

NYSS Champion Devious Man wins ISS split

Devious Man grinded first-over to the lead and held control as Simply Volo lunged at him for second in a 1:53.2 mile.

Clearing the lead through a 28.4 quarter, Simply Volo led down the backstretch. Long Tom brushed to the lead from fourth, taking control after a 56.2 half. He led around the far turn as Devious Man gradually edged out of third to the outside, coming alongside Long Tom at three-quarters in 1:25.

Devious Man inched to the lead in the stretch. Long Tom chased at the rail while Simply Volo fanned out of the pocket toward the center of the track, hesitating for a few strides before charging toward Devious Man. He came a half-length short of passing Devious Man, while Long Tom trotted home third.

Winning his seventh race in 11 starts, Devious Man, by [Credit Winner](#) out of the Garland Lobell mare Miss Garland, has now earned \$308,233 for owner Stroy Inc. Trained by Julie Miller and driven by Andy Miller, he paid \$3.40 to win.



Devious Man and driver Andy Miller won their ISS split in 1:53.2.

"My horse is really game," Andy Miller said. "He has been pretty good all year; the only hiccup he had was in the Peter Haughton when he made a break at the start. He has been bustling around those New York tracks, so he dug in pretty good [to hold off Simply Volo]."