

**RAFAEL CAMPOS**

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**Q. Good vibes here, obviously. You got to be thrilled where you're positioned going into tomorrow. How do you feel?**

**RAFAEL CAMPOS:** I really do feel great. I felt -- I felt today I hit the ball very well. With the exception of the last couple of holes. But I'm really happy with where I'm standing right now, and I really think can't be in a better position basically for tomorrow, and hopefully just kind of keep doing the same thing we're doing. I really feel comfortable with my swing. I'm hitting the ball very well, so I'm happy. I'm actually very happy right now.

**Q. You have got a nice little crowd out there, but you don't have your usual crowds. Does that help you a little bit? Is it a little less pressure this is?**

**RAFAEL CAMPOS:** There definitely is a little less pressure. I do love seeing the fans here. I kind of thrive on that momentum they actually give me. But yes, it feels very weird only seeing them for like three holes out of 18 holes. So I got my mom, I got my wife, I got family supporting me. So that's all I really need right now. And obviously I feel the great positive energy the fans actually give me, either text messages or out here on the course. So no, it's great. But it's definitely different.

**Q. How do you keep yourself from getting too far ahead of yourself tomorrow?**

**RAFAEL CAMPOS:** That's why I got my good friend on my bag. I think that's something I don't want to think about tomorrow. I know there's a lot of things that can basically change my life tomorrow. But truth is, I'm just really happy. I have been playing good golf the last two weeks, and I really want to keep that mindset of the work I have been putting in the last four months, I'm starting to see good results. So I think I will just focus on that, focus on playing the golf course the way I know how to play it, be aggressive when I have to be aggressive, and be conservative when I obviously don't feel comfortable. So, yeah, I really don't want to think about tomorrow. I just want to go out and hopefully play some good golf.

**Finally maybe a couple highlights from today? You hit a great up-and-down on 14.**

**RAFAEL CAMPOS:** Yes.

**Q. What were some of the highlights for you?**

**RAFAEL CAMPOS:** Definitely, I really did hit the ball well. That up-and-down on 14 was key. I wasn't nervous, I just had a -- I was trying to keep the ball low. I struggled today at the end into the wind, kind of got my body ahead of the ball quite a few times and I kind of just flared them a little bit to the right. Something I will work on for tomorrow. But I do feel great with the putter, I do feel great chipping. So I knew that if I missed it right on 14, I had a -- I will have, or would have had a good look to be able to stop it and all that. So like I said, I'm just trying to play the course the way I know how to play it.

Highlight? Definitely 17. That -- that shot. I know it's a simple shot. I think I had 103 -- 103 or 106 yards, downwind. But I really felt I was due for a really good swing, especially -- I made a great par on 15, the par 5. I was scraping it all, I was scraping it all.

It was funny, because I really hadn't made bad swings throughout the day and all of a sudden I snap-hooked the drive. I was really fortunate to stay in bounds. And flared one to the right, had to make a four-footer for par.

So I really felt I was due for a good swing, and I really loved how that ball came out, just kind of lowish. Probably played it like an 85 yards and one big hop and left it to like a foot. So that was really -- that was a key moment for the round, for sure.

**Q. We talked about not getting too far ahead, but if you're holding the trophy tomorrow, how long does the party last on the island?**

**RAFAEL CAMPOS:** Hopefully only -- on the island? That's a -- that's a different question. Yeah. It will definitely last some years, tell you the truth. I know they have been waiting for this for 13 years. And obviously it's a dream of mine to hold this trophy, especially here in my home -- like home, where I live. Yeah, for me, hopefully it's a one-day celebration, get back to work. But I know they will be ecstatic. And hopefully tomorrow I play well enough to at least give myself a chance in those last few holes to make it interesting.

**Q. Chills.**

**RAFAEL CAMPOS:** I know, I got goosebumps. That's the thing, I'm trying to -- I'm trying to calm -- just throw them away and don't think about that.

**Q. Who's on your bag this week?**

**RAFAEL CAMPOS:** Erick Morales. He's one of my --

**Q. He's played here, right?**

**RAFAEL CAMPOS:** Yes, he has played here.

**Q. Erick with a K?**

**RAFAEL CAMPOS:** Erick, C-K. E-R-I-C-K. Yeah, he grew up with me. He's like an older brother to me.