

Jet Dark

Trippi – Night Jet by Jet Master

Male line influences

An extract of the pedigrees of Trippi's best runners, both in SA and USA, shows a relatively small selection of male line descendants. The Northern Dancer line and Nasrullah line stand out in numbers.

There are very few repeats of individual sires of dams in the first five generations.

One exception is Complete Warrior, who appears four times. A dissection of his pedigree gives more apparently relevant links.

Complete Warrior is by Dewan out of Splendid Spree, by Damascus out of Busanda, the latter also dam of Buckpasser. The bottom female line traces to La Troienne.

Dewan is by Bold Ruler (Nasrullah) out of Sunshine Nell, a daughter of US Champion 2yo Filly Nellie Flag who also is bottom-female line ancestor of Trippi.

Sunshine Nell's sire Sun Again and dam Nellie Flag are from the same female line, doubling their common bottom-line ancestor The Apple.

In addition, Trippi's fifth dam Amoret doubles that same female line, through her sire Bull Lea, and with Nellie Flag her grandam.

In terms of kin-breeding, Complete Warrior is 91% kin to Trippi's third dam Only The Loyal (by Never Bend, son of Nasrullah).

Complete Warrior's damsire Damascus is from the Sun Again male line (Sun Again mentioned earlier as sire of Sunshine Nell).

Damascus' dam Kerala (by My Babu) is 92% kin to Trippi's third dam Only The Loyal, and 94% kin to Never Bend (sire of Only The Loyal).

Damascus leads to Damascus Gate, who also appears in the list of Trippi's best progeny. Damascus Gate is 94% kin to Complete Warrior. Damascus is second damsire of Rich Man's Gold, by Trippi's sire Forty Niner.

Investigation reveals that the **two highest rated progeny of Complete Warrior mares are by Trippi**, and that the **highest rated runner of Damascus Gate mares is by Trippi**.

Two other stallions whose daughters are stand-out producers with Trippi are Dynasty and Kahal.

The **highest rated one from Dynasty mares is by Trippi**, who remarkably has 3 in the top four, and five in the top seven. The likely kin-link here may be Dynasty's second damsire Joy, 3-part brother to My Babu.

The **highest rated one from Kahal mares is by Trippi**, who has 3 in Kahal mares' top ten rated offspring. There could be disruption here

as the highest rated is Chimichuri Run, whose second dam Little Legend is by Complete Warrior. More disruption still, as Little Legend is 94% kin to Fairy Fortune, both by Complete Warrior from the Majorca female line. Fairy Fortune is the 4th dam of Trippi's highly rated Sir Duke, whose dam Jenna is by Captain Al – his damsire is Complete Warrior, while his sire Al Mufti brings Buckpasser (as sire of Lassie Dear).

Al Mufti also is sire of Victory Moon – the **highest rated progeny of the latter's daughters is by Trippi**. There's more, as Victory Moon's dam Dancing Flower is grandam of Trippi's Gr1 winning daughter Real Princess (her dam by Fort Wood).

Kahal's third dam is the mare Sleat, also the third dam of Trippi's US G1 placed G2 winner Trippi's Storm. Sleat is 90% kin to Nalatala, grandam of Horse Chestnut (by Fort Wood), which seems relevant as the 2nd highest rated offspring of Horse Chestnut mares is by Trippi.

As aside, the **highest rated progeny of Dynasty's stallion-son Legislate is Hoedspruit, out of a Trippi mare**, the second dam by Sadler's Wells and from the La Troienne female line. This leads again to Trippi's 3rd dam Only The Loyal, who is 90% kin to Fairy Bridge (dam of Sadler's Wells), 92% kin to Sweetest Chant (2nd dam of Distorted Humor, who is by Trippi's sire Forty Niner and has a strong La Troienne affinity)

Another sire-line to note is Nijinsky, whose damsire Bull Page is by Bull Lea, noted earlier as being from the same female line as Trippi. In Trippi's best progeny Nijinsky appears as sire of Dancing Champ (in Gold Standard, Real Princess, Bwana, Trip To Africa), Mr Justice (Hammie's Hooker, by Damascus Gate), Piaffer (Bwana).

A look at a selection of Trippi's best US performers.

Trippi's Storm has as 3rd dam Sleat, also 3rd dam of Kahal and providing a link to Horse Chestnut's female line.

Jealous Again has Right Combination as sire of the 3rd dam. Right Combination's dam is Oak Cluster, who is 2nd dam of Complete Warrior, and is half sister to Buckpasser.

Travelin Man has Lassie Dear (by Buckpasser) as his 3rd dam. The 2nd dam is Lassie's Lady, by Alydar whose dam Sweet Tooth has a double Bull Lea 3x3.

Miss Macy Sue has Damascus as sire of her 2nd dam.

R Heat Lightning is out of a mare by Trippi's sire Forty Niner, giving a 3x3 double.

Female Line influences

Jet Dark's dam Night Jet is a lightly raced winning daughter of Jet Master.

The highest rated progeny of Jet Master mares makes for a diverse list, with only Trippi and Silvano having more than one high up. Jet Master's damsire Rollins is by Damascus and has Bull Lea as 3rd damsire. Jet Master's third dam Let's Laugh is by Joy (3-part to My Babu) and is 91% kin to Missy Baba (2nd dam of Lassie Dear, by My Babu) and 90% kin to the 2nd dam of Dynasty, Joy Petite by Joy.

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AR	horse	1st dam by	1st dam MaleLine	2nd dam by	2nd dam MaleLine	3rd dam by	3rd dam MaleLine	4th dam by	4th dam MaleLine
123	Trip To Heaven	Cee's Tizzy	In Reality	Slewoy	Sslew/BR/Nasr	Summer Time Guy	Fleet Nas/Nasr	To Market	Black Tony
117	Charles Dickens	Dynasty	Fwd/SW/Is/ND	Deputy Commander	DepMin/ND	Northern Flagship	ND x RaN	His Majesty	Ribot
119	Jet Dark	Jet Master	Rakeen/ND	Machiavellian	MRP x Natalma	Nureyev	ND	Alydar	RaN
117	Chimichuri Run	Kahal	Machia/GreenDes	Complete Warrior	Dewan/BR/Nasr	Welsh Harmony	Tmin/Hyp	Oligarchy	Alibhai/Hyp
117	Deo Juvente	Complete Warrior	Dewan/BR/Nasr	Northfields	ND	Snow Bluff	Prince Rose	Tatan	Fairway
111	Afrikaburn	Peintre Celebre	Nureyev/ND	Green Desert	Danzig/ND	Habitat	Sir Gaylord/TurnTo	Primera	MyBabu/Tourbil
109	Inara	Shirley Heights	MillR/Nbend/Nasr	Seattle Slew	BR/Nasr	Northern Dancer	Nearco	Sea-Bird	Native Dancer
109	Real Princess	Fort Wood	SW/Is/ND	Dancing Champ	Nijjin/ND	Royal Prerogative	Teddy	Drum Beat	Fair T/Fairway
119	Trip Tease	Complete Warrior	Dewan/BR/Nasr	Rampaging Native	RaN	Dapper	Forli/Hyp	Molvedo	Ribot
115	Gold Standard	Model Man	Lyphard/ND	Dancing Champ	Nijjin/ND	New South Wales	Abernant/Hyp	The Phoenix	Cyllene
113	Hammie's Hooker	Damascus Gate	Damascus/Natalma	Mr Justice	Nijjin/ND	Kashmir	TMin/Hyp	Primera	MyBabu/Tourbil
115	Desert Sheik	Saint Sever	Lyphard/ND	Ringaro	GreySov/Nasr	Good Manners	Nashua/Nasr	Churrinche	Congreve/Rocks
113	Paterfamilias	Badger Land	Ribot	Where to Dance	ND	Golden Thatch	Forli/Hyp	Joy	Djebel/Tourbil
108	Trip to Africa	Horse Chestnut	Fwd/SW/Is/ND	Western Winter	Gone West/MRP	Dancing Champ	Nijjin/ND	Royal Prerogative	Teddy
109	Bwana	Victory Moon	AlMufti/Lassie D	National Emblem	NatAss/Danzig/ND	Piaffer	Nijjin/ND	Magic Mirror	Tminstrel/Hyp
112	Sir Duke	Captain Al	AlMufti/Lassie D	Shoe Danzig	Danzig/ND	Roland Gardens	DerringDo/Nearco	Complete Warrior	Dewan/BR/Nasr
109	Illuminator	Al Mufti	HtR	Mullineaux	HtR	Joy	Tourbillon	Marcus	Tourbillon
114	Trip Of Fortune	Doowaley	SW/Is/ND	Saumarez	RQuest/Nasr	Rainbow Dream	NBend/Nasr	Quo Banco	Gold Bridge
	R Heat Lightning	Gold Fever	FortyNiner/MRP	Capote	Sslew/BR/Nasr	Cure The Blues	HtR/TurnTo	Native Dancer	Polynesian
	Trippi's Storm	Storm Bird	ND	Kris	ShUp/NativeD	Santa Claus	Precipit/HurryOn	Acropolis	Donatello
	Jealous Again	Bold Ruckus	Boldn/BR/Nasr	Simister Purpose	Nashua/Nasr	Right Combination	Pquil x Oak Cluster	Viceregal	ND
	Travelin Man	Gone West	MRP/RaN	Danzig	ND	Alydar	RaN	Buckpasser	Tfool/Polymelus
	Miss Macy Sue	Great Above	R&T/Intentionally	Damascus	Teddy	Secretariat	BR/Nasr	Intentionally	WarR/ManO'War
	TRIPPI	Valid Appeal	In R/Intentionally	Cougar	Tehran/BoisRous	Never Bend	Nasr x Lalun	Tminstrel	Hyperion

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Jet Dark's 2nd dam Pleine Nuit (by Machiavellian) won twice in France. She also bred Gr1 placed stakes winner Night Trip (by Trippi) and Gr3 placed stakes winner Brown Penny (by Fort Wood). Machiavellian is 95% kin to Trippi's sire Forty Niner, the pair 3x3 in Jet Dark.

The top-rated dozen local produce of Machiavellian mares include four out of the mare Awaited (3 by Fort Wood, one by Dynasty) and three out of Pleine Nuit (2 by Trippi, including the top rated Night Trip, and one by Fort Wood).

Jet Dark's 3rd dam Pine Chip is full sister to Champion European 3yo and Gr1-producing sire Peintre Celebre, by Nureyev.

The best son of Peintre Celebre was Byword, who is 92% kin to Pleine Nuit and 90% kin to Night Jet.

Byword's pedigree shows a treble of Bull Lea (from Alydar & Nijinsky) and Buckpasser (from Woodman). His third dam is a full sister to stallion Peacetime (by Nijinsky), their dam Peace 93% kin to Horse Chestnut's 2nd dam Nalatale, both from the same female line.

The top half-dozen of Byword's best progeny have two by Horse Chestnut, including top-earner Camphoratus (and, for the record, one by Trippi).

Peintre Celebre's Gr2 winner Celtic Celeb is out of a mare by Gay Mecene, whose 2nd dam is Missy Baba.

In South Africa, Peintre Celebre's daughter Aquatint produced Gr1 winner Afrikaburn, by Trippi.

Jet Dark's third dam Pine Chip is 90% kin to Visions Of Clarity, who is by Sadler's Wells out of a Riverman mare, so having a double of Lalun's sons Bold Reason and Never Bend. Visions Of Clarity is dam of Pathfork, by Trippi's paternal half brother Distorted Humor.

Jet Dark's 4th dam Peinture Bleue earned black type in France & USA. She's a daughter of Alydar, who with his double of Bull Lea adds to the ones from Trippi and Jet Master, further cementing those female line elements in Jet Dark.

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CRYSTAL BALL GAZING

A stallion's best progeny often splits into two: continuing the affinities of either of the parents, going their separate ways.

Here's a summary of what could be suitable lines.

Family 9 descendants, tracing (remotely) to close kin-relatives The Apple (Trippi's bottom female line) and Avoca (Jet Dark's bottom female line).

One of The Apple's daughters Thankful Blossom leads to Bull Lea, in this context especially through Alydar, Nijinsky and Roberto. Alydar notably in Byword, Oratorio (treble Bull Lea), Duke of Marmalade. Nijinsky in Dancing Champ, Peacetime, and linking to his close kin-relative Storm Bird. Roberto in Al Mufti (with Lassie Dear) and Roberto's full sister as dam of Rollins (in Jet Master).

Another of The Apple's daughters One I Love leads to the mare Escutcheon (Coastal) and especially Sun Again, male line of Damascus. There's Storm Bird, whose dam is from Bull Lea male line, with second dam by Sun Again. Storm Bird lines are widespread (notably Storm Cat, Tiger Ridge, Var (double Sun Again), Mogok, Black Minnaloushe). Storm Bird is damsire of Trippi's Storm.

The female line of The Apple extends to champion 2yo filly Nellie Flag, who mated to Sun Again got Sunshine Nell, dam of Dewan. This also is female line of Trippi, whose third dam is close kin to Sweetest Chant (Distorted Humor) and Fairy Bridge (dam of Sadler's Wells).

Dewan sired Complete Warrior, dam by Damascus out of a half sister to Buckpasser (out of Busanda, the La Troienne female line). Complete Warrior is in Captain Al (with Al Mufti), Counter Action, and in local female lines.

Damascus sired Damascus Gate and Rollins (damsire of Jet Master). Damascus' dam Kerala is close kin to Never Bend (Riverman (Rainbow Dream – adds Bull Lea), Rainbow Quest). Kerala is by My Babu, leading to Lassie Dear, and Joy (Dynasty, Jet Master). Damascus is second damsire of Rich Man's Gold, who is by Trippi's sire Forty Niner.

Sleat, third dam of Trippi's G2 winner Trippi's Storm (by Storm Bird), is also third dam of Kahal.

Sleat is 90% kin to Nalatale, grandam of Horse Chestnut (by Dynasty's sire Fort Wood, son of Sadler's Wells). Byword's Gr1 winning daughter Camphoratus is out of a Horse Chestnut mare (with more interesting lines behind it) - she would make an interesting mate for Jet Dark.