

## **L.A. Poker Classic**

Casino: Commerce Casino

Location: Commerce, CA

Buy-in: \$10,000

Entry Fee: \$100

# of Players: 538

Prize Pool: \$5,166,414

Final Table Date: Feb. 22, 2005

### Results:

1. Michael Mizrachi \$1,859,909
2. Haralabos Voulgaris \$904,122
3. Hung La \$444,312
4. Ted Forrest \$263,487
5. Erick Lindgren \$206,657
6. Harley Hall \$154,992

When people think of Los Angeles, one of the first things that come to mind is money. The L.A. Poker Classic at the Commerce Casino was no exception. A total of 538 players anted up \$10,000 for their chance to win almost \$2 million.

The final table boasted another handful of successful poker pros. Erick Lindgren, Ted Forrest, Hung La, Michael Mizrachi, Haralabos Voulgaris, and Harley Hall all had their eyes focused on becoming a millionaire in one night.

Harley Hall was the first to see his goal slip away as he was eliminated in 6<sup>th</sup> place. Lindgren followed suit and was the next one out in 5<sup>th</sup> place. Ted Forrest and Hung La finished 4<sup>th</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> respectively. Heads-up play featured the well-known Mizrachi going up against Voulgaris. Mizrachi prevailed and took home over \$1.85 million in cash.