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## WILL ROGERS DOWNS - April 11, 2009 - Race 10

CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE NOT WON TWO RACES SINCE NOVEMBER 7, 2008. Three Year Olds,

118 lbs.; Older, 122 lbs. Claiming Price \$3,500. (NW2 6M) **Claiming Price: \$3,500**

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Middle Earth - 1:07.55 - March 17, 2008)

**Purse:** \$7,000

**Plus:** \$2,600 OBP - Oklahoma Bred Program

**Available Money:** \$9,600

**Value of Race:** \$7,000 1st \$3,948, 2nd \$1,316, 3rd \$724, 4th \$395, 5th \$197, 6th \$60, 7th \$60, 8th \$60, 9th \$60, 10th \$60, 11th \$60, 12th \$60

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

**Off at:** 5:22 **Start:** Good for all

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
23Mar09 <sup>11</sup> WRD <sup>3</sup>	6	Defender's Word (Wethey, Jr., Floyd)	122	L f	6	8	7 <sup>2</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>4 3/4</sup>	2.60	rail rally, drew off
10Mar09 <sup>11</sup> WRD <sup>5</sup>	10	Musical Groom (Matz, Nena)	122	L b	10	2	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>Neck</sup>	17.80	no match, held place
18Mar09 <sup>7</sup> WRD <sup>7</sup>	2	Takedown (Scantling, Vernon)	122	L f	2	5	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	8.80	dueled, weakened
18Mar09 <sup>6</sup> WRD <sup>8</sup>	12	Freebeertomorrow (Galvan, Mario)	125	L	12	3	9 <sup>3</sup>	9 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	31.80	improved position
14Mar09 <sup>12</sup> WRD <sup>2</sup>	11	Lord Alexander (Medina, Luis)	122	L b	11	12	8 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>Head</sup>	5 <sup>1/2</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	6.20	failed to menace
24Mar09 <sup>11</sup> WRD <sup>4</sup>	9	Preachers Luck (Lejeune, John)	122	L b	9	1	6 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>Head</sup>	8 <sup>1</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	43.90	raced mid pack
24Mar09 <sup>11</sup> WRD <sup>8</sup>	7	Engaging Lover (Worst, Cody)	117 <sup>5</sup>	L	7	6	4 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	5 <sup>Head</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup>	7 <sup>1</sup>	60.10	no late bid
14Mar09 <sup>12</sup> WRD <sup>5</sup>	5	Just Plain Bill (Burruss, Beverly)	122	L f	5	9	10 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	10 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	11 <sup>8</sup>	8 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	10.40	no threat
17Mar09 <sup>10</sup> WRD <sup>8</sup>	8	Measurement (Rodriguez, Agustin)	122	L bf	8	7	3 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	9 <sup>1/2</sup>	9 <sup>3/4</sup>	46.70	through after half
10Mar09 <sup>11</sup> WRD <sup>7</sup>	3	O D's Accelerator (Young, Scott)	122	L b	3	10	12	11 <sup>5</sup>	10 <sup>1/2</sup>	10 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	104.30	outrun
24Mar09 <sup>11</sup> WRD <sup>2</sup>	1	Mr. Doug Star (Kimes, Curtis)	122	L b	1	4	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>Head</sup>	11 <sup>14</sup>	1.30*	pressured pace, empty
27Dec08 <sup>10</sup> HAW <sup>7</sup>	4	Agawam (Landeros, Benny)	122	L b	4	11	11 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	12	12	12	20.00	outrun

**Fractional Times:** 22.55 46.23 58.05

**Final Time:** 1:09.57

**Split Times:** (23:68) (11:82) (11:52)

**Run-Up:** 32 feet

**Winner:** Defender's Word, Chestnut Gelding, by Tale of the Cat out of Keep Me Safe, by Horatius. Foaled Apr 26, 2004 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Doyle Williams.

**Winning Owner:** Justforfun Stables (Pruitt)

**Claiming Prices:** 6 - Defender's Word: \$3,500; 10 - Musical Groom: \$3,500; 2 - Takedown: \$3,500; 12 - Freebeertomorrow: \$3,500; 11 - Lord Alexander: \$3,500; 9 - Preachers Luck: \$3,500; 7 - Engaging Lover: \$3,500; 5 - Just Plain Bill: \$3,500; 8 - Measurement: \$3,500; 3 - O D's Accelerator: \$3,500; 1 - Mr. Doug Star: \$3,500; 4 - Agawam: \$3,500;

**Total WPS Pool:** \$6,381

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
6	Defender's Word	7.20	4.20	3.20	\$2.00 Exacta	6-10	74.40	3,446
10	Musical Groom		13.80	7.80	\$2.00 Quinella	6-10	54.40	518
2	Takedown			6.40	\$2.00 Trifecta	6-10-2	490.40	4,519
					\$1.00 Superfecta	6-10-2-12	5,698.60	2,249

### Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
6	Defender's Word	8	7 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	4 <sup>1</sup>	1 <sup>3</sup>	1 <sup>4 3/4</sup>
10	Musical Groom	2	5 <sup>2 1/4</sup>	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	2 <sup>4 3/4</sup>
2	Takedown	5	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>5</sup>
12	Freebeertomorrow	3	9 <sup>5</sup>	9 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>6</sup>	4 <sup>7</sup>
11	Lord Alexander	12	8 <sup>4 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	5 <sup>7</sup>	5 <sup>8 1/2</sup>
9	Preachers Luck	1	6 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>3</sup>	8 <sup>8 3/4</sup>	6 <sup>10 3/4</sup>
7	Engaging Lover	6	4 <sup>3/4</sup>	5 <sup>2 1/2</sup>	7 <sup>7 3/4</sup>	7 <sup>10 3/4</sup>
5	Just Plain Bill	9	10 <sup>8</sup>	10 <sup>5 1/2</sup>	11 <sup>10 3/4</sup>	8 <sup>11 3/4</sup>
8	Measurement	7	3 <sup>1/2</sup>	6 <sup>2 3/4</sup>	9 <sup>9 3/4</sup>	9 <sup>13</sup>
3	O D's Accelerator	10	12 <sup>11</sup>	11 <sup>8</sup>	10 <sup>10 1/4</sup>	10 <sup>13 3/4</sup>
1	Mr. Doug Star	4	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	6 <sup>7 1/2</sup>	11 <sup>15</sup>
4	Agawam	11	11 <sup>9 1/2</sup>	12 <sup>13</sup>	12 <sup>18 3/4</sup>	12 <sup>29</sup>

**Trainers:** 6 - Pruitt, Jody; 10 - Armstrong, Zachary; 2 - Caster, Boyd; 12 - Durham, Mike; 11 - Pearson, Paul; 9 - Komardley, Evans; 7 - Berg, Harvey; 5 - Caster, Boyd; 8 - Trett, Donald; 3 - Armstrong, Zachary; 1 - Lucas, Joe; 4 - Durham, Mike

**Owners:** 6 - Justforfun Stables (Pruitt); 10 - Zachary Armstrong; 2 - Southern Okie Boys LLC; 12 - Mike Durham; 11 - Rick L. Olson; 9 - Tension Mercer; 7 - Susan J. Berg; 5 - Wanda B. Stone; 8 - Donald G. Trett; 3 - Oral Dixon; 1 - Cook, Katherine and Don; 4 - Daniel O'Hallaron;

### Footnotes

DEFENDER'S WORD raced in the second flight early, rallied on the turn and slipped through on the inside, drew off through the lane while being ridden out. MUSICAL GROOM pressed the pace, was no match for the winner late but held place. TAKEDOWN vied for lead and gradually weakened in the stretch. FREEBEERTOMORROW never far back, improved his position while no threat. LORD ALEXANDER failed to menace. PREACHERS LUCK raced middle of the pack. ENGAGING LOVER well placed, had no late bid. JUST PLAIN BILL was no threat. MEASUREMENT was through after a half. O D'S ACCELERATOR was outrun. MR. DOUG STAR set a pressured pace and came up empty. AGAWAM was outrun.