

# Arnold Palmer Invitational

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Bay Hill Club and Lodge

## Branden Grace

### Quick Quotes

**Q. 5-under, nice playing today and keeping the momentum going.**

BRANDEN GRACE: Yeah, I played great. Actually the last three days I played great, I just got off to a bad finish at the end on each day, which cost me dearly. But, yeah, feeling good. I can feel the fumes are going a little bit, the batteries are going down a bit, but, yeah, playing well and excited to be here.

**Q. What was working good today?**

BRANDEN GRACE: I think momentum was really good. The first I want to say five or six holes, they're not really birdie opportunities, from the 1st hole I had driver, 5-iron into the 1st and 3-iron into the second and managed to make about 60 foot of putts on the first two holes and then made a good 25-footer for par on the 3rd. So the putter was hot today and the momentum just kept going, just kept the round alive.

A couple of bad breaks on, I think it was 14 -- 13 and 14 -- sorry, 14 and 15, just bunker shots, I thought it was going to go like into the middle of the bunker, ended up on the sides and not really giving myself anything. But it was good otherwise.

**Q. What did you hit in on 16?**

BRANDEN GRACE: 16 I hit 7-iron. Actually it sets up so nicely for my little fade off the tee. I hit it up there, with the low ball flight it ran up there and I think I had 205 flag or something like that. I think it was 190 to fly all the water. So it was just a good 7-iron was enough at the end.

**Q. When we talked to you on Sunday on the heels of the win it sounded like were you headed for a week off.**

BRANDEN GRACE: I was, I was. Obviously I asked for an invite, before I won, to be considered for one and I didn't get it. It's one of the events I love playing, I haven't played it in the past two years, just because I never qualified. And then obviously I've got the WGC and the Masters in the



back of my mind. Obviously the win last week opens up a lot of more thinking of possibilities and so I know if I can get a couple of good weeks coming in, after next week I might get a spot in the Match Play, so that's a big one.

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