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1989 - 2009

**Dam: australian champion mare 27 Ibn Galal V
imported from Babolna State Stud, Hungary**

Sire: Asfour imported Germany

n by Simeon Stud

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Asfour, sire of Simeon Simona
photo taken in april at 25 years of age



Simeon Shaddai, as a yearling due to foal to Asfour

The straight Egyptian, Simeon Simona was a truly great Arabian mare, well over 15h.h. elegant with a long fine neck, amazing movement and unforgettable, huge black eyes combined with the wonderful disposition of her dam.

Simeon Stud has retained four breeding daughters of Simeon Simona, the oldest is the grey exquisite Simeon Shalal whose first foal is in Denmark. Shalal is by Simona's sire Asfour and will be bred to Anaza Bay Shabb in 2009 her full sister the dark liver chestnut Simeon Simone, also by Asfour has two bay fillies by Anaza Bay Shabb who are retained by Simeon Stud for our long term on going breeding program. Simone is due to foal 2009 to our promising young stallion Immesmerize. The beautiful black mare Simeon Shatkin by Anaza Bay Shabb is another valued daughter of Simona with her black four year old full sister Simeon Shaddai as they will both foal to Asfour. Most mares or stallions produce either better sons or daughters. Simeon Simona produced equally exceptional sons and daughters. Two sons and one grandson, have this year been exported to U.S.A. Supreme champion champion both in halter and under saddle, the dark, tall liver champion Simeon Sochain, by Simeon Sadik [exp.uk], full sister to our treasured Simeon Soosa [deceased]. Soosa's last foal an orphan colt was purchased by the Ruler of Dubai. East Coast liver chestnut champion colt, Simeon Sadran by Asfour is a full sister to the last foal born 2008 to Simona a gorgeous grey filly Simeon Sipia. Simeon Sadran will stay for two years in U.S.A. before making his home in the Middle East.

Simeon Simona was never shown as are most of Simeon horses

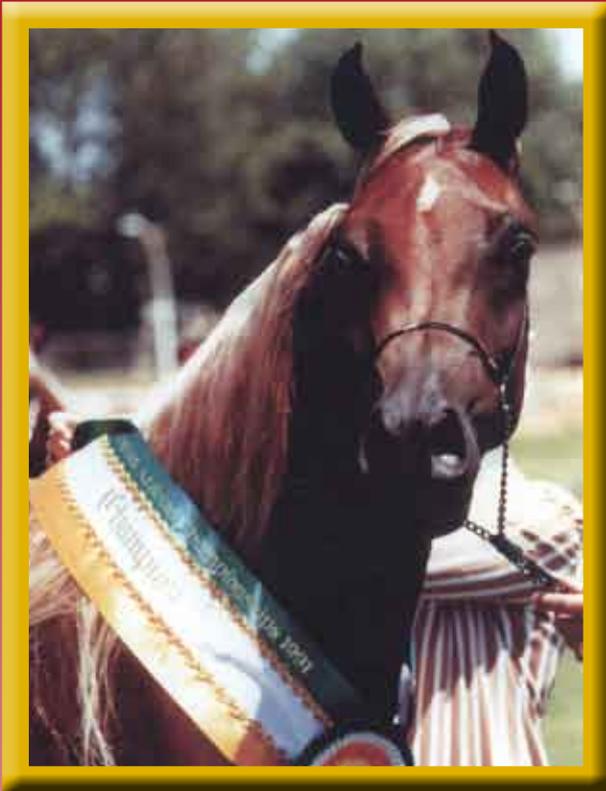
though her full sister Australian Champion, Simeon Sukari the last living foal of the matriach, 27Ibn Galal v, won most of the major Australian shows and has successful progeny in the middle east.

A most illustrious family. The dam of Simeon Simona is the grand dam of Simeon Shai, now owned by Silver Maple Farm U.S.A., the most "winning" Arabian stallion in the world being both U.S.A. National, Canadian and Scottsdale [largest Arabian show in the world at the time] champion stallion and in the same year International champion at the Salon De Cheval in Paris, as was his black half brother Simeon Sadik reserve champion who now lives in great comfort at the prestigious Halsdon Stud in U.K.

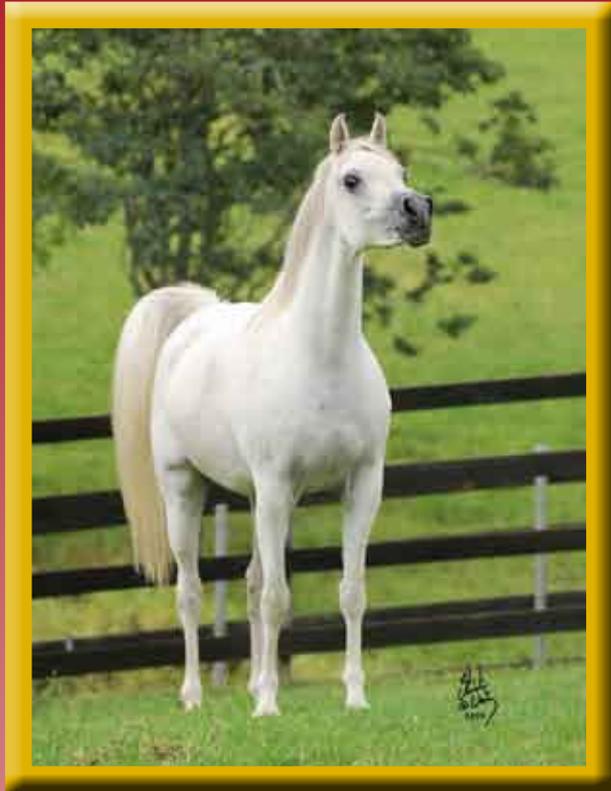
Another granddaughter Simeon Sehari, now a champion in U.S.A. and Europe was Australian champion mare 25 years after her grand dam was Australia's first champion.

Simeon Seviat, by Anaza Bay Shabb another Simona daughter is the foundation mare for the first straight Egyptian program in New Zealand at Cerzanne Stud.

In the pedigree of Simeon Simona are three crosses to the mare Yosreia, who was also the dam of the famous stallion imported from Egypt to U.S.S.R as a gift for the Aswan dam. Aswan became the premier stallion at Tersk stud and also impacted in Polish breeding. Asfour's dam the matriach Hanan [Egypt to Germany], Asfour carries the bloodlines of traditional old famous stallions imported from Egypt to Europe, eg Ghazal and Hadban Enzabi—these are some of the horses that gave this mare such great depth as an excellent producer. q



Simeon Sukari
 Australian champion mare, only full sister to Simeon Simona



Simeon Shalal
 oldest daughter of Asfour x Simeon Simona



Simeon Shatkin
 black daughter of Simeon Simona by Anaza Bay Shalh



Anaza Bay Shalh taken at 23 years old
 sire of Simeon Shatkin and Simeon Shaddai, two black daughters
 of Simeon Simona both due to foal to Asfour 2009

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