

ROUND 2 INTERVIEW
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JOHN HUSTON (-9)



Q. John, what was working out there for you today? In contention for tomorrow.

JOHN HUSTON: Well, I putted good, I got some good bounces. And I hate to bogey the last hole, but just got in an awkward position. I thought I made the putt on the last hole, but I'm happy with the round.

Q. John, is it more physical, feeling physically better, or is it my game's on?

JOHN HUSTON: No, it's definitely feeling physically better, definitely. I don't know how to explain the whole dystonia thing, but it's kind of like playing with a flat tire. It's like trying to drive in a race car race with a flat tire and keep it straight. Every once in a while you can get it going pretty straight, but then -- but it's come a long way. It's kind of a miracle really.

Q. Do you know to the next day, can you wake up tomorrow and feel crappy?

JOHN HUSTON: Well, not as far as that goes, but, you know, back, knee, that stuff, that's the -- at this stage, at this stage that's the first thing. You've got to be able to get out of bed and then you're like, all right, maybe then I can go play.

Q. What's the road like back for you since -- is it a gradual thing?

JOHN HUSTON: You keep having to go get it fine tuned and finally I got it right to where I could actually work on my game and play a little bit better. And I've started putting better, so that's a big difference.

Q. Do you take a little bit more pleasure, enjoyment of being among the leaders now than maybe you would have --

JOHN HUSTON: Oh, yeah, I don't take anything for granted. And the guys that are -- there's a big difference between 50 and 60, so to be in contention and have a chance anytime is gravy at this point.

Q. After you've been through what you've been through, does it help you at all handling pressure because you know you've beaten something a lot bigger than the golf course?

JOHN HUSTON: I still feel the nerves, my nerves aren't what they used to be, but I also am just thankful for the opportunity. I'll just see how we can do tomorrow.

Q. What would it mean to you to be in the winner's circle tomorrow?

JOHN HUSTON: It would mean a lot. It would mean a whole lot really.