ROUND 3 INTERVIEW: BART BRYANT

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Q. Kind of an up-and-down day but you're still there in the mix. First talk about that shot on 11 that everyone wants to know about.

BART BRYANT: Yeah, I just pulled it a little bit, hit it a little thin and I just didn't hit a great shot but it somehow went in the hole. I'd like to say I just pured it right where I was aiming but I didn't, I pulled it a little bit. So it rolled out and it just happened to go in. It happens times/

Q. What was your yardage and what club did you hit there?

BART BRYANT: I hit a 6-iron and I had 187.

Q. So any difference in the conditions from yesterday to today?

BART BRYANT: Yeah, I mean the wind was in a different direction. Even though the same holes play into the wind, they played with different crosswinds. So it was just a little bit different than what we had the previous two days so there was a little bit of a learning curve. And it wasn't terrible. I kind of got lucky. I had four iron shots, three or four iron shots that turned out really close to the hole and the rest of the day I just played awful. Some days that's how it is.

Q. You're right there in the thick of it there. How's your confidence going into tomorrow?

BART BRYANT: You know, I haven't hit the ball great all three days but I've managed to kind of score. Today I shanked a shot, you know, which I've been doing that since I've come back from my surgery several years ago. I have this weird thing with my sand wedge that I'll shank it, I'll do it every so often especially on the range and I'll do it in competition some. Just the most bizarre thing so that shakes my confidence a little bit.

But I think I'm going to go to the range and see if I can kind of figure it out a little bit. It's not like it's real far off but I'm not on either. Normally when you're close to the lead in a tournament or you're leading like I was today, it's because you're on your game and you're confident. Unfortunately, I sort of took the lead but I haven't been confident all three days, I'm just sort of the getting the ball around and making some decent putts. Like I said, every now and then I'll have an iron shot that just turns out really good. Going to have to be a little more confident tomorrow and hit more quality shots to have a chance to win obviously.