

# NINTH RACE

## Santa Anita

JUNE 15, 2025

**ABOUT 1 $\frac{3}{4}$  MILES. (Turf) (2.424) SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO S. Grade III Purse \$100,000 DOWNHILL TURF FOR THREE-YEAR-OLDS AND UPWARD. By subscription of \$100 each if made on or before Sunday, June 1, 2025, closed with 12 or by Supplementary nomination of \$2,000 due at time of entry, closed with 1 (For Arrogate). \$750 to enter and an additional \$750 to start with \$100,000 guaranteed of which \$60,000 to the winner, \$20,000 to second, \$12,000 to third, \$6,000 to fourth and \$2,000 to fifth. Three-Year-Olds 120 lbs. Older 126 lbs. Non-Winners of a Graded Stake at One Mile or Over allowed 2 lbs. Non-Winners of a Sweepstakes at One Mile or Over allowed 4 lbs. A trophy will be presented to the winning owner.**

**Value of Race: \$100,000 Winner \$60,000; second \$20,000; third \$12,000; fourth \$6,000; fifth \$2,000. Mutuel Pool \$347,669.00 Exacta Pool \$165,124.00 Trifecta Pool \$81,374.00 Superfecta Pool \$40,975.00**

Last Raced	Horse	M/Eqt.	A. Wt	PP	1/2	1	1 1/4	1 1/2	Str	Fin	Jockey	Odds \$1
3 May 25 <sup>8</sup> SA <sup>1</sup>	Nitti-Ire	4	122	1	5	5	5	3 1/2	36	12 1/2	Ayuso A	5.00
7 Jun 25 <sup>1</sup> SA <sup>2</sup>	Time Song	4	122	2	12	12	13	11	11	2 3/4	Berrios Hector I	7.80
3 May 25 <sup>6</sup> SA <sup>4</sup>	Balladeer	6	126	5	24	23	22 1/2	25	22	319	Desormeaux K J	3.10
17 May 25 <sup>12</sup> Pim <sup>4</sup>	Divin Propos-FR	b 5	122	4	44	42	3 <sup>hd</sup>	44	46	49 1/2	Gonzalez R	0.70
24 May 25 <sup>10</sup> SA <sup>1</sup>	Santa Barbarian	3	118	3	3 1/2	3 <sup>hd</sup>	41 1/2	5	5	5	Kimura K	10.60

**OFF AT 4:43 Start Good. Won driving. Course firm.**

**TIME :46<sup>3</sup>, 1:10<sup>3</sup>, 1:37<sup>2</sup>, 2:03<sup>2</sup>, 2:29<sup>1</sup>, 2:45<sup>4</sup> ( :46.73, 1:10.72, 1:37.50, 2:03.50, 2:29.32, 2:45.94 )**

**\$2 Mutuel Prices:**

1 - NITTI-IRE	12.00	5.80	3.20
3 - TIME SONG		8.40	4.40
8 - BALLADEER			4.40

**\$1 EXACTA 1-3 PAID \$29.20 \$1 TRIFECTA 1-3-8 PAID \$178.10 10 CENT SUPERFECTA 1-3-8-7 PAID \$16.64**

**B. g, (May), by Make Believe-GB - Baby Love-Ger , by It's Gino-Ger . Trainer Powell Leonard. Bred by Johnwalsh/Jerryobrien/Makebelievesyn (Ire).**

NITTI (IRE) was content to trail through the opening stages along the inside, was on the move passing runners while in the two path on the final turn, asked right handed three wide turning for home, switched to the left hand and reeled in the top pair with a sixteenth remaining and won going away. TIME SONG stepped to the front and controlled the pace in hand from inside, padded the advantage on the clubhouse turn, held a diminished lead through the far turn, asked right handed in upper stretch, maintained command over BALLADEER to midstretch, then got confronted by NITTI (IRE) at the sixteenth pole, offered no resistance to the eventual winner and held second. BALLADEER stalked the pacesetter in hand while moving to the inside, lost a bit of ground while remaining in range on the clubhouse turn, crept closer leaving the backstretch, took aim from the two path entering the lane but could not summon the needed late kick. DIVIN PROPOS (FR) sat off the pace outside SANTA BARBARIAN, got moved out a bit by that rival crossing the dirt then came back to the two path, found the rail on the final turn and failed to menace. SANTA BARBARIAN followed in range for a bit then settled off the pace on the inside, moved off the fence across the dirt then returned to the rail, fell back to last on the final turn and came up empty in the stretch run.

**Owners-** 1, Innergy Racing Corp Zephyr Racing LLC and Pais Sonny; 2, Baron Racing Stables (Dwight D Baron); 3, Nguyen Calvin and Tran Joey C; 4, Madaket Stables LLC Panic Stable LLC and Strauss William; 5, Barton Richard

**Trainers-** 1, Powell Leonard; 2, Thomas Jonathan; 3, Papaprodromou George; 4, D'Amato Philip; 5, Hanson Ryan

**Scratched-** For Arrogate ( 07 Jun 25<sup>10</sup> SA<sup>5</sup> ), Maltese Falcon (IRE) ( 03 May 25<sup>6</sup> SA<sup>6</sup> ), Mrs. Astor ( 14 Jun 25<sup>6</sup> SA<sup>1</sup> )

**\$2 Daily Double (10-1) Paid \$47.40 ; Daily Double Pool \$36,851.**

**\$1 Pick Three (11-10-1) Paid \$94.20 ; Pick Three Pool \$76,161.**

**50 CENT Pick Four (6/7-11-10-1) Paid \$168.30 ; Pick Four Pool \$302,300 .**