

LOS ALAMITOS - February 21, 2014 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES. Weight, 123 lbs. Non-winners of a race since December 21, 2013 Allowed 3 lbs. Claiming Price \$5,000 (Maiden Races And Races For \$4,000 Or Less Not Considered). (NW2 L

X) **Claiming Price:** \$5,000

Four And One Half Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Valiant Pete - 49.20 - August 11, 1990)

Purse: \$12,000

Available Money: \$12,000

Value of Race: \$12,000 1st \$6,295, 2nd \$2,585, 3rd \$1,445, 4th \$875, 5th \$400, 6th \$400

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 7:03 **Start:** Good for all except 4,5



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
12Jan14 ⁵ GG ⁶	2	Sparkle Joel (Russell, Chris)	123	BL b	2	2	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}	5.20	drifted out trn,dug in
10Jan14 ¹ LA ⁵	5	Mi Agave (Gavica, Gerardo)	120	BL b	5	4	2 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	4.30	brk in,bpd,floated out
31Jan14 ³ LA ¹	3	Changing Karma (Bednar, Vinnie)	123	BL b	3	1	3 ¹	3 ²	3 ^{Neck}	0.70*	angled in, evenly late
31Jan14 ³ LA ³	4	Backstreet Boss (Guce, Ramon)	120	BL b	4	6	5 ⁴	5 ³	4 ^{3 1/2}	3.70	bpd brk, angled out
12Jan14 ¹ LA ²	1	Kettle Man (Navarro, Dionicio)	124	BL b	1	3	4 ³	4 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	18.20	inside, 2wd, weakened
9Feb14 ² LA ²	6	Expensive Pens (Hernandez, Efrain)	120	BL f	6	5	6	6	6	29.70	rail, no menace

Fractional Times: 21.70 45.28

Final Time: 51.65

Split Times: (23:58) (6:37)

Run-Up: 12 feet

Winner: Sparkle Joel, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Indian Country out of Glitter of Sun, by Glitterman. Foaled Apr 02, 2008 in California.

Breeder: Bill Dow, Bob Apodoca, Joel Walker & Guy Pfister. **Winning Owner:** Jose J. Avalos

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Backstreet Boss** New Trainer: Ryan Hanson New Owner: Hanson, Mark and Ryan

Claiming Prices: 2 - Sparkle Joel: \$5,000; 5 - Mi Agave: \$5,000; 3 - Changing Karma: \$5,000; 4 - Backstreet Boss: \$5,000; 1 - Kettle Man: \$5,000; 6 - Expensive Pens: \$5,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$25,254

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Sparkle Joel	12.40	5.40	3.00	\$1.00 Exacta	2-5	23.80	14,095
5	Mi Agave		4.80	3.00	\$1.00 Trifecta	2-5-3	77.30	13,769
3	Changing Karma			2.10	\$1.00 Superfecta	2-5-3-4	137.80	14,305

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	Str	Fin
2	Sparkle Joel	2	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}
5	Mi Agave	4	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/4}
3	Changing Karma	1	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 3/4}
4	Backstreet Boss	6	5 ^{5 1/2}	5 ⁴	4 ³
1	Kettle Man	3	4 ^{2 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	5 ^{6 1/2}
6	Expensive Pens	5	6 ^{9 1/2}	6 ⁷	6 ^{6 1/2}

Trainers: 2 - Avalos, Jose; 5 - Ho, Herbert; 3 - Bazley, Thomas; 4 - Wallace, II, Jerry; 1 - Berman, Eric; 6 - Gomez, Ruben

Owners: 2 -Jose J. Avalos; 5 -Diana L. Lopez; 3 -C. J. Gonsalves; 4 - Aselage, Stephen and Aselage, Cindy; 1 - Berman, Eric and Tilley, Richard; 6 - Folgner, Gary J. and Gomez, Ruben;

Footnotes

SPARKLE JOEL sped to the front and set the pace, felt pressure to the outside on the turn, drifted out around the bend, dueled in the stretch, then dug in and kicked clear late. MI AGAVE broke in and bumped rival at the start, attended the pace from the outside, bid alongside the leader on the turn, was floated out around the bend, challenged in the lane but flattened late. CHANGING KARMA showed early speed, chased off the rail, angled in on the turn, then finished evenly through the drive. BACKSTREET BOSS bumped at the start, settled off the pace, raced two wide into the turn, angled out leaving the bend and made mild gain on the winner late. KETTLE MAN was along the inside down the backstretch, angled two wide around the turn and weakened in the stretch. EXPENSIVE PENS showed no early speed, angled in and traveled near the rail through the turn and proved no menace.