

Three McMahon connected horses, Beneath the Crown, Four Star General and Judge Well win at Belmont! – July 25, 2009



Desert Warrior's FOUR STAR GENERAL, bred by McMahon of Saratoga Thoroughbreds LLC & the late John Hettinger, won by two-lengths in Saturday's fourth race at Belmont Park. Four Star General was one of three McMahon connected horses to win on the card as Beneath the Crown (REGAL CLASSIC) won the opener and Judge Well (JUDGE T C) took the last race. Regal Classic, who is pensioned at the Saratoga facility and Judge T C were both residents of McMahon of Saratoga Thoroughbreds Stud barn in recent years.

With three-crops of racing age, 53 of which are two-year olds, Desert Warrior has demonstrated his ability to sire hard-hitting racehorses, who have earned over \$1.4-million to date. His multiple stakes winning dam, Navajo Pass by Secretariat, is a full-sister to multiple graded stakes winners Terlinqua, dam of Storm Cat, and Pancho Villa; and she's a half-sister to multiple Grade I winner Royal Academy (Nijinsky II) who won the 1990 Breeder's Cup Mile.

Aside from winner's share of purse, Desert Warrior sired New York-breds earn an additional 20% of purse share in the form of a breeder's award from the lucrative New York Breeding Program. For horses finishing second and third the breeder's award is 10%.

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