



DISCREETLY MINE

THE HORSE

Although he has only two victories, Discreetly Mine has finished no worse than fourth in his eight career starts. His victory this year came in the Grade II Rosen Star Stakes, a prep for the Louisiana Derby, at Fair Grounds in New Orleans.

He finished a close fourth in the Derby and that, combined with his Risen Star finish and runner-up efforts in the Grade II Futurity and Grade I Champagne during his 2-year-old campaign in 2009, put him solidly on the graded-money list to make the Kentucky Derby field.



He is part of trainer Todd Pletcher's platoon of horses heading for the Run for the Roses.

THE OWNER/BREEDER

Discreetly Mine races for the **E. Paul Robsham Stables** and the late E. Paul Robsham is listed as breeder.

Robsham, a long-time owner and breeder who was born in 1929, died in 2004. He is survived by his wife, Joyce. She has maintained the couples' racing stable.

Robsham was a prominent real estate developer and philanthropist. At the time of his death, he was the retired president and chairman of the board of Robsham Industries Inc., a real estate development firm based in Framingham, Mass. The firm developed and built residential and commercial properties in Massachusetts as well as custom home communities in the upscale Boston suburbs.

The Robshams were the benefactors of the Robsham Theater Arts Center at Boston College. The center was dedicated in 1985 in honor of their son, E. Paul Robsham Jr., who died in an automobile accident in 1983 following his freshman year at the university.

In 1983, the Robshams become involved in racing and breeding Thoroughbreds, with considerable success. Robsham bred and raced 1995 Alabama Stakes winner Pretty Discreet, the dam of Discreet Cat and Discreetly Mine, who becomes the first Kentucky Derby runner for the Robshams. Discreet Cat was

sold to Godolphin Racing in 2005 and finished third in the Breeders' Cup Dirt Mile in 2007.

Other stakes winners: Trust N Luck, who won the 2003 Fountain of Youth and finished second in the Florida Derby, and Ruby Hill, winner of the Bertram F. Bongard in 1997. In 2007, Trippi's Storm, bred by Robsham and racing under the Robsham colors, finished sixth in the Breeders' Cup Mile.