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LOS ANGELES RAMS POSTGAME NOTES

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RAMS OFFENSIVE NOTES

- RB **Todd Gurley II** became the first Rams player with 13-plus TDs in three-consecutive seasons after scoring two TDs in the 2nd quarter to give him 14 on the year and 58 career rushing touchdowns – tying Hall of Famer **Marshall Faulk** for most in team history.
- After completing 27 passes for 323 yards on Saturday, QB **Jared Goff** surpassed 4,000 passing yards for the second-consecutive season, becoming the first QB in franchise history to do so. Goff is the second QB in franchise history to have multiple seasons with over 4,000 passing yards, joining Hall of Famer **Kurt Warner**.
- With his third 100-plus yard receiving game of the season, WR **Robert Woods** tied a single-season career high in total 100-plus yard receiving games to match his 2018 output. Woods pushed his season receiving total to 1,067 yards, giving Los Angeles two 1,000-yard receivers for the second consecutive season (Kupp, 1,062 yds). This is the first time the Rams accomplished the feat in consecutive seasons since a streak of four seasons from 1999-2002.
- With the 1,000-plus receiving yard output this season, **Woods** became the first Ram to post consecutive seasons with over 1,000 receiving yards since **Torry Holt** finished a run of eight straight seasons from 2000-2007.
- With a nine-catch output in Saturday's game, TE **Tyler Higbee** set a single-season franchise record for receptions by a tight end. Higbee passed **Pete Holohan**, who recorded 59 receptions in the 1988 season. Higbee finished the game with 104 receiving yards, his fourth-consecutive 100-plus yard output. Higbee is only the second TE in franchise history to have four 100-plus receiving yard games with the Rams. Higbee is also the first TE since 1970 to have four-consecutive games of seven-plus catches for 100-plus yards.



RAMS DEFENSIVE NOTES

- For the first time since 2012, the Rams boast multiple players with double-digit sacks in DT **Aaron Donald** and OLB Dante Fowler Jr., who each recorded multiple sacks in Saturday's outing. **Chris Long** (11.5) and **Robert Quinn** were the last pair of Rams to accomplish the feat eight seasons ago.
- In the 1st quarter, CB **Jalen Ramsey** snagged his first interception as a member of the Rams and returned it 13 yards with 4:09 on the clock. He now has 10 career interceptions that he's returned for a total of 112 yards. The play led to a Rams touchdown on the team's ensuing possession.
- CB **Darius Williams** snared his first career interception off a tipped pass caused by **Ramsey**.
- Saturday was only the third time this season a defensive unit forced 49ers QB **Jimmy Garoppolo** into multiple interceptions in a single game.
- LB **Cory Littleton** set a new single-season career high in tackles after notching seven on Saturday. He now has 131 this season.



RAMS OFFENSIVE STARTERS (GP/GS)

WR	COOPER KUPP	(15/13)
TE	TYLER HIGBEE	(14/14)
LT	ANDREW WHITWORTH	(15/15)
LG	AUSTIN CORBETT	(9/6)
C	AUSTIN BLYTHE	(14/14)
RG	DAVID EDWARDS	(15/9)
RT	BOBBY EVANS	(8/6)
WR	BRANDIN COOKS	(13/13)
WR	ROBERT WOODS	(14/14)
QB	JARED GOFF	(15/15)
RB	TODD GURLEY II	(14/14)



RAMS DEFENSIVE STARTERS (GP/GS)

DE	MICHAEL BROCKERS	(15/15)
NT	SEBASTIAN JOSEPH-DAY	(15/15)
DT	AARON DONALD	(15/15)
OLB	DANTE FOWLER	(15/13)
OLB	CLAY MATTHEWS	(12/12)
ILB	CORY LITTLETON	(15/15)
ILB	TROY REEDER	(15/7)
LCB	DARIOUS WILLIAMS	(11/2)
RCB	JALEN RAMSEY	(12/11)
SS	TAYLOR RAPP	(14/9)
FS	ERIC WEDDLE	(15/15)



RAMS LEADERS

PASSING - J. GOFF (27/46, 323 YDS., 2 TD, 1 INT)

RUSHING - T. GURLEY II (15 CARRIES, 48 YDS., 2 TD)

RECEIVING - R. WOODS (8 REC., 117 YDS., 29-YD. LONG REC.)
T. HIGBEE (9 REC., 104 YDS., 20-YD. LONG REC.)



ADDITIONAL NOTES



- QB **Jared Goff** threw two touchdown passes on Saturday, marking his fourth-consecutive game with multiple touchdown passes and the third time in his career he's had a streak of at least four games doing so.
- Following a 66-yard passing output on L.A.'s opening drive of the game, **Goff** has now tallied 50-plus passing yards on the team's opening drive of the game in three of L.A.'s last four contests. Goff tossed for 58 on the opening drive in Arizona (Week 13) and then 67 at home against Seattle (Week 14).
- S **Eric Weddle** finished Saturday's game with six tackles, giving him a 100-plus tackle season for the fourth time in his career and the first time since 2014. Weddle became just the second active safety to tally four seasons with 100-plus tackles, joining S Antoine Bethea. Weddle is also just the sixth player in NFL history to have four seasons of 100-plus tackles while playing safety.
- Saturday was also **Weddle's** 200th game of his career – the third-most among active safeties.
- L.A.'s defense finished the night with 6.0 sacks, its fifth game with 5.0-plus sacks this season and its second game with at least 6.0 sacks.
- WR **Brandin Cooks** caught his second touchdown pass of the season, his last coming in Week 2 vs. New Orleans Cooks now has 34 career touchdown receptions.
- Following his touchdown reception in the third quarter on Saturday, WR **Cooper Kupp** extended his receiving touchdown streak to four games, which is the longest streak of his career. It is also the second time this season Kupp has had receiving touchdowns in three consecutive games, previously doing so in Weeks 3-5.
- Through Saturday's action, **Kupp** is one of just six players to have a streak of four-consecutive games this season with a receiving touchdown.
- With 70 touchdowns from scrimmage in his first five seasons, RB **Todd Gurley II** is tied with Hall of Famer **Jerry Rice** for fourth-most in the category.
- **Gurley II's** two-touchdown performance was his 13th game of his career with multiple rushing touchdowns.
- K **Greg Zuerlein** converted the 200th field goal of his career on Saturday after booting a 52-yard field goal to tie the game in the fourth quarter. Zuerlein is just the eighth active kicker through Saturday's game to tally 200-plus made field goals. His total is fourth-most among active kickers since he entered the league in 2012.
- DE **Morgan Fox** recorded 1.0 sack in the third quarter for a loss of eight yards, his second sack of the season. He now has 4.5 in his career.
- OLB **Dante Fowler Jr.** tied a single-season high of five passes defended after recording one in Saturday's game. His career high mark was previously set in his rookie season.
- With 1.5 sacks in the game, DT **Aaron Donald** now sits 0.5 sacks behind Kevin Greene (72.5) for second on L.A.'s all-time sacks leaderboard.
- With 1.0 sack in Saturday's contest, OLB **Samson Ebukam** continued to improve on a single-season career-high total. Ebukam now has 4.5 sacks this season.
- Rookie RB **Darrell Henderson Jr.** recorded his first rushing statistics since Week 13 at Arizona, finishing the game with seven yards on the ground.
- For the seventh game this season, WR **Josh Reynolds** has recorded a 20+ yard reception, including three of the last four games. Reynolds 24-yard reception came on L.A.'s opening drive of the game.



RAMS INACTIVES



21	DONT'E DEAYON	DB
22	TROY HILL	CB
39	JAKE GERVASE	S
57	NATREZ PATRICK	LB
64	JAMIL DEMBY	OL
79	ROB HAVENSTEIN	T
86	KENDALL BLANTON	TE



UPCOMING GAME



**LOS ANGELES RAMS
VS. ARIZONA CARDINALS**

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