

**ROUND 2 QUICK QUOTES**  
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**OLIVER BETSCHART ( +6)**  
**MICHAEL SIMS ( +1)**

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**Q. Thanks for joining us guys, Oliver and Michael. Just want to recap the couple of days that you spent together. Maybe we'll start with you, Oliver, since it was your first (inaudible.) What's the experience been like for you?**

**OLIVER BETSCHART:** Playing with Michael's been a lot of fun. We've played many rounds before together and we're just always chatting around, you know, having fun out there, playing some golf.

**Q. From your perspective, I know you were 1 under early in the round today --**

**OLIVER BETSCHART:** Yeah.

**Q. -- how is that feeling, and the rest of the round, what did you -- how did you feel it went for you?**

**OLIVER BETSCHART:** I felt great making the turn, kind of went downhill from there. You know, I kept it together, just played every shot, next shot and just finished the round how I wanted to.

**Q. Michael, did you feel like a bit of an elder statesman out there?**

**MICHAEL SIMS:** Thanks.

**Q. Did you feel the love from the people out there, too, because there were a number of people following you guys?**

**MICHAEL SIMS:** Yeah, there was a lot of people following and the support was incredible, especially for Oliver. That first tee shot yesterday was pretty special, and it was great, I got to feel it again for him. Just it's your first tee shot in a pro tour event like that, a PGA TOUR event, that's just so special. It's neat to watch it again and for me, I get to relive it a little bit. But you don't get that back, so I think that was so cool. Very proud of him.

**Q. You finished under par for the two rounds. I know it's off the cut line. Is that right? They had you at 1 under.**

**MICHAEL SIMS:** One under today.

**Q. So one over. How would you characterize your two days on the golf course?**



**MICHAEL SIMS:** I mean, it was good. I'd be lying if I wasn't saying that to you. Very sloppy at times, really good at times. You know, the last time I played competitively was here last year, so yeah, it showed. It was a lot of rust out there. But once you get in the rhythm of it all, I think you start kind of cruising and going. It was a lot of fun.

**Q. Was there a particular highlight for each of you out there the last couple days, one that really stood out, like that was really cool?**

**OLIVER BETSCHART:** For me it was on 18 yesterday, making my birdie. That was kind of the highlight for me there. Everybody watching, the whole crowd around 18 there, that was a special moment.

**Q. Are you kind of sad it's over now?**

**OLIVER BETSCHART:** A little bit. I wish I could have made the cut and played on, but wasn't meant to be this year. Try again next year.

**Q. Gives you inspiration for next year?**

**OLIVER BETSCHART:** It does, it definitely does.

**Q. What was the highlight for you?**

**MICHAEL SIMS:** I've got a lot of them, man. Eagle on 17 yesterday. Up-and-down on 18 after I shanked it, that was probably the highlight, that was a pretty cool up-and-down. And then the eagle on 7 today was pretty cool. But just walking around with everybody here, it's always a pleasure. Being here at the Butterfield Bermuda Championship is one of my favorite things to do, so thank you.

