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TALOR GOOCH (-17)



Q. So things kind of escalated quickly there.

TALOR GOOCH: Yeah.

Q. What started that run?

TALOR GOOCH: Yeah. I chipped in for -- no, I made about a 35-, 40-footer for eagle on like 13 and then chipped in on the next hole. The previous hole, made like a 20-footer. So I missed a few putts kind of middle of the round, and it's always nice when you make a couple long ones and chip one in, that's always gonna get you going.

Q. It's looking like it's maybe you, JT and Viktor tomorrow. Obviously chasing your first win, but to do it along those guys, how much are you looking forward to the challenge tomorrow?

TALOR GOOCH: Oh, for sure. I've been in the final group a few times and it's always -- I mean, it's what you play golf for. This is at the highest level in the final group on Sunday and to do it with two of the best players in the world right now, two Ryder Cuppers, that's what it's about.

Q. What was the comfort like out there today? You go bogey free, I think. Just kind of walk us through how you were feeling maybe mentally.

TALOR GOOCH: Yeah, it was one of those days you wish you could bottle that come forth up and keep it forever. The game came easy today. I hit a bunch of fairways, hit a bunch of greens. Nice when you get a chip-in, you make a 30-footer and those are the type of things you need to have happen to turn it from a 67 to 63, 65. I wish I could be that comfortable more often, that's for sure.

Q. When was the last time the game came easy for you?

TALOR GOOCH: It's been pretty good lately. I wish I could bottle up these three, four months of golf and continue it. I'm hoping it's not just a timing thing. I feel like I've made a turn in my game and hopefully we can keep it going.

Q. Is it helpful that you don't have to tee off at 2:00 tomorrow? Kind of wake up and get right back at it instead of thinking about it all morning?

TALOR GOOCH: Yes and no. If this was maybe my first time in this situation it might be

beneficial to tee off a little bit earlier, but I'm going to get up, do my normal routine. I've done this enough, I'm comfortable with it, so it's nice, but it doesn't make a difference.