

**LOUISIANA DOWNS - December 22, 2005 - Race 4**

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE, FOUR, AND FIVE YEARS OLD. Three Year Olds, 121 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs.

(Preference To Horses That Have Not Started For Less Than \$25,000).

Seven Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Carrysport - 1:21.60 - July 4, 1984)

**Purse:** \$39,000


**Includes:** \$6,800 Other Sources

**Available Money:** \$39,000

**Value of Race:** \$39,000 1st \$23,400, 2nd \$7,800, 3rd \$4,290, 4th \$2,340, 5th \$1,170

**Weather:** Clear **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 1:54 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
1Dec05 <sup>7</sup> LAD <sup>2</sup>	6	Love Ballad (Chapa, Roman) 	121	L	6	4	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>	0.70*	took over when roused
7Sep04 <sup>6</sup> DEL <sup>10</sup>	1	Shareshten (Lejeune, John)	122	L	1	2	2 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	113.60	pace inside, 2nd best
1Dec05 <sup>7</sup> LAD <sup>3</sup>	3	Tawnka (Hebert, Tracy)	121	L b	3	8	7 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	4.00	4-w mid move, hung
1Dec05 <sup>7</sup> LAD <sup>6</sup>	7	Victoria Regina (Burningham, Jeffery)	121	L f	7	10	9 <sup>5</sup>	7 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>3/4</sup>	32.30	angled out, improved
1Dec05 <sup>7</sup> LAD <sup>7</sup>	4	Straitshootn Lady (Berry, M.)	121	L	4	3	4 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	37.40	lacked late kick
8Nov05 <sup>6</sup> CD <sup>6</sup>	11	Gouge (Thompson, Terry)	121	L	10	9	10	10	8 <sup>7</sup>	6 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	11.10	passed tiring foes
7Dec05 <sup>7</sup> HOU <sup>5</sup>	2	Victory Park (McNeil, Tony)	121	L	2	1	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	12.40	weakened drive
9Apr05 <sup>7</sup> OP <sup>11</sup>	10	Gorgeous Tale (Lanerie, Corey)	121	L	9	5	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	17.70	gave way drive
---	9	Belongs in Lights (Graham, James)	121	L	8	7	8 <sup>1/2</sup>	9 <sup>3</sup>	9 <sup>1</sup>	9 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	6.30	always back
---	5	Meadowlake Moon (Quinonez, Belen)	121	b	5	6	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	8 <sup>1/2</sup>	10	10	27.00	retreated

**Fractional Times:** 23.25 46.73 1:12.41

**Final Time:** 1:25.50

**Split Times:** (23:48) (25:68) (13:09)

**Run-Up:** 0 feet

**Winner:** Love Ballad, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by Yankee Victor out of Tryst, by Cryptoclearance. Foaled Mar 20, 2002 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Brereton C. Jones. **Winning Owner:** Stonestreet Stables LLC

**Scratched Horse(s):** Denim's Gone (Veterinarian)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$98,273

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Love Ballad	3.40	2.40	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	6-1	181.60	113,523
1	Shareshten		42.20	12.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	6-1-3	531.60	95,009
3	Tawnka			2.60	\$2.00 Superfecta	6-1-3-7	5,844.60	27,275
					\$2.00 Pick 3	5-3-6 (3 correct)	184.20	10,316
					\$2.00 Quinella	1-6	124.80	9,745

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Love Ballad	4	5 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>4</sup>
1	Shareshten	2	2 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>
3	Tawnka	8	7 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>7 1/2</sup>
7	Victoria Regina	10	9 <sup>5 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>4 3/4</sup>	6 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>11 1/4</sup>
4	Straitshootn Lady	3	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>12</sup>
11	Gouge	9	10 <sup>10 3/4</sup>	10 <sup>9 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>7</sup>	6 <sup>13</sup>
2	Victory Park	1	6 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>16 1/2</sup>
10	Gorgeous Tale	5	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	7 <sup>7</sup>	8 <sup>23</sup>
9	Belongs in Lights	7	8 <sup>5 1/4</sup>	9 <sup>6 3/4</sup>	9 <sup>14</sup>	9 <sup>30 1/2</sup>
5	Meadowlake Moon	6	3 <sup>1</sup>	8 <sup>6 1/4</sup>	10 <sup>15</sup>	10 <sup>34 1/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 6 - Asmussen, Steven; 1 - Stafford, Tamara; 3 - Haydel, Cliff; 7 - Fowler, Beverly; 4 - Einerson, Kerry; 11 - Moquett, Ron; 2 - Asmussen, Cheryl; 10 - Wiggins, Hal; 9 - Thornbury, Jeffrey; 5 - Gass, Il, Michael

**Owners:** 6 - Stonestreet Stables LLC; 1 - Tamara Stafford; 3 - Rognon, Charles T. and Haydel, Cliff; 7 - Byron W. House, III; 4 - Kathleen B. Einerson; 11 - Covenant Stable; 2 - Cash Asmussen; 10 - Millsap Stables, Inc.; 9 - Fortune Racing LLC; 5 - Foggy Bottoms Stable XI;

**Footnotes**

LOVE BALLAD lurked off the pace and the inside, took over when roused from between foes into the stretch, well clear late. SHARESHTEN with the pace while toward the inside, second best. TAWNKA off the early pace, made a quick move four wide to contend in the turn, failed to sustain that effort the final furlong. VICTORIA REGINA last away, trailed into the turn while saving ground, angled to the outside for the drive, improved position with some late interest. STRAITSHOOTN LADY settled in the second flight while three wide, lacked a late kick. GOUGE trailed much of the way, passed tiring foes. VICTORY PARK weakened through the stretch. GORGEOUS TALE helped set the pace for a half, gave way in the drive. BELONGS IN LIGHTS remained always back. MEADOWLAKE MOON forwardly placed early, staged a steady retreat.

 Denotes a Keeneland Sales Graduate