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## EGYPTIAN ALLURE & STYLE THE MARES OF *Al Naif*

Thirty minutes outside Doha, the capital of Qatar, there is a green oasis surrounded by wind-swept deserts. Al Naif Stud, established by Sheikh Abdullah Bin Nasser Al Ahmed Al Thani and managed by Mr. Rashid Al Malki, has been producing some of the finest straight Egyptian Arabian horses in the region and perhaps even worldwide.

Today Al Naif Stud's straight Egyptian breeding program consists of some 35 horses and each year an average of 8 foals are born.





Thamraht Al Naif | by Ansata Nile Echo

&amp;

Thanaya Al Naif | by Ansata Shalim



# Royalty from the Desert



AL NAIF

Ansata Shalim | Al Johara by Prince Fa Moniet  
World Champion Filly - Salon Du Cheval Paris | Multi Champion Mare

Al Naif Stud's breeding program is extremely selective and the breeding decisions are based on the knowledge gained over the years about the potential of the different traits the mare families produce and about the ability of different sire lines to contribute their quality and characteristics. Glenn Jacobs has been in charge of the breeding program for the past 15 years. Glenn's dedication has created various national, international and world champions. Glenn explains breeding Arabian horses is not a job; "it's an art, a life-style and foremost a passion, added with a little luck". He values line breeding to some extent, though to him outcrossing lines is very important. A good variety of bloodlines within one breeding program with access to stallions to complement them is essential to move forward.



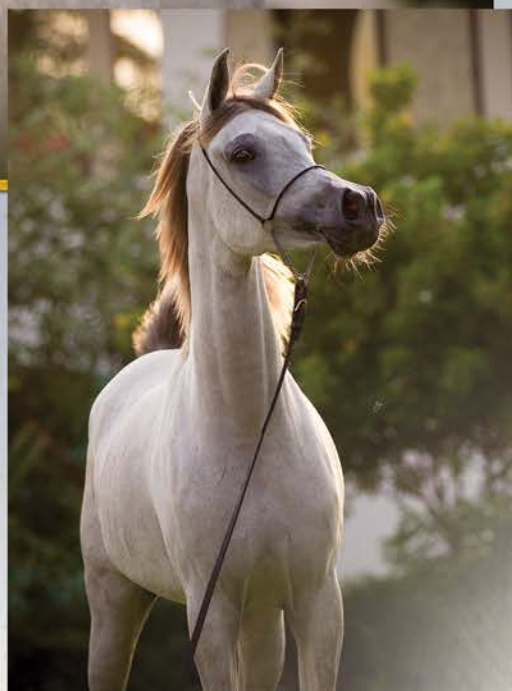


From top left clockwise:

Breeding manager and trainer Glenn Jacobs;  
Heylanat Al Naif (Ansata Selman & Johara Al Naif);  
Nardene Al Naif (Sahib & Johara Al Naif).



Al Naif Stud's first Egyptian foal was born in 1997 - the beautiful grey Ansata Halim Shah daughter Shahlika came over from the US and gave birth to Hejazia Al Naif by Ansata Hejazi. Her daughter Rayyana Al Naif (by Shagran Al Nasser), garnered the titles of Qatar International Egyptian Show Junior Gold Champion Filly and Qatar National Bronze Champion Filly. Hejazia is in foal to Nasser Al Rayyan (by Sinan Al Rayyan).



From top left clockwise:

Rayyana Al Naif (Shagran Al Nasser & Hejazia Al Naif);

Safaw Al Naif (Farres & Hejazia Al Naif);

Hejazia Al Naif (Ansata Hejazi & Shahlika).



## THE MARES *of Al Naif*



Most of the gorgeous mares at Al Naif Stud are home-bred and represent the qualities they look for in an Arabian horse focused on refinement, excellent conformation, athletic ability and great movement. Al Naif Stud aims to breed the highest quality possible while keeping the numbers small. Many of the Al Naif horse collection have either produced winning offspring and/or are halter champions themselves.

### From top:

Multi Champion Thamraht Al Naif (Ansata Nile Echo & Jo Sahja);  
Sabiht Al Naif (Sinan Al Rayyan & Thamraht Al Naif)







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MIYYASA AL NAIF  
Ashhal Al Rayyan | Adal Al Naif by Ansata Nile Echo





With a past rich in genetic excellence, the future becomes easier to predict.

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## AL NAIF

Ebtiyaj Al Naif | Arqah Al Naif  
2011 Grey Stallion



ARQAH AL NAIF  
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