

FORT ERIE - July 26, 2010 - Race 8

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE IN 2010. Three Year Olds, 116 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs.

Non-winners Of Three Races In 2009 Allowed 2 lbs. Two Races In 2009 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$4,000 (Races where

entered for \$3,500 or less not considered in allowances) (Colts and Geldings Preferred). (NW1 6M) **Claiming Price:** \$4,000

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Set in Stone - 1:08.18 - June 15, 2010)

All money values represented in Canadian currency unless noted otherwise

Purse: \$10,080

Includes: \$1,680 State Bred

Available Money: \$10,080

Value of Race: \$8,400 (US\$8,108) 1st \$5,040 (US\$4,865) , 2nd \$1,680 (US\$1,622) , 3rd \$840 (US\$811) , 4th \$336 (US\$324) , 5th \$84 (US\$81) , 6th \$84 (US\$81) , 7th \$84 (US\$81) , 8th \$84 (US\$81) , 9th \$84 (US\$81) , 10th \$84 (US\$81)

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:51 **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
13Jul10 ¹ FE ⁴	3	Tropical Soldier (Morrow, Richard)	113 ⁵ L bf	3	1	1 ³	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ² 1/2	27.35	clear, drew off
12Jul10 ⁵ FE ³	4	Fourth Top (Villeneuve, Francine)	122 L b	4	2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ⁴	2 ³	2 ¹ 1/4	9.50	bid, 2nd best
12Jul10 ⁵ FE ²	1	Pure Rey (ARG) (Wilson, Bradley)	117 ⁵ L	1	5	3 ^{Head}	6 ¹ 1/2	5 ²	3 ¹ 1/4	1.60*	4-path, willingly
12Jul10 ⁵ FE ⁴	9	El Gran Marco (Moore, Matt)	122 L b	8	9	9 ⁴	7 ³	6 ²	4 ¹ 1/4	41.45	5-path, fin well
13Jul10 ⁷ FE ²	7	Very Clever Beau (Johnson, Kirk)	120 bf	6	7	5 ^{Head}	5 ³	3 ¹	5 ^{Neck}	14.90	ins turn, fin evenly
13Jul10 ¹ FE ³	11	Wise Knight (Ramirez, Martin)	122 L f	10	3	7 ¹	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	6 ²	3.45	3-p, factor, faded
5Jul10 ⁷ FE ²	2	Wonderous Glory (Griffith, Christopher)	122 L	2	4	4 ^{Head}	8 ¹	8 ¹	7 ¹ 1/2	5.05	in tight, no factor
6Jul10 ⁹ FE ³	10	Birdie Bobby B (Cheyne, Brian)	113 ⁵ L	9	10	10	9 ¹	9 ²	8 ¹ 1/4	57.70	5-p, failed to fire
13Jun10 ⁸ FE ⁶	8	Indy Joe (Sealock, Regina)	118 L b	7	8	6 ^{Head}	4 ^{Head}	7 ¹	9 ¹ 3/4	11.65	btw foes turn gave way
5Jul10 ⁷ FE ⁸	6	Melody of Gold (Carignan, Krista)	122 L b	5	6	8 ⁵	10	10	10	7.05	never a threat

Fractional Times: 22.30 45.77 58.48

Final Time: 1:11.79

Split Times: (23:47) (12:71) (13:31)

Run-Up: 35 feet

Winner: Tropical Soldier, Bay Gelding, by Elusive Quality out of Bering Cruise, by Danzig. Foaled Apr 03, 2004 in Kentucky.

Breeder: W. S. Farish & Kilroy ThoroughbredPartnership. **Winning Owner:** Ascot Stud and Defiant Racing Stables LLC

Claiming Prices: 3 - Tropical Soldier: \$4,000; 4 - Fourth Top: \$4,000; 1 - Pure Rey (ARG): \$4,000; 9 - El Gran Marco: \$4,000; 7 - Very Clever Beau: \$4,000; 11 - Wise Knight: \$4,000; 2 - Wonderous Glory: \$4,000; 10 - Birdie Bobby B: \$4,000; 8 - Indy Joe: \$4,000; 6 - Melody of Gold: \$4,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Vegas Angel (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$34,580

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
3	Tropical Soldier	56.70	24.80	13.90	\$2.00 Exactor	3-4	412.80	24,528
4	Fourth Top		11.00	7.30	\$2.00 Triactor	3-4-1	3,992.30	22,489
1	Pure Rey (ARG)			3.00	\$1.00 Pick 3	2/5-1-3 (3 correct)	288.15	2,780
					\$2.00 Daily Double	1-3	48.40	5,052
					\$2.00 Daily Double	1-5	3.20	0
					\$1.00 Superfecta	3-4-1-9	44,279.25	11,998

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
3	Tropical Soldier	1	1 ³	1 ² 1/2	1 ¹ 1/2	1 ² 1/2
4	Fourth Top	2	2 ³	2 ² 1/2	2 ¹ 1/2	2 ² 1/2
1	Pure Rey (ARG)	5	3 ⁴ 1/2	6 ⁹ 3/4	5 ⁵ 1/2	3 ³ 3/4
9	El Gran Marco	9	9 ¹¹	7 ¹¹ 1/4	6 ⁷ 1/2	4 ⁵
7	Very Clever Beau	7	5 ⁴ 3/4	5 ⁶ 3/4	3 ⁴ 1/2	5 ⁶ 1/4
11	Wise Knight	3	7 ⁵	3 ⁶ 1/2	4 ⁵ 1/2	6 ⁶ 1/2
2	Wonderous Glory	4	4 ⁴ 1/2	8 ¹⁴ 1/4	8 ¹⁰ 1/2	7 ⁸ 1/2
10	Birdie Bobby B	10	10 ¹⁵	9 ¹⁵ 1/4	9 ¹¹ 1/2	8 ¹⁰
8	Indy Joe	8	6 ⁴ 3/4	4 ⁶ 1/2	7 ⁹ 1/2	9 ¹¹ 1/4
6	Melody of Gold	6	8 ⁶	10 ¹⁶ 1/4	10 ¹³ 1/2	10 ¹³

Trainers: 3 - Goldenberg, James; 4 - Cloutier, Richard; 1 - Squires, Nathan; 9 - Simms, John; 7 - Wright, Jr., Michael; 11 - Fournier, Mark; 2 - Pion, Sylvain; 10 - Morrison, Scott; 8 - Sloan, Harry; 6 - Arnold, Rise

Owners: 3 - Ascot Stud and Defiant Racing Stables LLC; 4 - Canvasback Farms; 1 -Lamar Squires; 9 -Thomas L. Grimes; 7 -Bruno Schickedanz; 11 - T.J.R.S. Inc., Burwell, Dan and Fournier, Jack; 2 -Walter Cunningham; 10 -Scott D. Morrison; 8 -Lionel Pereira; 6 -Rise Arnold;

Footnotes

TROPICAL SOLDIER showed speed, was clear on the turn, had mild pressure through the stretch and drew off. FOURTH TOP stalked the leader, chased on the turn, had a bid at the top of the stretch but was second best. PURE REY (ARG) was in touch, gained ground on the turn, four path at the top of the stretch and closed willingly. EL GRAN MARCO was unhurried early, moved up on the turn, five path at the top of the stretch and finished well. VERY CLEVER BEAU was in mid pack, roused from the inside on the turn and finished evenly. WISE KNIGHT was unhurried early, had a mild gain from the three path on the turn, was a factor at the top of the stretch but faded. WONDEROUS GLORY was in range early, in tight into the turn and no factor from there. BIRDIE BOBBY B trailed the field early, five path at the top of the stretch but failed to fire. INDY JOE was back early, had a mild gain between foes on the turn and gave way in the lane. MELODY OF GOLD was in mid field, showed little and was never a threat.