

Bay Colt

Bay Colt February 19, 2010	{	Valid Expectations . . .	{	Valid Appeal	{	In Reality
				Mepache	{	Desert Trial
						Iron Constitution
						Nowmepache
		Lark's Impression (1998)	{	Above Normal	{	Great Above
						Determined Irene
				All A Lark (IRE)	{	General Assembly
						Sparkalark

By VALID EXPECTATIONS (1993), [G3] \$596,092. Sire of 11 crops, 37 black type winners, 364 winners, \$28,131,980, including Saratoga County (6 wins, \$1,676,590, Golden Shaheen [G1], General George H. [G2], etc.), The Daddy (\$517,700, Super Derby [G2]), Expect an Angel [G3] (\$236,799), Leaving On My Mind (\$411,217), Lou's Expectation (\$308,914).

1st dam

Lark's Impression, by Above Normal. 9 wins at 3 and 4, \$141,133, 3rd Vivace S. Dam of 3 foals of racing age, 3 to race, including--
Show Chrome (f. by Open Forum). Winner at 3, 2011, \$4,340.

2nd dam

ALL A LARK (IRE), by General Assembly. 3 wins at 2 and 3 in Ireland. Dam of 9 winners, including--

BLACK TIE M. D. (f. by Black Tie Affair-IRE). 3 wins at 3, \$69,555, Fred || Hutchinson Cancer Research H. (EMD, \$19,250)-etr. Producer.

Pier Damiani (c. by Shareef Dancer). Winner at 3 in England, 3rd Parfetta's Anniversary July Trophy; 3 wins at 5 and 8 in Italy, 2nd Derby Italiano [G1], Premio Roma Vecchia [G3]. Sire.

Lark's Impression (f. by Above Normal). Black type-placed wnr, above. Holy Lark. 6 wins, 2 to 4, \$117,090.

Dianes Song. Placed at 3, \$6,645. Dam of **Geardown** (g. by High Brite) 7 wins, \$212,670 in N.A./U.S.; **Aunt Tizzy** (f. by Cee's Tizzy).

3rd dam

SPARKALARK, by Cornish Prince. 2 wins at 3, \$83,782, Sorority S., 2nd Schuylerville S. Sister to **NOSE FOR MONEY** (Royal Palm H.-G3, etc., sire), **Lizard Point** (sire). Dam of 8 foals, 7 winners, including--

MUSICAL LARK (IRE). 3 wins at 2 and 4, \$219,230, Matron S. [G1], etc.

Dam of **Roman Chorus** (11 wins, \$316,426, 3rd Best Turn S. [G3]), **Western Sharp** (dam of **WESTERN VENUS**, to 7, 2010, Total: \$2,040,479). Granddam of **WESTERN DANCER [G3]** (Total: \$1,119,858).

SPARK OF LIFE. 6 wins, \$196,340, Ladies H.-G1, Chrysanthemum H.-G3, etc. Dam of **FIRE OF LIFE [G2]** (sire), **Spark of Love**. Granddam of **SPARK OF DUBAI** (to 6, 2010), **ETENIA**, **Carrielle [G1]**.

HARTEBEEST. 3 wins in France, Prix de la Grotte-G3, etc. Dam of **SHY BRIDE** (dam of **Shy Minstrel [G3]**; granddam of **GREEN MINSTREL-FR [G3]**; **WILD ENCOUNTER**, \$152,040; **Elusive [G3]**, \$181,181; **Cinderella Story**, **Gentle Fun**), **IMPERIAL FRONTIER** (sire).

Never Better (IRE). 4 wins at 3, \$54,353, 4th American Derby [G1].

Arts and Sparks. Winner in Ireland, 3rd Nijinsky S.-G2; winner in England. Spark Of Fire (IRE). Dam of **FLASH OF STEEL [G1]**. Granddam of **FAHRIS (IRE) [G3]** (Total: \$477,814), **Taiki Flash** (Total: \$1,213,045).

Nominated to Texas Stallion Stakes Series.

Breeders' Cup nominated.

Accredited Louisiana-bred.