

ROUND 3 QUICK QUOTES
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KEVIN YU (-8)



Q. Kevin, how would you assess your play overall today and this week?

KEVIN YU: It's been good. I mean, I feel like today I had a lot of chances, just didn't make anything on the green today, but I feel like everything was pretty solid. Then yeah, looking forward to tomorrow.

Q. What would you say, how would you assess what tomorrow means to you and what you're trying to do?

KEVIN YU: Definitely means a lot to me. Obviously I wanted to stay inside that top-60, so obviously definitely got to bring my A-game now tomorrow to stay in that 60. Yeah, just I will try my best and hopefully it goes well.

Q. Have you played in a Signature Event yet?

KEVIN YU: Yeah, I played the first two, so Kapalua and Genesis.

Q. How has your life changed since you won?

KEVIN YU: Didn't change much. We're still grinding and still trying to stay inside that top-60. Again, like I have to keep the focus and still have to play good every day. It didn't change that much. Obviously it took a lot of pressure off for sure and just knowing that I can play a few majors next year and then got two years exemption, it was a lot, yeah.

Q. What did the celebration look like? Was it tame or what did you do?

KEVIN YU: Not much, honestly. Just really I think me and my parents went to like a Japanese restaurant and didn't do much. Hopefully when I go back to Taiwan we can do a little more, but right now didn't do much.

Q. Did you get dessert that night?

KEVIN YU: No, no. I was really pumped so I wasn't really able to finish a lot of food that day, but I was really happy. But yeah, I didn't eat a lot that day.

Q. What was the nicest message you received from someone that you know after you won that kind of made it sink in a little bit more?

KEVIN YU: Obviously a lot of guys send me a lot of good messages, but I feel like CT send



me a good message, because I think I'm the third Taiwanese guy to ever won on Tour, so saying we don't have to wait like another 30 years to have a guy win on Tour. So that means a lot to me. Then we've been playing together for so long. To be able to win -- to represent my country, it means a lot to me. Yeah, he sent that to me, it meant a lot.

Q. How long have you known him?

KEVIN YU: I've known him for a long time, but he went to States like since he was like 14, but I was like, I don't know, not even 10 years old. So yeah, we played quite a few tournaments together back in amateur time. Yeah, probably since probably 14, so it's been like over 10 years, yeah.

