



Marcus Miller

HRU: In some respects, has being Erv Miller's son hurt you? Did people argue that you only did well because of your father?

MM: The first year I drove full-time that was a major issue. Then I started to win a lot of races for other people and many of the other top trainers here. Once that happened, that whole idea was shot down.

HRU: With the purses being so low at the Chicago tracks, do you feel like you need to head somewhere else?

MM: It's good to be on top here. But sometime in the future if something doesn't happen here so far as slots or a purse increase I'll look to make a move. Maybe Pennsylvania. It's just that you don't want to leave here and get beat up somewhere. It's something I'll do when the time is right.

HRU: We see you're not attending college anymore. What happened?

MM: It got to the point where it was too hard to do both and with my doing so well driving I decided to focus just on that. I didn't really like DePaul.

HRU: You're the seventh leading driver in the country in wins. Has this year been beyond your expectations?

MM: I'm really happy with the way this year has gone. I wanted to be the leading driver around here and I thought I would be. I just never figured I would be as far ahead as I am.