

AQUEDUCT - January 16, 2012 - Race 2

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

INNER DIRT FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES THREE YEARS OLD. Weight, 120 lbs. Claiming Price \$12,500. **Claiming Price:** \$12,500

Six Furlongs On The Inner track **Track Record:** (Captain Red - 1:07.93 - February 26, 2003)

Purse: \$25,000

Available Money: \$25,000

Value of Race: \$25,000 1st \$15,000, 2nd \$5,000, 3rd \$2,500, 4th \$1,250, 5th \$750, 6th \$167, 7th \$167, 8th \$166

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 12:52 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
16Dec11 ⁵ LRL ⁴	3	Star Vesta (Ortiz, Jr., Irad)	115 ⁵ L b	3	1	2 ¹ 1/2	1 ¹ /2	1 ²	1 ¹ 3/4	0.30*	bobbled start, driving
---	6	Granby Girl (Velasquez, Cornelio)	120 L	7	2	3 ¹ /2	3 ¹ /2	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Nose}	7.90	bump start, chase duel
12Nov11 ¹ CD ⁴	7	Ease Away (Lezcano, Abel)	120 L	8	5	6 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{Head}	3 ¹	3 ¹ 1/4	3.50	3w, urged on turn
8Dec11 ⁴ AQU ³	5	Do It With Honor (Camacho, Jr., Samuel)	113 ⁷ L	6	4	5 ¹ /2	6 ³ 1/2	5 ¹	4 ^{Neck}	18.80	bumped start, no bids
2Jan12 ⁴ AQU ⁷	2	Mistretta (Navarro, Kevin)	115 ⁵ L b	2	7	7 ⁶	7 ⁸	7 ¹⁰	5 ⁵	47.25	inside, asked on turn
9Dec11 ² AQU ⁶	1	Pure Love (Birriel, Michael)	113 ⁷ L	1	3	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹ 1/2	4 ^{1/2}	6 ³	40.75	duel ins to 5/16, tired
2Jan12 ⁴ AQU ⁸	4	Andrea's Moon (Rodriguez, Jose)	113 ⁷ L b	4	6	4 ² 1/2	5 ¹	6 ² 1/2	7 ¹³ 1/2	47.00	stead'd start, off duel
30Nov11 ² AQU ⁶	1A	Christin's Rocket (Studart, Maylan)	120 L f	5	8	8	8	8	8	40.75	trailed

Fractional Times: 23.44 47.66 1:00.89

Final Time: 1:15.12

Split Times: (24:22) (13:23) (14:23)

Run-Up: 22 feet

Winner: Star Vesta, Bay Filly, by Master Command out of Star in the Corner, by Holy Bull. Foaled Mar 15, 2009 in Kentucky.

Breeder: John R. Penn. **Winning Owner:** R. A. Hill Stable

1 Claimed Horse(s): Star Vesta

New Trainer: Rudy R. Rodriguez

New Owner: Steven Speranza

Claiming Prices: 3 - Star Vesta: \$12,500; 6 - Granby Girl: \$12,500; 7 - Ease Away: \$12,500; 5 - Do It With Honor: \$12,500; 2 - Mistretta: \$12,500; 1 - Pure Love: \$12,500; 4 - Andrea's Moon: \$12,500; 1A - Christin's Rocket: \$12,500;

Total WPS Pool: \$137,132

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Star Vesta	2.60	2.40	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	3-6	16.40	122,845
6	Granby Girl		4.10	2.80	\$2.00 Quinella	3-6	10.20	10,243
7	Ease Away			2.30	\$2.00 Trifecta	3-6-7	25.60	103,026
					\$2.00 Daily Double	5-3	10.60	102,995

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Star Vesta	1	2 ^{Head}	1 ¹ /2	1 ²	1 ¹ 3/4
6	Granby Girl	2	3 ¹ 1/2	3 ²	2 ²	2 ¹ 3/4
7	Ease Away	5	6 ⁵	4 ² 1/2	3 ²	3 ¹ 3/4
5	Do It With Honor	4	5 ⁴ 1/2	6 ³ 1/2	5 ³ 1/2	4 ³
2	Mistretta	7	7 ⁶ 1/2	7 ⁷	7 ⁷	5 ³ 1/4
1	Pure Love	3	1 ^{Head}	2 ¹ /2	4 ³	6 ⁸ 1/4
4	Andrea's Moon	6	4 ²	5 ² 1/2	6 ⁴ 1/2	7 ¹¹ 1/4
1A	Christin's Rocket	8	8 ¹² 1/2	8 ¹⁵	8 ¹⁷	8 ²⁴ 3/4

Trainers: 3 - Weaver, George; 6 - Kenneally, Eddie; 7 - Guerrero, Juan; 5 - Contessa, Gary; 2 - Brown, Bruce; 1 - Persaud, Randi; 4 - Aquilino, Joseph; 1A - Persaud, Randi

Owners: 3 - R. A. Hill Stable; 6 - Eddie Kenneally; 7 - Truxton Racing; 5 - Leonard C. Green; 2 - La Marca Stable; 1 - Guyana Rocky LLC; 4 - Three Aces Stable LLC; 1a - Guyana Rocky LLC;

Footnotes

STAR VESTA bobbled at the start, took up a forward position and disputed the pace from the outside with PURE LOVE, went head to head before inching away coming to the five-sixteenths pole, got called upon spinning into the lane, emerged from the furlong grounds in possession of her biggest advantage, and held sway, driving. GRANBY GIRL was bumped at the start, chased the pace combatants from off the inside down the backstretch and around the turn, proved no match for the top one, then just held the place. EASE AWAY departed the backstretch from the three path, was under encouragement throughout the run around the bend, lacked the needed response. DO IT WITH HONOR bumped between rivals at the break, raced along the outside and failed to menace. MISTRETTE took the inside route, was asked for run from the half mile pole, never posed a threat. PURE LOVE argued for control from the inside until the five-sixteenths pole, backed away despite being asked for some run. ANDREA'S MOON was steadied after making contact with DO IT WITH HONOR, tracked the ongoing pace fight from the rail, faltered. CHRISTIN'S ROCKET trailed.