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**Will Stand at Park Paddocks, Highflyer Paddock M, Box 231**

<b>1183</b> (WITH VAT) PRIVATE BEN (IRE) (1998) A Bay Gelding	{ Ridgewood Ben (GB)  Timeless (GB) (1992)	{ Indian Ridge  Ben's Pearl  Royal Academy (USA)  Glory of Hera	{ Ahonoora Hillbrow  Tap On Wood Joshua's Daughter  Nijinsky (CAN) Crimson Saint (USA)  Formidable (USA) As Blessed

*PRIVATE BEN (IRE)*, won 2 races (7f. - 8f.) at 2 and 4 years, 2002 and £45,238 viz Kilbride E.B.F. Stakes, Fairyhouse and Betdaq 'The Betting Exchange' (Premier) Handicap, Curragh and placed 4 times including second in Madrid Handicap, Curragh.

**1st Dam**

*TIMELESS (GB)*, placed once at 3 years;

dam of **two winners** from 2 runners and 3 foals of racing age-

**Forever Midnight (IRE)** (1997 f. by Night Shift (USA)), won 1 race at 2 years and £13,102, placed 4 times including second in High Havens Empress Stakes, Newmarket, **L.**; also won 1 race at 3 years in U.S.A., £19,390.

*PRIVATE BEN (IRE)* (1998 g. by Ridgewood Ben (GB)), see above.

She also has a 2000 filly by Ridgewood Ben (GB).

**2nd Dam**

**GLORY OF HERA**, won 2 races at 2 years and £13,220 including St Hugh's Stakes, Newbury, **L.** and placed twice;

dam of **four winners** from 6 runners and 6 foals of racing age viz-

**GLORY OF DANCER (GB)** (c. by Shareef Dancer (USA)), Champion 2yr old colt in Italy in 1995, won 3 races and £295,257 at home and in Italy including Gran Criterium, Milan, **Gr.1** and Homeowners Dante Stakes, York, **Gr.2**, placed 9 times including second in Grand Prix de Paris, Longchamp, **Gr.1**, Thresher Classic Trial Stakes, Sandown Park, **Gr.3**, Premio Rumon, Rome, **L.** and third in Guinness Champion Stakes, Leopardstown, **Gr.1**; sire.

*SAVONAROLE (GB)*, placed once at 2 years; also won 1 race at 3 years in France.

*NEPTUNALIA (GB)*, won 1 race at 3 years and placed twice; dam of a winner.

*ROY HOBBS*, placed once at 2 years; also won 1 race and £3,406 over hurdles and placed 3 times.

**3rd Dam**

**As Blessed**, won 2 races at 2 years, placed 3 times including fourth in Queen Mary Stakes, Royal Ascot, **Gr.2**;

dam of **five winners** from 12 runners and 14 living foals of racing age including-

**GLORY OF HERA**, see above.

**So Directed**, won 1 race at 2 years, placed 4 times including second in Heinz 57 Phoenix Stakes, Phoenix Park, **Gr.1**, Goff's Silver Flash Fillies Stakes, Phoenix Park, **L.** and third Marble Hill Stakes, Curragh, **L.**; dam of winners.

*HAVE BLESSED*, won 2 races at 3 and 4 years and placed 6 times.

*SOLO'S SURPRISE (HOL)*, won 3 races in Holland and placed 6 times.

As Sharp, placed 3 times at 3 years; dam of winners.

*AS SHARP AS (GB)*, 1 race at 3 years and placed 4 times; dam of **Bodfari Street (GB)**, placed third in Klampenborg Store Sprint, Klampenborg, **L.**

Electo, unplaced; dam of winners.

**Optaria**, 1 race at 2 years, placed 3 times including third in Precocious National Stakes, Sandown Park, **L.**; dam of **GREY SHOT (GB)**, won Garrard Goodwood Cup, Goodwood, **Gr.2**, Portland Place Props. Jockey Club Cup, Newmarket, **Gr.3**, Prix de Lutece, Longchamp, **Gr.3** and Bahrain Trophy, Newmarket, **L.**, placed second in Prix Vicomtesse Vigier, Longchamp, **Gr.2**, Prix Kergorlay, Deauville, **Gr.2**, Insulpak Sagaro Stakes, Ascot, **Gr.3** and third in Chester Rated Handicap, Chester, **L.**, **Night Shot (GB)**, placed second in Holsten Trophy, Hamburg, **Gr.3**, L'Exclusive Ruinart Champagne Hackwood S, Newbury, **L.**, Dubai Airport World Trophy Stakes, Newbury, **L.** and third in Courage Best Leisure Stakes, Lingfield Park, **L.**

*ELECTION SPECIAL (GB)*, 1 race at 2 years and placed twice; dam of *First Ballot (IRE)*, 5 races and placed 12 times; also 1 race over hurdles and placed once viz third in William Hill Handicap Hurdle, Sandown Park.