

June Bug Jones

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				Deed I Do	{	Starry Dreamer	
	{	Lady June Bug (2009)			Elusive Quality	{	Alydeed
					Palace Rumor	{	Shepherd's Moon
					{	Gone West	
					{	Touch of Greatness	
					{	Royal Anthem	
					{	Whisperifyou dare	

By WAR DANCER (2010), \$1,068,925, Virginia Derby [G2], Louisville H. [G3], President's Cup S., 2nd Man o' War S. [G1], etc. His first foals are 3-year-olds of 2021. Sire of 25 winners, \$2,202,937, including Step Dancer (to 3, 2021, \$249,800, Awad S., NY Stallion Series S., etc.), black type-placed Shesadirtydancer (at 3, 2021), Surprise Boss (at 2, 2021), etc.

1st dam

LADY JUNE BUG, by Elusive Quality. 3 wins at 3, \$49,248. Dam of 5 other foals of racing age, including a 3-year-old of 2021, four to race, including-- Panama Papers (g. by English Channel). 4 wins, 4 to 6, \$173,032. Pioneer Woman (f. by Pioneer of the Nile). Winner at 3, \$9,490.

2nd dam

PALACE RUMOR, by Royal Anthem. 5 wins, 2 to 4, \$111,833, Audubon Oaks (ELP, \$30,000). Dam of 10 foals of racing age, 8 winners, including--

PALACE MALICE (c. by Curlin). 7 wins, 2 to 4, \$2,691,135, Belmont S. [G1] (BEL, \$600,000), Metropolitan H. [G1] (BEL, \$670,000), Jim Dandy S. [G2] (SAR, \$360,000), New Orleans H. [G2] (FG, \$240,000), Gulfstream Park H. [G2] (GP, \$150,000), Westchester S. [G3] (BEL, \$90,000), 2nd Jockey Club Gold Cup Invitational S. [G1] (BEL, \$200,000), Toyota Blue Grass S. [G1] (KEE, \$150,000), 3rd Risen Star S. [G2] (FG, \$40,000), Diablo S. (BEL, \$10,000). Sire.

Cast in Silver (f. by City Zip). 3 wins at 3 and 4, \$109,650, 2nd Swingtime II S.-R (SA, \$14,660).

Iron Barows. 4 wins at 3 and 4, 2021, 70,163,000 yen. Total: \$651,704.

3rd dam

WHISPERIFYOUDARE, by Red Ransom. 2 wins at 3, \$39,485. Dam of 13 foals, 12 to race, 11 winners, including--

MAYA'S STORM. 5 wins, \$309,388, Golden Circle S. (PRM, \$40,500), etc.

WHISPER TO CURLIN. 4 wins, \$164,638, Iowa Breeders' Derby-R.

JUMPIFYOUDARE. 3 wins in 5 starts at 2, \$121,340, Prairie Meadows II Freshman S. (PRM, \$45,000), Iowa Cradle S.-R (PRM, \$45,760), etc.

PALACE RUMOR. Black type winner, see above.

4th dam

STELLAR AFFAIR, by Skywalker. 5 wins, 2 to 4, \$151,228, Matching S. [L] (DMR, \$36,745). Dam of 7 foals, 6 winners, including--

Broken Silence. 2 wins, \$123,430, 3rd Palomares S. Dam of **STRONGER THAN EVER** (3 wins, \$196,846, Silverbulletday S. [L], etc.).

Sweet Trip. Winner at 2, \$47,085. Dam of 3 winners, including--

RAIL TRIP. 9 wins, 3 to 7, \$1,516,520, Hollywood Gold Cup H. [G1]-nter, San Diego H. [G2], Mervyn LeRoy H. [G2], Californian S. [G2], Santana Mile H. [L], 2nd Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile [G1], Hollywood Gold Cup H. [G1], Californian S. [G2], Mervyn LeRoy H. [G2], etc.

Shylock's Daughter. Winner. Dam of **CELTIC STRIKER** (\$134,650).

Race Record: At 2, 2021, unraced through November 12.

Breeders' Cup nominated.

Registered New York-bred.