

FAIRMOUNT PARK - July 29, 2011 - Race 3

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON A RACE IN 2011 OR WHICH HAVE NEVER WON FOUR RACES. Three Year Olds, 116 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of Two Races Since May 29 Allowed 3 lbs. A race since then Allowed 6 lbs. Claiming Price \$3,200. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$3,200

Five Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Slight in the Rear - 56.80 - July 25, 1989)

Purse: \$3,600

Available Money: \$3,600

Value of Race: \$3,600 1st \$2,160, 2nd \$720, 3rd \$360, 4th \$180, 5th \$79, 6th \$51, 7th \$50

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 8:26 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
12Jul11 ⁸ FP ³	4	Sabago (Lopez, Uriel)	118	L	bf	4 3	5 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2.80	3-5wide turn,in time
12Jul11 ⁸ FP ⁴	6	Illini Destiny (Pitty, Camilo)	118	L	b	6 1	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Neck}	3.60	3-4wd turn,dueled late
23Jul11 ⁷ FP ⁵	2	Sharp Roma (Lopez, Jose)	116 ⁵	L	b	2 7	6 ²	6 ²	5 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	7.70	checked 1/4,boxed 1/8
9Jul11 ⁵ FP ⁵	1	Northern Guy (James, Michael)	118	L	b	1 5	3 ²	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	4 ^{2 3/4}	17.20	insid,clear,not enough
9Jul11 ¹ FP ¹	3	Eli's Magic (Hernandez, Rafael)	121	L	b	3 4	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ¹	6 ²	5 ^{2 3/4}	1.30*	insid 1/4,evenly strch
9Jul11 ⁷ FP ⁷	5	Principal Balance (Cummings, Robert)	119	L	b	5 2	1 ^{Head}	2 ²	3 ¹	6 ^{1 3/4}	19.00	2-3 path turn,weakened
19Jul11 ³ FP ³	7	Coach Abs (Cruz, Erick)	118	L		7 6	7	7	7	7	11.10	angld in turn,no rally

Fractional Times: 23.20 47.20

Final Time: 1:00.40

Split Times: (24:00) (13:20)

Run-Up: 9 feet

Winner: Sabago, Gray or Roan Gelding, by Devil His Due out of Silver Wench, by Silver Ghost. Foaled Apr 19, 2006 in Kentucky.

Breeder: Mike Hunt & Dale Smith. **Winning Owner:** Rakers, Steffanie and Kevin

Claiming Prices: 4 - Sabago: \$3,200; 6 - Illini Destiny: \$3,200; 2 - Sharp Roma: \$3,200; 1 - Northern Guy: \$3,200; 3 - Eli's Magic: \$3,200; 5 - Principal Balance: \$3,200; 7 - Coach Abs: \$3,200;

Total WPS Pool: \$12,486

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Sabago	7.60	3.80	2.80	\$2.00 Exacta	4-6	23.20	6,429
6	Illini Destiny		4.60	3.80	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-6-2	120.40	7,028
2	Sharp Roma			4.00				

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	3/16	3/8	Str	Fin
4	Sabago	3	5 ^{3 3/4}	5 ⁴	4 ^{3 1/2}	1 ^{1/2}
6	Illini Destiny	1	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{2 1/2}	2 ²	2 ^{1/2}
2	Sharp Roma	7	6 ^{3 3/4}	6 ^{4 1/2}	5 ⁴	3 ^{3/4}
1	Northern Guy	5	3 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ²	4 ^{1 1/4}
3	Eli's Magic	4	4 ^{2 1/4}	4 ³	6 ^{4 1/2}	5 ⁴
5	Principal Balance	2	1 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{6 3/4}
7	Coach Abs	6	7 ^{5 3/4}	7 ^{6 1/2}	7 ^{6 1/2}	7 ^{8 1/2}

Trainers: 4 - Rakers, Steffanie; 6 - Roberts, Robert; 2 - Medina, Frankie; 1 - Walker, Jr., Charles; 3 - Nance, Michael; 5 - Walker, Jr., Charles; 7 - O'Hallaron, Daniel

Owners: 4 - Rakers, Steffanie and Kevin; 6 -Alanda S. Roberts; 2 -Austreberto Cortez; 1 -Gordon L. Holland; 3 - M. Y. Stables, Inc.; 5 -Charles C. Walker, Jr.; 7 - O'Hallaron, Christina and Daniel;

Footnotes

SABAGO checked briefly behind traffic nearing the half mile marker, was three to five wide taking the turn, rallied in the lane, battled on even terms inside the final sixteenth and edged ahead nearing the wire. ILLINI DESTINY contested the pace from outside, did not keep up three wide on the turn, fanned out further entering the stretch, slowly lugged in as he rallied inside the final furlong, fought on even terms inside the last sixteenth but was outfinished in a game effort. SHARP ROMA hustled along from the beginning, had the rail into the turn, was checked behind traffic nearing the quarter pole, altered out some, came three wide into the stretch, was boxed in with a furlong to go, gained a clear path three wide approaching the final sixteenth, closed well but too late. NORTHERN GUY was sent to vie for the lead from inside, moved clear when asked leaving the turn, was just off the rail entering the stretch, moved to the inside near the eighth pole and slowly yielded the last sixteenth. ELI'S MAGIC in contention two wide on the backstretch, took the rail on the bend, began to back up as he floated out behind NORTHERN GUY into the lane, was boxed in, moved to the rail near the furlong marker and failed to have the needed late response. PRINCIPAL BALANCE displayed early speed between horses, could not stay with NORTHERN GUY leaving the turn, gradually flattened and was angled out when his path was taken nearing the sixteenth pole. COACH ABS soon trailed from outside, moved to the inside on the turn and lacked a stretch bid.