

SANTA ANITA PARK - January 23, 2004 - Race 4

ALLOWANCE OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

PURSE \$56,000. (Plus up to \$16,800 to Cal-Breds) For Three Year Olds Which Have Never Won \$3,000 Once Other Than Maiden, Claiming Or Starter or Which Have Never Won Two Races or Optional Claiming Price Of \$80,000. Weight, 120 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race Other Than Claiming, Or Starter At A Mile Or Over Since November 30 Allowed 2 lbs. (Claiming Races For \$62,500 Or Less Not Considered). (NW1 X) **Claiming Price:** \$80,000

One Mile On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Ruhmann - 1:33.40 - March 5, 1989)

Purse: \$56,000

Plus: \$16,800 CBOIF - California Bred Owner Fund

Available Money: \$72,800

Value of Race: \$54,880 1st \$33,600, 2nd \$11,200, 3rd \$6,720, 4th \$3,360

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:33 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
29Dec03 ⁶ SA ¹	2	Spellbinder (Solis, Alex) 	120	BL	b	2 2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{3/4}	1.90	fought back rail,game
21Dec03 ⁷ CRC ³	3	Gold Bankers Gold (Baze, Tyler)	118	BL	b	3 1	2 ¹	2 ¹	2 ²	2 ¹	2 ¹	15.10	dueled,outgamed
27Dec03 ⁵ SA ²	6	Dwango (Desormeaux, Kent)	118	BL	b	4 3	4	4	3 ⁴	3 ⁸	3 ⁹	0.70*	3wd into str,outkicked
9Jan04 ⁴ SA ¹	1	Bornwithit (Flores, David)	118	BL		1 4	3 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4	4	4	3.40	saved ground, weakened

Fractional Times: 23.51 47.31 1:11.08 1:23.35 **Final Time:** 1:36.40

Split Times: (23:80) (23:77) (12:27) (13:05)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Spellbinder, Dark Bay or Brown Colt, by [Tale of the Cat](#) out of Thorough Fair, by Quiet American. Foaled Apr 10, 2001 in Kentucky.

TALE OF THE CAT

Winner's sire standing at Ashford Stud

Breeder: James E. Jones.

Winning Owner: Moss, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome S.

Claiming Prices: 3 - Gold Bankers Gold: \$80,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Gem of a Day (Veterinarian), Silent Gold (Veterinarian)

Total WPS Pool: \$197,757

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
2	Spellbinder	5.80	4.40	\$1.00 Exacta	2-3	31.30	121,187
3	Gold Bankers Gold		8.80	\$1.00 Trifecta	2-3-6	48.10	76,413
6	Dwango			\$2.00 Daily Double	8-2	121.20	32,070
				\$1.00 Pick 3	6-8-2 (3 correct)	591.50	48,912
				\$2.00 Quinella	2-3	29.00	9,772

Past Performance Running Line Preview


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
2	Spellbinder	2	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{3/4}
3	Gold Bankers Gold	1	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{3/4}
6	Dwango	3	4 ²	4 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ¹	3 ^{1 3/4}
1	Bornwithit	4	3 ^{1 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	4 ^{6 1/2}	4 ⁹	4 ^{10 3/4}

Trainers: 2 - Mandella, Richard; 3 - O'Neill, Doug; 6 - Hess, Jr., Robert; 1 - Baffert, Bob

Owners: 2 - Moss, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome S.; 3 - Branstetter, Gans and McDaniel; 6 - Fog City Stable, Madden, Pat and Scibelli, Jim; 1 - James E. Helzer;

Footnotes

SPELLBINDER took the early lead and angled in, set a pressured pace along the rail, fought back through a stiff drive and gamely prevailed under left handed urging. GOLD BANKERS GOLD between horses early, prompted the pace outside the winner, reached even terms alongside that rival in upper stretch and continued willingly but was outgamed. DWANGO three deep into the first turn, stalked outside a rival, came three wide into the stretch and could not summon the necessary late kick. BORNWITHIT saved ground stalking the pace, dropped back on the second turn, came out a bit in the stretch and weakened.

 Denotes a Keeneland Sales Graduate