

SARATOGA - August 5, 2009 - Race 1

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NEVER WON TWO RACES OR THREE YEAR OLDS. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners of a race at a mile or over since June 5 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price

\$20,000 (Races Where Entered For \$16,000 Or Less Not Considered). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$20,000

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

Purse: \$30,000

Available Money: \$30,000

Value of Race: \$30,000 1st \$18,000, 2nd \$6,000, 3rd \$3,000, 4th \$1,500, 5th \$900, 6th \$300, 7th \$300

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 1:00 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
19Jun09 ⁵ BEL ¹	7	Disco Diva (Luzzi, Michael)	117 L	5	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}	25.50	held well late
12Jul09 ¹ BEL ²	8	Driven by Seattle (Lezcano, Jose)	117 L bf	7	4	2 ³	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ²	2 ²	2 ^{Neck}	2.60	no match, held 2nd
26Jun09 ⁶ BEL ¹	5	Saarlandisourland (Velazquez, John)	117 L b	3	2	4 ³	4 ⁴	3 ⁴	3 ^{Head}	3 ^{Neck}	17.50	steadied 7/8 pole
12Jul09 ¹ BEL ⁴	3	Touchof Perfection (Velasquez, Cornelio)	118 L f	1	5	5 ³	5 ^{1 1/2}	5 ³	4 ⁵	4 ^{9 1/2}	4.40	5wide, no threat
26Jun09 ² BEL ¹	6	Gin Tango (Castanon, Jesus)	117 L b	4	6	7	7	6 ^{Head}	5 ^{1/2}	5 ^{Neck}	16.50	no threat
17Jun09 ⁴ BEL ¹	1A	Truly Divine (Castellano, Javier)	119 L	6	7	6 ¹	6 ^{Head}	7	6 ⁷	6 ^{20 1/2}	8.80	broke slow, outrun
28Jun09 ⁹ MTH ⁸	4	Madison Avenue (Dominguez, Ramon)	119 L f	2	3	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	4 ¹	7	7	1.05*	gave way

Fractional Times: 23.76 47.90 1:12.39 1:39.22 **Final Time:** 1:53.35

Split Times: (24:14) (24:49) (26:83) (14:13)

Run-Up: 77 feet

Winner: Disco Diva, Dark Bay or Brown Filly, by Roaring Fever out of Disco Vixen, by Key Contender. Foaled Feb 26, 2006 in New York.

Breeder: Mrs. Tracy Egan. **Winning Owner:** Sanford H. Robbins LLC and P and D Kaplan Racing LLC

1 Claimed Horse(s): **Driven by Seattle** New Trainer: Robert Barbara New Owner: J and R Racing Stable

Claiming Prices: 7 - Disco Diva: \$20,000; 8 - Driven by Seattle: \$20,000; 5 - Saarlandisourland: \$20,000; 3 - Touchof Perfection: \$20,000; 6 - Gin Tango: \$20,000; 1A - Truly Divine: \$20,000; 4 - Madison Avenue: \$20,000;

Scratched Horse(s): Lady Valiant (Trainer), Sage the Rage (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$243,424

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Disco Diva	53.00	17.60	8.80	\$2.00 Exacta	7-8	210.50	230,217
8	Driven by Seattle		4.00	3.50	\$2.00 Trifecta	7-8-5	2,483.00	152,429
5	Saarlandisourland			7.30				

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
7	Disco Diva	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{1 1/2}	1 ^{1 1/4}
8	Driven by Seattle	4	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{1 1/2}	2 ^{1 1/4}
5	Saarlandisourland	2	4 ⁴	4 ³	3 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{3 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}
3	Touchof Perfection	5	5 ⁷	5 ⁷	5 ^{7 1/2}	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ^{1 3/4}
6	Gin Tango	6	7 ¹¹	7 ^{8 1/2}	6 ^{10 1/2}	5 ^{8 1/2}	5 ^{11 1/4}
1A	Truly Divine	7	6 ¹⁰	6 ^{8 1/2}	7 ^{10 1/2}	6 ⁹	6 ^{11 1/2}
4	Madison Avenue	3	3 ^{3 1/2}	2 ¹	4 ^{6 1/2}	7 ¹⁶	7 ³²

Trainers: 7 - Galluscio, Dominic; 8 - Brown, Bruce; 5 - O'Brien, Keith; 3 - Levine, Bruce; 6 - Badgett, Jr., William; 1A - Contessa, Gary; 4 - Klesaris, Steve

Owners: 7 - Sanford H. Robbins LLC and P and D Kaplan Racing LLC; 8 - Repole Stable; 5 - Cushny, Van and Michel, Alix; 3 - SBW Birthstone Stables; 6 - Pegasus Dream Stable; 1a- Bilinski, Darlene, Contessa, Jennifer and Magis Thoroughbreds; 4 - Ruby Stables and Klesaris, Steve;

Footnotes

DISCO DIVA sprinted clear, raced uncontested on the lead while saving ground, dug in when threatened on the turn, shook loose in midstretch and held off the runner-up under good handling. DRIVEN BY SEATTLE rushed up three wide, stalked outside for five furlongs, lodged a move to threaten on the turn, but was no match for the winner while holding for the place. SAARLANDISOURLAND steadied entering the backstretch, gained three wide on the turn and finished willingly. A claim of foul lodged by her rider against the runner-up for interference entering the backstretch was disallowed. TOUCHOF PERFECTION was under a firm hold along the rail for a half, swung five wide while gaining on the turn and rallied belatedly. GIN TANGO failed to mount a serious rally. TRULY DIVINE was outrun after breaking slowly. MADISON AVENUE pressed between horses to the far turn and gave way.