

**JOSH TEATER (-6)**

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**Q. Josh, that was a really creative way to get to a 64; you had the double reversal out there on 14 and 15 and the hole-out at 18.**

**JOSH TEATER:** Yeah, you know, the front nine was pretty smooth sailing. Made a couple putts, you know, that you're not expecting to, which is always nice. That's probably the hardest hole, 14. I mean, no reason for me not to make a bogey there, I just three-putted from the front fringe. But we had a nice little break there, got to sit in one of the nice comfortable Wyndham chairs and kind of get it out of my mind. Obviously a little bounce back.

**Q. Obviously a good start. How are you approaching this week? There's so much that's out of your control, but obviously you can take care of a lot of stuff on the golf course as well.**

**JOSH TEATER:** Yeah, I mean, it's all I can do. I'm out here just kind of having fun playing. I know if it doesn't go well where I'm going. So I kind of made that, I guess, made that up -- made that in my mind a few weeks back that, hey, if I make all three cuts and finish 40th, it makes no difference, so let's go try to play great and if we end up playing terrible, it doesn't matter.

**Q. Speaking of having fun, you threw the heater Monday night. There's some karma from that pitch, you painted that outside corner it looked like from my vantage point.**

**JOSH TEATER:** Yeah, yeah, I mean, you're not going to throw it over the middle if you got an 0-2 count on a guy, you've got to see if he's going to chase it. No, it was fun. They let me go out to the rubber, which usually you don't see and brought back some old memories from the baseball days.

**Q. Josh, talk a little bit about the conditions out there. Obviously ball in hand.**

**JOSH TEATER:** You know, I don't think it's as wet as I thought it was going to be with how it rained at my hotel last night. Obviously when you can put it in your hand and make a perfect lie, I think I had one ball that was in a divot, so you get to move that. That's a bonus, half a shot probably.

But, you know, greens are very receptive, which when these get firm they're tough because there's so much slope in them. I think right now it's very gettable, but we'll see what the rest of the week holds.

**Q. Where were you when it was raining super hard last night and did you think that you might be delayed today?**

**JOSH TEATER:** You know, I thought there could be a chance. My family had just rolled into town and we had met over by the airport, put stuff in our car and gave the rental car back. We pulled up to the hotel and it was pouring. We had to wait 20 minutes just to get like underneath the overhang to unload.

Then after that, I went to pick up dinner and it poured again. Yeah, I thought it was very possible there was a chance it could be delayed.

**Q. Where did they come from, your family?**

**JOSH TEATER:** They drove in from Kentucky. They stayed after the Barbasol and visited family. My wife and son drove down and my oldest son is coming with the grandparents I think tomorrow or Saturday.

**Q. They've got baseball caps, too?**

**JOSH TEATER:** Not yet, but maybe so.

**Q. Maybe it's a good omen, good luck cap.**

**JOSH TEATER:** Yes, sir.

**Q. And you played well the last couple weeks. I was at Barbasol. How much of a roll do you feel like you're on?**

**JOSH TEATER:** You know, I feel like I played pretty well all year, just no results at all. You know, just trying to keep being patient. I think after Byron Nelson I was kind of at a low point, like what am I going to do, and since then I've turned it around in a considerable way. Colonial was a huge tournament for me getting an exemption and playing well.

Yeah, just trying to not make too much of it, you know. These hot summer days, not staying out here practicing for two and three hours, going and getting off my feet and relaxing and trying to be fresh.

**Q. How hard is it to stay patient when you know you've got a lot on the line?**

**JOSH TEATER:** Yeah, it's the hardest part of the game. We're all capable of winning every week and rarely do we do it. I've been out here almost 10 years and haven't done it, so it would be a good time for it.

**Q. Does it help having your family?**

**JOSH TEATER:** Yeah, it does. You know, I think they've probably been to probably 75 percent of the tournaments this year, so it's been good for us and we look forward to it down the road.

**Q. What was the goal coming in here? I mean, what's your number? Do you know your number by heart and all that?**

**JOSH TEATER:** I have no idea. No, I don't. I know I need to, you know, finish pretty high to get in the Top 125. You know, obviously Top 50 would also be a bonus, Top 150 would be a bonus, but I think if you go out there and try to win, you might just get it all done.