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EVANGELINE DOWNS - May 8, 2010 - Race 8

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred
 FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON THREE RACES OR CLAIMING PRICE \$15,000. Three
 Year Olds, 118 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners of a race since April 8 Allowed 3 lbs. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$15,000
 Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Mico Margarita - 1:08.37 - April 12, 2014)

Purse: \$24,000

Includes: \$16,000 Other Sources

Plus: \$6,200 ALBSS-Accredited LA Bred Slot Supplement

Available Money: \$30,200

Value of Race: \$25,922 1st \$14,400, 2nd \$6,040, 3rd \$3,322, 4th \$1,440, 5th \$720

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 8:54 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
15Apr10 ⁸ EVD ³	3	Giant Hit (Patin, Billy)	120	L bf	3	4	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ²	3.70	press inside, driving
17Apr10 ⁹ EVD ²	6	Call Me Collect (Dugas, Dustin)	117	L b	6	2	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Nose}	2.70	rallied, 5w, bid,hung
5Mar10 ⁸ DED ⁸	5	Sparkling Keat (Meche, Donnie)	119	L	5	3	6 ²	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/4}	16.50	settled, 3w, bid, hung
15Mar10 ⁷ FG ⁸	7	British Medium (Melancon, Gerard)	120	L b	7	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	4.80	pace, drew off, tired
15Mar10 ¹ FG ¹	2	Cya Later Bert (Hernandez, Colby)	120	L bf	2	6	5 ¹	6 ⁴	6 ³	5 ^{3/4}	2.50*	bid, blocked,angled in
21Aug09 ⁶ PID ⁹	4	Tiger Shark (Martin, Jr., Eddie)	120	L	4	5	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	6 ^{2 1/2}	15.40	quick move, 3w, tired
17Apr10 ⁹ EVD ⁷	1	Cubera (Jacinto, John)	117	L bf	1	7	7	7	7	7	5.30	swung 5w, no threat

Fractional Times: 22.83 46.17 58.67

Final Time: 1:11.21

Split Times: (23:34) (12:50) (12:54)

Run-Up: 40 feet

Winner: Giant Hit, Chestnut Horse, by [Giant's Causeway](#) out of Morelia, by Deputy Minister. Foaled Apr 19, 2003 in Kentucky.

GIANT'S CAUSEWAY Winner's sire standing at Ashford Stud

Breeder: Louis J. Roussel, III. **Winning Owner:** Shawna C. Gifford

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Cya Later Bert** New Trainer: Ricky Bourque New Owner: Maurice W Smith

Claiming Prices: 3 - Giant Hit: \$15,000; 6 - Call Me Collect: \$15,000; 2 - Cya Later Bert: \$15,000; 1 - Cubera: \$15,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$34,982

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Giant Hit	9.40	5.60	4.80	\$2.00 Exacta	3-6	38.20	28,989
6	Call Me Collect		4.00	3.40	\$2.00 Quinella	3-6	17.40	3,163
5	Sparkling Keat			8.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	3-6-5	367.00	27,426
					\$2.00 Pick 3	11-9-3 (3 correct)	985.20	5,912

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Giant Hit	4	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ²
6	Call Me Collect	2	4 ^{3/4}	4 ²	3 ^{Head}	2 ²
5	Sparkling Keat	3	6 ^{2 1/4}	5 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{Neck}	3 ²
7	British Medium	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	2 ^{Head}	4 ^{3 1/4}
2	Cya Later Bert	6	5 ^{1 1/4}	6 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{3 3/4}
4	Tiger Shark	5	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{4 1/2}
1	Cubera	7	7 ^{4 1/4}	7 ^{6 1/2}	7 ^{3 1/2}	7 ⁷

Trainers: 3 - Matthieu, Ronald; 6 - Bourgeois, Keith; 5 - Brinkman, Brett; 7 - Taylor, John; 2 - Bourgeois, Keith; 4 - Irwin, Ralph; 1 - Arceneaux, Victor

Owners: 3 -Shawna C. Gifford; 6 -Timothy C. Guidry; 5 - Heiligbrodt Racing Stable; 7 - Greenberg Racing Stable LLC; 2 - Hardy Farms LLC; 4 -Jennifer Hayes; 1 -Vinton Crosby;

Footnotes

GIANT HIT pressed the early pace from the inside, saved ground on the turn then rallied along the inside in the stretch, powered up to the front in mid stretch then dug in gamely to prove best in the end. CALL ME COLLECT was allowed to settle while racing three wide, rallied in upper stretch five wide, dug in gamely for the stretch drive making a strong bid to mid stretch but came up empty in the end while holding the place safe in the final stride. SPARKLING KEAT was settled while racing three wide, rallied three wide for the stretch drive making a bid in mid stretch but was outfinished for the place in the end. BRITISH MEDIUM set the early pace while being pressured, drew off on the turn then was in a long sustained drive but tired in late stretch. CYA LATER BERT was inside on the turn saving ground, made a bid while two wide, was blocked behind rivals in mid stretch, angled inside late but came up empty in the end. TIGER SHARK made a quick three wide move while at the half mile pole to pressed the pace, was hard used then weakened in late stretch. CUBERA was unhurried early then swung out to be five wide in upper stretch but was no threat.