



87TH PGA CHAMPIONSHIP

BALTUSROL GOLF CLUB

INTERVIEW TRANSCRIPT

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Quotes from:

VIJAY SINGH

1st Round: 70
2nd Round: 70
3rd Round: 69
Total: 206 (-4)

VIJAY SINGH: I mean, I hit a lot of greens but they were a million miles away from the pins. I kept making a lot of drives in the first cut, and most of them went right. I don't know, I just could not handle it. I've been driving the ball really well, but it was hard work.

Q. But that was a beautiful bunker shot at the 18th to get you your only birdie.

VIJAY SINGH: Yeah, I had a good chance on 17. I went for it and then it was close, but I hit a poor chip shot there, hit a good putt, and then I told Paulie I need one birdie at least.

I cannot do 18 pars, I've never done it before and I don't want to do it today.

Q. Where were you that none of the other leaders were really making anything happen out there?

VIJAY SINGH: The leader boards are all over the golf course, so I just said, hang in there, hang in there, one of these birdies is going to fall sooner or later, and I just wanted some kind of momentum going, it just wasn't going to happen. Luckily for me, it happened on the last hole, and that puts me in good shape for tomorrow. I'm not that far off. I'm sure they're going to finish somewhere around 7 or 8. I am in good shape.

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