

# Marwan Al Shaqab

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Marwan Al Shaqab is a name that doesn't need introduction. He is for sure the Best Stallion in the Arabian Horse World.

Marwan Al Shaqab has been a jewel in the crown of Al Shaqab since his first show in Doha, when he confidently entered the arena and emerged victorious. Soon thereafter he left his homeland to conquer the world, and continues to be an ideal representation of Al Shaqab and the Arabian horses of Qatar. Although only a comparatively young stallion, the sons and daughters

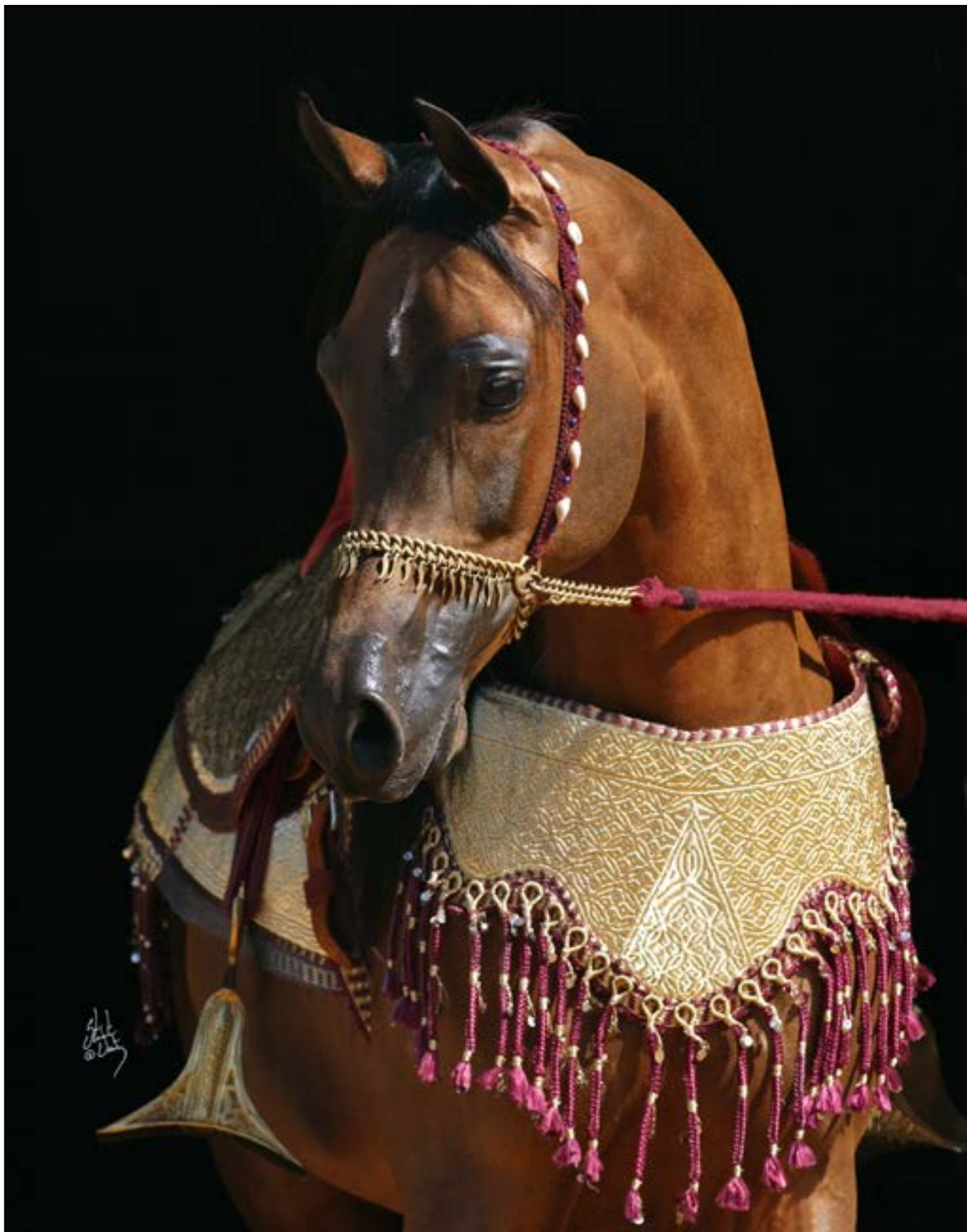
of Marwan have already established him as the most influential stallion of his generation.

The extreme beauty, elegance and quality of Marwan Al Shaqab are no accident. A careful study of his pedigree reveals generation after generation of excellence. Sired by the World Champion Gazal Al Shaqab, his dam, Little Liza Fame, was a champion at the national level in the United States before her selection as a broodmare for the Al Shaqab program. Many renowned stallions, such as Fame VF, Bey Shah, Raffon, Ruminaja Ali,



Al Shaqab

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*Marwan Al Shaqab (Gazal Al Shaqab x Little Liza Fame)*





Aza Destiny, \*Naborr, \*Ansata Ibn Halima and Gamaar are represented in his pedigree, and are carefully balanced by the strength and quality of his dam lines, a necessary qualification for every great sire.

His Highness Sheikh Hamad bin Khalifa Al Thani, the Father Emir established Al Shaqab in 1992 to enjoy his passion for Arabian horses, to honor the courageous war horses ridden by victorious Qatari knights of the past, and to assure the

Arabian horse would continue to play a leading role in the cultural heritage of the Qatari people. His vision was to increase the number of superior Arabian horses in Qatar, to improve the quality of Arabian show horses, and to preserve the finest Arabian horse families of the past. His greatest hope was for Al Shaqab to make a valuable contribution to the Arabian breed, not only in Qatar, but around the world. Unquestionably, this has been accomplished.

# Marwan Al Shaqab

2000 bay, stallion

		RUMINAJA ALI* gr 1976 ARABIAN AHR*134937	SHAIKH AL BADI* gr 1969	MORAFIC* BINT MAISA EL SAGHIRA*
ANAZA EL FARID* b 1988 ARABIAN AHR #423140		BINT DEENAA* b 1979 ARABIAN AHR #200068	BINT MAGIDAA* gr 1970	KHOFO* MAGIDAA*
GAZAL AL SHAQAB* b 15.3 1995 ARABIAN AHR 528133		KABORR * gr 15.1 1970 ARABIAN AHR #69270	ANSATA IBN HALIMA* gr 15h 1958	NAZEER* HALIMA*
	KAJORA* b 15.2 1979 ARABIAN AHR 224546	EDJORA* gr 1968 ARABIAN AHR 94009	DEENAA* b 1967	SAMEH* DAHMA II*
		BEY SHAH* b 1976 ARABIAN AHR 134556	NABORR* gr 14.2 1950	NEGATIW* LAGODNA
	FAME VF b 1982 ARABIAN AHR 268987	RAFFOLETA-ROSE* b 1971 ARABIAN AHR #78072	BINT KHOLAMEH* ch 14.3 1961	ADIBIYEZ* KHOLAMEH
LITTLE LIZA FAME* b 1987 ARABIAN AHR 383742 // QASB 736		AZA DESTINY* b 1971 ARABIAN AHR# 73099	EXELSJOR* gr 14.2 1963	AQUINOR* ELEONORA*
	KATAHZA* b 1981 ARABIAN AHR*224369	AFHAR RAHZA gr 1969 ARABIAN AHR 56535	EDESSA* b 1961	PIETUSZOK* ELLORA*
			BAY EL BEY* b 15.1h 1969	BAY-ABI* NAGANKA *
			STAR OF OFIR* b 1970	BASK* LLANA*
			RAFFON* b 1961	GAZON* VADRAFF*
			LETA ROSE b 1968	GAMAAR* JUALETA
			AZRAFF* gr 1949	RAFFLES* AZJA IV*
			BINT BASS HISAN* b 1962	TAIB BASS HISAN
			AL-MARAH RADAMES* gr 1952	INDRAFF* GUTNE*
			ZAKIEH b 1959	FA-ABI FE GAMA

Marwan Al Shaqab together with his father Gazal Al Shaqab brought Al Shaqab to the highest level in the world. Gazal Al Shaqab stood his first breeding season in 1997. The following year his first foal crop was somewhat small, but impressive. It takes a leap of faith to use an unproven young stallion – but those early breeders were rewarded

with outstanding foals. His second foal crop in 1999 had just six registered foals and although his foal crop the following year was his smallest, it included his most successful offspring to date. Al Shaqab selected their mare Little Liza Fame, by Fame VF, for Gazal Al Shaqab. The result was the great Marwan Al Shaqab, foaled in 2000. Marwan's unimaginable





beauty and quality made believers from many of those who questioned if Gazal Al Shaqab was capable of reproducing his own glorious qualities – Marwan Al Shaqab crushed any doubts. He is the son who crowned his father as the king. Marwan Al Shaqab's show record includes the highest accolades in the Arabian horse world with national and international championship titles in every country he has been presented. He won the hearts of judges for his beauty, conformation and charisma.

Breeders also appreciated Marwan's qualities, but again they questioned if he had the capacity to sire that same level of excellence. It didn't take long for Marwan Al Shaqab to prove his abilities. Marwan's stunning success as a show horse is totally eclipsed with his achievements as a sire.

The list of champions made by Marwan Al Shaqab seems to be endless.

Marwan Al Shaqab's champion offspring are found in almost every



country of the world. Their exceptional conformation earns them international acclaim and their ability to consistently produce high quality foals proves they are valuable breeding horses as well.

Al Shaqab, Member Qatar Foundation is the owner of the great sire Marwan Al Shaqab and will be the main force directing his future. Al Shaqab has become an international leader in the Arabian horse community through the success of their breeding programs and through their contributions to

the Arabian horse community. The worldwide breeders' gratitude goes to the General Manager of Al Shaqab HH Sheikh Hamad bin Ali Al Thani to give the pleasure to have stallions like Marwan Al Shaqab and all the Al Shaqab's stallions in their lives.

Al Shaqab has established one of the most influential breeding programs in the world. Al Shaqab's breeding philosophy is to preserve the Arabian breed and to produce horses that are beautiful, athletic, and have great moral







character and kindness.

It is a large responsibility to maintain that high level of success and to guide it forward into the future.

The team at Al Shaqab is totally dedicated and committed to continuing the legacy of Marwan Al Shaqab.

Attention to detail, planning, constant evaluations, more planning, working, dreaming of new possibilities – a breeder's work is never done. Al Shaqab's place in history is already assured. However, it will never rest on laurels of the past. It will always strive to uphold the vision of His Highness The Emir – to breed the finest Arabian horses for Qatar and the world. ○





Gazal Al Shaqab *(Anaza El Farid x Kajora)*









*Platinum Medal Senior Stallion  
Arabian Horse World Championship 2017*





## Hariry Al Shaqab

*(Marwan Al Shaqab x White Silkk)*





# Kahil Al Shaqab (Marwan Al Shaqab x OFW Mishaabl)







# Wadee Al Shaqab

*(Marwan Al Shaqab x OFW Mishaabi)*





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