

# Stradivari

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<p>Stradivari Foaled in Kentucky</p>	<p>Medaglia d'Oro, 99 dk b/  Bending Strings, 01 dk b/</p>	<p>El Prado (IRE), 89 gr Cappucino Bay, 89 b American Chance, 89 dk b/ Straight South, 86 dk b/</p>	<p>Sadler's Wells, 81 b Lady Capulet, 74 ro Bailjumper, 74 b Dubbed In, 73 ch Cure the Blues, 78 b American Dance, 85 b Hail the Pirates, 70 b Key to the North, 77 b</p>
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**By MEDAGLIA D'ORO** (1999). Stakes winner of \$5,754,720 USA, Travers S. **[G1]** (SAR, \$600,000), etc. Among the leading sires in U.S., sire of 9 crops of racing age, 1384 foals, 813 starters, 85 stakes winners, 4 champions, 520 winners of 1426 races and earning \$74,019,444 USA, including Rachel Alexandra (Horse of the year in U.S., \$3,506,730, BlackBerry Preakness S. **[G1]** (PIM, \$660,000), etc.), Songbird (Champion in U.S., to 3, 2016, \$1,982,000, Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies **[G1]** (KEE, \$1,100,000), etc.), Vancouver (Champion in Australia, \$1,845,530 USA, Tooheys New Golden Slipper **[G1]**, etc.), Medaglia d'Orizaba (Champion in Mexico, \$24,928 USA), Passion for Gold (Hwt. in France, \$268,125 USA, Criterium de Saint-Cloud **[G1]**, etc.), Mshawish (to 6, 2016, \$2,421,351 USA, Donn H. **[G1]** (GP, \$300,700), etc.).

## 1st dam

**BENDING STRINGS**, by American Chance. 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$870,612, Nassau County Breeders' Cup S. **[G2]** (BEL, \$120,000), Chilukki S. **[G2]** (CD, \$104,997), First Flight H. **[G2]** (AQU, \$90,000), Safely Kept Breeders' Cup S. **[G3]** (PIM, \$90,000), 2nd Test S. **[G1]** (SAR, \$50,000), La Brea S. **[G1]** (SA, \$50,000), Go for Wand H. **[G1]** (SAR, \$50,000), Molly Pitcher Breeders' Cup H. **[G2]** (MTH, \$60,000), etc. Dam of 7 foals, 4 to race, 1 winner--  
Stradivari (c. by Medaglia d'Oro). See below.  
Strum (f. by Medaglia d'Oro). Placed at 3, \$20,450.  
Delightful Melody (f. by Tapit). Placed at 3, 2015, \$19,332(USA).

## 2nd dam

**STRAIGHT SOUTH**, by Hail the Pirates. 2 wins at 3, \$62,903, Fall Fashion S. -R (EP, \$16,900(CAN)), 3rd Liberation S. -R (EP, \$3,635(CAN)). Dam of 6 winners--  
**BENDING STRINGS** (f. by American Chance). Black type winner, see above.  
**DIXIE PREMIER** (f. by Mane Minister). 4 wins at 2 and 3, \$132,255, Nanaimo Breeders' Cup S. [L] (HST, \$39,640(CAN)), Queen Charlotte H. (HST, \$21,150(CAN)), 2nd Fantasy S. (HST, \$9,000(CAN)), Surrey S. (HST, \$6,680(CAN)), 3rd Breeders' Cup Lassie S. (HST, \$8,110(CAN)), Cinderella S. -R (HST, \$3,810(CAN)). Producer.  
Hail the Minister (f. by Mane Minister). 11 wins, 3 to 8, \$57,446. Dam of--  
**DEACON SPEAKIN'** (g. by Timber Legend). 8 wins, 3 to 6, \$231,532, Portland Mile H. (PM, \$29,150).  
Rich Seam (f. by Mining). Winner at 3, \$44,431. Dam of--  
**DYNAMIC WITHIN** (g. by Dehere). 4 wins, 2 to 4, \$149,702, Iowa Cradle S. -R (PRM, \$51,720), Gray's Lake S. -R (PRM, \$40,590), 3rd Iowa Breeders' Derby -R (PRM, \$8,395).  
**EL SADDLER** (c. by El Prado (IRE)). 3 wins in 5 starts at 2, \$87,886, Iowa Cradle S. -R (PRM, \$44,946).  
**Little Chief** (g. by Chief Seattle). 7 wins, 3 to 8, \$200,519, 3rd Cyclones H. -R (PRM, \$7,500), Iowa Classic Sprint S. -R (PRM, \$6,765).  
Straight Street (g. by Wall Street Dancer). 5 wins, 4 to 6, \$142,459.  
Texas Scramble (c. by American Chance). 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$52,293.

## 3rd dam

**KEY TO THE NORTH**, by Key to the Mint. Unraced. Half-sister to **MR. NUTCRACKER** (President's Cup "A1" H., etc., sire). Dam of 4 winners--  
**STRAIGHT SOUTH** (f. by Hail the Pirates). Black type winner, see above.  
Northern Quickstep (f. by Marshua's Dancer). Winner at 3 and 4, \$12,960.  
Juxta (f. by Fifth Marine). Winner at 3, \$3,218.  
Silent North (f. by Silent Screen). Unplaced in 2 starts. Dam of--  
**IT'S SILENT** (f. by It's Freezing). 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$138,233, Lady Sponsors' Breeders' Cup S. (AKS, \$34,560), Lassie S. -R (AKS, \$16,440), 2nd Prima Donna S. [L] (OP, \$11,200).  
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**Wimplestiltskin** (g. by Petionville). Winner at 3 and 4, \$190,864, 2nd Lazaro Barrera Memorial S. [**G2**] (HOL, \$30,000), San Pedro S. [L] (SA, \$16,095), Harry Henson S. [L] (HOL, \$15,345), Rushing Man S. (MED, \$12,000), Sonny Hine S. (PIM, \$10,000), etc.

**Katya** (g. by Clever Trick). 20 wins, 2 to 9, \$186,772, 3rd Juvenile Breeders' Cup S. (AKS, \$4,447), Laddie S. -R (AKS, \$3,039).

Silent Pine (f. by Pine Bluff). Winner at 3, \$17,095. Dam of--

**GOLDEN PINE** (f. by Banker's Gold). 7 wins, 3 to 7, \$83,102, John and Kitty Fletcher S. -R (EMD, \$20,408), 3rd Hastings Park H. (EMD, \$6,750).

Unnamed (c. by Wajima). Winner at 5 in MAL.

## 4th dam

**Christmas Wishes**, by Northern Dancer. 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$58,606, 3rd Margate H. Sister to **COOL MOOD** (\$66,214, Canadian Oaks, etc.), half-sister to **MISS SUZAKI** (\$37,399, Belle Mahone S., etc.).

Dam of 6 winners, including--

**MR. NUTCRACKER** (c. by Mr. Prospector). 4 wins at 3 and 4 in JAM, President's Cup "A1" H., Jim Morrison Trophy "A1" H., 2nd Reggae Trophy, Pringle Cup "A1" H. Sire.

Deck the Bough (f. by Tom Rolfe). 3 wins at 4 and 5, \$33,370.

Key to the North (f. by Key to the Mint). See above.

Bury the Hatchet (f. by Tom Rolfe). Unraced.

**BURYYOURBELIEF** (f. by Believe It). 3 wins at 2 and 3, \$308,879, Kentucky Oaks [**G1**], 2nd Ashland S. [**G1**], Santa Anita Oaks [**G1**], Santa Ysabel S. [LR] (SA, \$12,000), 4th Mother Goose S. [**G1**].

RACE RECORD for Stradivari: At 2, one win in 2 starts; at 3, 2016, one win in 1 start. Totals: 2 wins in 3 starts. Earned \$64,200.