy, **Hwt. older horse at 4 on Italian Hand., 14 fur. & up**, Premio Principe Amedeo-G2, Coppa d'Oro di Milano-G3, etc. Sire.

**DESERT WINE**. 8 wins, \$1,618,043, Hollywood Gold Cup-G1, etc. **Among the leading sires in California**.

**HIGHLAND BLADE**. 12 wins, 2 to 5, \$998,888, Marlboro Cup Invitational H.-G1, Brooklyn H.-G1, etc. Sire.

## FEMALE LINE

### 1st dam

CLASSIC PERFECTION, by Never Bend. Winner at 2, \$5,811. Half-sister to **BATONNIER** (\$232,105),

**FEMME ELITE** (Grand Criterium-G1). Dam of--

**CLASSIC GO GO** (c. by \*Pago Pago). 14 wins, 2 to 5, \$442,484, Bowie S., General George S., etc. Sire.

**MELO MELODY** (f. by Mr. Leader). 3 wins at 2 and 4, \$144,387, Moccasin Breeders' Cup S.-L, etc.

**AIRONLASS** (f. by Proud Clarion). 6 wins, \$133,085, Ontario Debutante S.-R, etc. Stakes producer.

**PREMIUM WIN** (f. by Lyphard). Winner in France, 2nd Prix du Calvados-G3, etc.; 4 wins, \$53,070, in N.A., Vacaville S.-R, etc. Dam of **TIGHT SPOT** (c. by His Majesty, \$1,566,100, **Champion grass horse**), etc.

### Broodmare Sire

**NEVER BEND**, 1960. **Among the leading broodmare sires twice**, sire of 154 dams of 1268 foals, 990 mrs (78%), 770 wns (61%), 230 2yo wns (18%), 2.04 AEI, 1.73 CI, 115 stakes winners.

## 2004 FEE: \$2,000 - LIVE FOAL

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