

# Byword<sup>(GB)</sup>

*Peintre Celebre – Binche by Woodman*

**The dream is to breed a champion.**

**Our theory is to do it with kin-breeding. This means inbreeding to female-line ancestors whose pedigrees contain high proportions of the same background elements, and therefore are close kin. Routinely, the starting point is with the 6th dam from the bottom female line, to pinpoint a significant female ancestor, and to see how the elements stack up through the generations. Good horses invariably have a solid build-up, generation after generation, paving the way for future success.**

**B**yword's female line foundation is a strong one, the build-up kin-linked generation after generation. Here's how it goes.

Way back along the bottom female line, the mare Point Duty, kinbred 2x2 \*Grand Geraldine x \*Third Trick (the asterisk denotes bottom female line of parents).

Next Sun Helmet (Hyperion x Point Duty), kinbred 2x3x3 \*Selene x Grand Geraldine x \*Third Trick.

Next Suntime (Precipitation x Sun Helmet), kinbred 4x4x4x4 Lady Bawn x \*Flo Desmond x Grand Geraldine x \*Third Trick.

Things come to a head in the next generation, Sun Rose (Mossborough x Suntime). The kin-breeding moves in closer again, but retains its background links: 2x1 \*All Moonshine x \*Suntime, 2x2 \*All Moonshine x \*Sun Helmet, and 3x4x5x5 \*Selene x Selene x Grand Geraldine x \*Third Trick.

Things stay on track in the mare Peace (Klairon x Sun Rose), kinbred 3x3x3x3 Columba x \*Sweet Lavender x All Moonshine x \*Sun Helmet.

A build-up like this is unusual, and invariably the close links are interrupted.

That happened with Balabina (Nijinsky x Peace). The kin-link is further back again, but with an earlier significant line: 7x6 \*Torpenhow x \*Pinprick, and 8x7 \*Papola x \*Third Trick (\*Papola is Nijinsky's significant female line ancestor; his build-up is through her).

Remarkably, the earlier close sequence was restored in Binary (Rainbow Quest x Balabina), kinbred 3x1 \*Where You Lead x \*Balabina, and 4x4x3 Aimee x \*Noblesse x \*Sun Rose.

The momentum remained in Binche (Woodman x Binary), kinbred 3x4 \*Intriguing x \*Sun Rose, with in the background 7x9 \*La Troienne x \*Third Trick and 8x9 \*Helene de Troie x \*Third Trick (\*La Troienne is Woodman's significant ancestor).



**BYWORD (GB) - Gr1 winner, half brother to Gr1 winner out of UK Broodmare of the Year BINCHE**

## PICK OF THE BUNCH

*Suitable mares for Byword could include*

- Byword's female line descendants**, notably Peacetime; Horse Chestnut & Bodrum (and sisters); Cherry Pepper & daughters.
- Rainbow Quest** (Spectrum, Saumarez) and his sire Blushing Groom (Jallad, Kabool, Our Casey's Boy, Waldoboro, Lundy's Liability, Comic Blush, etc.).
- Mossborough** (Dupont, Casey Tibbs, Centenary, Kabool, Saumarez, Spectrum, Tobe Or Nottobe) and other strong backgrounds of the mare Selene (Fort Wood, Kabool, Forli, mares from the E-family, etc.).
- Dalmary** (Simon's Hoes) **female line descendants**, notably Sadler's Wells (Fort Wood, Horse Chestnut, Casey Tibbs, Cherry Pepper, etc.), Nureyev (Caesour, Wolfhound, Tobe Or Nottobe, Var, Parade Leader, etc.), Fairy King (Tara's Halls, Second Empire), Golden Thatch (Goldmark), Waterville Lake, Thatching, etc.
- Feola female line descendants**, notably Hypericum (Nashwan, Right Approach), Round Table/Monarchy (Lecture), Aureole, etc.
- Nijinsky** (Dancing Champ, Silvano, Lecture, Indigo Magic, Russian Fox, Victory Moon, Parade Leader, Right Approach, Tamburlaine, etc.).

The final step, to Byword, saw the kin-breeding move out again, with 7x9x10 Simon's Shoes x \*Avonbeg x \*Pinprick, and 7x9x11 \*Avonbeg x \*Third Trick – which may seem remote, but involves the significant female line ancestor of Peintre Celebre, \*Avonbeg, and the one of Peintre Celebre's sire Nureyev, \*Simon's Shoes).

## Where From Here

**A female line build-up like this raises expectations of highclass performers through the generations. The theory of female line kin-breeding suggests that closely kinbred mares are the ones most likely to throw the bomb.**

**The sires who gave the close kin-breeding with the female line should be regarded as significant signposts for future generations.**

We look at both.

Byword's dam Binche (3x4) has two Gr1 winners to date, Byword (by Peintre Celebre) and half sister Proviso (by Dansili).

Byword's 4th dam Peace (3x3x3x3) got Gr1 winner Quiet Fling (by Nijinsky) and his full brother Peacetime (sire in SA), full sister Balabina (3rd dam of Byword) and another full sister De Stael, who bred Gr1 winner Wandesta (by Nashwan, and kinbred 5x5x5 \*Hypericum x All Moonshine x \*Sun Helmet). Wandesta has two highclass half brothers by Rainbow Quest (also the sire of Byword's grandam Binary).

Suntime (4x4x4x4) has a full sister Sanlinea, who got Gr1 winner and successful sire Amerigo. Sanlinea also is dam of the mare Rosario, who is very close kin to her full sister Suntime's daughter Sun Rose. Interesting in this context is that Rosario is bottom female line of champions Bodrum and Horse Chestnut. More interestingly, Horse Chestnut's second dam Nalatala (dam of Bodrum) is very close kin to Byword's 4th dam Peace. Horse Chestnut's female line is well represented in the SA mare population and should go well with Byword.

Another notable similarity is between Byword's 3rd dam Balabina (the full sister to Peacetime) and English champion 2yo filly Cherry Hinton. Both are daughters of Nijinsky, their grandams are by Mossborough and have the same third dam, Point Duty. Cherry Hinton has female line descendants in SA, through Cherry Pepper.

## Coolmore's take on mating suggestions for Byword's sire PEINTRE CELEBRE

The sires who made for close kin-breeding with Byword's female line include Rainbow Quest (and also connecting to his sire Blushing Groom), Klairon, Mossborough. The mare Selene through her son Hyperion and daughter All Moonshine (dam of Mossborough) presumably will also count through her other sons Pharamond, Sickle and Hunter's Moon.

The female line of Simon's Shoes and daughter Dalmay is noted in the family through Nureyev (Peintre Celebre, Binary File, Irish Vale, Much Faster) and Golden Thatch (sire of highclass sprinter Wild Amber, whose grandam is by Mossborough out of Sanlinea). Sadler's Wells fits into the mix – he's grandsire of Horse Chestnut, through Fort Wood (whose dam Fall Aspen is all about Selene), sire of Gr2 winner Interim (dam of G1 Midships, grandam of Gr1 Temida, by Oratorio), and sire of Gr3 winner Short Pause.

Lake Coniston got Gr1 sprinter Continent (his best son), who is kinbred 5x4 \*Gibellina x \*Peace, and whose dam has a double Mossborough.

Nashwan (by Blushing Groom), sire of Wandesta, is from the female line of kin-link Hypericum, a daughter of Feola who is widespread. Blushing Groom was earlier noted in Byword's grandam Binary, kinbred 4x4x3 Aimee x \*Noblesse x \*Sun Rose. This leads to Jallad, who is kinbred 3x3 \*Aimee x \*Ajasco. The latter is close kin to both Noblesse and Sun Rose, making for a strong bond.

And Nijinsky, who did so well with Peace, leading to their son Peacetime who died after seven seasons in SA. His Gr1 winners include Golden Peak, Evening Mist, Sweet Secret, Sainly Lady and Proud Pilgrim – suggesting that the female lines of these might also go well with Byword.

### Sires of major winners from Byword's immediate family

Byword (**Peintre Celebre** by **Nureyev**)  
Proviso, Zambesi Sun (**Dansili** by **Danehill**)  
Binary File (**Nureyev**)  
Bal Harbour (**Shirley Heights**)  
Bequeath, De Quest, Source Of Light (**Rainbow Quest** by **Blushing Groom**)  
Peacetime, Quiet Fling (**Nijinsky**)  
Wandesta (**Nashwan** by **Blushing Groom**)  
Turner's Hill (**Top Ville** by **High Top**)  
Deportivo (**Night Shift** by **Northern Dancer**)  
Irish Vale (**Wolfhound** by **Nureyev**)  
Armistice Day (**Rheingold** by **Faberge**)  
Peaceful (**Crepello** by **Donatello**)  
Intermission (**Stage Door Johnny** by **Prince John**)  
Interim, Short Pause (**Sadler's Wells**)  
Midships (**Mizzen Mast** by **Cozzene**)  
Principal Role (**Empire Maker** by **Unbridled**)  
Temida (**Oratorio** by **Danehill**)  
Much Faster (**Fasliyev** by **Nureyev**)  
Interval (**Habitat** by **Sir Gaylord**)  
Continent (**Lake Coniston** by **Bluebird**)  
Invited Guest (**Be My Guest** by **Northern Dancer**)  
Flaming Torch (**Rousillon** by **Riverman**)



**PEINTRE CELEBRE** - European Champion 3yo. Sire of sires & broodmare sire of Gr1 winners worldwide.

Inbreeding to Northern Dancer is no obstacle to success for Peintre Celebre. For example, his topclass daughter Vallee Enchantee is inbred 2x3 to Nureyev, and his classic winning son Dai Jin is inbred 3x4 to Northern Dancer.

Peintre Celebre sired the Group winner Trincot and Art deco from Royal Academy (Nijinsky) mares, and a Gr2

Australian winner from a granddaughter of Nijinsky. His dual Gr1 winner (& sire) Helene Mascot has a dam by Nijinsky's grandson Kahyasi.

Nureyev and Sadler's Wells appear together in the pedigree of several Gr1 winners including the brilliant miler Henrythenavigator. Peintre Celebre's smart son Fantastic Love is out of a Sadler's Wells mare.

Mares by Danehill, a son of Danzig, must be considered, especially as Peintre Celebre sires Gr3 winner Chaibia from a Dayjur mare.

Peintre Celebre's top Australian sprinter Bentley Biscuit is out of a Last Tycoon mare. He has a couple of good winners out of Lyphard mares, and his Gr1 winning daughter Belle et Celebre has a Pharly mare as her second dam. He also has two very useful winners out of mares by Linamix, a stallion from the Lyphard line.

The Blushing Groom line provided Peintre Celebre with plenty of success, his Gr1 winner Belle et Celebre, his good daughter Kareemah and very useful son Buenos Dias being out of daughters of Crystal Glitters, Arazi and Rainbow Quest. He also has a Listed winner out of a Nashwan mare.

Riverman sired the second dams of Airmail Special and Chaibia. Irish River is the broodmare sire of Louvre Royale. Peintre Celebre sired Dai Jin and Airmail Special from Shirley Heights mares and Katiyra from a daughter of Darshaan (Shirley Heights).

Mares by sons of Roberto are doing exceptionally well with Peintre Celebre. He sired Gr1 performers from mares by Silver Hawk, Lear Fan and Red Ransom.

Mr Prospector sired the second dams of of the Gr1 winner Pearl Of Love, the Australian Gr2 winner Ballybleue, the Gr2 placed Vision Celebre and Listed winner Kareemah. Peintre Celebre got Byword, Super Celebre and Sudan from mares by Woodman (Mr P). he also sired Briviesca from a daughter of Machiavellian (Mr P) and Precious Bunny from a mare by Miswaki (Mr P).

The Sharpen Up branch suits, and he has sired Listed winner Van Gosh, the very useful Three Graces and the Gr2 placed Buoyant from mares by Kris.

Peintre Celebre is successful with Seattle Slew blood. The US Triple Crown winner sired the dam of Gr1 winner Pearl Of Love and the second dam of classic-winning Dai Jin. His Gr3 winner Hearthstead manor is another out of a Seattle Slew mare. Secretariat, another from the Bold Ruler male line, sired the second dam of Gr1 winner Castledale.

Mares by Alleged feature as the dam of topclass French filly Pride and as second dam of SA Gr1 winner Jam Alley.

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