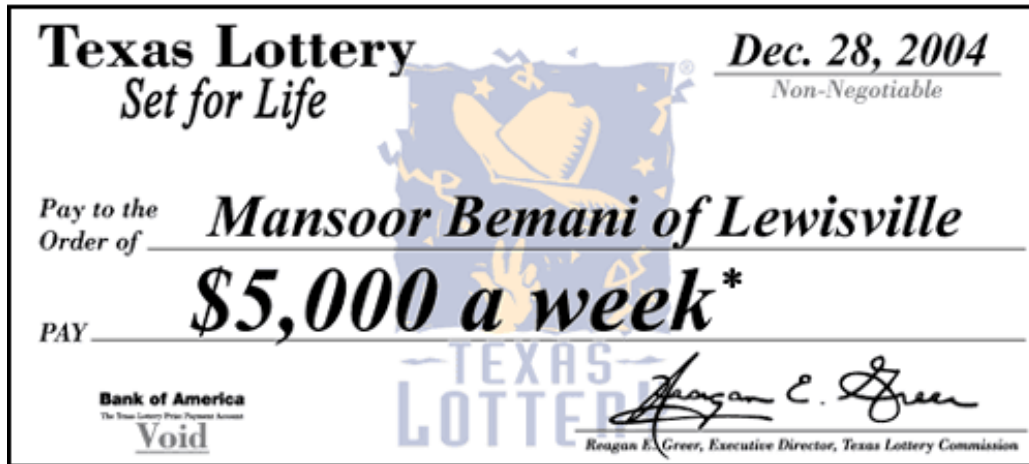


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Lewisville Man Wins First Top Prize For Texas Lottery® *Set For Life* Scratch Off Game



Mansoor Bemani of Lewisville has won \$5,000 a week (*not to exceed \$5,000,000 total) in the scratch off game "Set for Life."

(Austin, December 28) - Mansoor Bemani of Lewisville today became the first Texan to claim the top cash prize for the *SET FOR LIFE* scratch off game from the Texas Lottery®. Bemani will collect \$5,000 a week for 20 years, with the total payout for the instant ticket equaling up to \$5 million.

"Just coming off the holiday weekend, and Mr. Bemani makes the second sizeable prize winner to collect a little holiday cash from the Texas Lottery," said Reagan E. Greer, executive director of the Texas Lottery Commission. "Yesterday, we had a top-prize winner for \$1 million, a \$175,000 *Mega Millions* winner and a \$14,312 *Lotto Texas* winner from different parts of the state. It's been a wonderful way to end the 2004 year."

Bemani purchased his ticket at Park Chevron at 1925 Dallas Parkway in Plano. The retail owner is eligible to receive a bonus of \$10,000 for selling the grand prize-winning ticket.

Players still have the chance to win one more \$5,000-a-week prize in the *SET FOR LIFE* scratch game. Other cash prizes in the game include; \$2,500, \$1,000, \$500, \$200, \$100, \$50, \$20 and \$10. The cost of the ticket is \$10.

Mansoor Bemani has requested minimum publicity.

For more information about the Texas Lottery, please visit the official Texas Lottery Commission Web site at <http://www.txlottery.org>