

# EIGHTH RACE

## Aqueduct

APRIL 12, 2003

1/8 MILES. (1.47) 79th Running of the WOOD MEMORIAL Grade I Purse \$750,000. (Up to \$65,500 NYSBFOA). **THREE YEAR OLDS.** By subscription of \$750 each, which should accompany the nomination; \$3,500 to pass the entry box; \$4,000 to start. The purse to be divided 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth and 3% to fifth. 123 lbs. Trophies will be presented to the winning owner, trainer and jockey. A bonus of \$100,000 (which will follow the horse) to the trainer of the horse which wins both The Wood Memorial and the Kentucky Derby. Closed Saturday, March 29th, 2003 with 27 Nominations.

Value of Race: \$750,000 Winner \$450,000; second \$150,000; third \$82,500; fourth \$45,000; fifth \$22,500. Mutuel Pool \$1,680,035.0 Exacta Pool \$1,032,527.0 Trifecta Pool \$770,804.00 Superfecta Pool \$173,179.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.Wt	PP	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
15Mar03 8GP1	Empire Maker	Lb	3 123	8 3	3 1/2	3 2 1/2	3 3 1/2	1hd	1 1/2		Bailey J D	0.55
9Mar03 9FG3	Funny Cide	L	3 123	4 5	2 1	2 1/2	2 1/2	26	2 7 1/2		Santos J A	5.20
28Mar03 8Aqu1	Kissin Saint	Lf	3 123	3 2	5 1 1/2	5hd	5hd	41 31			Migliore R	16.00
22Mar03 10TP1	New York Hero	Lbf	3 123	1 1	11 1/2	11 1/2	11	32	4nk		Arroyo N Jr	8.90
15Mar03 8GP5	Senor Swinger	L	3 123	5 6	6 2 1/2	6 6	6 7	5 6	5 5 3/4		Stevens G L	17.30
15Mar03 8GP3	Indy Dancer	Lb	3 123	6 8	8 8	8 8	8 8	7 5 1/2	6 4 1/2		Velazquez J R	8.90
29Mar03 8Lr1	Sky Soldier	L	3 123	7 7	4 3 1/2	4 2 1/2	4 2	6 1	7 4 3/4		Madrigal R Jr	22.20
16Mar03 9Aqu3	Spite The Devil		3 123	2 4	7 5 1/2	7 3 1/2	7 1/2	8 8			Luzzi M J	57.75

OFF AT 4:15 Start Good. Won driving. Track muddy.

TIME :232, :471, 1:11, 1:35<sup>4</sup>, 1:48<sup>3</sup> (:23.50, :47.21, 1:11.19, 1:35.91, 1:48.70)

### \$2 Mutuel Prices:

8-EMPIRE MAKER .....	3.10	2.50	2.10
4-FUNNY CIDE .....		4.40	2.10
3-KISSIN SAINT .....			2.10

**\$2 EXACTA 8-4 PAID \$11.40 \$2 TRIFECTA 8-4-3 PAID \$83.50 \$2 SUPERFACTA 8-4-3-1 PAID \$242.00**

Dk. b. or br. c, (Apr), by Unbridled-Toussaud, by El Gran Senor. Trainer Frankel Robert. Bred by Juddmonte Farms Inc (Ky).

EMPIRE MAKER came away quickly and raced close up while three wide, advanced three wide on the far turn, moved to the front under confident handling approaching the eighth pole and was kept alert with a couple of under hand slaps from the right side while drifting in slightly nearing the finish. FUNNY CIDE was bumped after the start, raced with the pace while in hand, advanced with the winner approaching the stretch and dug in gamely on the rail in the drive. KISSIN SAINT was bumped after the break, was taken to the inside, raced on the rail, put in a run along the inside on the second turn and had little left for the drive. NEW YORK HERO came out after the start, was hustled to the front, set the pace along the inside and gave way in upper stretch. SENOR SWINGER was bumped after the start, dropped back early, raced three wide on the second turn and had no response when roused. INDY DANCER was outrun early, came wide into the stretch and had no rally. SKY SOLDIER was bumped after the start, was steadied entering the first turn, chased the pace along the inside and tired after three quarters. SPITE THE DEVIL raced inside and tired.

**Owners**—1, Juddmonte Farms Inc; 2, Sackatoga Stable; 3, Karches Peter F & Rankowitz Michael; 4, Paraneck Stable; 5, Lewis Robert B & Beverly J; 6, Wertheimer Farm; 7, Vickers Arthur E; 8, Hardwicke Stable

**Trainers**—1, Frankel Robert; 2, Tagg Barclay; 3, Lewis Lisa L; 4, Pedersen Jennifer; 5, Baffert Bob; 6, Pletcher Todd A; 7, Beattie Todd M; 8, Jekens H Allen

**\$2 Pick Three (3-6-8) Paid \$41.40; Pick Three Pool \$107,103.**