



## WSOP CIRCUIT 2021-22 EVENT REPORT

Circuit Stop:	Bicycle Casino	Date:	9 March 2022
Event:	NLH Double Stack	Entries:	138
Buy-in:	\$400	Prizepool:	\$45,540

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### OSCAR ZAVALA GRABS FIRST GOLD RING

*Oscar Zavala takes down the \$400 NLH Double Stack to earn first WSOP ring.*

Oscar Zavala just took down the \$400 No-Limit Hold 'em Double Stack event at the Bicycle Casino World Series of Poker Circuit. Zavala outlasted a field of 138 entrants to earn \$12,135 and his first WSOP Circuit gold ring.

The event started on Tuesday morning and Day 1 concluded after twelve hours of play with only seven players remaining. Zavala bagged the chip lead after fighting some adversity earlier in the day.

"I lost with kings right before the third break, and I was down to nothing. But then I tripled up with kings and tripled up with aces shortly after. From there, I felt like I had a big chance of winning," said the Champion.

Zavala came close to winning his first ring back in 2013, but ended up losing heads-up to Amir Ghazvinian. Since then, the Los Angeles native has been carrying the loss and still remembers the event like it was yesterday.

"In 2013, I was heads-up for the ring, and I had all the chips. I had two-pair and got him to commit all his chips, but he hit a gutter on the river. When we were four-handed, I had pocket-fives, and all three players went all-in, and I had them covered. A five came on the turn and a five on the river. If I had called, I would have won it right there. I have been chasing this ring for a long time, it's amazing," Zavala recalled.

With the win, Zavala will be traveling to Las Vegas to participate in the Tournament of Champions, held in Las Vegas in the summer of 2022.

“I finally got a ring, now I’m going for the bracelet,” said the latest WSOP Circuit Champion.

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## **MEET THE LATEST WSOP CIRCUIT RING WINNER**

Name:	Oscar Zavala	Current Residence:	Long Beach, CA
Nationality:	US	Age:	
Birthplace:	Los Angeles, CA.	Profession:	Poker Pro

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