

**LOUISIANA DOWNS - February 24, 2026 - Race 7**

TRIALS - Quarter Horse

FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD THAT REMAIN ELIGIBLE TO THE 2026 LOUISIANA DOWNS MAIDEN CLASSIC TRIALS. By original nomination of \$750 due on Friday, January 9, 2026 and second payment of \$750 due on Friday, February 6, 2026. Supplemental nomination at time of entry on Tuesday, February 17, 2026 of \$3,000 must accompany entry and includes all fees. Weights: Three Year Old, 126 lbs. Older 128 lbs. Conditions are Maidens on date of Monday, December 1, 2025.

**Distance:** Three Hundred And Fifty Yards On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Eysa Jess Jumpn - 17.180 - January 19, 2019)

**Purse:** \$5,000 Guaranteed

**Includes:** \$2,500 Other Sources

**Available Money:** \$5,000

**Value of Race:** \$5,000 1st \$3,000, 2nd \$1,000, 3rd \$550, 4th \$300, 5th \$150

**Wind Speed:** 11 **Wind Direction:** Tail

**Weather:** Cloudy, 62° **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 3:23 **Start:** Good for all except 4,9 **Timing Method:** Electronic



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	Str 1	Str	Fin	Odds	Ind. Time	Sp. In.	Comments
23Nov25 <sup>10</sup> LA <sup>9</sup>	5	Death Valley (Pulido, Juan)	126	b	5	6	<sup>3</sup> Neck	<sup>1</sup> Head	<sup>1</sup> 3/4	2.60	17.853	91	strong driving finish
3Dec25 <sup>9</sup> EVD <sup>3</sup>	2	Poppin Off (Vivanco, Luis)	126	L b	2	2	<sup>1</sup> Head	<sup>2</sup> 3/4	<sup>2</sup> 3/4	28.30	17.971	88	early speed hung late
23Oct25 <sup>7</sup> LS <sup>2</sup>	9	Ym Flyin (Vital, Humberto)	126	L b	9	10	10	<sup>7</sup> 1/2	<sup>3</sup> Nose	1.80*	18.117	84	ducked out late rally
13Jun25 <sup>7</sup> DED <sup>2</sup>	8	Paint Me Blu (Morales, Adrian)	126	L bfh	8	4	<sup>5</sup> 1/2	<sup>4</sup> 1/2	<sup>4</sup> Neck	3.90	18.122	83	strong effort
6Nov25 <sup>9</sup> LS <sup>4</sup>	3	A Corona With Perks (Medina, Alejandro)	126	L bf	3	1	<sup>2</sup> Neck	<sup>3</sup> 1/2	<sup>5</sup> 1	65.80	18.147	83	never far back
---	1	Ss Vaquero (Pina Garcia, Rosendo)	126	L bf	1	3	<sup>4</sup> Head	<sup>6</sup> Head	<sup>6</sup> 1/2	8.90	18.315	78	faded
13Jan26 <sup>7</sup> LAD <sup>6</sup>	7	Tf Cartel Corona (Hernandez, H.)	126	b	7	8	<sup>7</sup> 1/2	<sup>8</sup> 1	<sup>7</sup> Neck	16.30	18.385	76	late kick
6Mar25 <sup>1</sup> LAD <sup>2</sup>	6	Jp Jess Valiant (Villatoro, Noe)	126	L bf	6	7	<sup>6</sup> 1/2	<sup>5</sup> Neck	<sup>8</sup> 3/4	8.50	18.421	75	one paced
14Nov25 <sup>12</sup> LS <sup>10</sup>	10	Fear a Jess (Rodriguez, Leonardo)	126	L bfh	10	5	<sup>9</sup> Head	<sup>9</sup> 3/4	<sup>9</sup> 1 1/4	16.40	18.536	72	no menace
20Jan26 <sup>7</sup> LAD <sup>6</sup>	4	Five Valiant (Hernandez, Eleazar)	126	b	4	9	<sup>8</sup> Head	10	10	59.30	18.766	65	bobbledstrt,nothreat

**Run-Up:** 0 feet

**Winner:** Death Valley, Sorrel Gelding, by Favorite Cartel out of Enjoy the Walk, by Walk Thru Fire. Foaled Feb 14, 2023 in California.

**Breeder:** Steve D Burns Dvm

**Owner:** Dennis Dreier

**Trainer:** Garcia, Jose

**Total WPS Pool:** \$25,956

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
5	Death Valley	7.20	5.20	3.60	\$1.00 Exacta	5-2	74.50	25,644
2	Poppin Off		23.00	11.60	\$0.50 Trifecta	5-2-9	127.40	17,175
9	Ym Flyin			2.80	\$0.10 Superfecta	5-2-9-8	90.40	13,629
					\$0.50 Pick 3	5-10-5 (3 correct)	187.60	2,754
					\$1.00 Daily Double	10-5	18.60	1,417

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	Str 1	Str	Fin
5	Death Valley	6	<sup>3</sup> Neck	<sup>1</sup> Head	<sup>1</sup> 3/4
2	Poppin Off	2	<sup>1</sup> Head	<sup>2</sup> Head	<sup>2</sup> 3/4
9	Ym Flyin	10	<sup>10</sup> 2 1/2	<sup>7</sup> 2 1/4	<sup>3</sup> 1 1/2
8	Paint Me Blu	4	<sup>5</sup> 3/4	<sup>4</sup> 1 1/4	<sup>4</sup> 1 1/2
3	A Corona With Perks	1	<sup>2</sup> Head	<sup>3</sup> 3/4	<sup>5</sup> 1 3/4
1	Ss Vaquero	3	<sup>4</sup> 1/2	<sup>6</sup> 2	<sup>6</sup> 2 3/4
7	Tf Cartel Corona	8	<sup>7</sup> 1 3/4	<sup>8</sup> 2 3/4	<sup>7</sup> 3 1/4
6	Jp Jess Valiant	7	<sup>6</sup> 1 1/4	<sup>5</sup> 1 3/4	<sup>8</sup> 3 1/2
10	Fear a Jess	5	<sup>9</sup> 2 1/4	<sup>9</sup> 3 3/4	<sup>9</sup> 4 1/4
4	Five Valiant	9	<sup>8</sup> 2 1/4	<sup>10</sup> 4 1/2	<sup>10</sup> 5 1/2

**Trainers:** 5 - Garcia, Jose; 2 - Touchet, Robert; 9 - Alvarado, Enrique; 8 - Hernandez, Leonel; 3 - Bolen, Bradley; 1 - Garcia, Wendy; 7 - Morales, Eduardo; 6 - Sanchez, Rodolfo; 10 - Almanza, Rolando; 4 - Villaseca, Santiago

**Owners:** 5 -Dennis Dreier; 2 - Slash Z Quarter Horses; 9 -Manuel Ortiz; 8 - JC Ranch LLC; 3 -Debra M. Gotovac; 1 - Salazar Stables, LLC; 7 - Garcia Jr, Armando and Garcia, Janet; 6 -Ezequiel Araiza; 10 - LC Racing LLC (Sanchez); 4 -Leslie Martinez-Castanon;

**Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)**

DEATH VALLEY strong driving finish. POPPIN OFF early speed hung late. YM FLYIN ducked out late rally. PAINT ME BLU strong effort. A CORONA WITH PERKS never far back. SS VAQUERO faded. TF CARTEL CORONA late kick. JP JESS VALIANT one paced. FEAR A JESS no menace. FIVE VALIANT bobbled start, no threat.