

ROUND 4 QUICK QUOTES
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SAMI VALIMAKI (-23)



Q. Our analyst, Will MacKenzie, said giving that putter a kiss on 18 and rightfully so, that saved you a few times. Talk about 16, the decision to use putter from off the green and then making that 19-footer.

SAMI VALIMAKI: Yeah, I have a little disconnect with my chipping, I haven't used pretty much the whole week. At least I knew I'm going to get it on the green if I use the putter and just give me the chance because that was the only thing I was comfortable today, when I had my two-ball in my hand. Probably looked like it as well.

Q. You mentioned comfortable. We talked yesterday after the round, I thought you were comfortable yesterday. I even thought you were comfortable today. Our interaction on 5, you found your golf ball, you didn't seem all that stressed though in a situation that was pretty stressful.

SAMI VALIMAKI: Yeah, OK, that's a good thing if it didn't look like that, but I must say inside the body there was a lot of different things. I feel like I was most comfortable after the 8 putt. Like after that I kind of keep it rolling, started hitting more shots. Pretty much, yeah, just missed the green on 16 but hit all the other greens, so I feel like that was kind of the key, 8 putt I would say.

Q. You are the first Finnish born player to win on the PGA TOUR. What does that mean to break through from Finland to be the first one to win on the PGA TOUR?

SAMI VALIMAKI: Yeah, it has been long road, of course. I feel like kind of how the last year taught me, I feel like it's a really tough year even when I kind of played decent golf, and then to keep pushing and find some good grooves in the last few tournaments, so it feels amazing.

