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RIDER: GEMMA TATTERSALL

HORSE:

44 KINGS GEM, chestnut mare, 16.1 hh, 1999, s: Rock King, d: Kings Mistress, *Breed*: TB X, *Country of Birth*: United Kingdom *Breeder*: Mary King
Owner: **Chris Stone**, Horsham, W. Sussex

Gemma (26) is based at Tattleton Stud in Horsham owned by Chris Stone owner of her Badminton ride Kings Gem. Gemma relocated to Tattleton in 2009 from the riding school and livery yard (Hylands Yard) of her mother where had lived and learnt to ride from a young age. By the age of eight, Gemma had started to win in dressage and eventing. She progressed through the levels in Riding Club and with the British junior squad. In 2003 she took the ride on Jesters Quest with who in 2004 she won the national Under-21 championship and in following years two Young Rider team gold medals. In 2007 the pair made their four-star debut completing both Badminton and Burghley. In 2009 she was given the ride on Kings Gem with who she won the Under-25 championship at Bramham last year. She has been supported by the World Class Programme and was re-selected for the 'potential' programme this year.

Kings Gem owned by Chris Stone was bought from breeder/rider Mary King in 2009. Kings Gem is by the advanced eventing stallion Rock King out of Kings Mistress (deceased) who was by the great Louella Inschallah II. She was a full sister to the stallion No Complaints. She is also the dam of the advanced mares Kings Fancy and Kings Temptress also entered for this year's Badminton with Mary.

Kings Gem already has foals (courtesy of embryo Transfer) by the owners advanced stallion Chilli Morning.

Recent results

- 2010 – Blair Castle CCI*** 3rd Kings Gem
- 2010 – Bramham CCI*** U25 2nd Kings Gem
- 2007 – Burghley CCI**** 36th Jesters Quest
- 2006 – Kreuth CCI*** 4th Jesters Quest
- 2005 – Segersjo EU-CH-YR CCI** 5th Jesters Quest
- 2005 – Bramham CCI*** U25 7th
- 2004 – Weston Park CCI** U21 1st Jesters Quest

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2007 – 34th Jesters Quest