

ROUND 2 QUICK QUOTES
February 23, 2024



STEVE PATE (-5)

Q. Steve, just takeaways of Round 2 today?

STEVE PATE: Tough to describe that one.

Q. Did the weather conditions play a factor out there for you?

STEVE PATE: Oh, yeah. I like it 95 degrees. This is freezing.

You know, I hit a lot of good shots, I hit a lot of terrible shots like yesterday, but yesterday I made it twice from off the green and made several long putts. Didn't make anything today.

Q. Still in contention heading into tomorrow. Weather could potentially play a factor again, but what's the mindset?

STEVE PATE: I'm setting my standards kind of low right now because I'm not really swinging all that well. I'm trying to hit it solid and forward. If you set your sights low enough, you can't be disappointed.

No, hopefully make some more putts.

Q. And then what do you enjoy about being back in Morocco?

STEVE PATE: The food. Oh, it's so good.

Q. What does it represent for you being here?

STEVE PATE: I love when we have tournaments in foreign countries, it's fun for me to go places, different cultures, different food, food especially.

Q. People are nice?

STEVE PATE: People are great, yeah. I've been here every year, I've been here all three years we played here. Yeah, I love it, I will continue to come back.

