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**Q. Brian, some tough conditions there, especially for your back nine. How proud are you of that 5-under-par round?**

**BRIAN GAY:** Yeah, yeah, it was good. It got pretty breezy out there right now at the moment. Got off to a good start, birdied the first two and then hit a little bit of a lull. Had a couple good chances and missed some short ones kind of the middle part of the round. Had a good finish birdieing three of the last five or six, I think.

**Q. I know you kind of have been used to the bermudagrass for a long time, you living in Florida and everything, but how comfortable are you on these greens here?**

**BRIAN GAY:** Yeah, I grew up on greens virtually identical to this. They're not too fast, grainy bermuda, something I've played on my whole life, so it's just comfortable for me.

**Q. What's been working for you so well this week in your game?**

**BRIAN GAY:** I think for the most part I've limited my mistakes. I think I had no bogeys the first day and today, so that's always good. There's a lot of birdie opportunities out here, so just try to limit the mistakes and the birdies will come.

**Q. Do you feel like courses like this, even being 50-plus years old, do you still feel you can contend and compete and win out here on the PGA TOUR on courses like this?**

**BRIAN GAY:** Yeah, it's not about length on this course. Kind of get the ball in the right spot and give yourself chances and make some putts. The scores are shockingly low. I know it played pretty easy the first round, but that 10 under yesterday being in like 15th place, I was trying to think if I've ever been 10 under after two days in 15th place on Tour. But, you know, ton of good players, but you still got to get it in the hole.

**Q. What do you have to focus on most tomorrow to possibly win this thing for the second time?**

**BRIAN GAY:** Yeah, I think the same thing, play smart but still I've got to be aggressive because I'm still going to have to shoot a low number probably. I'm not sure how windy it's going to be, but still going to have to make some birdies, so got to keep that aggressive mindset.

**Q. Brian, in talking to your wife on the bus and seeing your pink outfit on the way in,**

**can you just talk a little bit about what you love so much about Bermuda. Obviously being a past champion, but it seems like you really embrace this island.**

**BRIAN GAY:** Yeah, yeah, the people are fantastic, super nice here, everybody's happy. Come here and everybody's in a good mood. I enjoy the golf course, and I came here the first year and finished third, so I guess I've had good feelings since.

