44th Annual World Series of Poker
Rio All-Suite Hotel and Casino Las Vegas, Nevada
Event 49
No Limit Hold'em
Buy-In: $1,500
Number of Entries: 2,247
Total Prize Pool: $3,033,450
Number of Places Paid: 196
First Place Prize: $546,080
June 27 -June 29, 2013

It was a storybook ending for UK-based writer Barny Boatman in Event 49, a $1,500 No-Limit Hold'em tournament, early Sunday morning at the 44th Annual World Series of Poker.

Boatman has been coming to the WSOP for years, recording his first cash in 2000 and recording numerous cashes since -- 25 to be exact. Boatman had success, sure, but his results were not indicative of the years he had put in on the WSOP felt.

Sunday morning, though, his hard work paid off as he bested Brian O'Donoghue to win his first gold bracelet and $546,080. The victory came in his fourth final table appearance at the WSOP and moved him just shy of the $1 million mark in career earnings. It also marks the first win for a British player at this summer's WSOP.

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