FINAL ROUND INTERVIEW December 2, 2018

JON RAHM (-20)



Q. Jon, congratulations. You just beat a few of the 14 of the top 20 in the official World Golf Rankings, you dominated them. It's only December. What does that say about where your game is right now?

JON RAHM: Well, I can say that ball-striking wise it's pretty much where I want it to be. It's about as perfect as it could have been today. It was a ton of fun out there. Tony's arguably one of the nicest guys in this world. If there was anybody I wanted to see win today it would have been him, other than me. But I played so solid today, didn't make any mistakes. Like I said every day after the round, if you can capitalize on the five par 5s and the two drivable par 4s, which I did all of them today, you have a chance.

Q. It's been an interesting fall, you beat Tiger on Sunday in Paris one on one in the Sunday singles at the Ryder Cup, and now you win his Hero World Challenge here at Albany. What is it like to be where you are right now with all of the expectations you had to get to this point?

JON RAHM: You know, that Sunday with Tiger is one of the most emotional, most important moments in my golf career. I (inaudible) Tiger, started crying when I was shaking his hand because that meant so much to me to play against Tiger Woods. A couple months later to win his event, his foundation's event along with Hero, this is really special. I grew up watching all those events and watching Tiger win how many times in a row (inaudible).