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**THISTLED OWN - September 9, 2025 - Race 1**

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

FOR FILLIES AND MARES THREE YEARS OLD AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$5,000 OR LESS IN 2024 - 2025 OR CLAIMING PRICE \$8,000. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 123 lbs. Non-winners Of A Race At A Mile Or Over Since August 9 Allowed 2 lbs. Such A Race Since July 9 Allowed 4 lbs. Claiming Price \$8,000 (Claiming Races For \$5,000 Or Less Not Considered In Weight Allowances) (Ohio Registered Foals Preferred). ( C ) **Claiming Price:** \$8,000

**Distance:** One Mile On The Dirt **Current Track Record:** (Setting Limits - 1:35.60 - November 19, 1989)

**Purse:** \$20,000

**Plus:** \$1,600 OTF - Ohio Thoroughbred Fund

**Available Money:** \$21,600

**Value of Race:** \$20,000 1st \$13,000, 2nd \$3,000, 2nd \$3,000, 4th \$1,000

**Weather:** Clear, 73° **Track:** Fast

**Off at:** 1:47 **Start:** Good for all except 1 **Timing Method:** Electronic

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
5Aug25 <sup>5</sup> TDN <sup>3</sup>	4	Late Nite Lizzie (Bracho, Jose)	119 L bf	3 2	2 <sup>1/2</sup>	2 <sup>2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/4</sup>	19.60	dueled, drew clear,	
20Aug25 <sup>6</sup> TDN <sup>4</sup>	3	Sacred Connection (Houghton, T.)	119 L f	2 1	1 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>3</sup>	3 <sup>7</sup>	3 <sup>12</sup>	2 <sup>19 3/4</sup>	49.30	three wide, rallied,	
21Aug25 <sup>2</sup> TDN <sup>1</sup>	8	Lubu (Diaz, Angel)	123 L b	4 4	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>5</sup>	2 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>19 3/4</sup>	0.05*	dueled, outfinished	
25Aug25 <sup>3</sup> MNR <sup>1</sup>	1	Heart Light (Martinez, Miguel)	123 L b	1 3	4	4	4	4	4	17.50	broke inward, outrun,	

**Fractional Times:** 26.40 50.74 1:15.30

**Final Time:** 1:41.42

**Split Times:** (24:34) (24:56) (26:12)

**Run-Up:** 40 feet

**Winner:** Late Nite Lizzie, Chestnut Filly, by Palace Malice out of Giant Sensation, by Giant's Causeway. Foaled Apr 16, 2021 in Kentucky.

**Breeder:** Overbrook Farm & Kildare Stud

**Owner:** Rey Juarez-Mendoza

**Trainer:** Juarez-Mendoza, Rey

**Dead Heats:** 2nd place - # 3 Sacred Connection  
2nd place - # 8 Lubu

**Scratched Horse(s):** Beautiful Mandate (Veterinarian), Dreaming of Audrey (Veterinarian), It'sfiftyshadetime (Veterinarian), My Cajun Lady (Veterinarian)

**Total WPS Pool:** \$47,501

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Late Nite Lizzie	41.20		\$1.00 Exacta	4-3	22.70	11,766
3	Sacred Connection			\$1.00 Exacta	4-8	4.20	0
8	Lubu			\$0.50 Trifecta	4-3-8	16.60	4,096
				\$0.50 Trifecta	4-8-3	4.05	0

**Past Performance Running Line Preview**

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin
4	Late Nite Lizzie	2	2 <sup>1</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	1 <sup>1 1/4</sup>
3	Sacred Connection	1	1 <sup>1</sup>	3 <sup>2</sup>	3 <sup>5</sup>	3 <sup>4 1/2</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/4</sup>
8	Lubu	4	3 <sup>1 1/2</sup>	1 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>Head</sup>	2 <sup>1 1/4</sup>
1	Heart Light	3	4 <sup>3</sup>	4 <sup>5</sup>	4 <sup>12</sup>	4 <sup>16 1/2</sup>	4 <sup>21</sup>

**Trainers:** 4 - Juarez-Mendoza, Rey; 3 - Bailey, Ricardo; 8 - Rivera, Nestor; 1 - Romero, Oscar

**Owners:** 4 - Rey Juarez-Mendoza; 3 - Lion Palm Racing Stable; 8 - Rivera Racing Stables, LLC.; 1 - ORV Racing Stables, LLC;

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

LATE NITE LIZZIE had good position early while between horses, dueled from the inside and edged clear late under firm handling. SACRED CONNECTION was never far back, rallied three wide in stretch and finished in a dead heat for place. LUBU dueled on the lead throughout with the winner, was outfinished late and finished in dead heat for place. HEART LIGHT broke inward and had an awkward start, raced close up for a half, then gave way.