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Mayflower Man Wins \$100,000 Lottery Prize

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LITTLE ROCK – Good things comes to those who wait – especially in the form of lottery dollars. Today a Mayflower man, who has been playing the lottery since 2009, claimed a lottery prize worth \$100,000.

Bart Lambert’s win came from playing the lottery’s \$5 instant-ticket game, 50X Payout. Lambert purchased the ticket from J-Square Inc. Exxon on 580 Dave Ward Drive in Conway yesterday.

The top prize amount for 50X Payout is \$100,000. Now there is only one top prize left.

“I play the lottery every time I have some extra cash,” said Lambert. “I’ve only won about \$350, so I thought I was dreaming when I discovered that I had won. The first person I told was my best friend, Junior Kelley. We’ve been friends for over five years.”

“I thought Bart was telling some kind of bad joke,” Kelley said when Lambert told him the awesome news. “It seemed so unreal! I had to take advantage of the opportunity to visit the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery Claim Center along with my friend. My parents, Edwin and Evelyn also had to accompany us on this trip.

Lambert plans to pay bills and have some fun with his winnings.

About the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery

More than 92 cents of every dollar of Lottery revenue goes to prizes, scholarships, retailer commissions, and other expenses in Arkansas. Since 2009, the Lottery has provided more than \$803 million to help fund more than 542,000 college scholarships, more than \$2.9 billion in prizes to players, more than \$252 million in retailer commissions and more than \$126 million in state and federal tax revenue.

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