

SANTA ANITA PARK - January 20, 1997 - Race 8

STAKES San Marcos H. Grade 2 - Thoroughbred

For four year olds and upward.

One And One Fourth Miles On The Turf

Purse: \$150,000 Added

Available Money: \$159,000

Value of Race: \$159,000 1st \$99,000, 2nd \$30,000, 3rd \$18,000, 4th \$9,000, 5th \$3,000

Weather: Rainy **Track:** Firm

Off at: 4:01 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	1/4	1/2	3/4	1m	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
25Aug96 ¹⁰ AP ³	5	Sandpit (BRZ) (Nakatani, Corey)	123	BL	5	2 ^{Head}	2 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	2 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	2.00	wide early, driving
1Jan97 ⁸ SA ²	6	River Deep (Garcia, Julio)	116	BL	6	7 ^{1/2}	7 ^{2 1/2}	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{Head}	4 ¹	2 ^{Nose}	4.10	split horses, up for 2d
15Dec96 ⁵ HOL ²	1	DQ-Marlin (Stevens, Gary)	120	BL	1	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	3 ¹	3 ^{1/2}	3 ²	1.50*	hole closed, steadied
22Nov96 ⁸ HOL ⁴	8	Shanawi (IRE) (Blanc, Brice)	112	BL	8	8	8	8	7 ²	5 ^{Head}	4 ^{1/2}	28.10	angled out, mild rally
3Jan97 ³ SA ²	2	Bedivere (Douglas, Rene)	114	BL	2	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	5 ^{2 1/2}	59.00	short lead, squeezed 1/8
15Dec96 ⁵ HOL ¹⁰	7	Raintrap (GB) (Solis, Alex)	116	BL	7	6 ¹	6 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Head}	6 ¹	6 ³	6 ^{1 3/4}	9.00	inside trip, no rally
22Dec96 ⁹ HOL ³	3	Don't Blame Rio (Garcia, Matt)	111	BL	3	5 ²	5 ³	7 ^{2 1/2}	8	7 ^{1 1/2}	7 ^{7 1/2}	65.30	drifted early, no thrt
1Jan97 ⁸ SA ⁷	4	Gold and Steel (FR) (McCarron, Chris)	116	BL b	4	3 ^{Head}	4 ³	4 ³	4 ^{Head}	8	8	9.30	carried out early, wknd

Fractional Times: 24.77 48.39 1:12.94 1:36.89 **Final Time:** 2:00.61

Split Times: (23:62) (24:55) (23:95) (23:72)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Sandpit (BRZ), Chestnut Horse, by Baynoun (IRE) out of =Sand Dancer (FR), by Green Dancer. Foaled Oct 09, 1989 in Brazil.

Breeder: Haras Sao Jose Da Serra.

Winning Owner: Sierra Thoroughbreds

Disqualification(s): # 1 Marlin from 3 to 5

Total WPS Pool: \$406,418

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Sandpit (BRZ)	6.00	4.00	3.20		5-6	13.90	250,235
6	River Deep		4.80	4.00		5-6-8	139.40	288,614
8	Shanawi (IRE)			6.20		7-1-5	68.30	102,178
						5-6	14.60	45,743

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	1/4	1/2	3/4	1m	Str	Fin
5	Sandpit (BRZ)	2 ¹	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{1 1/2}
6	River Deep	7 ^{5 3/4}	7 ^{8 1/2}	6 ^{4 3/4}	5 ^{2 1/4}	4 ²	2 ^{1 1/2}
1	Marlin	4 ^{1 1/4}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ¹	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}
8	Shanawi (IRE)	8 ^{6 1/4}	8 ¹¹	8 ^{7 1/4}	7 ^{3 1/4}	5 ³	4 ^{3 1/2}
2	Bedivere	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	5 ⁴
7	Raintrap (GB)	6 ^{4 3/4}	6 ⁸	5 ^{4 1/2}	6 ^{2 1/4}	6 ^{3 1/4}	6 ^{6 1/2}
3	Don't Blame Rio	5 ^{2 3/4}	5 ⁵	7 ^{4 3/4}	8 ^{5 1/4}	7 ^{6 1/4}	7 ^{8 1/4}
4	Gold and Steel (FR)	3 ¹	4 ²	4 ^{1 1/2}	4 ²	8 ^{7 3/4}	8 ^{15 3/4}

Trainers: 5 - Mandella, Richard; 6 - Drysdale, Neil; 1 - Lukas, D.; 8 - Sahadi, Jenine; 2 - Gleaves, Philip; 7 - Frankel, Robert; 3 - Peterson, Douglas; 4 - Cecil, Ben

Owners: 5 - Sierra Thoroughbreds; 6 - bin Salman, H. R. H. Prince Fahd; 1 -Michael B. Tabor; 8 - Ghanem and Sloan; 2 - Lunsford, Bruce and Hudson, Greg D.; 7 - Juddmonte Farms, Inc.; 3 -June H. Daniels; 4 -Gary A. Tanaka;

Footnotes