

SUNLAND PARK - January 3, 2026 - Race 1

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Quarter Horse

FOR FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$6,250 OR LESS IN 2024 - 2025

OR CLAIMING PRICE \$8,000. Weight, 128 lbs. Claiming Price \$8,000. (C) **Claiming Price:** \$8,000

Distance: Eight Hundred And Seventy Yards On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Gone to the Mountain - 43.029 - April 5, 2009)

Purse: \$13,100

Plus: \$629 NMHBA - New Mexico Horse Breeders Assoc.

Available Money: \$13,729

Value of Race: \$13,729 1st \$7,860, 2nd \$3,249, 3rd \$1,310, 4th \$655, 5th \$393, 6th \$262

Wind Speed: 0 **Wind Direction:** No

Weather: Clear, 63° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 12:27 **Start:** Good for all **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	
16Nov25 ¹ ZIA ¹	7	Wedding Groom (Arboleda, Aldo)	128	L	7	6	3 ^{1/2}	2 ¹	1 ^{3/4}	1.20*	44.674	98	stalk,3p,edge clear	
9Dec25 ⁷ ZIA ⁷	6	Shell Game (Gomez, Enrique)	128	L	bf	6	5	5 ^{2 1/2}	3 ^{1/2}	2 ^{Neck}	5.70	44.820	96	chase,4p,late gain
16Nov25 ¹ ZIA ⁴	5	Billy de Kid (Iturralde, Omar)	130	bf	5	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ^{2 1/4}	8.30	44.852	96	duel,2p,drift,gv way	
19Oct25 ² ALB ¹	2	DQ-Broadway Dish (Vazquez, Jose)	130	L	b	2	3	6 ^{1 1/2}	6 ³	4 ^{1/2}	2.60	45.272	91	drift,3p,lost whip1/16
26Oct25 ² ALB ⁵	8	Sensatinal Bill (Ortiz, Jose)	128	L	bfk	8	8	4 ^{1/2}	4 ^{1/2}	5 ¹	6.70	45.350	90	duel,5p,wkn
7Dec25 ¹ ZIA ⁷	4	You Buy I Fly V (Barraza, Brian)	128	L	bf	4	1	2 ^{Head}	5 ²	6 ⁴	15.90	45.512	88	duel,svd gnd,faded
7Dec25 ¹ ZIA ³	3	Al Siete D Copas (Gomez, Reyes)	129	k	3	7	7 ^{1/2}	7 ¹	7 ^{Neck}	50.40	46.245	80	off pace,3p,empty	
16Nov25 ¹ ZIA ⁶	1	Noreason Fordiamonds (Navarrete, Jr., Eugenio)	128	L	bf	1	4	8	8	18.40	46.298	79	traffic,2p,no bid	
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Winner: Wedding Groom, Dark Bay or Brown Gelding, by Hard Spun out of Wedding Dress, by Medaglia d'Oro. Foaled Mar 18, 2018 in California.

Breeder: Terry C. Lovingier

Owner: Fincher, Leroy and Fincher, Maureen S.

Trainer: Fincher, Leroy

Claiming Prices: 7 - Wedding Groom: \$8,000; 5 - Billy de Kid: \$8,000; 4 - You Buy I Fly V: \$8,000; 3 - Al Siete D Copas: \$8,000; 1 - Noreason Fordiamonds: \$8,000;

Disqualification(s): # 2 Broadway Dish from 4 to 8

Scratched Horse(s): Desert Danger (Also-Eligible), Maxed Out To (Also-Eligible)

Total WPS Pool: \$18,931

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
7	Wedding Groom	4.40	3.60	2.40	\$1.00 Exacta	7-6	10.60	14,954
6	Shell Game		6.40	3.40	\$1.00 Trifecta	7-6-5	43.50	11,088
5	Billy de Kid			3.40	\$0.10 Superfecta	7-6-5-8	21.11	8,703

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	Str 1	Str	Fin
7	Wedding Groom	6	3 ^{Head}	2 ^{Head}	1 ^{3/4}
6	Shell Game	5	5 ^{1 1/4}	3 ¹	2 ^{3/4}
5	Billy de Kid	2	1 ^{Head}	1 ^{Head}	3 ¹
2	Broadway Dish	3	6 ^{3 3/4}	6 ⁴	4 ^{3 1/4}
8	Sensatinal Bill	8	4 ^{3/4}	4 ^{1 1/2}	5 ^{3 3/4}
4	You Buy I Fly V	1	2 ^{Head}	5 ²	6 ^{4 3/4}
3	Al Siete D Copas	7	7 ^{5 1/4}	7 ⁷	7 ^{8 3/4}
1	Noreason Fordiamonds	4	8 ^{5 3/4}	8 ⁸	8 ⁹

Trainers: 7 - Fincher, Leroy; 6 - Moreno, Edgar; 5 - Iturralde, Luis; 2 - Gonzalez, Jose; 8 - Soto, Salvador; 4 - Deyta-Melendez, Heber; 3 - Bueno, Efrain; 1 - Garcia, Gene

Owners: 7 - Fincher, Leroy and Fincher, Maureen S.; 6 -Socorro Duarte; 5 -Felipe Astorga; 2 -John Buffington; 8 - One Time Racing Stables LLC; 4 -Heber Deyta-Melendez; 3 -Efrain Bueno; 1 - Garcia, Gene C. and Garcia, Reyes J.;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

WEDDING GROOM stalk,3p,edge clear. SHELL GAME chase,4p,late gain. BILLY DE KID duel,2p,drift,gave way. BROADWAY DISH off pace,drift,3p,lost stick1/16th,DQ8th. SENSATINAL BILL duel,5p,wkn. YOU BUY I FLY V duel,svd gnd,faded. AL SIETE D COPAS off pace,3p,empty. NOREASON FORDIAMONDS traffic,trailed,2p,no bid. AN INQUIRY WAS MADE INTO THE TURN. UPON REVIEW, HORSE TWO, BROADWAY DISH, WAS DISQUALIFIED AND PLACED LAST FOR INTERFERENCE.