

SUNLAND PARK - February 15, 2026 - Race 5
EQUIBASE

STAKES Peppers Pride S. - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES THREE YEARS OLDS REGISTERED NEW MEXICO BRED. Lasix not permitted per Hisa Rule 4212(d). Free to nominate; \$600 to enter. (includes \$50,000 NMHBA Purse Enhancement Fund). Balance of added money from Sunland Park Purse Fund. Starters to be named through the entry box at the usual time of closing. Weight 121 lbs. Total lifetime earnings at time of nominations closing will be used to determine order of preference of horses entered. A suitable award will be presented to the winning owner. Nominations Closed On Saturday February 7, 2026 At 4:00 P.M. with Twelve. (S)

Distance: One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Escape Clause - 1:34.00 - March 24, 2019)

Purse: \$100,000 Guaranteed

Includes: \$50,000 NMHBA - New Mexico Horse Breeders Assoc.

Available Money: \$100,000

Value of Race: \$100,000 1st \$60,000, 2nd \$20,000, 3rd \$10,000, 4th \$5,000, 5th \$3,000, 6th \$2,000

Weather: Cloudy, 65° **Track:** Fast

Off at: 2:16 **Start:** Good for all except 7 **Timing Method:** Electronic

[Video Race Replay](#)

| Last Raced | Pgm | Horse Name (Jockey) | Wgt | M/E | PP | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin | Odds | Comments |
|------------|-----|---------------------|-----|--|-----|-------|-----|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|------------------------------|
| 12Jan26 | 3 | SUN ⁴ | 8 | Marka (Torres, Cristian) | 121 | b | 7 5 | 5 ^{1/2} | 4 ^{Head} | 4 ¹ | 1 ¹ | 14 1/4 | 11.70 bid 4w 1/4,drew away |
| 18Jan26 | 9 | SUN ² | 4 | Unwound (Ramos, Christian) | 121 | -- | 3 3 | 1 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ¹ | 2Neck | 27.10 pace btw 2w,held 2nd |
| 12Jan26 | 3 | SUN ⁶ | 7 | Holy Miss (Amparan, Francisco) | 121 | b | 6 8 | 7 ^{Head} | 7 ^{Head} | 6 ^{1/2} | 3 ^{1 1/2} | 3 ⁴ | 44.40 off slw,bid 5w,outkick |
| 19Jan26 | 7 | SUN ² | 1 | I Am Paula Revere (Hernandez, Olaf) | 121 | b | 1 7 | 6 ¹ | 6 ^{1/2} | 5 ^{1/2} | 4 ^{1/2} | 42 1/2 | 4.70 traffic 1/4,flattened |
| 19Jan26 | 7 | SUN ⁵ | 6 | American Prada (Mojica, Orlando) | 121 | b | 5 2 | 4 ^{1/2} | 5 ^{1/2} | 7 ² | 6 ^{1/2} | 5 ^{Head} | 4.90 trck btw 3w,gave way |
| 18Jan26 | 9 | SUN ¹ | 5 | Day At a Time (Valenzuela, Luis) | 121 | b | 4 1 | 2 ^{1/2} | 3 ¹ | 2 ^{1/2} | 5 ^{1/2} | 6 ² | 7.40 press 3w,weakened |
| 19Jan26 | 7 | SUN ⁶ | 3 | Who Said It's Easy (Andrade, Jr., Oscar) | 121 | b | 2 4 | 3 ^{1/2} | 1 ^{Head} | 3 ^{1/2} | 7 ³ | 73 1/2 | 22.40 press inside,tired |
| 19Jan26 | 7 | SUN ⁴ | 9 | Caprock Cutie (Juarez, Jr., Alfredo) | 121 | -- | 8 6 | 8 ^{1 1/2} | 8 ¹ | 8 ^{1/2} | 8 ⁶ | 811 1/2 | 0.70* coaxed 5w 1/4,no bid |
| 15Dec25 | 7 | ZIA ⁴ | 10 | Desert Hope (Vazquez, Jose) | 121 | -- | 9 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 41.10 widest 1/2,no factor |

Fractional Times: 24.27 47.83 1:12.48 1:25.48

Final Time: 1:38.72

Split Times: (23:56) (24:65) (13:00) (13:24)

Run-Up: 30 feet

Winner: Marka, Bay Filly, by Marking out of Tilla Cat, by Attila's Storm. Foaled Apr 07, 2023 in New Mexico.

Breeder: Robert Driggers, Del Rae Driggers & Benlvey

Owner: Driggers, Robert M., Driggers, Del Rae and Ivey, Ben Lee

Trainer: Fincher, Todd

Scratched Horse(s): Desert Following (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$62,516

| Pgm | Horse | Win | Place | Show | Wager Type | Winning Numbers | Payoff | Pool |
|-----|-----------|-------|-------|-------|---------------------|-------------------|----------|--------|
| 8 | Marka | 25.40 | 11.40 | 7.20 | \$1.00 Exacta | 8-4 | 234.20 | 36,682 |
| 4 | Unwound | | 15.40 | 8.80 | \$1.00 Trifecta | 8-4-7 | 5,165.90 | 27,557 |
| 7 | Holy Miss | | | 17.20 | \$0.10 Superfecta | 8-4-7-1 | 3,106.77 | 18,435 |
| | | | | | \$0.50 Pick 3 | 4-1-8 (3 correct) | 186.40 | 2,984 |
| | | | | | \$1.00 Daily Double | 1-8 | 147.60 | 3,925 |

Past Performance Running Line Preview

| Pgm | Horse Name | Start | 1/4 | 1/2 | 3/4 | Str | Fin |
|-----|--------------------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------|
| 8 | Marka | 5 | 5 ² | 4 ^{1 1/2} | 4 ¹ | 1 ¹ | 14 1/4 |
| 4 | Unwound | 3 | 1 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{Head} | 1 ^{Head} | 2 ¹ | 24 1/4 |
| 7 | Holy Miss | 8 | 7 ^{3 1/2} | 7 ^{2 3/4} | 6 ^{2 1/2} | 3 ² | 34 1/2 |
| 1 | I Am Paula Revere | 7 | 6 ^{2 1/2} | 6 ^{2 1/4} | 5 ² | 4 ^{3 1/2} | 48 1/2 |
| 6 | American Prada | 2 | 4 ^{1 1/2} | 5 ^{1 3/4} | 7 ³ | 6 ^{4 1/2} | 511 |
| 5 | Day At a Time | 1 | 2 ^{1/2} | 3 ^{1/2} | 2 ^{Head} | 5 ⁴ | 611 |
| 3 | Who Said It's Easy | 4 | 3 ¹ | 1 ^{Head} | 3 ^{1/2} | 7 ⁵ | 713 |
| 9 | Caprock Cutie | 6 | 8 ^{3 1/2} | 8 ^{2 3/4} | 8 ⁵ | 8 ⁸ | 816 1/2 |
| 10 | Desert Hope | 9 | 9 ⁵ | 9 ^{3 3/4} | 9 ^{5 1/2} | 9 ¹⁴ | 928 |

Trainers: 8 - Fincher, Todd; 4 - Buechler, Simon; 7 - Hone, Bart; 1 - Fincher, Todd; 6 - Fincher, Todd; 5 - Fincher, Todd; 3 - Fincher, Todd; 9 - Cappellucci, Dick; 10 - Gonzalez, Jose

Owners: 8 - Driggers, Robert M., Driggers, Del Rae and Ivey, Ben Lee; 4 - Asmussenequine.com, Riley, Martin, Latimer, Frances and Scott, Chris W.; 7 - Masino Racing Stable; 1 - Reliance Ranches LLC; 6 - Wood, Ernie J., Wood, Brenda and Williams, Austin; 5 -Dustin Brooks; 3 - Robison, J. Kirk and Robison, Judy; 9 - Robertson, Glen and McQueen, Bobby; 10 -Juan Carlos Gutierrez;

Footnotes | [View Glossary Of Terms](#)

MARKA well placed to half, bid four wide far turn, vied upper, drew away in the lane and was ridden out in the final stages. UNWOUND set pace between two wide to the half, vied to mid-stretch, yielded to the winner in the lane, held for second. HOLY MISS broke in start, chased five wide to quarter, outkicked in the stretch, just missed for second. I AM PAULA REVERE off step slow, gain three wide quarter then caught in traffic upper stretch, flattened out in the lane. AMERICAN PRADA settled second flight, tracked between to half, gave way far turn. DAY AT A TIME close up, pressed three wide to quarter, weakened stretch. WHO SAID IT'S EASY pressed inside to half, dropped back quarter marker, tired stretch. CAPROCK CUTIE took back, coaxed five wide to half, outrun to quarter, no threat stretch. DESERT HOPE settled, raced widest to half, outrun to quarter, no factor stretch.