

Consigned by Michael Brice, Agent

Hip No.
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Storm the Gate

Storm the Gate . . . Chestnut gelding; foaled 1997	}	Prospector's Gamble . . .	Crafty Prospector . . .	Mr. Prospector
			Fanny C.	Real Crafty Lady
				Sunny South
				Garden Fresh
	}	Spruce Song	Verbatim	Speak John
			Oratorio	Well Kept
				Fleet Nasrullah
				Classicist

By PROSPECTORS GAMBLE (1985), [G2] \$621,559. Sire of 10 crops, 13 black type winners, 263 winners, \$18,430,564 in NA/US, \$32,868 in Can, including Grady (to 8, 2003, \$731,546), Miners Gamble (to 7, 2003, \$417,965), Bevo [G1] (\$410,328), Marablue Beauty (\$261,964, chp), Elvi Gamble (\$382,078), Proper Gamble [G2], Golden Returns.

1st dam

SPRUCE SONG, by Verbatim. 5 wins at 3, \$127,600, Providencia S.-L, 2nd California Oaks-L. Dam of 8 named foals of racing age, including a 2-year-old of 2003, six to race, 4 winners--

Storm the Gate (g. by Prospectors Gamble). Black type-placed winner, || see below.

Spruce Navy (g. by Polish Navy). 9 wins, 3 to 6, \$162,065.

Pelan Song (f. by Copelan). 21 wins, 3 to 7, \$138,697.

Lickety Splitter (f. by Galaxy Libra-IRE). 6 wins, 3 to 5, \$110,315.

Princess Clef (f. by His Majesty). Dam of 4 winners, including King Clef (9 wins, \$364,973), Angel Song (\$129,700), Clef Note (to 6, 2003).

2nd dam

ORATORIO, by Fleet Nasrullah. Winner at 3, \$12,500. Half-sister to **PROPONENT** (\$147,427, Saul Silberman H.-**G3**, etc., sire), **Rajab, Summer Festival**. Dam of 3 winners, including--

SPRUCE SONG (f. by Verbatim). Black type winner, see above.

VISTO (f. by Transworld). 2 wins, \$61,375, Bay Meadows Oaks. Producer. Right Word. Placed at 3, \$3,335. Dam of 10 winners, including--

WORDS OF WAR (f. by Lord At War-ARG). 9 wins, 2 to 6, \$683,832, River Downs Budweiser Breeders' Cup H. [L] (RD, \$94,860), Rachel Jackson S. [L] (DUE, \$90,000), Mint Julep S. [L] (CD, \$55,673)-ntr, Durazna S. (HAW, \$25,125), Double Delta S. (AP, \$24,780), 2nd Hawthorne Derby [**G3**], Keeneland Breeders' Cup H. [**G3**], etc. Dam of

E DUBAI (c. by Mr. Prospector) 4 wins, \$800,800 in N.A., Suburban H. [**G2**], Dwyer S. [**G2**], etc., winner in 1 start in U.A.E.;

NOMATTER WHAT (f. by Nureyev) \$153,840 in N.A., Del Mar Oaks [**G1**].

ASCUTNEY (f. by Lord At War-ARG). 2 wins, \$188,184, Miesque S. [**G3**], etc. Dam of **GIGAWATT** (c. by Wild Again) 2 wins, \$179,215 in NA/US; winner in 1 start at 3, 2003, \$44,640 (CAN) in Canada.

WORD O' RANSOM (f. by Red Ransom). 6 wins at 3, \$115,550, Stefanita S. (LRL, \$22,575), etc. Dam of **King Carlos** at 2, 2003.

Queen Ora. Unraced. Dam of **Duke Ora** (g. by Lord Avie) to 9, 2003, \$127,721, 3rd Keith Brodtkin Memorial S.; **Zapping** (f. by Zignew).

Race Record: At 2, one win, twice 2nd (Sleepy Hollow S.-R, BEL, \$20,000), times 3rd; at 3, one win, 3 times 2nd (Albany H.-R, SAR, \$35,340); at 4, twice 2nd, once 3rd; at 5, unplaced; at 6, 2003, once 2nd, 3 times 3rd. Totals: 2 wins, 8 times 2nd, 7 times 3rd, \$217,037.

Breeders' Cup nominated.

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