## ROUND 4 QUICK QUOTES November 16, 2025

## CHANDLER PHILLIPS (-11)



Q. Chandler Phillips, what a week here in Bermuda. Look, I know it wasn't the ultimate goal that you were looking for, but a solo second, you're projected 92nd in the FedExCup points in the fall, your best career finish, solo second. Could you possibly sum up what went down this week in Bermuda?

**CHANDLER PHILLIPS:** It's hard as hell, man. I love playing in the wind, but this was, this was the most I've ever played in. Made a few bad bogeys today. Up till today I had made a double and one bogey through three days.

Yeah, it's hard to really get mad at anything. Adam played obviously great, congrats to him. I'm just happy with my finish. If we would have been going in a playoff, that would have been better, but it's hard to really even get mad about anything.

Q. What is the mentality when you approach the final round knowing the gusts are going to be 30, 35, 40 and just try to keep your focus out there and not getting blown over while you're trying to putt, chip, hit a full shot?

CHANDLER PHILLIPS: Yeah, it will happen. It happened a few times today.

I never back off anything. If I go into the ball, I'm committed to it and I'm going to hit it. But today, hell, I backed off probably seven to 10 times, like I just had to because I couldn't get stable over the ball or get comfortable.

So yeah, par was a good score. I'm not talking about at the end, but every hole, every hole, par was a good score. Yeah, I'm happy with it.

Q. What does this performance do for you as you finish up the fall in the PGA TOUR schedule next week?

**CHANDLER PHILLIPS:** Yeah. I mean, the thing is, like we talked the other day, this year has not gone well, it's been a struggle. To have one event left and put this right in front of it, I'm excited. I'm excited to go next week. Looks like it's going to be pretty good weather. I've played that course a ton. We used to play SECs back in the day there when I was at A&M. Yeah, I'm just kind of excited to get to Sea Island.

Q. Chandler, career best finish and moving up to 92 in the FedExCup Fall. I know you were in contention there at the end, but do you kind of take some satisfaction in such a good week that you had here?



**CHANDLER PHILLIPS:** Yeah. You know, this week was really hard. I love playing hard golf courses even though like no wind, this course would be a birdie-fest. But playing in the wind all week and just kind of staying with it and not really -- I mean, for me to -- I don't know how many bogeys I made today, maybe three bogeys today.

I made three bogeys today, one the second round and a double the first round. If you told me that's all I would do this week, bad holes, I'd pay a lot of money for it before even starting the week.

So yeah, I'm happy just to be inside the top-100 now. I know I've got one week left, but at least I'm not going into next week in the same position I was this week, looking at it like God, I've got to win to have a job out here. Hopefully I play pretty solid next week and see y'all next year.

Q. With how challenging it was out here today, where does this round rank over the last few years of you being on Tour as far as one of the more challenging rounds? Is it the most challenging?

**CHANDLER PHILLIPS:** Yeah, when we finished, me, Max and Adam were walking back and we all agreed that this was probably the hardest -- I said it's the hardest round of golf I've ever played in my life just everything considered. Just some of the tee shots in the last few holes, I mean, frickin' wild. Like I hit it in the bunker on 18 and my ball landed dead center of the fairway. Like it's just -- but it goes out there and it's coming in at an angle. It's just like I can't make myself try to hit a draw with a 40-mile-an-hour wind off the left.

Q. How different was this round being in contention? You haven't had a ton of those opportunities this year. How different was it mentally going into the final round having a chance?

**CHANDLER PHILLIPS:** Yeah, I mean, kind of look back on Valspar last year, I was kind of in the same position. You know, I felt like it's kind of the same result.

I didn't really get too nervous. Hell, it's really hard to get nervous when you're more worried about trying to get stable over the ball because of the wind. Yeah, I mean, it's golf, it's competition. Like it was good. Like you said, I haven't had that many opportunities like today. It's good to have one.

