

# EUROPEAN CHAMPIONSHIPS 2005

## TORINO, ITALY

### **Compulsory Dance - Jan 25th, 2005**

Federica Faiella: (on the performance) “The Golden Waltz and the Midnight Blues are the compulsory dances that we prefer”.

Massimo Scali: (on the performance) “Everything was ok. It’s emotional to skate with such a big audience in your own country. We had to control our emotion during the skating, but we are satisfied with the marks and our performance”.

(on the Golden Waltz) “It’s really a difficult dance, but we did it at the National Championships this year, so we are already accustomed to it”.

(on the audience) “It was thrilling. It was like being in a football stadium”.

### **Original Dance - Jan 27th, 2005**

Massimo Scali: (on the performance) “We are very happy because our performance was nice and clean. We skated as we wanted to do. For us the most important thing is to make the audience feel strong emotions”.

(on the expectations) “These Europeans are very important for us, but we don’t mind the ranking too much. It could seem strange but we are focused on the future”.

(on Friday’s free program) “We hope to make a good performance as we did today”.

(on the audience) “We didn’t expect such a fantastic and powerful audience”.

### **Free Dance - Jan 28th, 2005**

Federica Faiella: (on the performance) “We skated at our best, we are very satisfied”.

(on skating in their own country) “ We have been working a lot with our psychologist (Paolo Cignozzi) which certainly helped, also we have a great team surrounding us which tonight has given us a lot of energy”.

Massimo Scali: (on the performance) “We are satisfied, we skated at our best, these Europeans are just wonderful. We had a lot of energy during our program, and are happy to have done a performance without mistakes”.

(on their future goals) “We want to continue our rise in the international rankings. We will work hard for an Olympic medal even if it might be too early for such a goal, we’ll do everything we can”.

(on the way they will work for an improvement) “ We will try to do new and unusual programs”.