

# RACE 10 Bel-8Jun02 1½ Miles(2.24), 3 yo ⓄBelmontG1

Value of Race: \$1,000,000. 1st \$600,000; 2nd \$200,000; 3rd \$110,000; 4th \$60,000; 5th \$30,000.

Mutuel Pools: \$19,927,331., Ex \$12,291,353., Tri \$14,503,982., Super \$3,681,815.0, DD \$332,702

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eq	A	Wt	PP	¼	½	1	1¼	Str	Fin	Odds	\$1
18May02 6Pim1	Sarava	L	3	126	11	5hd	53½	4hd	3hd	1½	1½	70.25	Split rivals, long drv
18May02 12Pim8	Medaglia d'Oro	L	3	126	7	2½	2½	1hd	1½	25½	29½	16.00	Stalked, dueled, game
25May02 8Bel1	Sunday Break-JP	Lf	3	126	5	7½	7½	64½	41½	33½	31	8.10	5 wide move, flattened
18May02 12Pim2	Magic Weisner	L	3	126	10	62½	6½	7½	62½	5½	41¼	7.30	Bumped break, wide
18May02 12Pim3	Proud Citizen	L	3	126	8	41½	3½	31	2hd	42	51½	7.00	5 wide, vanned off
4May02 9CD9	Essence Of Dubai	Lb	3	126	4	102½	10½	108	85	6½	64¼	20.60	No threat
23May02 2Hol1	Like A Hero	L	3	126	2	11	11	9½	7¾	822	71¾	25.50	Bumped hard start
18May02 12Pim1	War Emblem	L	3	126	9	3hd	42½	2½	52½	75	830¾	1.25	Stumb brk, rank, tired
11May02 8LS1	Wiseman's Ferry	L	3	126	3	11½	1½	5½	1012	9hd	91	18.80	Bumped brk, used up
4May02 9CD3	Perfect Drift	L	3	126	6	92	96	86	9hd	1024	1024¾	5.60	Steadied first turn
15May02 9Bel1	Artax Too	Lb	3	126	1	8hd	8½	11	11	11	11	71.75	Stumb br, stead early

OFF 6:15 Start Good For All But ARTAX TOO & WAR EMBLEM. Won driving. Track fast.

TIME :24. :48, 1:121, 1:37, 2:032, 2:293 (.24.11, :48.09, 1:12.38, 1:37.01, 2:03.50, 2:29.71)

**12-SARAVA 142.50 50.00 22.40**  
**8-MEDAGLIA D'ORO 16.00 10.60**  
**5-SUNDAY BREAK-JP 7.10**

\$2 Ex (12-8) 2,454.00

\$2 Tri (12-8-5) 25,209.00 \$2 Super (12-8-5-11) 145,334.00

\$2 DD (2-12 (ACORN/BELMONT)) 348.50

**Dk. b. or br. c, (Mar), by Wild Again-Rhythm of Life, by Deputy Minister. Trainer McPeck Kenneth G. Bred by Timber Bay Farm (Ky).**

SARAVA settled just off the early pace, was rated behind MEDAGLIA d'ORO along the backstretch, angled to the inside nearing the far turn, waited patiently while edging closer on the turn, split rivals to challenge leaving the quarter pole, battled heads apart from outside in upper stretch, surged to the front nearing the furlong marker then turned back MADEGLIA d'ORO under steady right hand encouragement. MEDAGLIA D'ORO rushed up from outside to contest the early pace, stalked three wide along the backstretch, surged to the front nearing the half mile pole, maintained a slim advantage along the inside on the turn, fought heads apart inside the winner through the stretch and yielded grudgingly. SUNDAY BREAK (JPN) bumped with PERFECT DRIFT at the start, was unhurried for six furlongs, gradually worked his way forward while five wide leaving the backstretch, made a run while continuing wide to threaten at the top of the stretch but couldn't sustain his bid. MAGIC WEISNER bumped with the favorite at the start, raced in the middle of the pack along the backstretch, swung six wide for clear sailing while gaining a bit on the turn then lacked a strong finishing response. PROUD CITIZEN moved up from outside going into the first turn, stalked the leaders while five wide along the backstretch, raced in close contention while just outside the winner approaching the quarter pole then steadily tired thereafter. PROUD CITIZEN pulled up in distress after the finish and was vanned off. ESSENCE OF DUBAI never reach contention while being outrun for a mile and a quarter then passed only tiring horses. LIKE A HERO was bumped off stride at the start and was never close thereafter. WAR EMBLEM stumbled badly then bumped with MAGIC WEISNER at the start, rushed up between horses, was under a snug hold while rank for three-quarters of a mile, moved through along the rail to gain a brief lead nearing the half mile pole, remained a factor to the turn then gave way. WISEMAN'S FERRY rushed up along the inside after being bumped at the start, set the pace under pressure for six furlongs, relinquished the lead approaching the far turn and steadily tired thereafter. PERFECT DRIFT was bumped at the start, steadied in tight between horses on the first turn, raced well back for a mile, swung wide on the turn and lacked a further response. ARTAX TOO stumbled then broke outward causing crowding at the start, steadied along the inside on the first turn and was never close thereafter.

**Jockeys**— , Prado E S; 2, Desormeaux K J; 3, Stevens G L; 4, Migliore R; 5, Smith M E; 6, Bailey J D; 7, Day P; 8, Espinoza V; 9, Chavez J F; 10, Delahoussaye E; 11, Santos J A

**Trainers**— , McPeck Kenneth G; 2, Frankel Robert; 3, Drysdale Neil; 4, Alberts Nancy H; 5, Lukas D Wayne; 6, Surour Saeed bin; 7, Greely C Beau; 8, Baffert Bob; 9, O'Callaghan Niall M; 10, Johnson Murray W; 11, Pedersen Jennifer L

**Owners**— , New Phoenix Stable & Mrs Susan Roy; 2, Gann Edmund A; 3, Maeda Koji; 4, Alberts Nancy H; 5, Baker Robert C Cornstein David & Ma; 6, Godolphin Racing Inc; 7, Columbine Stable; 8, The Thoroughbred Corporation; 9, Lee Sacks Morton Fink & Swifty Farm; 10, William A Reed & Mary Reed; 11, Paraneck Stable

**Scratched**— Puzzlement (25May02 8BEL2)