

44th Annual World Series of Poker Rio All-Suite Hotel and Casino Las Vegas, Nevada Event 48 Six-Handed Limit Hold'em Buy-In: \$2,500 Number of Entries: 343 Total Prize Pool: \$780,325 Number of Places Paid: 36 First Place Prize: \$206,796 June 26 -June 28, 2013

Marco Johnson's 2013 World Series of Poker was a mega success regardless of what happened in Event 48, a \$2,500 Six-Handed Limit Hold'em event. He laid claim to five cashes and more than \$200,000 in earnings, but somehow, that wasn't enough.

Johnson's runner-up finish in the \$1,500 Pot-Limit Omaha Hi-Low tournament just a few days ago marked his third time to finish second in a WSOP event and only fueled his desire to win a WSOP bracelet.

Late Friday night, when he got heads-up for the second time this year in the same tournament he finished runner-up in in 2012, he refused to go home without gold. Johnson handily bested Jeff Thompson, finally getting his much-deserved bracelet and pocketing \$206,796 in the process.

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