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Announcer **Ken McLellan: You were FANTASTIC! OUTSTANDING! You did a great job for the entire three days and hardly ever left your chair.

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