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**LAUREL PARK - October 24, 2009 - Race 9**

STAKES Frank J. De Francis Memorial Dash S. Grade 1 - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD. By free subscription. \$2500 to pass the entry box. \$2500 additional to start with \$300,000 Guaranteed of which 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth and 3% to fifth. Weights: Three-Year-Olds, 122 lbs., Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners of \$100,000 twice in 2009 allowed 2 lbs.; Once in 2009, 4 lbs.; \$70,000 twice in 2009, 6 lbs. Nominations closed Thursday October 15, 2009 with 37 nominations. Trophy to the owner of the winner. Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Richter Scale - 1:07.95 - July 15, 2000)

**Purse:** \$300,000 Guaranteed

**Available Money:** \$300,000

**Value of Race:** \$300,000 1st \$180,000, 2nd \$60,000, 3rd \$33,000, 4th \$18,000, 5th \$9,000

**Weather:** Rainy **Track:** Sloppy (Sealed)

**Off at:** 5:23 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
29Aug09 <sup>11</sup> SAR <sup>2</sup>	1	Vineyard Haven (Garcia, Alan)	116	L b	1	8	5 <sup>2</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	0.80*	rail rally, driving
25Sep09 <sup>5</sup> BEL <sup>1</sup>	3	Ravalo (Rose, Jeremy)	118	L	3	5	4 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	5 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	3 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	5.60	carried out 1/16, game
7Sep09 <sup>9</sup> MTH <sup>1</sup>	4	Fleet Valid (Morales, Pablo)	118	L bf	4	2	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup> 1/2	7.70	gave way grudgingly
6Sep09 <sup>8</sup> PHA <sup>1</sup>	7	Sacred Journey (Cohen, David)	118	L	7	1	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	4 <sup>1</sup>	18.30	3wd turn, bid, weakened
15Aug09 <sup>9</sup> LRL <sup>5</sup>	9	Ah Day (Russell, Sheldon)	118	LA bf	8	6	8	8	8	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	9.10	passed tiring rivals
5Sep09 <sup>9</sup> SAR <sup>10</sup>	6	Peace Chant (Chavez, Jorge)	118	L	6	7	7 <sup>5</sup>	7 <sup>6</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	10.40	wide turn, no rally
26Sep09 <sup>9</sup> LRL <sup>1</sup>	2	Roaring Lion (Trujillo, Elvis)	118	LA f	2	4	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	3 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	5 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	9.10	bumped 3/16, weakened
5Sep09 <sup>9</sup> SAR <sup>6</sup>	5	True Quality (Lopez, Charles)	118	LA f	5	3	6 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	8	10.90	wide, gave way

**Fractional Times:** 21.89 44.68 56.89

**Final Time:** 1:09.62

**Split Times:** (22:79) (12:21) (12:73)

**Run-Up:** 60 feet

**Winner:** Vineyard Haven, Gray or Roan Colt, by Lido Palace (CHI) out of Princess Aloha, by Aloha Prospector. Foaled Mar 14, 2006 in Florida.

**Breeder:** Lynne M. Scace.

**Winning Owner:** Godolphin Racing, LLC

**Scratched Horse(s):** Saratoga Russell (Trainer)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$212,150

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Vineyard Haven	3.60	2.40	2.20	\$2.00 Pick 3	11-7-1/8 (3 correct)	352.60	9,725
3	Ravalo		4.40	3.00	\$2.00 Exacta	1-3	16.60	136,081
4	Fleet Valid			3.40	\$1.00 Superfecta	1-3-4-7	184.20	27,470
					\$2.00 Trifecta	1-3-4	60.20	90,726

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
1	Vineyard Haven	8	5 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	6 <sup>3</sup> 3/4	4 <sup>1</sup> 3/4	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
3	Ravalo	5	4 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup> 1/4	3 <sup>1</sup> 1/2	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
4	Fleet Valid	2	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>
7	Sacred Journey	1	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup> 1/2
9	Ah Day	6	8 <sup>11</sup>	8 <sup>11</sup> 3/4	8 <sup>5</sup> 1/4	5 <sup>5</sup> 1/2
6	Peace Chant	7	7 <sup>6</sup>	7 <sup>5</sup> 3/4	6 <sup>3</sup> 3/4	6 <sup>6</sup>
2	Roaring Lion	4	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	5 <sup>2</sup> 3/4	7 <sup>7</sup> 1/2
5	True Quality	3	6 <sup>4</sup>	4 <sup>2</sup>	7 <sup>3</sup> 3/4	8 <sup>8</sup>

**Trainers:** 1 - bin Suroor, Saeed; 3 - Barr, Donald; 4 - Volk, Scott; 7 - Dutrow, Anthony; 9 - Leatherbury, King; 6 - Phipps, William; 2 - Levine, Bruce; 5 - Sedlacek, Roy

**Owners:** 1 - Godolphin Racing, LLC; 3 -Lindy M. Redding; 4 - Shillelagh Racing Stables; 7 - Fox Hill Farms, Inc.; 9 - The Jim Stable; 6 - Bogart, Kevin, Haymes, Neil and Gorman, Mark; 2 - Repole Stable; 5 - Quality Racing Stable and Sgro, Joseph;

**Footnotes**

VINEYARD HAVEN saved ground, dropped back on the turn, was put to urging near the five sixteenths pole, was two wide leaving the turn, came in and bumped ROARING LION near the three sixteenths pole, angled to the rail nearing the sixteenth pole, closed strongly under vigorous rousing and was up in the final strides. RAVALO stalked the pace between horses under patient handling, was three wide on the turn, swung outside in upper stretch, was carried out by SACRED JOURNEY near the sixteenth pole, bid for the lead about thirty yards from the wire and was no match for the winner. FLEET VALID set a pressured pace two wide between horses, held the advantage to the sixteenth pole and gave way grudgingly between the top pair. SACRED JOURNEY , three wide around the turn, chased the pace, challenged for the lead near the eighth pole, drifted out near the sixteenth pole and weakened late. AH DAY lacked speed, swung to the extreme outside in upper stretch and passed tired horses. PEACE CHANT , wide around the turn, swung very wide in upper stretch and failed to rally. ROARING LION hugged the rail, prompted the pace, was bumped in upper stretch by the winner and weakened the final furlong. TRUE QUALITY , wide, was put to urging near the three eighths pole, remained wide and gave way.

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