



Northern Passion

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Breeder: Mel P. Lawson (ON)

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Variant = 11.57

Northern Passion Chestnut Filly Foaled Jan 28, 2009 in Ontario	First Samurai, 03 ch	Giant's Causeway, 97 ch	Storm Cat, 83 dk b/	Storm Bird, 78 b	Northern Dancer, 61 b
				Terlingua, 76 ch	South Ocean, 67 b
			Mariah's Storm, 91 b	Rahy, 85 ch	Secretariat, 70 ch
				Immense, 79 b	Crimson Saint, 69 ch
					Blushing Groom (FR), 74 ch
		Freddie Frisson, 93 b	Dixieland Band, 80 b	Northern Dancer, 61 b	Glorious Song, 76 b
				Mississippi Mud, 73 b	Roberto, 69 b
			Frisson, 88 b	Fappiano, 77 b	Imsodear, 67 b
				Mavera, 77 b	Nearctic, 54 br
					Natalma, 57 b
	A Touch of Glory, 03 dk b/	Golden Gear, 91 b	Gulch, 84 b	Mr. Prospector, 70 b	Delta Judge, 60 dk b/
				Jameela, 76 dk b/	Sand Buggy, 63 dk b/
			Fineza, 85 dk b/	Lypheor (GB), 75 dk b/	Mr. Prospector, 70 b
				Jedina, 76 dk b/	Gold Digger, 62 b
					Rambunctious, 60 b
		Gleaming Glory, 88 ro	Vigors, 73 ro	*Grey Dawn II, 62 gr	Asbury Mary, 69 b
				*Relifordie, 61 b	Lyphard, 69 b
			Von Der Sonne, 81 dk b/	Dust Commander, 67 ch	Klaizia (FR), 65 dk b/
				Student Leader, 73 dk b/	What a Pleasure, 65 ch
					Killaloe, 70 b

Note on terminology in this report: **Direct Cross** refers to the exact sire over exact broodmare sire; **Rated Cross** is the cross used to base the TrueNicks rating and may differ from the direct cross to maintain statistical significance; **AEI**: Average Earnings Index; **AWD**: Average Winning Distance (in furlongs). All currency figures converted to U.S. dollars at time of race or sale.

Dosage Profile: 3 2 11 0 0
 Dosage Index: 1.91
 Center of Distribution: +0.50

Inbreeding: Northern Dancer: 4S X 5S
 Mr. Prospector: 5S X 4D
 Killaloe: 5S X 5D

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Starters Considered in Rated Cross		Auction Results - All Foals on Direct Sire/Broodmare Sire Cross				Surface Performance for Rated Cross			
		Type	#Sold	Avg	Med	Type	Dirt	Turf	AW
Direct Sire/ Broodmare Sire Cross	1	Weanlings	-	-	-	Starters	12	25	11
Additional Starters on Rated Cross	26	Yearlings	2	\$85,000	\$85,000	Winners	2	13	3
Total Starters	27	2YOs	1	\$220,000	\$220,000	SW	-	4	1

Sire		Broodmare Sire	
Sire Name	First Samurai	Broodmare Sire Name	Golden Gear
Sire AEI	1.29	Broodmare Sire AEI	1.00
Progeny AWD	6.78 f	Progeny AWD as BM Sire	6.53 f
Chief Earner	Justin Phillip (\$296,362)	Chief Earner	Powerofvoodoo (\$241,790)

	All Foals Bred on Rated Cross			By Sire Line with Other Mares	Out of BM Sire Line with Other Sires
	All Foals	Colts	Fillies	All Foals	All Foals
Foals of Racing Age	45	19	26	3,105	3,907
Starters (% Foals of Racing Age)	27 (60%)	12 (63%)	15 (58%)	1,944 (63%)	2,685 (69%)
Winners (% Starters)	16 (59%)	6 (50%)	10 (67%)	1,175 (60%)	1,721 (64%)
SW (% Starters)	5 (19%)	1 (8%)	4 (27%)	149 (8%)	100 (4%)
Earnings	\$1,802,817	\$653,809	\$1,149,008	\$116,532,305	\$142,610,548
Avg Distance Raced	8.11 f	8.73 f	7.18 f	8.17 f	7.39 f
Avg Winning Distance	7.61 f	7.72 f	7.48 f	8.11 f	7.23 f

Top 15 Foals Bred on Rated Cross				
Name	Sex	Foaled	Sire/Broodmare Sire	Best Race
EXCITED	Filly	2008	Giant's Causeway/Thunder Gulch	G3SW
NORTHERN PASSION	Filly	2009	First Samurai/Golden Gear	G3SW
HANGINGBYATHREAD	Gelding	2004	Giant's Causeway/Thunder Gulch	SW
GRAND STYLE	Filly	2008	Giant's Causeway/Thunder Gulch	SW
DREAMTHEIMPOSSIBLE	Mare	2006	Giant's Causeway/Thunder Gulch	SW
Dance Across (AUS)	Mare	2003	Giant's Causeway/Thunder Gulch	SP
Greatwall Of China (AUS)	Gelding	2004	Giant's Causeway/Thunder Gulch	Wnr
Irish Torrent	Mare	2006	Giant's Causeway/Gulch	Wnr
Shamus (AUS)	Gelding	2006	Shamardal/Thunder Gulch	Wnr
Great Northern	Gelding	2004	Giant's Causeway/Gulch	Wnr
Elahi (AUS)	Mare	2004	Giant's Causeway/Thunder Gulch	Wnr
Goldfinger (IRE)	Gelding	2002	Giant's Causeway/Gulch	Wnr
Causin' Thunder	Mare	2005	Giant's Causeway/Thunder Gulch	Wnr
Alim (AUS)	Horse	2003	Giant's Causeway/Thunder Gulch	Wnr
Pallio (AUS)	Mare	2004	Giant's Causeway/Gulch	Wnr

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