

BEST MINISTER

2000 Bay - Height 16.1 - Dosage Profile: 7-1-11-3-0; DI: 1.59; CD: +0.55

RACE AND (STAKES) RECORD

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earnings
2	2	0	0	0	\$1,380
3	6	2(1)	2(1)	0	123,170
4	6	2	1	0	109,270
5	3	0	1	0	13,600
6	3	0	1	0	6,800
	20	4(1)	5(1)	0	\$254,220

At 3, **WON Sir Barton S.-L** at Pimlico (1 1/16 mi., by 3 lengths, defeating During, Penobscot Bay, Sky Soldier, etc.), a maiden special weight race at Keeneland (1 1/8 mi., by 12 lengths, defeating Sam Boo, Alpine Mountain, Skip Vigorously, etc.), **2nd Round Table S.-L** at Arlington Park (1 1/8 mi., to Wiggins, defeating Battle Tank, Absent Friend, etc.).

At 4, **WON** an allowance race at Keeneland (1 1/16 mi., defeating Collateral Damage, Real Trooper, Broadway View, etc.), an allowance race at Churchill Downs (1 1/16 mi., by 4 3/4 lengths, defeating Texas Deputy, Breakaway, Frost Warning, etc.).

IN THE STUD

BEST MINISTER entered stud in 2007. His first foals will arrive in 2008.

MALE LINE

BEST MINISTER is by **DEPUTY MINISTER**, stakes winner of 12 races to 4, \$696,964, **Horse of the year, Champion 2-year-old colt in Canada, Champion 2-year-old colt in U.S.**, Young America S.-G1, etc. **Leading sire twice**, sire of 87 stakes winners, incl.--**OPEN MIND**. 12 wins in 19 starts, \$1,844,372, **Champion 2- and 3-year-old filly, Filly Triple Crown**, Coaching Club American Oaks-G1, Acorn S.-G1, etc. **GO FOR WAND**. 10 wins in 13 starts at 2 and 3, \$1,373,338, **Champion 2- and 3-year-old filly**, Mother Goose S.-G1, Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies-G1, etc. **DEHERE**. 6 wins to 3, \$723,712, **Champion 2-year-old colt**, Champagne S.-G1, Hopeful S.-G1, Fountain of Youth S.-G2, Saratoga Special S.-G2, etc. Sire. **MONGOL WARRIOR**. Placed in England; 2 wins in France, Prix Max Sicard; winner in Germany, Grosser Preis von Deutschland-G2, etc.; winner in Switzerland, **Hwt. at 3 on Swiss Hand., 11 - 14 fur.**, Bankverein Swiss Derby; winner in Spain, **Champion imported 3-year-old colt**, Gran Premio Memorial Duque de Toledo-G3. Sire. **DIVA'S DEBUT**. 7 wins, \$262,983, **Champion older mare in Canada**, Whimsical S.-L, Etobicoke H.-L, etc. **HELLO SEATTLE**. 2 wins, \$149,700, **Champion 2-year-old filly in Canada**, Mazarine Breeders' Cup S.-G1. **ELOQUENT MINISTER**. Winner at 2 in England, Doncaster S.; 2 wins at 2, \$60,570, in N.A., Garden City Budweiser Breeders' Cup S.; winner at 3 in Ireland, **Hwt. filly at 3 on Irish Hand., 5 - 7 fur.**, Kilfrush Coolmore E.B.F. Tipperary Sprint S., etc. **AWESOME AGAIN**. 9 wins, \$4,374,590, Queen's Plate-LR, Breeders' Cup Classic-G1, Whitney H.-G1, etc. Sire. **DEPUTY COMMANDER**. 4 wins at 3, \$1,906,640, Travers S.-G1, Super Derby-G1, Affirmed H.-G3, etc. Sire. **FLAG DOWN**. 4 wins to 4 in France, La Coupe-G3, etc.; 7 wins, \$1,572,208, in N.A., Pan American H.-G2, etc. **TOUCH GOLD**. 6 wins, \$1,679,907, Belmont S.-G1, Buick Haskell Invitational H.-G1, Lexington S.-G2, etc. Sire. **KEEPER HILL**. 4 wins to 4, \$1,661,281, Kentucky Oaks-G1, Three Chimneys Spinster S.-G1, Las Virgenes S.-G1, etc. **VICTORY SPEECH**. 9 wins, 2 to 4, \$1,289,020, Strub S.-G1, Swaps S.-G2, Dwyer S.-G2, etc. Sire.

Deputy Minister (1979) 1140 foals, 87 SWs	Vice Regent 672 foals, 105 SWs	Nearctic	Nearco *Lady Angella
		Natalma	Native Dancer Almahmoud
	Victoria Regina 3 foals, 1 SWs	*Menetrier	Fair Copy La Melodie
		Victoriana	Windfields Iribelle
Best of Memories (1991) 7 foals, 1 SWs	Mint Copy 7 foals, 1 SWs	Bunty's Lawless	Ladder Mintwina
		Broomflight	Deil Air Post
	Shakney 11 foals, 1 SWs	Jabneh	Bimelech Bellesoeur
		Grass Shack	Polynesian Good Example
Halo 724 foals, 63 SWs	Hail to Reason 308 foals, 43 SWs	*Turn-to	*Royal Charger *Source Sucree
		Nothirchance	Blue Swords Galla Colors
	Cosmah 15 foals, 4 SWs	Cosmic Bomb	*Pharamond II Banish Fear
		Almahmoud	*Mahmoud Arbitrator
All My Memories 11 foals, 3 SWs	Little Current 518 foals, 35 SWs	*Sea-Bird	Dan Cupid Sicalade
		Luiana	*My Babu Banquet Bell
	Java Moon 7 foals, 0 SWs	Graustark	*Ribot Flower Bowl
		Golden Trail	Hasty Road Sunny Vale

MR PURPLE. 6 wins to 4, \$1,133,538, Santa Anita H.-G1, Hollywood Juvenile Championship S.-G2, etc. Sire. **MISS SHOP**. 9 wins, 2 to 4, 2007, \$1,114,038, Personal Ensign S.-G1, Rampart H.-G2, etc. **GO DEPUTY**. 6 wins at 3 and 6, \$1,118,640, Sword Dancer Invitational S.-G1, Bowling Green H.-G2, etc. **CLEAR MANDATE**. 10 wins, 2 to 5, \$1,085,588, Three Chimneys Spinster S.-G1, John A. Morris H.-G1, etc. **ATELIER**. 9 wins, \$741,114, Molly Pitcher Breeders' Cup H.-G2, Next Move H.-G3, Turnback the Alarm H.-G3, etc. **YARROW BRAE**. 4 wins, \$571,580, Illinois Derby-G2, etc. **FAST COOKIE**. 9 wins to 5, \$557,480, Cotillion H.-G2, etc. **MISS FORTUNATE**. 7 wins to 5, \$545,900, Turfway Breeders' Cup S.-G3-ntr, HBPA H.-L, Rare Treat H.-L, etc. **SALT LAKE**. 7 wins, \$536,218, Hopeful S.-G1, etc. Sire. **DEPUTATION**. 8 wins to 4, \$508,873, Tempted S.-G3, etc. **WELL CHOSEN**. 2 wins, \$501,330, Ashland S.-G1, etc.

FEMALE LINE

1st dam
BEST OF MEMORIES, by Halo. 3 wins, \$75,229. Dam of--**BEST MINISTER**. Subject stallion.
Atherbest (f. by Silver Hawk). Winner, \$78,400. Dam of **Gran Botija** (c. by Matty G, in Panama, 2nd Clasico Jose A. Perez y Bernabe Perez-G3, etc.).

Broodmare Sire
HALO, 1969. Among the leading broodmare sires, sire of 351 dams of 2682 foals, 2066 mrs (77%), 1472 wns (55%), 439 2yo wns (16%), 1.56 AEI, 1.48 CI, 147 stakes winners.

2nd dam
ALL MY MEMORIES, by Little Current. Winner at 3, \$23,860. Dam of 10 other foals, 8 winners, including--**MEMORIES OF SILVER** (f. by Silver Hawk). 9 wins, 3 to 5, \$1,448,715, Beverly D. S.-G1, Queen Elizabeth II Challenge Cup S.-G1-ntr, Diana H.-G2, etc. Dam of **BRITISH BLUE** (c. by Storm Cat, 4 wins, \$171,665, in N.A., Tri-State H.), **WAR TRACE** (c. by Storm Cat, 3 wins, \$86,538, Choice S.).

MEMORIES OF GOLD (f. by Time for a Change). 4 wins in 8 starts, \$114,589, Serena's Song S., etc. **MEMORIES** (f. by Hail the Pirates). Winner at 2, \$92,540, Miss Grillo S.-G2. Dam of **RUSSIAN REVIVAL** (c. by Nureyev, Prix du Palais-Royal-G3, Dubai Duty Free S., etc., sire), **Tobruk (IRE)** (c. by Red Ransom, in France, 2nd Prix de Tourgeville). **Spark Hawk** (c. by Silver Hawk). 5 wins at 3 and 4 in Japan, 2nd American Jockey Club Cup-G2. **Childhood Memories** (f. by The Minstrel). 2 wins at 3 in Ireland, 3rd Ali Reza & Mamadi Soudavar E.B.F. Ruby S.; placed at 4, \$41,212, in N.A. Dam of **King of the Wild** (g. by Bertrando, \$79,900, 2nd Best Pal S.-G3), **Thunder Fish** (g. by Bertrando, 5 wins, \$76,125, 3rd Buffalo Bayou S.).

3rd dam

JAVA MOON, by Graustark. 9 wins to 4, \$113,599, Comely S.-G3, 3rd Interborough H.-G3. Sister to **SYLVAN PLACE**, **Autumn Glory**, **Outward Sunshine**, **Kelley's Day**, half-sister to **GLEAMING LIGHT** (11 wins, \$205,036), **Meadow Stream**. Dam of--**Rio Rita**. 4 wins to 3, \$75,743, 3rd Miss Woodford S. Dam of **BALARAT** (\$292,759), **Sir Moon Dancer** (\$89,105). Granddam of **MAJESTIC DREAM** (\$72,978), **ARDMAYLE** (to 6, 2007, \$59,992). **Loose Cannon**. 2 wins, \$47,148, 2nd Nashua S.-G3. **Thundering Force**. Winner at 2, \$41,435, 3rd Breeders' Futurity-G2. Sire. **Lover's Moon**. Winner at 2, \$13,380. Dam of **NASKRA'S RETURN** (\$271,642, Rare Treat H.-G3, Affectionately H.-G3, etc., dam of **ALL THE MOVES**, \$176,645; **ASKRANIA**, \$85,655; **Sequence**, \$109,060; granddam of **RIPPLING RETURN**, \$118,440; **Hard Rock City**), **MOON UP T.C.** (\$135,798, sire). **Our Tina Marie**. Unraced. Dam of **TOO COOL TO FOOL** (\$183,502, dam of **Cercatore**, \$87,879), **MERIT WINGS** (\$163,809), **MISTY HOUR** (\$157,844, dam of **INDIA**, to 4, 2007, \$630,859; **PILFER**, \$126,360), **Roberto's Hope** (\$67,824).

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