

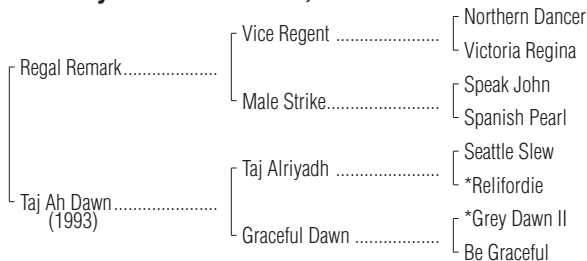
Hip No.

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**AGAINST THE SKY**

Dark Bay or Brown Mare; foaled 2002

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**By REGAL REMARK** (1982). Black-type winner of \$279,879, Budweiser-Tampa Bay Derby **[G3]**, etc. Sire of 18 crops of racing age, 470 foals, 398 starters, 31 black-type winners, 318 winners of 1410 races and earning \$14,584,530. Sire of dams of 18 black-type winners, including Trick of the North, Ookashada, Commodore Craig, No Ka Oi, Wind Storm, Regal Red, Remarkable Miss, Excited Miss, Lady's Jewel, Sunnyside Gal, Regal Tigereyes, Andallthatitmeans, I Want to Dust Her, Too Much Dirt, Shanali.

**1st dam**

TAJ AH DAWN, by Taj Alriyadh. 9 wins, 3 to 5, \$61,766. Dam of 8 registered foals, 8 of racing age, 6 to race, 4 winners, including--

**AGAINST THE SKY** (f. by Regal Remark). Black-type winner, see record.

**2nd dam**

GRACEFUL DAWN, by \*Grey Dawn II. Dam of 2 other winners, including-- Miss Nice Choice. 14 wins, \$129,618. Etr at Emerald Downs. Dam of--

**Carrie's Choice** (f. by Tribunal). 8 wins, 3 to 6, \$76,115, 3rd John and Kitty Fletcher S.-R (EMD, \$5,625).

**3rd dam**

BE GRACEFUL, by Gray Phantom. Unraced. Dam of 5 winners, including--

**GRACEFUL LADY**. 3 wins at 2 and 3, \$51,925, Vallejo S., 3rd California Oaks. Really Graceful. Unplaced in 1 start. Producer. Granddam of **Deacon Lake** (5 wins, \$170,587, 3rd Polly's Jet S. (DEL, \$6,490)).

**4th dam**

**BE FAITHFUL**, by Bimelech. 14 wins, 2 to 5, \$189,040, Hawthorne Gold Cup H., etc. Sister to **BIMLETTE** (\$28,065), half-sister to **ANCESTOR** (\$237,956, champion steeplechaser), **BRIC A BAC** (\$102,225, sire). Dam of--

**LALUN**. 5 wins at 2 and 3, \$112,000, Beldame H., Kentucky Oaks, Pageant S., 2nd Coaching Club American Oaks, 3rd Matron S. Dam of **NEVER BEND** (\$641,524, champion 2-year-old colt), **BOLD REASON** (\$304,082).

Be Ambitious. 3 wins. Dam of **ARTISTS PROOF** (dam of **DACTYLOGRAPHER**, sire; etc.), **NANTICIOUS** (dam of **GROUP PLAN**, \$446,236; etc.).

RACE RECORD: In N.A./U.S. At 2, unraced. In Canada. At 3, two wins in 4 starts; at 4, unplaced; at 5, three wins, 3 times 2nd; at 6, six wins (Ballerina S. **[G3]** (HST, \$78,600), Delta Colleen H. (HST, \$33,471)), once 2nd in 7 starts; at 7, one win (British Columbia Cup Distaff H.-R (HST, \$32,783)), twice 3rd (Strawberry Morn H. (HST, \$6,742)); at 8, unplaced. Totals: 12 wins, 4 times 2nd, twice 3rd. Earned \$282,011. (Total: \$255,607).

PRODUCE RECORD:

2012 Fireinthesky, c. by Latent Heat. Unraced.

2013 c. by Grand Slam; 2014 aborted single foal.

Mated to Shackleford (Forestry--Oatsee), last service February 11, 2014. (Believed to be **PREGNANT**).