EIGHTH RACE
Belmont
OCTOBER 10, 2026

7 FURLONGS. (Turf) BRICKS AND MORTAR S. Purse $175,000 FOR THREE YEAR OLDS. Lasix not allowed within 48 hours of post time pursuant to HISA Rule 4212. By subscription of $175 each which should accompany the nomination; $875 to pass the entry box and an additional $875 to start. For horses not originally nominated, a supplemental nomination payment of $875 in addition to the entry and starting fees may be made at any time prior to the closing of entries. 124 lbs. Non–winners of a Sweepstakes allowed 2 lbs.; of two races other than maiden, claiming, or starter allowed 4 lbs. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner. The New York Racing Association reserves the right to transfer this race to the Tapeta Track. Closed Thursday, September 24, 2026 with 23 Original Nominations and 1 Supplement. (If the Stewards consider it inadvisable to run this race on the turf course, this race will be run at Six Furlongs on the Tapeta Track.) (Rail at 24 feet).

Value of Race: $175,000 Winner $96,250; second $35,000; third $21,000; fourth $10,500; fifth $7,000; sixth $1,313; seventh $1,313; eighth $1,312; ninth $1,312. Mutuel Pool $454,152.00 Exacta Pool $355,031.00 Trifecta Pool $162,928.00 Superfecta Pool $78,759.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
7Sep26 11Sar6	Doubting Thomas		3	124	8	1	6½	5½	11½	11	Ruiz J	3.81
29Aug26 4Sar5	Iron Palace		3	120	5	9	9	9	5½	2¼	Zayas E J	8.93
7Sep26 5KD2	Big Destroyer		3	120	3	8	8²	8½	8½	3nk	Fresu A	6.14
27Aug26 7Cnl3	Six O Clock		3	120	6	3	5½	4hd	3hd	4¹	Davis D	27.34
16Aug26 9Sar7	Intricate Spirit	b	3	124	7	4	1¹	1½	2hd	5nk	Franco M	7.50
7Sep26 9KD10	Proton	b	3	124	4	2	7½	7¹	4½	6no	Marin S	17.96
7Sep26 11KD2	Two Out Hero		3	124	1	5	4hd	6½	7hd	7³½	Hernandez R M	1.50
29Aug26 4Sar8	Feline Curious		3	120	9	7	3½	2¹	6hd	8¹¼	Lezcano J	18.19
7Sep26 11KD7	Lern to discover-GB	b	3	124	2	6	2hd	3½	9	9	Santana R Jr	10.76

OFF AT 3:59 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.

TIME :21⁴, :44¹, 1:07⁴, 1:20 (:21.92, :44.29, 1:07.98, 1:20.17)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

8 – DOUBTING THOMAS	**9.62**	**5.20**	**3.82**
5 – IRON PALACE		**9.42**	**6.00**
3 – BIG DESTROYER			**4.20**

$1 EXACTA 8–5 PAID $46.08 50 CENT TRIFECTA 8–5–3 PAID $107.65 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 8–5–3–6 PAID $249.30

B. c, (May), by Caravaggio – Allwewantforxmas , by Songandaprayer . Trainer Trombetta Michael J. Bred by R Larry Johnson (Va).

DOUBTING THOMAS four then three wide in pursuit from mid pack early on, advanced to be just off the pace three furlongs out, came under coaxing nearing the quarter pole and went six wide into upper stretch rallying to seize command with three-sixteenths to go, came inwards a path under an active left rein a furlong out when inching clear to that station, dug in under threat to the outside inside the final sixteenth and got directed outwards under an active left rein while being flashed the crop to the right side and held safe to the finish only forcing his main danger out when already at and past the finish line. IRON PALACE off last when shying out from PROTON to his inside when that rival broke outwards, chased two to three wide from the tail of the field coming under urging with five-sixteenths to go, angled out eight wide into upper stretch and offered up a mild kick to secure the place honors altering out at and after the finish as the top one came outwards late. BIG DESTROYER saved ground in pursuit from near the rear of the field patiently handled until set down angled six wide into upper stretch, kicked on belatedly to the finish. SIX O CLOCK three then two wide in pursuit from mid pack, got let out angled five wide into upper stretch, kept on under a drive to wire. INTRICATE SPIRIT established the front just after the start and showed the way in hand two to three paths off the rail down the backstretch until tucked inside into the turn, remained patiently handled until roused cutting the corner into upper stretch, got collared with three-sixteenths to go and weakened in the late stages. PROTON broke out at the start and was corrected before making any contact with IRON PALACE, chased just off the inside under a ride nearing the quarter pole, angled out six to seven wide into upper stretch, offered up a bid a furlong out, then flattened out in the late going. Following a saddle adjustment behind the gate prior to the field approaching the gate, TWO OUT HERO chased along the inside, cut the corner into upper stretch in behind the leader INTRICATE SPIRIT, gained brief clearance straightened away before having the rail shut down by that rival and brushed with the rail just outside the eighth pole, gained a clear rail at that station and then weakened in the late stages. FELINE CURIOUS chased four then three paths off the inside down the backstretch before heading three then two wide through the turn coming under urging just outside the quarter pole, swung three to four wide into upper stretch, weakened. LEARN TO DISCOVER (GB) chased along the inside coming under encouragement near the quarter pole, cornered just off the inside into upper stretch, weakened.

Owners– 1, Estate of R Larry Johnson; 2, Daigneault Thoroughbreds LLC; 3, LJSS Thoroughbreds; 4, Roven John; 5, West Point Thoroughbreds Madaket Stables LLC Beitz Kenneth G and Beitz Gail P; 6, Stone Farm Reiman Tom Wheeler Jr Ken Napier Lynwood and Easter Deborah A; 7, Gold Square LLC; 8, NBS Stable; 9, Dobbin Mark

Trainers– 1, Trombetta Michael J; 2, Weaver George; 3, Clement Miguel; 4, Delacour Arnaud; 5, Clement Miguel; 6, Motion H Graham; 7, Attard Kevin; 8, Danner Kelsey; 9, Walsh Brendan P

$1 Pick Three (5–6–8) Paid $125.90 ; Pick Three Pool $63,633 .
$1 Daily Double (6–8) Paid $21.82 ; Daily Double Pool $52,490 .