

LOUISIANA DOWNS - December 23, 2005 - Race 4



CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. Three Year Olds, 122 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners of two races at a mile or over since November 23 Allowed 2 lbs. One Such Race Since Then Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$50,000, For Each \$2,500 To \$40,000 1 lb. (Races Where Entered For \$40,000 Or Less Not Considered). (If deemed inadvisable by management to run this race over the turf course, it will be run on the main track at Seven Furlongs) (Rail at 20 feet). **Claiming**

Price: \$50,000 - \$40,000

About Seven And One Half Furlongs On The Turf **Track Record:** (Home in Front - 1:27.40 - August 22, 1987)

Purse: \$36,000

Includes: \$6,800 Other Sources

Available Money: \$36,000

Value of Race: \$36,000 1st \$21,600, 2nd \$7,200, 3rd \$3,960, 4th \$2,160, 5th \$1,080

Weather: Clear **Track:** Good

Off at: 1:55 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
25Nov05 ³ LAD ³	1	Nicks Nights (Hebert, Tracy)	113	L b	1	5	2 ^{Head}	3 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}	2.30*	3-w bid, drove clear
4Dec05 ⁹ LAD ⁶	2	Autobesarah (Melancon, Gerard)	117	L b	2	7	7 ^{1/2}	8	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1 1/2}	7.40	moved out, willingly
24Jul05 ⁹ LAD ⁷	5	Took Out (Gonzalez, Carlos)	120	L f	5	8	8	7 ³	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ²	30.90	flattened out late
12Nov05 ³ RP ²	4	Keosnative (Quinonez, Luis)	116	L	4	2	3 ^{Head}	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ²	4 ^{3 1/4}	10.90	switched out, even late
4Dec05 ⁹ LAD ³	8	Genuine Miss (Graham, James)	115	L	8	1	5 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ¹	5 ^{1/2}	3.20	lacked kick outside
25May05 ⁸ AP ⁴	6	Polish Grove (Meche, Cody)	113 ⁵	L	6	6	4 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	6 ^{4 1/2}	2.90	tight early, dueld, fade
8Nov05 ³ CD ⁷	3	Peace Pledge (Thompson, Terry)	116	L f	3	3	1 ^{2 1/2}	2 ³	7 ^{4 1/2}	7 ^{3/4}	12.70	pace, gave way
11Dec05 ⁹ LAD ⁵	7	Bridal Gal (Lejeune, John)	120	L b	7	4	6 ³	5 ^{Head}	8	8	8.00	bobbld start, 4-w early

Fractional Times: 24.66 47.58 1:13.08

Final Time: 1:31.27

Split Times: (22:92) (25:50) (18:19)

Run-Up: 0 feet **Temporary Rail:** 20 feet

Winner: Nicks Nights, Bay Filly, by City Nights (IRE) out of Nicks World, by Island Whirl. Foaled Mar 11, 2001 in Louisiana.

Breeder: Samuel James Herbert.

Winning Owner: C. L. Nix

Claiming Prices: 1 - Nicks Nights: \$40,000; 2 - Autobesarah: \$50,000; 5 - Took Out: \$50,000; 4 - Keosnative: \$40,000; 8 - Genuine Miss: \$50,000; 6 - Polish Grove: \$50,000; 3 - Peace Pledge: \$40,000; 7 - Bridal Gal: \$50,000;

Total WPS Pool: \$90,159

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Nicks Nights	6.60	3.80	2.80	\$2.00 Exacta	1-2	49.40	73,879
2	Autobesarah		5.40	4.00	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-2-5	469.40	63,856
5	Took Out			6.60	\$2.00 Superfecta	1-2-5-4	3,168.00	19,008
					\$2.00 Pick 3	2-11-1 (2 correct)	457.20	9,755
					\$2.00 Quinella	1-2	28.80	6,638

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Nicks Nights	5	2 ^{2 1/2}	3 ³	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}
2	Autobesarah	7	7 ^{7 3/4}	8 ^{10 3/4}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/4}
5	Took Out	8	8 ^{8 1/4}	7 ^{7 3/4}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 3/4}
4	Keosnative	2	3 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{6 1/4}	6 ^{4 1/2}	4 ^{4 3/4}
8	Genuine Miss	1	5 ^{3 1/4}	4 ^{4 1/2}	4 ³	5 ⁸
6	Polish Grove	6	4 ^{2 3/4}	1 ^{Head}	5 ⁴	6 ^{8 1/2}
3	Peace Pledge	3	1 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{Head}	7 ^{6 1/2}	7 ¹³
7	Bridal Gal	4	6 ^{4 3/4}	5 ⁶	8 ¹¹	8 ^{13 3/4}

Trainers: 1 - Nix, C.; 2 - Taylor, John; 5 - Scarberry, Howard; 4 - Petalino, Joseph; 8 - Amoss, Thomas; 6 - Stidham, Michael; 3 - Vance, David; 7 - Whitton, Mark

Owners: 1 - C. L. Nix; 2 - Forgreen Racing Stable LLC; 5 - S and S Stables LLC (Scarberry); 4 - Charles E. Dobbins; 8 - Zayat Stables, LLC; 6 - Coastal Racing LLC; 3 - TBS Farms LLC; 7 - Gary S. Hunt;

Footnotes

NICKS NIGHTS settled behind the pace toward the inside, moved out and advanced on the leaders three wide second turn, narrowly showed the way into the stretch, drove clear. AUTOBESARAH lacked speed, moved out to the middle of the course when straightened for home, closed willingly while too late. TOOK OUT lacked speed, advanced from between foes nearing the furlong marker, flattened out late. KEOSNATIVE saved ground, fell back a bit the middle half, switched to the outside for the drive, finished up evenly. GENUINE MISS lacked a late kick outside. POLISH GROVE in a bit tight early while between foes, moved up to duel backstretch, gave way in the drive. PEACE PLEDGE sprinted clear to set the early pace, alternated up front the middle half, also backed up in the drive. BRIDAL GAL bobbled at the start, raced four wide through the first turn, had nothing left for the drive.