

KATHY'S ROCKET (USA) (2003) A Bay Mare	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gold Legend (USA)</li> <li>Franks Rocket Girl (USA) (1992)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Seattle Slew (USA)</li> <li>Gold Beauty (USA)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bold Reasoning (USA)</li> <li>My Charmer (USA)</li> <li>Mr Prospector (USA)</li> <li>Stick To Beauty (USA)</li> <li>Irish Tower (USA)</li> <li>No Opening (USA)</li> <li>Elocutionist (USA)</li> <li>Grinand Bearit</li> </ul>
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Irish Open (USA)</li> <li>Plain Speaking (USA)</li> </ul>	

KATHY'S ROCKET (USA), won 4 races at 2 and 3 years, 2006 in U.S.A. and \$183,988 including Texas Stallion Stakes (fillies), Retama Park L.R. and placed 4 times including second in Two Altazano Stakes, Houston, L.R. and Caprock Stakes, Zia Park and third in Yellow Rose Stakes, Houston, R. and Princess Stakes, Louisiana Downs.

#### 1st Dam

FRANKS ROCKET GIRL (USA), won 6 races at 2 to 5 years in U.S.A. and \$118,046 including Delta Miss Stakes, Louisiana Downs, placed second in Lady Luck Stakes, Louisiana Downs and third in Rebel Stakes, Louisiana Downs;

dam of three winners from 3 runners and 8 foals of racing age viz-

KATHY'S ROCKET (USA), see above.

MR ROCKET (USA), won 9 races at 3 to 7 years, 2007 in U.S.A. and \$148,617.

POWER ROCKET (USA), won 2 races at 2 and 3 years in U.S.A. and \$44,515; broodmare.

#### 2nd Dam

Plain Speaking (USA), won 4 races at 2 and 3 years in U.S.A. and \$71,759, placed second in Blue Hen Stakes, Delaware Park, L. and Jefferson Cup Stakes, Churchill Downs, L.;

dam of six winners from 7 runners and 9 foals of racing age viz-

FRANKS ROCKET GIRL (USA), see above.

ELOQUENT SILVER (USA) (f. by Silver Hawk (USA)), won 3 races at 3 years in U.S.A. and \$118,073 including Senorita Stakes, Louisiana Downs, placed second in Nijana Stakes, Saratoga, Gr.3 and Bold Queen Stakes, Laurel; dam of winners.

House Burner (USA), 5 races at 2 and 3 years in U.S.A., placed second in Tyro Stakes, Monmouth Park, L. and Whas-11 Stakes, Churchill Downs, L. and third in Sapling Stakes, Monmouth Park, Gr.3.

Choice Comment (USA) (f. by Rich Cream (USA)), won 3 races at 3 years in U.S.A. and \$43,233 and placed 7 times including second in Chapel Belle Stakes, Louisiana Downs; dam of winners.

RIDEOUTS PATTON (USA), 4 races at 3 and 4 years in U.S.A. including Anderson Fowler Stakes, Monmouth Park, L.

More Bourb (USA), 3 races at 3 years in U.S.A., placed third in Pete Axthelm Stakes, Calder, L. and Singspiel Stakes, Woodbine, L.

PLAIN FOLKS (USA), won 8 races at 2 to 5 years in U.S.A.

HIGHLAND RED (USA), won 1 race at 2 years in U.S.A.; dam of winners.

SWEET CONVICTION (USA), 1 race at 3 years in U.S.A.; dam of Toppers Choice (CAN), 2 races at 2 and 3 years, 2007 in Canada and \$26,850, placed third in Bird of Pay Stakes, Northlands Park, R.

#### 3rd Dam

Grinand Bearit, won 7 races at 2 to 4 years in U.S.A., placed fourth in Betsy Ross Stakes, Garden State;

dam of eleven winners from 13 runners and 15 foals of racing age including-

Ordination (USA), won 13 races at 3 to 7 years in U.S.A., placed second in Correction Handicap, Aqueduct, Gr.3 (twice) and fourth in Affectionately Handicap, Aqueduct, Gr.3; dam of winners.

Valid Ordinate (USA), 5 races at 2 and 3 years in U.S.A., placed second in Lexington Handicap, Belmont Park, Gr.2 and third in Saranac Stakes, Belmont Park, Gr.2.

Polar Opposites (USA), 2 races at 2 and 3 years in U.S.A., placed third in Huntington Stakes, Aqueduct, L. and Ocala Breeders Sales Sprint Hcp (c&g), Ocala T. C., L.

Diablos Ordination (USA), 9 races at 4 to 8 years in U.S.A., placed second in West Virginia Legislature Chairman's Cup, Mountaineer Park, L.

SKI NATION (USA), 3 races at 3 years in U.S.A.; dam of NATIONAL SAINT (USA), 7 races at 2 to 5 years in U.S.A. including El Cajon Stakes, Del Mar, L.R. and Perryville Stakes, Keeneland, L., placed third in San Diego Handicap, Del Mar, Gr.3.

Stiff Upper Lip (USA), won 10 races at 2 to 8 years in U.S.A., placed third in Kings Point Handicap, Aqueduct, R.

FRESH DEB (USA), won 2 races at 4 years in U.S.A.; dam of winners.

DEBONAIR ROGER (USA), 4 races at 2 and 3 years in U.S.A. including El Dorado Handicap, Hollywood Park, Gr.3; sire.

LESLIE'S DEB (USA), 3 races at 3 years in U.S.A. including Glenaris Stakes, Hollywood Park, L., placed fourth in Del Mar Oaks, Del Mar, Gr.2.

TROUBLES TROUBLE (USA), won 1 race at 3 years in U.S.A., placed once; dam of winners.

Trubulare (USA), 5 races at 2 to 4 years in U.S.A., placed second in Appleton Handicap, Gulfstream Park, Gr.3, Jaipur Stakes, Belmont Park, Gr.3 and Envoy Stakes, Belmont Park, L. and fourth in Hollywood Derby, Hollywood Park, Gr.1.

Regal Dynasty (USA), 5 races at 4 to 6 years in U.S.A., placed third in Red Smith Handicap, Aqueduct, Gr.2.

Money Player (USA), placed once at 3 years in U.S.A.; dam of FOLLOW THE MONEY (USA), 6 races at 3 and 4 years in U.S.A. including Dahlia Handicap, Hollywood Park, Gr.2, WEALTHY (USA), 3 races at 2 and 3 years in U.S.A. including Opening Bid Stakes, Santa Anita, L., placed third in Oak Leaf Stakes, Santa Anita, Gr.1, HEARTTHROB (USA), 3 races at 3 years in U.S.A. including Carmel Handicap, Bay Meadows, L.

Shining Smile (USA), unraced; dam of winners.

Good News Today (USA), 2 races at 3 years in U.S.A., placed third in Minnesota Breeders' Derby, Canterbury Down; dam of FAX NEWS (USA), 9 races at 2 to 10 years in U.S.A. including Double Discount Stakes, Santa Anita, L., placed second in Cinema Handicap, Hollywood Park, Gr.2.

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## **KATHY'S ROCKET (USA)**

*Kathy's Rocket* was one of the top Texan-bred fillies of her generation. Successful by more than six lengths in the \$125,000 Texas Stallion Two-Year-Old Fillies Stakes over six furlongs on only her third start, she trained on to finish runner-up in the \$125,000 Two Altzano Stakes over a mile the following February.

*Kathy's Rocket* is by Gold Legend. A son of Seattle Slew and Mr Prospector's U.S. Champion Sprinter Gold Beauty, Gold Legend is a half-brother to the European Champion Sprinter Dayjur and the Gr.1 Alabama Stakes and Gr.1 Monmouth Oaks heroine Maplejinsky, the latter of whom produced the U.S. Champion Female Sky Beauty. By the prolific sprinter Irish Open, *Kathy's Rocket's* Stakes-winning dam Franks Rocket Girl is closely related to the Gr.3 Astoria Stakes victrix Unacceptable. Indeed, *Kathy's Rocket* is a three parts-sister to Seattle Slew's Gr.3 First Lady Handicap scorer Another and is bred on similar lines to the Gr.1 Ballerina Handicap heroine Roamin Rachel, who produced the Japanese Horse Of The Year Zenno Rob Roy to Gold Beauty's grandam's close relative Sunday Silence.

*Kathy's Rocket's* third generation combines two similarly-bred mares in Seattle Slew's Stakes-winning dam My Charmer and Irish Open's dam No Opening. My Charmer features a 3x3 coupling of the Schuylerville Stakes ace Striking and her full-sister, the U.S. Horse Of The Year Busher. A granddaughter of Striking, No Opening is by Buckpasser, whose dam, the Suburban Handicap victrix Busanda is, like Striking and Busher, by War Admiral out of a daughter of the legendary matriarch La Troienne. Gold Legend's two Graded winners have similar pedigree strengths. The third dam of his Gr.1 Apple Blossom Handicap and Gr.1 Go For Wand Handicap heroine Heritage Of Gold, Special Account is by Buckpasser out of Intriguing, whose dam, Striking's Test Stakes-winning daughter Glamour, produced My Charmer's sire Poker. Glamour is the sixth dam of Gold Legend's Grade 3 victrix Mona Rose, whose dam is by Seattle Slew's half-brother Lomond.

Mr Prospector's Irish Champion Juvenile **WOODMAN (USA) (A)** is out of a full-sister to Special Account and would yield sex-balanced duplications of Mr Prospector, Buckpasser, Glamour and Striking within a resulting foal's first six generations. Woodman has sired the Japanese Champion Sprinter Hishi Akebono and the Gr.3 Churchill Downs Derby Trial victor Patience Game from daughters of Seattle Slew. In Europe, Woodman is the sire of **HAWK WING (USA) (A)** and the damsire of **BYRON (GBR) (B1)**, while Danehill's Australian Champion Sprinter **EXCEED AND EXCEL (AUS) (B1)** is out of a daughter of Lomond and features Buckpasser in his fourth remove.



