

THISTLEDOWN - April 16, 2003 - Race 5

MAIDEN SPECIAL WEIGHT - Thoroughbred

FOR MAIDENS, FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD . Three Year Olds 115 lbs.; Older 122 lbs.

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Fancy Threat - 1:08.40 - November 21, 1987)

Purse: \$8,200

Plus: \$3,500 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

Available Money: \$11,700

Value of Race: \$11,700 1st \$8,420, 2nd \$1,640, 3rd \$820, 4th \$410, 5th \$82, 6th \$82, 7th \$82, 8th \$82, 9th \$82

Weather: Cloudy **Track:** Fast

Off at: 3:14 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
---	8	Gold Scepter (Rowland, Michael)	122	L	7	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{2 3/4}	2.30*	confident,handily
27Mar03 ³ TDN ²	2	Eyes of Berthold (Magrell, Jane)	122	L b	2	6	2 ¹	2 ²	2 ⁴	2 ²	2.50	pressed, second best
16Mar03 ¹ TP ²	7	Lily's Prospect (Rojas, Christian) 	122	L b	6	3	4 ^{2 1/2}	3 ⁵	3 ⁵	3 ⁴	7.90	evenly
29Mar03 ¹ TDN ³	6	Pyrite Romance (Feliciano, Ricardo)	115	L	5	4	6 ⁴	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{Head}	4 ¹	3.20	failed to menace
27Mar03 ³ TDN ⁴	10	Senorita Sirianni (Felix, Julio)	122	L b	9	2	8 ^{Head}	6 ³	5 ⁵	5 ^{14 1/2}	5.10	outrun
29Mar03 ¹ TDN ⁵	1	Lotsa White (Santos, Felipe)	115	b	1	7	3 ^{1/2}	5 ^{1/2}	6 ⁵	6 ^{8 1/2}	28.40	through early
2Oct02 ³ BEU ⁸	5	Miss Becca (Cabrera, Javier)	122	L b	4	5	9	8 ⁵	8 ^{3 1/2}	7 ^{1 1/2}	51.10	stumbled badly start
29Mar03 ¹ TDN ⁷	3	Sea Island (Gonzalez, Luis)	122	L	3	8	5 ^{1/2}	7 ^{2 1/2}	7 ²	8 ^{4 1/4}	16.60	brief foot
29Mar03 ¹ TDN ⁹	9	Rouge d'Or (Spieth, Scott)	122	--	8	9	7 ^{Head}	9	9	9	41.80	showed little

Fractional Times: 22.56 46.18 58.90

Final Time: 1:12.34

Split Times: (23:62) (12:72) (13:44)

Run-Up: 0 feet

Winner: Gold Scepter, Bay Filly, by Gold Legend out of Sly Juliet, by Romeo. Foaled Mar 28, 1999 in Ohio.

Breeder: W. John Bourke.

Winning Owner: Allen, Lowell F. and Bourke, W. John

Scratched Horse(s): Cryptic Storm (Stewards)

Total WPS Pool: \$17,541

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
8	Gold Scepter	6.60	3.80	3.60	\$2.00 Exacta	8-2	22.00	17,832
2	Eyes of Berthold		4.00	3.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	8-2-7	80.60	16,404
7	Lily's Prospect			3.60	\$2.00 Superfecta	8-2-7-6	157.80	6,113
					\$2.00 Pick 3	5-10-4/8 (3 correct)	527.20	1,701

Past Performance Running Line Preview


Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
8	Gold Scepter	1	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{1/2}	1 ^{2 3/4}
2	Eyes of Berthold	6	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Head}	2 ^{1/2}	2 ^{2 3/4}
7	Lily's Prospect	3	4 ²	3 ²	3 ^{4 1/2}	3 ^{4 3/4}
6	Pyrite Romance	4	6 ⁵	4 ⁷	4 ^{9 1/2}	4 ^{8 3/4}
10	Senorita Sirianni	2	8 ⁹	6 ⁸	5 ^{9 1/2}	5 ^{9 3/4}
1	Lotsa White	7	3 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{7 1/2}	6 ^{14 1/2}	6 ^{24 1/4}
5	Miss Becca	5	9 ^{9 1/4}	8 ^{13 1/2}	8 ^{21 1/2}	7 ^{32 3/4}
3	Sea Island	8	5 ^{4 1/2}	7 ¹¹	7 ^{19 1/2}	8 ^{34 1/4}
9	Rouge d'Or	9	7 ⁹	9 ^{18 1/2}	9 ²⁵	9 ^{38 1/2}

Trainers: 8 - Bourke, W.; 2 - King, Gary; 7 - Grace, Lori; 6 - Feliciano, Miguel; 10 - Hamm, Timothy; 1 - Faulkner, Rodney; 5 - Lehman, Thomas; 3 - Rogers, Gary; 9 - Crumley, Jevon

Owners: 8 - Allen, Lowell F. and Bourke, W. John; 2 - Buckerine Stable; 7 -Lori Grace; 6 - Pyrite Stables; 10 - Destiny Farm LLC; 1 -Patrick Connolley; 5 -Robert D. Johnson; 3 -James L. Neale; 9 -Mrs. Carlton Cole;

Footnotes

GOLD SCEPTER broke alertly to set the pace while being confidently handled, was shaken up a bit at the eighth pole then drew clear to win in hand. EYES OF BERTHOLD prompted the winner until mid stretch and finished clear for second. LILY'S PROSPECT settled just off the leaders then went evenly. PYRITE ROMANCE failed to menace. SENORITA SIRIANNI was not a threat. LOTSA WHITE was through early. MISS BECCA stumbled badly at the start then was never involved. SEA ISLAND had brief speed. ROUGE D'OR offered little.

 Denotes a Keeneland Sales Graduate