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Bold Concept wins again for Grand Gesture Stable at Indiana Grand Racing & Casino

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SHELBYVILLE, Ind. (Oct. 13, 2018) – It wasn't the perfect distance for her, and owners were realistic going into the race, but Bold Concept defied the odds Saturday, Oct. 13 and provided the 44 owners of Grand Gesture Stable with a second straight win at Indiana Grand.

Starting from post three in the five and one-half furlong sprint, Bold Concept exchanged some bumps out of the gate before getting into good early positioning, a characteristic that is usually not detected from the late closing three-year-old filly. Jockey DeShawn Parker got her right behind the top two horses down the backstretch as Niece Jackie Davis and Fernando De La Cruz lead the way into the only turn of the race.

Halfway through the turn, it appeared that Bold Concept was dropping back, but at the head of the stretch, Parker placed the Indiana sired daughter of Deputy Storm to the outside and a different filly emerged. Bold Concept began to kick into another gear and ran down the front runners to the loud cheers of Grand Gesture Stable owners, winning the race in dramatic last second fashion by one and one-half lengths in a time of 1:04.64. Chargaree and Orlando Mojica maintained ground for second over Niece Jackie Davis for third.

Bold Concept rewarded her backers with payouts of \$9.60, \$4.80 and \$2.60 across the board. She now has two straight wins for Indiana Grand's racing club owners and has accumulated in excess of \$80,000 since being purchased for the program by Indiana Grand in April. Tony Granitz trains the sophomore filly, who has become beloved by the group because of her pleasant demeanor during weekly barn visits by her owners.

This is the second year for Grand Gesture Stable at Indiana Grand. The program began in 2017 with AJ Pacer, who won one race for the group of 50 owners. The program returned in 2018 and has 44 owners who invested a one-time fee of \$300 to be an owner of Bold Concept.

The 16th season of Thoroughbreds and Quarter Horse racing continues through Wednesday, Nov. 7. Racing is conducted Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 2:05 p.m. with Saturday racing beginning at 6:05 p.m.

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