

**SARATOGA - August 30, 1998 - Race 8**

STAKES Saratoga Breeders' Cup H. Grade 2 - Thoroughbred

A Handicap For Three Year Olds And Upward. (Includes \$100,000 for Breeders' Cup Eligibles Only.)

One And One Fourth Miles On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Arrogate - 1:59.36 - August 27, 2016)

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



**Includes:** \$100,000 BC - Breeders' Cup

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

**Off at:** 4:51 **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
8Aug98 <sup>8</sup> SAR <sup>1</sup>	8	Awesome Again (Day, Pat)	120	L	7	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	0.25*	came wide, ridden out
7Aug98 <sup>6</sup> SAR <sup>4</sup>	7	Concerto (Smith, Mike)	114	L	6	4 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Neck</sup>	10.10	broke in air, gamely
14Aug98 <sup>4</sup> SAR <sup>1</sup>	3	Early Warning (Chavez, Jorge) 	110	L	c	2	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	11.00	set pace, stayed gamely
7Aug98 <sup>6</sup> SAR <sup>1</sup>	2	Private Song (Migliore, Richard)	113	L	1	6 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup>	13.60	split rivals, no punch
8Aug98 <sup>8</sup> SAR <sup>5</sup>	5	Mr. Sinatra (Bravo, Joe) 	111	L	4	5 <sup>1</sup>	5 <sup>2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	17.60	wide, no response
7Aug98 <sup>7</sup> SAR <sup>3</sup>	4	Irish Silence (Velazquez, John)	111	L	b	3	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	27.25	saved ground, no rally
7Aug98 <sup>6</sup> SAR <sup>2</sup>	6	Gator Dancer (Davis, Robbie)	113	L	b	5	7	7	7	7	7	14.00	tired badly

**Fractional Times:** 24.08 48.56 1:12.25 1:36.95

**Final Time:** 2:03.14

**Split Times:** (24:48) (23:69) (24:70) (26:19)

**Run-Up:** 0 feet

**Winner:** Awesome Again, Bay Colt, by Deputy Minister out of Primal Force, by Blushing Groom (FR). Foaled Mar 29, 1994 in ON.

**Breeder:** Frank Stronach. **Winning Owner:** Stronach Stables

**Scratched Horse(s):** Double Affair (Early)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$691,842

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Awesome Again	2.50	2.30	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	8-7	11.40	519,913
7	Concerto		4.30	2.10	\$2.00 Trifecta	8-7-3	62.00	432,898
3	Early Warning			2.10	\$2.00 Pick 3	8-10-8 (3 correct)	21.40	225,766
					\$2.00 Pick 6	4-2-4-8-10-8 (5 correct)	11.60	0
					\$2.00 Pick 6	4-2-4-8-10-8 (6 correct)	764.00	187,521

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**


Pgm	Horse Name	1/4	1/2	3/4	1m	Str	Fin
8	Awesome Again	2 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>
7	Concerto	4 <sup>2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>
3	Early Warning	1 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>3 1/4</sup>
2	Private Song	6 <sup>3 1/2</sup>	6 <sup>5</sup>	6 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	4 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	4 <sup>5 1/4</sup>
5	Mr. Sinatra	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>3</sup>	5 <sup>4</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	6 <sup>4 1/4</sup>	5 <sup>10 1/4</sup>
4	Irish Silence	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>4</sup>	6 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	5 <sup>3 3/4</sup>	6 <sup>10 1/4</sup>
6	Gator Dancer	7 <sup>5</sup>	7 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>10</sup>	7 <sup>5 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>9 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>26 1/4</sup>

**Trainers:** 8 - Byrne, Patrick; 7 - Mott, William; 3 - Pletcher, Todd; 2 - Kimmel, John; 5 - Moschera, Gasper; 4 - O'Brien, Leo; 6 - Kelly, Patrick

**Owners:** 8 - Stronach Stables; 7 - Kinsman Stable; 3 - Dogwood Stable; 2 - Juddmonte Farms, Inc.; 5 - Barbara J. Davis; 4 - Austin Dermot Delaney; 6 - Fox Ridge Farm, Inc.;

**Footnotes**

AWESOME AGAIN, away in good order and close up under a snug hold, advanced along the inside approaching the stretch, came wide for the drive, picked up the leaders in midstretch on his own courage then quickly drew clear after being shown the whip from the left side and cruised home under confident handling. CONCERTO broke in the air, recovered quickly and prompted the pace from the outside, gained a short lead nearing the eighth pole and continued determinedly to the wire. EARLY WARNING showed in front after the start, set the pace while in hand and dug in resolutely along the rail through the stretch. PRIVATE SONG, unhurried along the inside early, advanced on the second turn, split rivals nearing the stretch, came wide for the drive but lacked a solid finishing kick. MR. SINATRA, rated outside early on, raced wide around both turns and had no response when roused midway on the second turn. IRISH DANCER raced close up inside while in hand, saved ground into the stretch but failed to respond when roused turning for home. GATOR DANCER, outrun early, tired badly and was being eased through the final sixteenth.

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