

Alixir

The Fulfilment of a Dream



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Across the heavens, the dynamic cloud of a nebula is a fertile breeding ground for new stars, which explode to life at 1 million degrees Celsius. Although born of the same creating cosmos, the new stars vary in their luminosity-

the power at which they emit energy. At Al Jood Stud, it is the head sire Alixir whose progeny are exploding with quality, carrying his stamp in combination with a variety of female lines.



Alixir (The Elixir x The Prevue)

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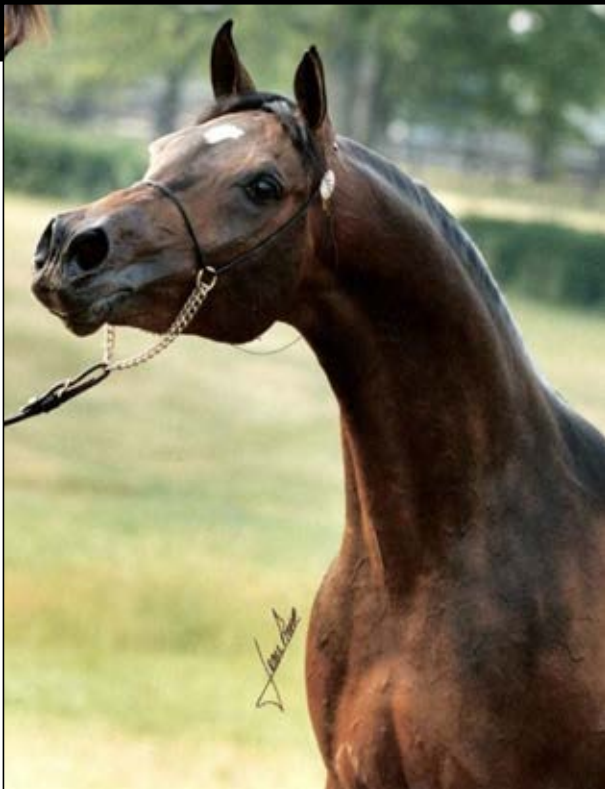
1998 bay,
straight Egyptian stallion

<p>THE ELIXIR* b 1992 ARABIAN AHR 485090</p>	<p>HI-FASHION MREEKH* b 1987 ARABIAN AHR #381239</p>	<p>IBN EL MAREEKH* b 1982 ARABIAN AHR #275415</p>	<p>EL MAREEKH* dkb/br 1975</p>	<p>ASEEL* RAWAYEH*</p>
	<p>JALIYA b 1984 ARABIAN AHR 294437</p>	<p>HI-FASHION HITESA* b 1983 ARABIAN AHR #289976</p>	<p>BINT DEENAA* b 1979</p>	<p>ANSATA IBN HALIMA* DEENAA*</p>
	<p>THE MINSTRIL* b 15.0 1984 ARABIAN AHR*322707</p>	<p>HALIMM* b 1980 ARABIAN AHR 225367</p>	<p>EL HILAL* gr 14.2H 1966</p>	<p>ANSATA IBN HALIMA* BINT NEFISAA*</p>
	<p>THE PREVUE b 1994 ARABIAN AHR 517398</p>	<p>HANIYA gr 1972 ARABIAN AHR 177241</p>	<p>YASAMIN b 1975</p>	<p>SAMIM* IL DURRA*</p>
	<p>MAALI RCA* ch 1987 ARABIAN AHR 394714</p>	<p>RUMINAJA ALI* gr 1976 ARABIAN AHR*134937</p>	<p>ANSATA IBN HALIMA* gr 15.0 1958</p>	<p>NAZEER* HALIMA*</p>
		<p>BAHILA* blk 1977 ARABIAN AHR*265239</p>	<p>GANNAT b 1975</p>	<p>IBN SHAHRZADA* WASEEMA</p>
		<p>RUMINAJA ALI* gr 1976 ARABIAN AHR*134937</p>	<p>KAYED* gr 1966</p>	<p>MORAFIC* KAYDAHOM*</p>
		<p>MASIRA ch 1980 ARABIAN AHR #250812</p>	<p>FERIAL* ch 1961</p>	<p>ANTER* EL AMEERA</p>
			<p>SHAIKH AL BADI* gr 1969</p>	<p>MORAFIC* BINT MAISA EL SAGHIRA*</p>
			<p>BINT MAGIDAA* gr 1970</p>	<p>KHOFO* MAGIDAA*</p>
			<p>IBN GALAL I* ch 1972</p>	<p>IBN GALAL* 11 HANADI*</p>
			<p>BAKRIA* b 1973</p>	<p>GHARIB* BAHEIA</p>
			<p>SHAIKH AL BADI* gr 1969</p>	<p>MORAFIC* BINT MAISA EL SAGHIRA*</p>
			<p>BINT MAGIDAA* gr 1970</p>	<p>KHOFO* MAGIDAA*</p>
			<p>MASIR* b 1975</p>	<p>MEHANNA* BINT SHAHBAA*</p>
			<p>TAREEFAH ch</p>	<p>SARWAT* LATEEFA II</p>

The “Alixir Nebula” is producing a stable of future stars for owner Mohamed Jaidah. Bred by James and Judy Sirbasku at Arabians Ltd. in Texas, Alixir is a straight Egyptian son of The Elixir and is out of The Prevue, a daughter of The Minstril. Alixir was never on the market; but when Judy recognized Jaidah’s true love for the stallion, she agreed to let him purchase his dream horse. Alixir embodies all the qualities that Jaidah holds in such high esteem: a smooth, balanced body; long, elegant neck; strong, straight legs; a small, chiselled head; and an abundance of electric presence.



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The Elixir



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After spending his first 19 years in the United States, Alixir is now standing at stud at Giacomo Capacci Arabians in Cortona, Italy; to the delight of breeders who are eager to see him in real life and use him with their mares. In sync with his European unveiling, Al Jood Stud has been promoting Alixir through his progeny in show rings around the world. At the top of that list is Qaysar Al Jood, Alixir's heir apparent-proudly bred and owned by Al Jood Stud-who is standing at Tolrá Training Center in Spain while preparing for future competitions.

Qaysar Al Jood





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Malak Al Jood

Among the most precious of the Al Jood Stud Alixir daughters is Malak Al Jood, whose dam is the magnificent Miss Maggie Mae, by The Minstril. Foaled in 2015, Malak is the result of Mohamed Jaidah's astute purchase of one of the last three embryo rights available from Miss Maggie Mae, which he used with Alixir. The resulting filly has a powerful pedigree that demands she be given plenty of time

to develop at her own pace. Without question, she will be a valuable addition to the breeding program in the future. Touted by expert horsewoman Shawn Crews as "one of today's most valuable and historically significant young Straight Egyptian mares," Malak Al Jood has the genetic potential to positively affect the Al Jood breeding program for generations to come.

Alixir is also distinguishing himself as a sire of exceptional broodmares, as evidenced by the many champions produced by his daughters. A perfect example is RSL Faith, the dam of Al Jood homebred Maraam Al Jood, the 2018 U.S. Egyptian Event Silver Champion Straight Egyptian Mare, 2018 Region 12 Gold Champion Senior Mare and 2018 Scottsdale Bronze Champion Straight Egyptian Mare.

It was a wonderful follow-up to Maraam's previous appearances in Lexington, KY at the 2017 U.S. Egyptian Event, where she was named the Bronze Champion Straight Egyptian Junior Filly and at the 2015 Egyptian Event, where she was named the Futurity Finals Straight Egyptian Yearling Filly Champion. RSL Faith comes by her pre-potent blood naturally: She is a full sister to the powerhouse trio of brothers Qaysar Al Jood, Bellagio RCA, and Mirajh RCA among others of the same cross. They are all children of the incredible Thee Desperado mare, Rhapsody in Black.



Maraam Al Jood



RSL Faith

FH Sharuby Rose is another shining example of Alixir's value on the bottom side of the pedigree. She is out of his daughter, Candela Rose, who has several crosses to The Minstril on her dam's side. Sharuby Rose is sired by Shaheen Al Waab, a son of Sinan Al Rayyan. At the 2017 Scottsdale International Arabian Breeders Classic, FH Sharuby Rose brought home the Straight Egyptian Reserve Junior Champion Female honors and later on at the 2017 US Egyptian Event she was crowned Silver Champion Straight Egyptian Junior Mares. These were prestigious and well-deserved titles for the exquisite bay with the effervescent attitude. In 2018 she continued to make her mark in Europe where she was crowned Bronze World Champion Junior Filly at the Straight Egyptian World Championships in Milan, Italy.



FH Sharuby Rose receiving her 2018 Bronze World Champion award in Milan, Italy.



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Mohamed Jaidah looks forward to the foals that will be produced from crossing Alixir to his non-straight Egyptian mares as well. It is an opportunity for him to not only

practice his breeding philosophy of opening up pedigrees to build a better platform for future generations but also to generate the next superstar in the “Alixir Nebula.”

Qaysar Al Jood stands at the top of the list of Alixir offspring as his heir apparent—proudly bred and owned by Al Jood Stud. He is the living pedigree of the many champions whose blood courses through his veins, each one of them leaving their own stamp and adding to the savory genetic pool. Qaysar was

the result of careful, focused planning by Mohamed Jaidah, who wanted the blood of Alixir, who Jaidah considered close to ideal, as one of Al Jood's foundations at a time when Alixir himself was not for sale. It was Jaidah's dedication to his image of the Arabian horse that came to fruition in the form of Qaysar Al Jood.



Qaysar



Rhapsody in Black



Qaysar

Years before acquiring Alixir, Jaidah bought an embryo transfer right to the super-exotic pure-black Thee Desperado daughter, Rhapsody in Black, intending to breed her back to his dream stallion. She was already dam of two exceptional black sons from this cross; two-time U. S. Egyptian Event Champion, Bellagio RCA, and his brother 2006 Egyptian National Junior Champion Colt Mirajh RCA, who was also the 2005 Egyptian Event Egyptian Breeders Challenge Champion and has produced multiple champions in Egypt for Al Kahira Arabians.

A third full sibling, RSL Faith, would later become the dam of Al Jood star, Maraam Al Jood.

In early 2013, Rhapsody in Black produced an impressive colt-Qaysar

Al Jood had arrived.

Mohamed Jaidah considers Qaysar to be the embodiment of the future of the Al Jood program. He is a gorgeous young stallion who bears the bay color of his father and the phenotype of his exquisite black mother, a next-step in the evolution of his pedigree. Qaysar is in training and standing at stud under the care of Bernat Tolrá and the staff at the Tolrá Training Center in Spain. With Bernat on the lead, Qaysar Al Jood won the title of Best Straight Egyptian and Silver Champion Stallion at the 2018 Silleda International Show. And to complete the year he was Top 5 Senior Champion Stallion at the Straight Egyptian World Championships in Milan.



Qaysar



AJS Mistral



AJS Crusader

Mohamed Jaidah and the Al Jood team are thrilled with Qaysar Al Jood's first foals, which are destined to be stars in their own right. Their 2018 colt AJS Crusader is a prime example. His mother is Om El Baha Dream, by the black stallion Dreamcatcher SMF who is a Thee Desperado grandson. Baha Dream's

dam Om El Bandeira is double-El Shaklan, being by his son Sharem El Sheikh and out of his daughter, Bint Estopa. Al Jood has another 2018 Qaysar colt that they find very exciting, AJS Mistral is out of Miss Ajmánya-D, making him a grandson of Gold National Champion Mare Miss Navarrone-D. ○

Watch for Qaysar Al Jood and Bernat Tolrá at the top shows in Europe this season!

Arabian Chemistry Mohamed Jaidah

Al Jood Stud and its horses are poised to take their place as leaders amongst the firmament of stars that make up the top tier of the Arabian horse industry. Alixir is a glowing comet whose descendants fan out across the generations, bringing Jaidah's dreams to fruition. Qaysar is the shooting star whose future seems so very

bright, and the mares are celestial visions destined to produce a galaxy of novas for the farm. The horses of Al Jood Stud are a constellation all their own, and for Mohamed Jaidah, adding Alixir to the herd has turned what began as a boyhood yearning, into the fulfillment of a dream.



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