

ROCKET MORTGAGE CLASSIC

ROUND 2 QUICK QUOTE
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LUDVIG ABERG (-12)

Q. Stacking rounds together out there after two days, put yourself higher up on the leaderboard than you have so far in your PGA TOUR career. What's kind of gone well so far?

LUDVIG ABERG: Yeah, absolutely, my driver's been behaving quite well this week so far, so gives me a lot of chances, gives me a lot of birdie looks. And I've been able to take advantage of the par 5s, which is the key out here. Really look forward to the weekend, it's going to be a lot of fun.

Q. Only a couple pro starts in, do you feel like you're ready to win on tour?

LUDVIG ABERG: You know, at the end of the day I know what I'm capable of and I know that I can hit the golf shots, but you've got to be able to handle everything else kind of in this new setting for me. So far I feel like I've done a pretty good job of that. I'm just trying to do my best and try to embrace it as good as I can and see where that takes me.

Q. What was the highlight of the round for you?

LUDVIG ABERG: Highlight of my round, I made a putt on -- I missed a few putts kind of in the middle of the round and then I made a putt on 16 which was kind of nice, a little breaky one. It's always nice to see putts go in and that gives you a little bit of confidence, so I would say that little putt on 16 there.

Q. You're going to play with Rickie tomorrow. Have you ever played with him?

LUDVIG ABERG: I have not.

Q. Met him?

LUDVIG ABERG: I have not.

Q. You talk about winning, you know what you're capable of doing. It's different than what you did at Texas Tech, but how can you lean on eight victories in college, four this past season to say ultimately winning is still winning regardless where you are?

LUDVIG ABERG: Yeah, for sure. I mean, I think I've heard some interviews with Scottie where he says winning is a skill, and he's very right about that. It is a little bit different



playing with a lead, playing right under the lead. I've been fortunate enough to be in that position a lot this year in college, so I felt like I got better at that as the season went on. I'm looking forward to have those same nerves here, which is going to be a little bit different, but I also think just being OK that it is a little bit different is going to help me a little bit.

Q. Where have you excelled, by chasing or by being the guy that everyone's trying to catch like at Prairie Dunes?

LUDVIG ABERG: I've been doing a little bit of both actually this semester. I remember a few rounds where I had to shoot a good one the last day to catch up. I mean, playing out here, you're going to have to play well, you can't just shoot par and think you're going to be fine. You're going to have to shoot a low score and make a lot of birdies. I'm up for it and I'm looking forward to it.

Q. Concert last night, what's on the schedule this evening?

LUDVIG ABERG: Nothing. I think that concert -- it was good, though, it was really good. It gave me some energy and it was a lot of fun, but tonight I think I'm just going to relax and get some dinner.

Q. First tee-to-green strokes gained, first off the tee. I know you said the last couple weeks that despite the good scores (inaudible,) what did you find over the last couple days?

LUDVIG ABERG: Yeah, I've always felt like driver is one of my strengths. I like hitting my driver even though it gets a little bit tighter, so I'm trying to use it as much as I can. You know, everyone that plays golf knows that it goes up and down, so these past two days it's been up for me and hopefully I can keep that working.

