

Shotgun Wedding

Chestnut Filly; Mar 11, 2022

Shotgun Wedding Foaled in Kentucky	Mendelssohn, 15 b	Scat Daddy, 04 dk b/ Leslie's Lady, 96 b	Johannesburg, 99 b Love Style, 99 ch Tricky Creek, 86 b Crystal Lady, 90 b Gone West, 84 b Silken Cat, 93 ch Broken Vow, 97 b Ideal Image, 98 ch
	Reluctant Bride, 17 ch	Speightstown, 98 ch Sassy Image, 07 ch	

By MENDELSSOHN (2015). Hwt. in United Arab Emirates, Stakes winner of \$2,542,137 USA in Ireland, N.A. and United Arab Emirates, Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf **[G1]** (DMR, \$550,000), etc. Leading sire in Chile, sire of 5 crops of racing age, 943 foals, 720 starters, 48 stakes winners, 5 champions, 511 winners of 1308 races and earning \$38,414,341 USA, including Mendel's Rock (Champion in Scandinavia, \$126,774 USA), Created (Champion in Chile, to 3, 2025, \$119,207 USA, El Ensayo-MEGA **[G1]**, etc.), Khamal (Champion in Peru, to 3, 2025, \$61,464 USA, Clasico Derby Nacional **[G1]**, etc.), Play For Me (CHI) (Champion in Chile, \$40,245 USA, Carlos Campino **[G2]**, etc.), Navaja Merkel (Champion in Peru, to 3, 2025, \$37,814 USA, Clasico Cesar del Rio Suito **[G3]**, etc.).

1st dam

Reluctant Bride, by Speightstown. 2 wins at 3, \$63,182. Dam of 3 foals, 1 to race, 1 winner--

SHOTGUN WEDDING (f. by Mendelssohn). Black type winner, see below.

2nd dam

SASSY IMAGE, by Broken Vow. 7 wins, 2 to 4, \$828,216, Princess Rooney H. **[G1]** (CRC, \$206,150), Humana Distaff S. **[G1]** (CD, \$209,986), Golden Rod S. **[G2]** (CD, \$100,172), Pocahontas S. **[G3]** (CD, \$66,828), Winning Colors S. **[G3]** (CD, \$66,426), Sweetest Chant S. [L] (GP, \$60,000), 2nd Adirondack S. **[G2]** (SAR, \$30,000), Roxelana S. (CD, \$14,940). Dam of 5 winners--

Reluctant Bride (f. by Speightstown). See above.

V J Day (c. by War Front). 15 wins, 3 to 7 in AUS and ENG, \$183,878 (USA).

Spielman (g. by Hard Spun). Winner at 6, 2026, \$151,347.

Resilient Humor (f. by Distorted Humor). Winner at 2, \$42,220. Producer.

Yeokjeon Myeongsu (c. by Super Saver). Winner at 3 and 5 in KOR.

3rd dam

Ideal Image, by Hennessy. Placed at 3 and 5, \$15,900. Half-sister to **DYNAMAN** (\$128,005, John Henry S. (AP, \$32,160)), **Apak** (\$236,943, 2nd Bob Feller S. [L] (PRM, \$10,000), etc.), **Cyclorama** (\$108,600, 2nd Sands Point S. **[G3]** (BEL, \$23,220)), **Adair** (\$86,606 (USA), 3rd Rothmans Royals St. Leger **[G1]**). Dam of 5 winners--

SASSY IMAGE (f. by Broken Vow). Black type winner, see above.

Sandys Diamond (g. by Roman Ruler). 10 wins, 3 to 7, \$136,132.

Empire Hope (f. by Empire Maker). Winner in 2 starts at 3, \$56,400.

Clark Kent (c. by Unbridled's Song). Winner in 2 starts at 3, \$53,200.

Third Dimension (g. by Street Cry (IRE)). 2 wins at 5, \$13,204.

Jaw Dropper (c. by Tapit). Placed at 3, \$26,040.

Broken Image (g. by Broken Vow). Placed at 3, \$3,050.

Ayita (f. by Thunder Gulch). Placed at 4. Producer.

4th dam

Amore Cielo, by Conquistador Cielo. 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$48,375, 3rd Vacaville H. -R (SOL, \$4,500). Half-sister to **VARSAVIA** (\$32,263 (USA), Bayerischer Stutenpreis [L], etc.), **Head Minister** (\$58,683, 2nd Fort Springs S. [L] (KEE, \$10,880)). Dam of 9 winners, including--

DYNAMAN (g. by Dynaformer). 5 wins at 3 and 5, \$128,005, John Henry S. (AP, \$32,160).

Apak (g. by Opening Verse). 9 wins, 2 to 7, \$236,943, 2nd Bob Feller S. [L] (PRM, \$10,000), Prairie Meadows H. (PRM, \$7,000). Set ntr at Prairie Meadows, 1 mile in 1:35.07.

Cyclorama (f. by Theatrical (IRE)). Winner at 2 and 3, \$108,600, 2nd Sands Point S. **[G3]** (BEL, \$23,220).

Adair (c. by Theatrical (IRE)). Winner in 1 start at 2 in NA, placed in 2 starts at 3 in ENG, \$86,606 (USA), 3rd Rothmans Royals St. Leger **[G1]**.

I Love America (f. by Quiet American). Winner at 3, \$48,134.

AMERICAN SUGAR (f. by Harlan's Holiday). 7 wins, 2 to 4, \$269,094, Prairie Gold Lassie S. [L]

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(PRM, \$45,000), Dixie Belle S. (OP, \$36,000), Goldfinch S. (PRM, \$36,000), E. L. Gaylord Memorial S. (RP, \$30,000), Prairie Rose S. (PRM, \$30,000), etc.

Love to Run (g. by Pulpit). 9 wins, 3 to 6, \$340,754, 3rd Three Coins Up S. (BEL, \$9,000).

Ideal Image (f. by Hennessy). See above.

Dynacielo (f. by Dynaformer). Placed at 2 and 3, \$11,720.

Zambia (f. by Theatrical (IRE)). Unraced.

EXTENSIVE (g. by Purge). 5 wins, 3 to 9, \$237,509, Dayton Andrews Dodge Sophomore Turf S. -R (TAM, \$45,000), 3rd Del Mar Derby **[G2]** (DMR, \$30,000), Sunset H. **[G3]** (BHP, \$12,000), Arlington Classic S. [L] (AP, \$10,560), Oceanside S. -R (DMR, \$13,452).

LA WILDCAT (f. by Forest Wildcat). 3 wins at 2 and 3, \$134,196, Meafara S. (HAW, \$31,050), Miss Power Puff S. (HAW, \$28,650), 2nd Mountaineer Juvenile Fillies S. [L] (MNR, \$17,000), 3rd Letellier Memorial S. [L] (FG, \$10,000), NATC Futurity -R (MED, \$20,000).

Planet Queen (f. by Flying Paster). Unraced.

Simply Fantastic (f. by Cee's Tizzy). Winner in 2 starts at 2, \$43,000, 2nd Bustles and Bows S. [L] (FPX, \$8,500).

RACE RECORD for Shotgun Wedding: At 2, one win, once 3rd (Catch A Glimpse S. [L] (WO, \$15,000(CAN))); at 3, two wins (Ontario Damsel S. [L] (WO, \$75,000(CAN))), 3 times 2nd, twice 3rd; at 4, 2026, unplaced in 1 start. Totals: 3 wins, 3 times 2nd, 3 times 3rd. Earned \$191,402(USA) (\$5,575, \$256,795(CAN)).