

FINAL ROUND INTERVIEW: CHARLEY HOFFMAN (-10)
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Q. Were you aware that your conversation with Brett on 16 made the telecast?

CHARLEY HOFFMAN: I wasn't aware, but I assume with a boom mic right in my face, I'm probably looking to be picked up.

Q. Talk us through the thought of going for it there and just the mentality.

CHARLEY HOFFMAN: If I wanted to finish solo second or something like that and not take on any risk, it's a layup. I knew I was three shots behind with three to play. Hideki's not known to go backwards when he has a lead, so it was something I thought I had to make an eagle there. And obviously 17's a birdie hole. And 18, if you hit it in the fairway you can birdie that hole. So I thought I needed to make a few birdies coming in obviously and that was obviously I thought the best opportunity was going for it.

Q. What were your overall takeaways for the week?

CHARLEY HOFFMAN: Great, played great. I had a great front nine today getting myself in contention, and the back nine made some birdies and a couple bogeys but a bunch of good opportunities. Happy with the way I finished.

Q. I know you say you're sick of finishing second but it is another great result for you, and you're still high on that FedExCup table. You just feel like you're going to get that by putting yourself in the position over and over?

CHARLEY HOFFMAN: Yes. As I tell everybody, I play this game not to finish second, I play it to win. Seconds are great, don't get me wrong, but when you look back on the end of your career, you don't look at how many second place finishes you have, and I'm lacking a little bit in that category, and I want to add some more to it.