

# TALE OF SILENCE

Entered Stud in 2023

dkb/br, 2014

See gray pages—Nearctic

## RACE AND (BLACK TYPE) RECORD

Age	Starts	1st	2nd	3rd	Earned
2	4	1	0	0	\$48,392
3	8	1	3(2)	0	\$189,880
4	3	1(1)	0	2(1)	\$138,000
5	7	0	2(2)	1	\$161,760
6	2	0	0	0	\$2,350
Totals	24	3(1)	5(4)	3(1)	\$540,382

**Won** At 2

A maiden special weight race at Bel (\$75,000, 6f in 1:11.68, dftg. Big Handsome, Win With Pride, etc.).

**Won** At 3

A race at Bel (\$77,000, 8f in 1:36.84, by 2 1/4, dftg. Jamminwithbrandon, Hemsworth, Mineralogy, Mr. Dougie Fresh).

**2nd Dwyer S** (G3, 8f, to Practical Joke, dftg. Battalion Runner, Giuseppe the Great, True Timber).

**City of Laurel S** (7f, to Prince of Hempt, dftg. Sonic Mule, No Dozing, Indian Lover, El Areeb, Two Charley's, Honor the Fleet).

**Won** At 4

**Westchester S** (G3, \$200,000, 8f in 1:36.14, dftg. Vulcan's Forge, Tommy Macho, Cloud Computing, Conquest Big E).

**3rd Fred W. Hooper S** (G3, 8f, to Tommy Macho, Conquest Big E, dftg. Giuseppe the Great, Frammento, First Growth, Beasley, Eight Town, Moves Like Ali).

**2nd** At 5

**Gulfstream Park Mile S** (G2, 8f, to Prince Lucky, dftg. Guy Caballero, Be Gone Daddy, Millionaire Runner, All Golden).

**Bold Ruler H** (G3, 7f, to Maximum Security, dftg. True Timber, Prince Lucky, Diamond King, Killybegs Captain).

## SIRE LINE

**TALE OF SILENCE** is by **TALE OF THE CAT**, black-type stakes winner of 5 races, \$360,900, King's Bishop S (G2), 2nd Whitney H (G1), 3rd Vosburgh S (G1) twice.

To November 2, 2025: Sired 22 crops, 2,547 foals, 2,090 mrs (82%), 1,541 wnr (61%), 314 2yo wnr (12%), 110 BTW (4%), 1.31 AEI, 1.50 Cl, 1,316 sale yrfgs, avg \$93,055, 1.78 TNA.

**TALE OF THE CAT** has sired **GIO PONTI** (champion turf male twice and champion older male), **SHE'S A TIGER** (champion 2yo filly, Del Mar Debutante S, G1A, Landaluce S, etc.), **STOPCHARGINGMARIA** (Longines Breeders' Cup Distaff, G1, Alabama S, G1, TVG Coaching Club American Oaks, G1, etc.), **LION HEART** (Haskell Invitational H, G1, Hollywood Futurity, G1, Jack Daniel's Hollywood Prevue S, G3, etc.), **TALE OF EKATI** (Wood Memorial S, G1, Hill 'n' Dale Cigar Mile H, G1, Futurity S, G2, etc.), **GATHERING** (WATC Railway S, G1 in Aust, Herald Sun Superstable Paris Lane S, 2nd Inglis Spring Champion S, G1 in Aust, etc.), **GLAMOUR PUSS** (Seppelt Salinger S, G1 in Aust, Urban Pacific Goodwood H, G1 in Aust, etc.), **MY TRUSTY CAT** (Humana Distaff H, G1, Honorable Miss H, G2, Chicago Breeders' Cup H, G3, etc.), **TELL A TALE** (First Sovereign Trust New Zealand Two Thousand Guineas, G1 in NZ, Golan Hawke's Bay Guineas, G2 in NZ, etc.), **CAT MOVES** (Priress S, G1, 3rd Test S, G1, My Juliet S), **A SHIN TOP** (New Zealand Trophy, G2 in Japan, Keio Hai Nisai S, G2 in Japan, etc.), **FAVORITE TALE** (Smile Sprint S, G2, Gallant Bob S, G3, Fabulous Strike H, etc.), **TRUSTING** (Bacardi Hill S, G2 in Aust, Tattersalls Club Chelmsford S, G2 in Aust, MTA Warwick S, G2 in Aust, etc.), **APPEALING TALE** (Kelso H, G2, Pat O'Brien S, G2, 2nd Triple Bend S, G1, etc.), **FORTY TALES** (Woody Stephens S, G2, Amsterdam S, G2, Derby Trial S, G3, etc.), **BLACKJACKCAT** (Del Mar Mile H, G2T, etc.), **REAL SAGA** (Jacobs Creek Sparkling Todman Slipper S, G2 in Aust, Arrowfield Stud Blue Diamond Prelude, G3 in Aust, etc.), **BE GENTLE** (Darley Alcibiades S, G2, Golden Rod S, G2, Debutante S, G3, etc.), **BENZINI** (Evergreen Turf Brisbane Cup, G2 in Aust, etc.), **SPELLBINDER** (San Antonio H, G2, Berkeley H, G3,

	Storm Cat, 1983 8s, BTW, \$570,610 1,414 f, 177 BTW, 2.94 AEI 6.64 AWD	Storm Bird, 1978 6s, BTW, \$169,181 682 f, 63 BTW, 2.26 AEI	Northern Dancer, by Nearctic
		Terlingua, 1976 17s, BTW, \$423,896 11 f, 9 r, 6 w, 2 BTW	South Ocean, by New Providence
	Yarn, 1987 6s, wnr, \$19,108 6 f, 5 r, 5 w, 3 BTW	Mr. Prospector, 1970 14s, BTW, \$112,171 1,178 f, 182 BTW, 3.91 AEI	Secretariat, by Bold Ruler
		Narrate, 1980 27s, BTW, \$188,856 11 f, 7 r, 7 w, 1 BTW	Crimson Saint, by Crimson Satan
	Silence Beauty, dkb/br, 1997 3s, pl 9 f, 5 r, 4 w, 2 BTW 7.30 AWD	Halo, 1969 31s, BTW, \$259,553 724 f, 62 BTW, 2.91 AEI	Raise a Native, by Native Dancer
		Sunday Silence, 1986 14s, BTW, \$4,968,554 1,510 f, 171 BTW, 2.55 AEI	Gold Digger, by Nashua
	Maplejinsky, 1985 9s, BTW, \$293,196 10 f, 7 r, 5 w, 1 BTW	Wishing Well, 1975 38s, BTW, \$381,625 6 f, 4 r, 4 w, 1 BTW	Honest Pleasure, by What a Pleasure
		Nijinsky II, 1967 13s, BTW, \$677,117 851 f, 156 BTW, 4.50 AEI	State, by Nijinsky II
		Gold Beauty, 1979 12s, BTW, \$251,901 6 f, 4 r, 3 w, 2 BTW	Hail to Reason, by Turn-to
			Cosmeh, by Cosmic Bomb
			Understanding, by Promised Land
			Mountain Flower, by Montparnasse II
			Northern Dancer, by Nearctic
			Flaming Page, by Bull Page
			Mr. Prospector, by Raise a Native
			Stick to Beauty, by Illustrious

Inbreeding: 4SX4D Northern Dancer; 3sX4d Mr. Prospector; 5sX3d Nijinsky II.

2nd Mervyn LeRoy H, G2, etc.), **FALKIRK** (Theo Marks H, G2 in Aust, Borrelli at Joe Richards Queensland Turf Club Cup, G2 in Aust, Gilgai S, G3 in Aust, etc.), **CAT BY THE TALE** (San Gorgonio H, G2T, etc.), **SCAREDEE CAT** (Ascot Vale S, G2 in Aust, Lobster Cave S, 2nd RSL Vain S, etc.), **TALE OF A CHAMPION** (Charles Whittingham Memorial H, G2T, etc.), **PLATINUM COUPLE** (champion older male in Ecu), **MALEVOLA** (champion 2yo filly in Pan), etc.

**TALE OF THE CAT's** other sons as stallions include

**LION HEART** (1,665 foals, 46 BTW, 1.19 AEI), **FALKIRK** (321 foals, 12 BTW, 1.07 AEI), **TALE OF EKATI** (468 foals, 15 BTW, 1.05 AEI), etc.

## Sales Analysis\*

	Wearlings	Yearlings	Cover Sire
	# sold—Avg	# sold—Avg	# sold—Avg
2025	—	10—\$7,350	—
2024	—	—	3—\$2,500
Lifetime	—	10—\$7,350	3—\$2,500

\*to November 2, 2025

## FAMILY

### 1st dam

SILENCE BEAUTY. Placed at 2. Dam of 9 foals, incl.—

**TALE OF EKATI** (by Tale of the Cat). 5 wins at 2 and 3, \$1,182,992, Wood Memorial S (G1), Hill 'n' Dale Cigar Mile H (G1), Futurity S (G2), Jerome H (G2), 2nd Sanford S (G2). Sire, 1.06 AEI.

**TALE OF SILENCE** (Subject stallion).

SILENT PERFECTION (Perfect Soul). Unraced. Producer. Dam of **Perfect Silent Cat** (\$177,648, 2nd Not Surprising S, 3rd Caesars S), **Perfection Cat** (\$110,237, 3rd Glorious Song S), **Stormy Perfection** (\$90,114, 2nd Natalma S, G1T, My Dear S).

### 2nd dam

**MAPLEJINSKY**. 5 wins at 3, \$293,196, Alabama S (G1), Monmouth Oaks (G1). Dam of 10 foals, incl.—

**SKY BEAUTY**. 15 wins, 2 to 5, \$1,336,000, champion older female, Coaching Club American Oaks (G1), Mother Goose S (G1), Acorn S (G1), Alabama S (G1), Ruffian H (G1), Go for Wand S (G1), Hempstead H (G1), Shuvee H (G1), Matron S (G1), Adirondack S (G2), Rare Perfume S (G2), Vagrancy H (G3) twice, 2nd Shuvee H (G1), Bonnie Miss S (G2), 3rd Spinaway S (G1), Hempstead H (G1).

Dam of **HURRICANE CAT** (\$73,640, Stan James Morris Hill S, G3 in Eng, 3rd Rock of Gibraltar E.B.F. Tetrarch S, G3 in Ire, Coolmore Stud Home of Champions Concorde S, G3 in Ire, sire). Granddam of **GROWL** (\$502,558, Betfred Mobile Wentworth S, 2nd QIPCO British Champions Sprint S, G1 in Eng, Dubai Duty Free Mill Reef S, G2 in Eng).

**CRIMSON MAPLE**. 2 wins at 4, \$37,660. Dam of **GOLDWOOD** (\$410,130, Sensible Lady Turf Dash S, Incredible Revenge S, Politely S, Safely Kept S, Unbridled Elaine S, etc.), **Spun and Won**

(\$376,940, to 7, 2025). Granddam of **TOY SOLTERO** (Copa de Plata Italo Traverso, G2 in Chile, Gran Premio Gonzalo Bofill De Caso, G2 in Chile, etc., to 5, 2025), **ANDO SOLTERA** (Mil Guineas Maria Luisa Solari F, G1 in Chile, etc.).

OUR COUNTRY PLACE. Unraced. Dam of **PLEASANT HOME** (\$1,378,070, Emirates Airline Breeders' Cup Distaff, G1, Bed o' Roses Breeders' Cup H, G3, 2nd Juddmonte Spinster S, G1, Ballerina S, G1),

**COUNTRY HIDEAWAY** (\$762,568, First Flight H, G2 twice, Bed o' Roses Breeders' Cup H, G3, Vagrancy H, G3, 2nd Ballerina H, G1 twice, Delta Air Lines Top Flight H, G2, Honorable Miss H, G3, 3rd Ruffian H, G1, Shuvee H, G2, Distaff Breeders' Cup H, G2).

Granddam of **BIRDIE BIRDIE** (\$2,891,471, Unicorn S, G3 in Japan, Hyogo Championship, 2nd March S, G3 in Japan, 3rd February S, G1 in Japan, Antares S, G3 in Japan, March S, G3 in Japan, Tokyo Daishoten, Shimotsuki S, Oasis S, Teio Sho, sire),

**POINT OF ENTRY** (\$2,494,490, Joe Hirsch Turf Classic Invitational S, G1T, Man o' War S, G1T, Sword Dancer Invitational S, G1T, Woodford Reserve Manhattan H, G1T, Gulfstream Park Turf H, G1T, Elkhorn S, G2T, 2nd Breeders' Cup Turf, G1T, sire),

**PINE ISLAND** (\$666,800, Alabama S, G1, Gazelle S, G1, 2nd Mother Goose S, G1, Coaching Club American Oaks, G1), **BOCA GRANDE** (\$515,570, Demoiselle S, G2, Comely S, G2, 2nd Darley Test S, G1, Indiana Oaks, G3, Vivano S, 3rd Mother Goose S, G1, Top Flight H, G2), **VACATION** (\$340,019, Hanshin Cup H, G3A, 2nd Saranac S, G3T, Pass the Tab S, 3rd Dominion Day H, G3A, Seagram Cup S, G3A, sire), **BOKEELIA ISLAND** (\$268,510, Veterans S, 2nd Downs At Albuquerque H, etc.).

**MILLION GIFT**. Dam of **MILLION SELLER** (\$164,012, Rosenna S). Granddam of **ADMIRE DAYTONA** (\$672,047, UAE Derby Sponsored By Jumeirah, G2 in UAE, to 3, 2025), **WEYBURN** (\$561,608, Gotham S, G3, Sir Shackleton S Presented by New Holland, Sir Shackleton S, 2nd TVG.com Pegasus S, 3rd Westchester S, G3), **YORKTON** (\$546,332, Bold Venture S, G3A twice, King Corrie S, Charlie Barley S, Queenston S, 2nd Nearctic S, G2T, Vigil S, G3A, Sir Shackleton S, 3rd True North S, G2, etc., sire).

**3rd dam**

**GOLD BEAUTY**. 8 wins at 3 and 4, \$251,901, champion sprinter, Fall Highweight H (G2), Test S (G2), True North H (G3), etc. Dam of 6 foals, including—

**DAYJUR**. 7 wins at 2 and 3 in Eng and Fr, placed in NA, \$750,770, Horse of the Year, champion 3yo colt, and sprinter in Eng, champion 3yo colt in Eur and Fr, Ladbroke Sprint Cup (G1 in Eng), CIGA Prix de l'Abbaye de Longchamp (G1 in Fr), Keeneland Nunthorpe S (G1 in Eng), King's Stand S (G2 in Eng), Sears Temple S (G2 in Eng), 2nd Breeders' Cup Sprint (G1), etc. Sire, 1.13 AEI.

## STUD ANALYSIS

Tale of Silence entered stud in 2023. His first foals will be 2-year-olds of 2026.



# TALE OF SILENCE

Tale of the Cat – Silence Beauty (Jpn), by Sunday Silence

## THE FAMILY TALE CONTINUES...

- Determined winner of the **G3 Westchester S.** at Belmont Park, defeating G1 Preakness S. winner Cloud Computing, 4-time GSW Tommy Macho, and G2 winner Conquest Big E.
- At 2: **MdSpWt** winner going 6 furlongs at **Belmont Park** in his second start.
- At 3: Runner-up in the **G3 Dwyer S.** to Practical Joke; just nosed out of 3rd in the **G1 H. Allen Jerkens S.**; winner of a Belmont allowance race by 2 3/4 lengths.
- At 4: Runner-up in the **G3 Bold Ruler H.** to Maximum Security; runner-up in the **G2 Gulfstream Park Mile S.**
- An excellent, durable racehorse. Competed in 24 races—13 Graded stakes—at 7 different racetracks and ran 90+ Beyers 11 times in his career, including 9 in a row with a career-best **103 Beyer**.
- A full brother to dual G1 winner and fellow Darby Dan stallion **TALE OF EKATI**. Out of a **SUNDAY SILENCE** mare who is the half to Champion mare **SKY BEAUTY**.
- **First 2YO in 2026**

Nominated to:  
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**2026 FEE: \$2,500**

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