

ROCKET MORTGAGE CLASSIC

ROUND 3 QUICK QUOTE

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CARL YUAN (-16)

Q. Carl, we were talking to you in Canada, you were saying you're just going to go out there and play. Still go with that theory?

CARL YUAN: Yeah, I played the last two rounds great. You know, feel like I find something working in my swing. My coach was here on Thursday and worked a little bit after the round and seems like things are going the right direction, and I kind of just flow with it, let things happen instead of forcing it too much. Had a couple great up-and-downs today to keep the momentum going.

Q. It's very important around here, isn't it, because you can't get out of position? Every player I've talked to talks about the par saves.

CARL YUAN: Yeah, for sure. The fairways are very tight out here, you are going to miss some no matter what. Just being able to miss to the right spot and make those inside 10-footer key like par putts are like big momentum saver.

Q. You talked about flow. How did you keep the flow with the rain delay here, the weather delay?

CARL YUAN: It was great timing, I was getting a little hungry, so came in for a snack.

Q. And did the golf course change at all or is it pretty much similar?

CARL YUAN: I think maybe a little bit softer. The wind definitely died down so I have last three holes pretty calm conditions.

Q. Carl, can you take us through the eagle on No. 7?

CARL YUAN: Yeah. I mean, I hit -- actually, that hole was pretty tough tee shot for me because I normally fade the driver. That hole like favors hitting a draw and it was wind coming not from right to left. Hit a pretty decent drive that ends up just in the right rough and fortunately I had a good enough lie that I can take a full rip at 6-iron at it. Hit a pretty decent shot, it took a really fortunate bounce, kicked right edge of the green and kicked towards the flag. Went like 15 feet by and I hit a really good putt there and it was an awesome three.

Q. You mentioned to Amanda a few minutes ago just the experience that you got in Canada. Just talk a little bit how that will help you tomorrow.



CARL YUAN: Yeah, I think it's just another day of playing golf, go out there, try and do my thing and have fun out there. I think if I do those things well, let things happen, not really forcing too much and things unfold the way they're supposed to.

