

**SARATOGA - August 1, 2010 - Race 9**

STAKES Ruffian Invitational H. Grade 1 - Thoroughbred

A HANDICAP FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD. By invitation only with no subscription fees. The purse to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 10% to third, 5% to fourth, 3% to fifth and 2% divided equally among the remaining finishers. Selection of fourteen (14) invitees by Saturday, July 17. Acceptance to participate in the Ruffian Invitational by Saturday, July 24. Any original invitee that declines to participate can be replaced by one from an alternate list. Trophies will be presented to the winning owner, trainer and jockey.

One And One Eighth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Lawyer Ron - 1:46.64 - July 28, 2007)

**Purse:** \$250,000 Guaranteed

**Available Money:** \$250,000

**Value of Race:** \$250,000 1st \$150,000, 2nd \$50,000, 3rd \$25,000, 4th \$12,500, 5th \$7,500, 6th \$5,000

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

**Off at:** 5:35 **Start:** Good for all



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Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
26Jun10 <sup>10</sup> MTH <sup>1</sup>	1	Malibu Prayer (Velazquez, John)	116	L	1	1	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1 3/4</sup>	2.35	brshd gate,bmpd start
12Jun10 <sup>4</sup> BEL <sup>2</sup>	2	Unrivaled Belle (Desormeaux, Kent)	119	L	2	2	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>4</sup>	2 <sup>8</sup>	2 <sup>9 3/4</sup>	0.65*	bumped start,stumbled
9Jul10 <sup>3</sup> MTH <sup>1</sup>	4	Classofsixtythree (Castellano, Javier)	115	L b	4	5	6	6	6	5 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>Neck</sup>	29.50	3wide 1/4,up for show
30May10 <sup>10</sup> MTH <sup>4</sup>	3	Starship Angel (Gomez, Garrett)	113	L b	3	4	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>4</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>	16.50	failed to respond
20Jun10 <sup>4</sup> WO <sup>1</sup>	5	Tasty Temptation (Leparoux, Julien)	115	L	5	3	4 <sup>5</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>3 1/4</sup>	4.80	3wide mile pole,faded
18Jun10 <sup>3</sup> BEL <sup>1</sup>	6	Zaphyra (Prado, Edgar)	115	L	6	6	3 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>	4 <sup>6 1/2</sup>	6	6	24.00	3-4w 1st turn,stopped

**Fractional Times:** 23.42 46.96 1:10.47 1:34.90

**Final Time:** 1:48.14

**Split Times:** (23:54) (23:51) (24:43) (13:24)

**Run-Up:** 75 feet

**Winner:** Malibu Prayer, Bay Filly, by Malibu Moon out of Grand Prayer, by Grand Slam. Foaled Feb 03, 2006 in Virginia.

**Breeder:** Edward P. Evans. **Winning Owner:** Edward P. Evans

**Total WPS Pool:** \$691,480

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
1	Malibu Prayer	6.70	2.80	2.50	\$2.00 Exacta	1-2	10.40	376,419
2	Unrivaled Belle		2.20	2.10	\$2.00 Trifecta	1-2-4	88.00	311,994
4	Classofsixtythree			4.10	\$2.00 Grand Slam	3,5,6-2,4,8-1,5,6-1 (4 correct)	17.40	30,658
					\$2.00 Pick 3	2-1-1 (3 correct)	37.20	71,093
					\$2.00 Daily Double	1-1	20.60	84,958

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
1	Malibu Prayer	1	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>1 3/4</sup>
2	Unrivaled Belle	2	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1 3/4</sup>
4	Classofsixtythree	5	6 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>13 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>16 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>11</sup>	3 <sup>11 1/2</sup>
3	Starship Angel	4	5 <sup>7</sup>	5 <sup>9</sup>	5 <sup>12 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>10</sup>	4 <sup>11 3/4</sup>
5	Tasty Temptation	3	4 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>10</sup>	5 <sup>17 3/4</sup>
6	Zaphyra	6	3 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>	6 <sup>13</sup>	6 <sup>21</sup>

**Trainers:** 1 - Pletcher, Todd; 2 - Mott, William; 4 - Contessa, Gary; 3 - McLaughlin, Kiara; 5 - Casse, Mark; 6 - Terranova, II, John

**Owners:** 1 -Edward P. Evans; 2 - Seidler, Gary and Vegso, Peter; 4 -Lee Pokoik; 3 - NYKY Thoroughbred Stable; 5 -W.S. Farish, Jr.; 6 - Four Roses Thoroughbreds;

**Footnotes**

MALIBU PRAYER brushed the gate then bumped UNRIVALED BELLE at the start, quickly assumed the lead, was well rated on the inside through solid fractions, continued well rated through the far turn, was asked a bit in upper stretch, came under more urging nearing the furlong marker, shook clear of UNRIVALED BELLE and prevailed under mild urging. UNRIVALED BELLE a bit fractious behind the gate, was bumped by MALIBU PRAYER at the start then stumbled, recovered fairly well and went up to track the leader, inched a bit closer inside the three-quarter pole, stalked outside into the far turn, was asked to challenge the leader near the five-sixteenths pole, remained at that rivals hindquarters past the three-sixteenths pole then was outfinished while well clear for the place. CLASSOFSIXTYTHREE was taken back after the start then dropped to the rail, saved ground on the first turn, was unhurried at the rear of the field, came under a ride while off the rail on the far turn, shifted three wide into the stretch and was along for the show while no match for the top two. STARSHIP ANGEL raced off the rail on the first turn, was reserved while well off the pace, saved ground while ridden along on the far turn, came out in upper stretch and failed to respond then just missed the show. TASTY TEMPTATION raced three wide early on the first turn, was taken back then dropped to the rail midway through that turn, settled behind the top two, came up empty while saving ground on the far turn and faded. ZAPHYRA was caught four wide early on the first turn then dropped to three wide, settled on the outside of TASTY TEMPTATION, came up empty while off the rail on the far turn and retreated.

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