

**CHURCHILL DOWNS - June 26, 1997 - Race 1**

MAIDEN CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

For Fillies And Mares, Three Years Old And Upward. Three Years Old, 112 lbs.; Older, 121 lbs. CLAIMING PRICE \$30,000. for each \$2,500 to \$20,000 1 lb. **Claiming Price:** \$30,000 - \$20,000

Six And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Love At Noon - 1:14.34 - May 5, 2001)

**Purse:** \$21,000

**Plus:** \$2,400 Other Sources

**Available Money:** \$23,400

**Value of Race:** \$23,400 1st \$14,508, 2nd \$4,680, 3rd \$2,340, 4th \$1,170, 5th \$702

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 3:02 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
17May97 <sup>2</sup> CD <sup>2</sup>	4	G. U. Ginger (Day, Pat)	117	L f	4	4	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Nose</sup>	2.30*	clear, just lasted
27Mar97 <sup>2</sup> TP <sup>3</sup>	9	Ice Castle (Torres, Francisco)	112	L bf	9	8	9 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	11.80	closed fast, outfinisid
21May97 <sup>3</sup> CD <sup>2</sup>	8	High Time Gal (Johnston, Jeff)	112	L f	8	2	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	35.40	pressed pace, game
21May97 <sup>3</sup> CD <sup>4</sup>	3	Airway (Barton, Donna)	112	L	3	5	6 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	23.80	middle move, hung
11May97 <sup>6</sup> CD <sup>6</sup>	5	Striking Destiny (Borel, Calvin)	113	L	5	1	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	2.80	dueled, gave way
---	6	Cuddleskin (Johnson, Joe)	112	L	6	7	8 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>4</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	22.80	middle move, tired
10Apr97 <sup>2</sup> OP <sup>2</sup>	2	Silver Up Under (Court, Jon)	112	L b	2	3	7 <sup>1/2</sup>	9 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	8 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>Neck</sup>	12.80	passed tiring rivals
21May97 <sup>5</sup> CD <sup>9</sup>	1	Melisa (Cooksey, Patricia)	117	L b	1	11	11	10 <sup>Head</sup>	9 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>4</sup>	20.80	off slowly, far back
---	7	Avie's Bounce Pass (Castillo, Oliver)	107 <sup>7</sup>	L	7	6	4 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	9 <sup>9</sup>	61.00	brief speed, faded
20Apr97 <sup>5</sup> KEE <sup>2</sup>	11	Lazy Moon (Albarado, Robby)	112	L b	11	9	5 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>12</sup>	10 <sup>14</sup>	3.20	brief speed, stopped
---	10	Cheerful Liz (Arguello, Jr., Fabio)	112	L b	10	10	10 <sup>3</sup>	11	11	11	13.20	no speed, outrun

**Fractional Times:** 23.08 46.86 1:13.23

**Final Time:** 1:19.82

**Split Times:** (23:78) (26:37) (6:59)

**Run-Up:** 0 feet

**Winner:** G. U. Ginger, Bay Filly, by Fred Astaire out of G. U. Dreamer, by Tarsal. Foaled May 12, 1993 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Thomas L. Nichols & MaxineNichols. **Winning Owner:** Smith, Thomas V. and Nichols, Thomas L.

**1 Claimed Horse(s): Striking Destiny** New Trainer: Michael E. Lauer New Owner: Z Quine Investments II

**Claiming Prices:** 4 - G. U. Ginger: \$20,000; 9 - Ice Castle: \$30,000; 8 - High Time Gal: \$30,000; 3 - Airway: \$30,000; 5 - Striking Destiny: \$30,000; 6 - Cuddleskin: \$30,000; 2 - Silver Up Under: \$30,000; 1 - Melisa: \$20,000; 7 - Avie's Bounce Pass: \$30,000; 11 - Lazy Moon: \$30,000; 10 - Cheerful Liz: \$30,000;

**Scratched Horse(s):** Hardtobe ()

**Total WPS Pool:** \$123,747

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	G. U. Ginger	6.60	4.60	3.40		4-9	67.00	114,248
9	Ice Castle		8.80	6.20		4-9-8	687.20	106,079
8	High Time Gal			11.00		21	34.40	85
						EVEN	5.00	181

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
4	G. U. Ginger	4	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Nose</sup>
9	Ice Castle	8	9 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Nose</sup>
8	High Time Gal	2	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>
3	Airway	5	6 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>3 1/2</sup>
5	Striking Destiny	1	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>9</sup>
6	Cuddleskin	7	8 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	6 <sup>7</sup>	6 <sup>9 1/2</sup>
2	Silver Up Under	3	7 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	9 <sup>11 1/4</sup>	8 <sup>11 1/4</sup>	7 <sup>9 3/4</sup>
1	Melisa	11	11 <sup>8 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>16 3/4</sup>	9 <sup>13 1/4</sup>	8 <sup>10</sup>
7	Avie's Bounce Pass	6	4 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	6 <sup>4 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>11</sup>	9 <sup>14</sup>
11	Lazy Moon	9	5 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	8 <sup>6 3/4</sup>	10 <sup>16 1/4</sup>	10 <sup>23</sup>
10	Cheerful Liz	10	10 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	11 <sup>16 3/4</sup>	11 <sup>28 1/4</sup>	11 <sup>37</sup>

**Trainers:** 4 - Smith, Thomas; 9 - Arnold, II, George; 8 - VanHoosier, Howard; 3 - Scherer, Merrill; 5 - Stall, Jr., Albert; 6 - Bell, Michael; 2 - Martin, Joseph; 1 - Jolley, James; 7 - Sims, Philip; 11 - Wigginton, Jesse; 10 - Von Hemel, Don

**Owners:** 4 - Smith, Thomas V. and Nichols, Thomas L.; 9 -G. Watts Humphrey, Jr.; 8 -Jerry A. Stambaugh; 3 -Jack C. Langston; 5 -Richard S. Salters; 6 - McMoney LLC; 2 -Jimmy D. Hamilton; 1 -Paul Asher; 7 - Demarcus, W., McMakin, N. and Sims, P.; 11 - Poe, James T. and Wigginton, Jesse N.; 10 -Jack K. Braddock;

**Footnotes**