**GOLDEN GATE FIELDS - December 30, 2012 - Race 5**
CLAIMING - For Thoroughbred Three Year Old and Upward (NW1 Y X) **Claiming Price:** $4,000
One Mile On The All Weather Track **Track Record:** (Trick of the North - 1:35.92 - January 5, 2008)
**Purse:** $9,000
**Plus:** $300 Other Sources
**Available Money:** $9,300
**Value of Race:** $9,300 1st $4,950, 2nd $1,800, 3rd $1,350, 4th $675, 5th $225, 6th $100, 7th $100, 8th $100
**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Fast
**Off at:** 2:50 **Start:** Good for all

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| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 21Oct12 $^{9}$LBG$^{4}$ | 1 | Hard to Be Humble (Espitia, Jorge) | 123 | L f | 1 | 3 | $1^{1}$ | $2^{1/2}$ | $1^{1\ 1/2}$ | $1^{2}$ | $1^{1\ 1/4}$ | 12.40 | pace rail,determinedly |
| 1Dec12 $^{9}$GG$^{5}$ | 2 | Midnight Con (Carr, Dennis) | 121 | L | 2 | 7 | 8 | $7^{Head}$ | $5^{1/2}$ | $2^{1}$ | $2^{Nose}$ | 4.00 | svd grnd,stayed on |
| 8Dec12 $^{4}$GG$^{4}$ | 3 | Life Is a Rock (Flores, Pedro) | 123 | L | 3 | 1 | $6^{1}$ | $6^{1\ 1/2}$ | $7^{Head}$ | $5^{1/2}$ | $3^{1/2}$ | 9.80 | boxed,crowded 1/8p |
| 15Dec12 $^{1}$GG$^{7}$ | 8 | Walker Rd. (Boag, April) | 123 | L b | 8 | 8 | $5^{1/2}$ | $5^{1}$ | $6^{2}$ | $4^{1/2}$ | $4^{3\ 1/2}$ | 4.50 | 7w early,bid 5w,rally |
| 6Dec12 $^{4}$BHP$^{5}$ | 6 | Fire Break (Baze, Russell) | 123 | L bf | 6 | 5 | $4^{1\ 1/2}$ | $4^{2}$ | $2^{Head}$ | $3^{Head}$ | $5^{1}$ | 0.90* | 5-4wide, weakened |
| 16Dec12 $^{9}$GG$^{8}$ | 5 | Ministerfrommiami (Perez, Arnold) | 116 | L | 5 | 4 | $3^{Head}$ | $3^{Head}$ | $3^{Head}$ | $7^{1}$ | $6^{Nose}$ | 22.80 | pace 4-3w, gave way |
| 16Dec12 $^{9}$GG$^{7}$ | 7 | Cimmaron Kid (Duran, Francisco) | 123 | L b | 7 | 6 | $7^{1/2}$ | 8 | 8 | 8 | $7^{3}$ | 26.10 | 6w early,bid 4w,wknd |
| 21Oct12 $^{8}$GG$^{10}$ | 4 | Sound'o Glory (Essman, David) | 123 | L b | 4 | 2 | $2^{Head}$ | $1^{Head}$ | $4^{1}$ | $6^{Head}$ | 8 | 30.00 | pace 3w, gave out |

**Fractional Times:** 25.11 49.46 1:14.61 1:27.59 **Final Time:** 1:40.67
**Split Times:** (24:35) (25:15) (12:98) (13:08)
**Run-Up:** 85 feet

**Winner:** Hard to Be Humble, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Mobil out of Palace Uprising, by Kiridashi. Foaled Mar 27, 2007 in AB.
**Breeder:** Peaceful Valley Stable. **Winning Owner:** Robert O. Allen

**Claiming Prices:** 1 - Hard to Be Humble: $4,000; 2 - Midnight Con: $4,000; 3 - Life Is a Rock: $4,000; 8 - Walker Rd.: $4,000; 6 - Fire Break: $4,000; 5 - Ministerfrommiami: $4,000; 7 - Cimmaron Kid: $4,000; 4 - Sound'o Glory: $4,000;

**Total WPS Pool:** $71,764

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Hard to Be Humble | 26.80 | 10.40 | 6.00 | $1.00 Exacta | 1-2 | 71.00 | 50,804 |
| 2 | Midnight Con | | 4.60 | 3.80 | $1.00 Trifecta | 1-2-3 | 366.50 | 48,553 |
| 3 | Life Is a Rock | | | 5.20 | $2.00 Daily Double | 2-1 | 87.60 | 4,251 |
| | | | | | $1.00 Pick 3 | 2-2-1 (3 correct) | 123.50 | 10,044 |
| | | | | | $1.00 Superfecta | 1-2-3-8 | 1,975.20 | 41,440 |
| | | | | | $1.00 Super High Five | 1-2-3-8-6 | 6,292.00 | 17,789 |

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Hard to Be Humble | 3 | $1^{1}$ | $2^{Head}$ | $1^{1\ 1/2}$ | $1^{2}$ | $1^{1\ 1/4}$ |
| 2 | Midnight Con | 7 | $8^{4\ 3/4}$ | $7^{5\ 1/4}$ | $5^{2\ 3/4}$ | $2^{2}$ | $2^{1\ 1/4}$ |
| 3 | Life Is a Rock | 1 | $6^{3\ 1/4}$ | $6^{3\ 3/4}$ | $7^{5\ 1/4}$ | $5^{3\ 1/2}$ | $3^{1\ 1/4}$ |
| 8 | Walker Rd. | 8 | $5^{2\ 3/4}$ | $5^{2\ 3/4}$ | $6^{3\ 1/4}$ | $4^{3}$ | $4^{1\ 3/4}$ |
| 6 | Fire Break | 5 | $4^{1\ 1/4}$ | $4^{3/4}$ | $2^{1\ 1/2}$ | $3^{3}$ | $5^{5\ 1/4}$ |
| 5 | Ministerfrommiami | 4 | $3^{1}$ | $3^{1/2}$ | $3^{1\ 1/2}$ | $7^{4\ 1/4}$ | $6^{6\ 1/4}$ |
| 7 | Cimmaron Kid | 6 | $7^{4\ 1/4}$ | $8^{5\ 1/4}$ | $8^{5\ 1/4}$ | $8^{5\ 1/4}$ | $7^{6\ 1/4}$ |
| 4 | Sound'o Glory | 2 | $2^{1}$ | $1^{Head}$ | $4^{1\ 3/4}$ | $6^{4}$ | $8^{9\ 1/4}$ |

**Trainers:** 1 - Cone, Rodney; 2 - Vallejo, Genaro; 3 - Aquino, Angela; 8 - Greiner, Gary; 6 - Miller, Peter; 5 - Nolan, William; 7 - DeLima, Clifford; 4 - Murphy, Susan

**Owners:** 1 -Robert O. Allen; 2 - Girdner, Paul K. and Jones, Reginald C.; 3 -Angela Maria Aquino; 8 - Greiner, Gary D., Hicks, Desiree and Lapham, Ron P.; 6 - Altamira Racing Stable; 5 -David M. Walker; 7 -Barbara DeLima; 4 - 4-Fun Stable and Pedroncelli, Jim;

**Footnotes**
HARD TO BE HUMBLE was pushed to the front early, dueled on the backstretch while inside rivals, inched clear on the second turn then dug in determinedly to hold. MIDNIGHT CON had no speed, saved ground while rallying on the second turn, responded in the drive, could not impact the winner and just saved the place. LIFE IS A ROCK was allowed to settle to the half, was boxed behind rivals on the second turn, tried to rally inside once in the stretch but was crowded between rivals, took up and shifted out in mid stretch then made a late surge but just missed second. WALKER RD. was fanned seven wide on the first turn, tracked the pace while widest down the backstretch, remained five wide to the stretch but closed willingly through the final furlong. FIRE BREAK was five wide to the backstretch, attended the pace widest to the second turn, came four wide to the stretch but weakened in the drive. MINISTERFROMMIAMI was four wide early, contested the pace between rivals to the second turn while three wide but gave way after six furlongs. CIMMARON KID was caught out six deep to the backstretch, eased inwards to try to save some ground, trailed to the stretch and failed to rally. SOUND'O GLORY attended the pace for six furlongs then gave out.

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