

# LIV Golf Promotions

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Abu Dhabi Golf Club

## Sampson-Yunhe Zheng

### Quick Quotes

THE MODERATOR: Let's welcome Sampson-Yunhe Zheng from China. A great bogey-free round today, 5-under-par 67 here at Abu Dhabi Golf Club. Take us through your round today.

SAMPSON-YUNHE ZHENG: Yeah, I think today for the most part I was able to do what I wanted to do, keep the ball in the fairway, keep it out of trouble, keep it on the green.

I had a few good looks that I missed, but fortunately I was able to make some coming in, so it was a good run today.

**Q. That eagle on the last hole pretty much guaranteed your place in Sunday's final day at LIV Golf Promotions. Can you talk us through your emotions walking off 18?**

SAMPSON-YUNHE ZHENG: Yeah, it feels great. I was in a bit of trouble on 17, almost made bogey there, but I was able to bounce back. It was a good third shot and hit a good second shot into 18, so yeah, really happy with how I finished.

**Q. You're one of 13 players with a bye through to Round 2 this week. Did that extra day of rest contribute to your performance today?**

SAMPSON-YUNHE ZHENG: I think so. I think it gave me a little advantage kind of seeing how the scores unfolded on day one and see how the course conditions were. Yeah, the rest of the day was good.

**Q. You're flying the flag for China this week. How has the support been from family, friends, even friends back at home?**

SAMPSON-YUNHE ZHENG: Yeah, it's really awesome. I have the media people here with me this week. My mom is here supporting me. It really means a lot to carry the Chinese flag.

**Q. You're safely through to the final stage of LIV Golf**



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**Promotions tomorrow. What's the game plan going into 36 holes on Sunday?**

SAMPSON-YUNHE ZHENG: Yeah, I think tomorrow is just going to be like today. It's going to be hot. It's going to be a long day, so it's going to be a bit of a marathon. Just stay patient and kind of let the course come to you.

**Q. Only three spots up for grabs tomorrow; what would a place on the 2024 LIV Golf roster mean to you and being the first Chinese player on LIV Golf?**

SAMPSON-YUNHE ZHENG: Yeah, it would mean a lot. It would be very special. I want to stay in the present, just one shot at a time, and see what happens tomorrow.

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