NINTH RACE

Sam Houston

MARCH 21, 2026

1⅛ MILES. (Turf) (1.47³) RICHARD KING TURF S. PRESENTED BY HARRIS COUNTY PRECINCT 4 CONSTABLES Purse $75,000 (includes $60,000 TTA – TX Thoroughbred Assoc.) FOR TEXAS ACCREDITED FOUR YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD. No nomination fee. $500 due at time of entry. Starters to pay an additional $500. Supplemental nominations in the amount of $2,000 may be made at time of entry and shall include all fees. Purse includes $60,000 from the TTA Event Fund. The Purse to be distributed: $1,000 to all starters sixth through last. The remaining balance to be distributed: 60% to the winner, 20% to second, 11% to third, 6% to fourth and 3% to fifth. Weight: 123 lbs. Non–winners of a Sweepstakes at a mile or over in 2025 – 2026 allowed 3 lbs. Non–winners of two races at a mile or over since September 23, 2025 allowed 5 lbs. (Maiden, Claiming and Starter races not considered in weight allowances). Preference to horses with highest earnnings in 2025–2026 at time of entry. Horses not drawing a starting position in the gate will receive a refund of the entry fee. Starters to be named through the entry box by the usual time of closing. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner. To nominate for this race call or text Greg Thompson at 469–394–6330.

Value of Race: $83,000 Winner $48,000; second $16,000; third $8,800; fourth $4,800; fifth $2,400; sixth $1,000; seventh $1,000; eighth $1,000. Mutuel Pool $12,898.00 Exacta Pool $6,277.00 Trifecta Pool $5,297.00 Superfecta Pool $3,472.00

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A.	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	¾	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds $1
22Feb26 7Hou¹	Colonel Yorke	L	4	123	2	2	3³	3²½	3²	1hd	1²¼	Elliott S	1.40
22Feb26 7Hou²	Mor Victory	L	6	123	5	1	1½	1½	1½	2¹	2¾	Luzzi L J	4.10
22Feb26 7Hou⁵	Proven Advocate	L b	5	118	4	8	7²	7²½	7³	5⁴	3¹¼	Gonzalez E	4.70
22Feb26 7Hou³	Regal Terka	L	5	123	1	6	5¹	5½	4hd	4½	4²¼	Parker D L	10.40
22Feb26 7Hou⁴	Silver Assassin	L	5	119	3	3	2hd	2²	2¹	3½	5³¼	Wethey Jr F	4.60
24Jan26 5Hou⁴	Vino Texas Jess	L	5	118	8	4	4²	4hd	5¹½	6¹	6³	Alvarez J L	10.20
27Feb26 5Hou¹	King Arthur Ridge	L b	7	118	6	7	8	8	8	7¹	7¾	Benavides D	22.40
22Feb26 7Hou⁶	North of Bali	L b	6	118	7	5	6¹	6½	6hd	8	8	Singh R R	24.00

OFF AT 4:46 Start Good For All But VINO TEXAS JESS. Won handily. Course firm.

TIME :24¹, :48³, 1:12³, 1:37², 1:49³ (:24.31, :48.71, 1:12.68, 1:37.55, 1:49.72)

$2 Mutuel Prices:

2 – COLONEL YORKE	**4.80**	**2.60**	**2.60**
5 – MOR VICTORY		**4.60**	**3.20**
4 – PROVEN ADVOCATE			**3.40**

$1 EXACTA 2–5 PAID $8.10 50 CENT TRIFECTA 2–5–4 PAID $13.80 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 2–5–4–1 PAID $7.48

Dk. b or br. g, (Mar), by Excaper – Ella's Glory , by Honour and Glory . Trainer Willis Mindy. Bred by Richard Chandler (Tex).

COLONEL YORKE settled off the pace but always in range of the lead, hugged the rail into the stretch, then tipped out to the two path, quickly assumed command and drew off under a hand ride. MOR VICTORY hustled away to the early lead, was left alone to dictate moderate fractions, maintained a clear lead through the far turn, quickened into the stretch, but could not hold off the winner. PROVEN ADVOCATE slow early to be well off the leaders near the rear of the field, commenced a steady, long drive on the rail and finished with a late gain along the inside to be up for the show. REGAL TERKA raced in mid-pack, came out three-wide into the stretch, ran on some late, but was not good enough. SILVER ASSASSIN stalked the early pacesetter to the stretch then was outkicked in the final furlong. VINO TEXAS JESS veered outward at the start, settled in mid-pack early, then lacked a finish. KING ARTHUR RIDGE had to speed from the start, was last to cross to the main course, settled in the back, and never threatened. NORTH OF BALI settled far behind and lacked any response.

Owners– 1, Rigney John and Bragg Steve; 2, Norman Stables LLC; 3, Lavergne Rene; 4, Wilke John; 5, Carl R Moore Management LLC; 6, Mansfield Racing; 7, Rodriguez Adan S; 8, Cangemi Daniel R

Trainers– 1, Willis Mindy; 2, Gelner Jayde J; 3, Gelner Jayde J; 4, Willis Mindy; 5, Jacks Karen E; 6, Calhoun William Bret; 7, Rodriguez Adan S; 8, Cangemi Daniel R

$1 Pick Three (3–7–2) Paid $76.40 ; Pick Three Pool $622 .

$1 Daily Double (7–2) Paid $29.70 ; Daily Double Pool $566 .