

Landeros, Chris: Born: July 12, 1988. From: San Mateo, CA.

Father, Manuel Landeros, is a horse trainer. Left school early—got his GED—to begin riding professionally in 2006 when he was 17 years old. Started in Arizona and Northern CA then moved on to Texas where he was leading rider at Lone Star 2009-10. Eventually shifted his tack to Kentucky in 2014.

Family: Married to trainer Ian Wilkes' daughter, Shelby. They had their first child, a son, Beckham Wilkes Landeros, in September 2017.