

DATE SEPTEMBER 5, 1981

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

AT TAMPA STADIUM

VISITOR MINNESOTA VIKINGS

HOME TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS

RUSHING						ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD
YOUNG						2	7	3.5	4	0
BROWN						20	79	4.0	14	0
REDWINE						1	0	0.0	0	0
DILS						4	14	3.5	7	0
TOTALS						27	100	3.7	14	0
PASSING		ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD	LG.	Had Int.		
DILS		62	37	361	2-18	1	22	1		
BROWN		1	0	0	-	-	-	1		
TOTALS		63	37	361	2-18	1	22	2		
PASS RECEIVING		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD					
YOUNG		7	47	11	0					
BROWN		12	77	13	0					
WHITE		8	92	19	0					
RASHAD		2	30	15	0					
SENSEER		5	60	20	1					
LECOUNT		2	38	22	0					
HARRELL		1	17	17	0					
TOTALS		37	361	22	1					
INTERCEPTIONS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD					
NONE										
TOTALS										
PUNTING		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG.			
COLEMAN		5	199	39.8	2	1	51			
TOTALS		5	199	39.8	2	1	51			
PUNT RETURNS		NO.	FC	YARDS	LG.	TD				
PAYTON		6	0	59	18	0				
TOTALS		6	0	59	18	0				
KICKOFF RETURNS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD					
NORD		1	22	22	0					
PAYTON		3	70	29	0					
TOTALS		4	92	29	0					
FUMBLES		FUM.	OWN REC.	YDS.	TD	OPP REC.	YDS.	TD	OUT BDS.	
DILS		1	1	0	-	-	-	-	-	
YOUNG		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	
REDWINE		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
WHITE		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
TOTALS		4	1	0	-	-	-	-	1	

RUSHING						ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD
WILDER						8	14	1.8	4	0
ECKWOOD						6	36	6.0	26	0
BELL, R.						11	35	3.2	6	0
WILLIAMS						3	26	8.7	15	1
TOTALS						28	111	4.0	26	1
PASSING		ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD	LG.	Had Int.		
WILLIAMS		22	8	108	-	1	55	0		
TOTALS		22	8	108	-	1	55	0		
PASS RECEIVING		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD					
GILES		1	20	20	0					
HOUSE		3	74	55	1					
RBELL		1	11	11	0					
WILDER		2	-3	4	0					
JONES		1	6	6	0					
TOTALS		8	108	55	1					
INTERCEPTIONS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD					
COLZIE		2	89	82	1					
TOTALS		2	89	82	1					
PUNTING		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG.			
BLANCHARD		9	428	47.6	1	2	58			
TOTALS		9	428	47.6	1	2	58			
PUNT RETURNS		NO.	FC	YARDS	LG.	TD				
T. BELL		1	0	8	8	0				
TOTALS		1	0	8	8	0				
KICKOFF RETURNS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD					
OBRADUICH		1	14	14	0					
G. DAVIS		2	38	20	0					
BRANTLEY		1	0	0	0					
TOTALS		4	52	20	0					
FUMBLES		FUM.	OWN REC.	YDS.	TD	OPP REC.	YDS.	TD	OUT BDS.	
KOUAR		-	-	-	-	1	0	-	-	
WILLIAMS		1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
WILDER		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
R. BELL		-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
G. DAVIS		1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
OWENS / THOMAS		-	1	0	-	-	1	0	0	
TOTALS		3	3	0	-	2	0	0	-	

MINNESOTA VIKINGS
(Visitor)

VS. TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS
(Home)

Date SEPTEMBER 5, 1981

At: TAMPA STADIUM

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

	VISITOR <u>MINNESOTA</u>	HOME <u>TAMPA BAY</u>
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	<u>27</u>	<u>10</u>
BY RUSHING	<u>5</u>	<u>4</u>
BY PASSING	<u>21</u>	<u>5</u>
BY PENALTY	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	<u>8-20-40%</u>	<u>2-12-16.7%</u>
TOTAL NET YARDS	<u>448</u>	<u>219</u>
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS (Inc. times thrown passing)	<u>92</u>	<u>50</u>
AVERAGE GAIN PER OFFENSIVE PLAY	<u>4.8</u>	<u>4.4</u>
NET YARDS RUSHING	<u>100</u>	<u>111</u>
TOTAL RUSHING PLAYS	<u>27</u>	<u>28</u>
AVERAGE GAIN PER RUSHING PLAY	<u>3.7</u>	<u>4.0</u>
NET YARDS PASSING	<u>343</u>	<u>108</u>
TIMES THROWN—YARDS LOST ATTEMPTING TO PASS	<u>2-18</u>	<u>0-0</u>
GROSS YARDS PASSING	<u>361</u>	<u>108</u>
PASS ATTEMPTS—COMPLETIONS—HAD INTERCEPTED	<u>63-37-2</u>	<u>22-8-0</u>
AVERAGE GAIN PER PASS PLAY (Inc. times thrown passing)	<u>5.2</u>	<u>4.9</u>
PUNTS—NUMBER AND AVERAGE	<u>5-39.8</u>	<u>9-47.6</u>
HAD BLOCKED	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE	<u>151</u>	<u>149</u>
NO. AND YARDS PUNT RETURNS	<u>6-59</u>	<u>1-8</u>
NO. AND YARDS KICKOFF RETURNS	<u>4-92</u>	<u>4-52</u>
NO. AND YARDS INTERCEPTION RETURNS	<u>0-0</u>	<u>2-89</u>
PENALTIES—NUMBER AND YARDS	<u>4-30</u>	<u>6-50</u>
FUMBLES—NUMBER AND LOST	<u>4-2</u>	<u>3-0</u>
TOUCHDOWNS	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>
RUSHING	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>
PASSING	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>
RETURNS	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>
EXTRA POINTS MADE—ATTEMPTS	<u>1-1</u>	<u>3-3</u>
FIELD GOALS MADE—ATTEMPTS	<u>2-2</u>	<u>0-1</u>
TIME OF POSSESSION	<u>37:13</u>	<u>22:47</u>

MINNESOTA VIKINGS VS TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS, TAMPA STADIUM, SEPTEMBER 5, 1981

FIRST QUARTER.

Minnesota wins the toss, elects to receive, Tampa Bay to defend the south goal.

Yepragian kicks, taken by Nord at M8, returned to M30 22 (Nafziger)

MINNESOTA- 14:52

M30 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, intended for White at 50, incomplete

M30 2 - 10 Young up middle 4 (Wood)

M34 3 - 6 Dils back to throw, intended for LeCount on the left sideline, overthrown, incomplete

M34 4 - 6 Coleman punts, out of bounds at TB25 (41-yard punt)

TAMPA BAY - 13:54

TB25 1 - 10 Wilder off LT 3 (McNeill)

TB28 2 - 7 Williams back to throw, intended for Eckwood over the middle, incomplete

TB28 3 - 7 Williams from the shotgun, intended for Bell over the middle, broken up, incomplete

TB28 4 - 7 Blanchard punts, taken by Payton at M23, returned to M35 12 (Nafziger)
(49-yard punt)

MINNESOTA - 12:57

M35 1 - 10 Brown up middle 6 (Lewis)

M41 2 - 4 Brown up middle 3 (Logan)

M44 3 - 1 Brown around RE 7 (Kollar)

FIRST DOWN

TB49 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete on the right flat to Young 3 (Lewis)

TB46 2 - 7 Dils on a play action, complete at 50 to Young 11 (Holt) FIRST DOWN

TB35 1 - 10 Brown on a pitchback, tries the right side, reverses his field -5
(Johnson)

TB40 2 - 15 Dils back to throw, complete at TB38 to Young 6 (Wood)

TB34 3 - 9 Dils out of the shotgun, intended for LeCount, overthrown, incomplete

TB34 4 - 9 Coleman punts, into the end zone for touchback (34-yard punt)

TAMPA BAY - 7:49

TB20 1 - 10 Wilder up the middle 2 (McNeill) PENALTY - Tampa Bay, offsides, declined

TB22 2 - 8 Eckwood around RE 3 (Studwell)

TB25 3 - 5 Williams from the shotgun, complete to Giles at TB45 20 (Williams) FIRST DOWN

TB45 1 - 10 Eckwood up middle no gain (Siemon)

TB45 2 - 10 Williams on a play action, throwing deep, complete at M17 to House, into the end zone for TOUCHDOWN - 5:32 - Yepragian attempts extra point - good
(5 plays, 80 yards, 2 mins. 17 secs.) FIRST DOWN

TAMPA BAY - 7

MINNESOTA - 0

Yepragian kicks, taken by Payton 2 yds. deep in end zone, returned to M27 29 (Hawkins)

MINNESOTA - 5:21

M27 1 - 10 Brown up middle 3 (Green)

M30 2 - 7 Dils complete at M30 over the middle to Brown 4 (Logan)

M34 3 - 3 Dils back to throw, complete at M38 to Brown, breaks a tackle 12 (Wash-
ington) FIRST DOWN

M46 1 - 10 Brown off RT 4 (Colzie)

50 2 - 6 Dils complete at TB48 to Young 7 (Johnson) FIRST DOWN

TB43 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete on the left flat at TB43 to Brown 1 (Holt)

TB42 2 - 9 Dils back to throw, complete at TB41 on the right flat to Brown 7 (Colzie)

TB35 3 - 2 Fumble by Dils, recovered his own fumble no gain (Johnson)

TB35 4 - 2 Coleman punts, out of bounds at TB7 (28-yard punt)

TAMPA BAY - :37

TB7 1 - 10 Wilder off LT 2 (McNeill)

TB9 2 - 8

END OF FIRST QUARTER

TAMPA BAY - 7

MINNESOTA - 0

3rd down conversions: Tampa Bay - 1 of 2; Minnesota - 2 of 5

SECOND QUARTER

TAMPA BAY

- TB9 2 - 8 Williams back to throw, going deep, intended for House at midfield, overthrown, incomplete
TB9 3 - 8 Williams from the shotgun, intended for Giles at TB20, broken up, incomplete
TB9 4 - 8 Blanchard punts, taken by Payton at TB48, returned to TB45 3 (Leonard)
(39-yard punt) PENALTY - Minnesota, illegal use of the hands, 10 yds.

MINNESOTA - 14:38

- M45 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, intended for Harrell, incomplete
M45 2 - 10 Dils back to throw, intended for Young on the left flat, broken up, incomplete
M45 3 - 10 Dils from the shotgun, complete to Young at M40, fumbles at TB47, fumbled out of bounds at TB44 8 (Kollar) **FIRST DOWN**
TB44 1 - 10 Young off RT 3 (Lewis)
TB41 2 - 7 Dils back to throw, complete to White 13 (Thomas) **FIRST DOWN**
TB28 1 - 10 Brown on a pitchback around RE, throws an option pass, intercepted at TB21 by Kolzie, returned to TB28 7 (Hamilton)

TAMPA BAY - 12:52

- TB28 1 - 10 Bell up middle 2 (Siemon)
TB30 2 - 8 Williams back to throw, intended for House, incomplete
TB30 3 - 8 Williams from the shotgun, throwing deep, intended for Giles at M45, incomplete
TB30 4 - 8 Blanchard punts, taken by Payton at M21, returned to M33 12 (Leonard)
(49-yard punt)

MINNESOTA - 11:50

- M33 1 - 10 Brown up middle 3 (Lewis)
M36 2 - 7 Dils back to throw, complete at M38 to White 3 (Lewis)
M39 3 - 4 Dils back to throw, complete over the middle to Rashad 15 (Thomas) **FIRST DOWN**
TB46 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete over the middle at TB45 to Senser 7 (Lewis)
TB39 2 - 3 Redwine up the middle, fumbles at TB39, recovered by Kollar at TB39 0

TAMPA BAY - 8:46

- TB39 1 - 10 Bell up middle 5 (J. White)
TB44 2 - 5 Williams complete at 50 to House 6 (Knoff) **FIRST DOWN**
50 1 - 10 Williams back to throw on a play action, complete over the middle at M42 to Bell 11 (Knoff) **FIRST DOWN**
M39 1 - 10 Eckwood on a pitchback around LE for TOUCHDOWN - 6:39 - PENALTY - Tampa Bay, illegal procedure, 5 yds.
M44 1 - 15 Bell on a pitchback around RE 2 (Studwell)
M42 2 - 13 Williams out of the shotgun, incomplete
M42 3 - 13 Williams from the shotgun, intended for House at M20, overthrown, incomplete
M42 4 - 13 Blanchard punts, out of bounds at M4 (38-yard punt)

MINNESOTA - 5:41

- M4 1 - 10 Brown on a pitchback around RE -2 (Thomas)
M2 2 - 12 Dils back to pass, intended for Redwine at M5, dropped, incomplete
M2 3 - 12 Brown up middle 5 (Kollar)
M7 4 - 7 Coleman punts, taken by T. Bell at TB48, returned to M44 8 (H. Johnson)
(45-yard punt)

TAMPA BAY - 4:01

- M44 1 - 10 Williams on a play action, intended for Eckwood at 50, incomplete
M44 2 - 10 Bell off LT, breaks a tackle at M48 -2 (Blair)
M46 3 - 12 Williams from the shotgun, complete at M40 to House 13 (Knoff) **FIRST DOWN**
M33 1 - 10 Bell on a pitchback around RE 6 (Studwell)
M27 2 - 4 (2 min. warning) Williams fumbles the snap, recovers his own fumble 1 (Blair)
M26 3 - 3 Wilder up middle, fumbles at M25, recovered by Bell at M29 -3 :51
M29 4 - 6 Yepremian attempts 47-yard field goal - no good, wide right :12

MINNESOTA - :12

- M30 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, throwing deep, broken up at TB35, incomplete :05
M30 2 - 10 Brown up middle 14 (Lewis) **FIRST DOWN**

END OF SECOND QUARTER

TAMPA BAY - 7
MINNESOTA - 0

THIRD QUARTER

Danmeier kicks, taken by Obradovich at TB18, returned to TB32 14 (D. Johnson)

TAMPA BAY - 14:54

TB32 1 - 10 Williams intended for Giles on the left flat at TB35, incomplete
TB32 2 - 10 Wilder off LT no gain (McNeill)
TB32 3 - 10 Williams from the shotgun, complete to Wilder -7 (Nord)
TB25 4 - 17 Blanchard punts, out of bounds at M34 (41-yard punt)

MINNESOTA - 13:17

M34 1 - 10 Brown on a pitchback around RE 9 (Thomas) PENALTY - Tampa Bay, personal foul, 15 yds. FIRST DOWN
TB42 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, intended for Rashad, ruled incomplete
TB42 2 - 10 Dils on a play action, complete over the middle at TB40 to Young 11 (Wood) FIRST DOWN
TB31 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete over the middle at TB31 to Brown 1 (Wood)
TB30 2 - 9 Dils back to throw, under heavy pressure, intended for Rashad, incomplete
TB30 3 - 9 Dils up middle 3 (L. Selmon)
TB27 4 - 6 Danmeier attempts 45-yard field goal - good - 10:41 (7 plays, 39 yards, 2 mins. 36 secs.)

TAMPA BAY - 7

MINNESOTA - 3

Danmeier kicks, taken by G. Davis at TB3, returned to TB21 18 (Sendlein)

TAMPA BAY - 10:32

TB21 1 - 10 Bell up middle 4 (Martin)
TB25 2 - 6 Williams back to throw, intended for Giles over the middle, incomplete PENALTY - Minnesota, holding, 5 yds. FIRST DOWN
TB30 1 - 10 Bell on a pitchback around RE 3 (Studwell)
TB33 2 - 7 Williams on a play action, intended for House at TB45, incomplete
TB33 3 - 7 Williams from the shotgun, going deep, intended for Giles at M33, incomplete
TB33 4 - 7 Blanchard punts, taken by Payton, fumbles at M25, recovered at M18 no return (Owen) (49-yard punt)

MINNESOTA - 8:45

M18 1 - 10 Brown up middle 5 (L. Selmon)
M23 2 - 5 Brown up middle 1 (Wood)
M24 3 - 4 Dils back to throw, complete to Brown over the middle at M27, breaks a tackle 9 (Lewis) FIRST DOWN
M33 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete on a screen at M25 to Young 1 (L. Selmon)
M34 2 - 9 Dils back to throw, complete on a swing pass at M30 to Brown 1 (Green)
M35 3 - 8 Dils back to throw, complete to LeCount 16 (Cesare) FIRST DOWN
TB49 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete at TB44 to Senser 11 (Johnson) FIRST DOWN
TB38 1 - 10 Dils complete to White at TB33 7 (Thomas)
TB31 2 - 3 Dils back to throw, intended for LeCount, overthrown, incomplete
TB31 3 - 3 Brown up middle 5 (Kollar) FIRST DOWN
TB26 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, sacked by L. Selmon -10 PENALTY - Minnesota, offsides, declined
TB36 2 - 20 Dils back to throw, complete to White 15 (Holt)
TB21 3 - 5 Brown breaks a tackle at TB23 7 (Holt) FIRST DOWN
TB14 1 - 10 Brown up middle 3 (Wood)
TB11 2 - 7 Dils back to throw, under a lot of pressure, laterals back to Brown at TB15, Brown up middle 5 (Johnson)
TB6 3 - 2 Brown off RT -1 (Colzie)
TB7 4 - 3 Danmeier attempts 25-yard field goal - good - :33 (17 plays, 75 yards, 8 mins. 12 secs.)

TAMPA BAY - 7

MINNESOTA - 6

Danmeier kicks, taken by G. Davis at TB4, fumbles the ball at TB28, recovered by Owens at TB24 20

TAMPA BAY - :20

TB24 1 - 10 Williams back to throw, complete on the left flat to Jones 6 (Teal)
TB30 2 - 4 Eckwood around RE 26 (Swain) FIRST DOWN
M44 1 - 10 Bell around RE 6 (Blair)
M38 2 - 4

END OF THIRD QUARTER

TAMPA BAY - 7

MINNESOTA - 6

3rd down conversions: Tampa Bay - 2 of 9; Minnesota - 8 of 14

FOURTH QUARTER

TAMPA BAY

M38 2 - 4 Eckwood up middle 7 (Mullaney) PENALTY - Minnesota, offsidess, declined
FIRST DOWN

M31 1 - 10 Bell off LT 3 (Teal)
FIRST DOWN

M28 2 - 7 Williams on a bootleg around RE 15
FIRST DOWN

M13 1 - 10 Bell up middle 3 (Mullaney)

M10 2 - 7 Williams back to throw, under pressure, steps up in the pocket, runs up the middle, breaks a tackle at M10, in for TOUCHDOWN - 13:17 - Yepremian attempts extra point - good (8 plays, 76 yards, 2 mins. 3 secs.) FIRST DOWN

TAMPA BAY - 14

MINNESOTA - 6

Yepremian kicks, taken by Payton at M3, returned to M21 18 (Nafziger)

MINNESOTA - 13:08

M21 1 - 10 Dils complete to Brown on the left flat 7 (Wood)

M28 2 - 3 Brown up middle 2 (Johnson)

M30 3 - 1 Brown on a pitchback around LE 2 (Washington) PENALTY - Minnesota, holding, 10 yds.

M20 3 - 11 Dils back to throw, complete to White at M39, fumbles, recovered by Thomas at M39 19

TAMPA BAY - 11:27

M39 1 - 10 Bell on a pitchback around LE no gain (Siemon) PENALTY - Minnesota, encroachment, 5 yds.

M34 1 - 5 Eckwood around RE (McNeill) PENALTY - Tampa Bay, holding, 10 yds.

M44 1 - 15 Wilder on a pitchback around LE 3 (Studwell)

M41 2 - 12 Williams from the shotgun, intended for Giles over the middle at M25, incomplete
PENALTY - Tampa Bay, holding, 10 yds.

TB49 2 - 22 Bell on a handoff from Williams out of the shotgun off RT 3 (Nord)

M48 3 - 19 Williams from the shotgun, intended for Jones at M30, broken up, incomplete

M48 4 - 19 Blanchard punts, bounces into end zone for touchback (48-yard punt)

MINNESOTA - 9:31

M20 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete at M26 to Brown 13 (Johnson) FIRST DOWN

M33 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, intended for McDole, overthrown, incomplete

M33 2 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete to White 14 FIRST DOWN

M47 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, under heavy pressure, sacked -8 (L. Selmon)

M39 2 - 18 Dils back to throw, complete at M41 to Brown 2 (Holt) PENALTY - Tampa Bay, encroachment, 5 yds.

M44 2 - 13 Brown up middle 5 (Lewis)

M49 3 - 8 Dils back to throw, intended for McDole at TB35, dropped, incomplete

M49 4 - 8 Coleman punts, into end zone for touchback (51-yard punt)

TAMPA BAY - 7:14

TB20 1 - 10 Eckwood around RE 1 (Studwell)

TB21 2 - 9 Wilder up middle 4 (Studwell)

TB25 3 - 5 Williams from the shotgun, complete at TB22 to Wilder 4 (Hannon)

TB29 4 - 1 Blanchard punts, taken by Payton at M14, returned to M28 14 (Nafziger)
(57-yard punt)

MINNESOTA - 5:08

M28 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, under heavy pressure, complete at M28 to Brown 5

M33 2 - 5 Dils back to throw, complete to LeCount at TB48 22 (Washington) FIRST DOWN

TB45 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, intended for Brown at TB40, incomplete

TB45 2 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete at TB38 to Senser 20 (Johnson) FIRST DOWN

TB25 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, intended for White at TB10, overthrown, incomplete

TB25 2 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete over the middle at TB22 to Brown 7 (Holt)

TB18 3 - 3 Dils back to throw, knocked down at the line by Kollar, incomplete

TB18 4 - 3 Dils on a quarterback keeper up middle 4 (Johnson) FIRST DOWN

TB14 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, batted down at the line, incomplete

TB14 2 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete to White 10 (Holt) FIRST DOWN

TB4 1 - goal Dils back to throw, intended for Brown, incomplete

TB4 2 - goal Dils back to throw, knocked down at the line, incomplete

TB4 3 - goal Dils back to throw, intended for Young, incomplete

TB4 4 - goal Dils back to throw, complete to Senser in the end zone for TOUCHDOWN - 2:29 - Danmeier attempts extra point - good (14 plays, 72 yards, 2 mins. 39 secs.) FIRST DOWN

TAMPA BAY - 14

MINNESOTA - 13

Danmeier kicks, taken by Brantley at TB35 no return (H. Johnson)

TAMPA BAY - 2:23

TB35 1 - 10 PENALTY - Tampa Bay, false start, 5 yds.

FOURTH QUARTER (continued)

TAMPA BAY

TB30 1 - 15 Eckwood off RT -1 (McNeill) PENALTY - Tampa Bay, illegal motion, declined
 TB29 2 - 16 Williams back to throw, going deep, intended for House at M25, overthrown, incomplete
 TB29 3 - 16 Wilder on a pitchback around LE, slips 3 (McNeill)
 TB32 4 - 13 (2 min. warning) Blanchard punts, taken by Payton at M10, returned to M28 18 (Johnson) (58-yard punt) 1:48

MINNESOTA - 1:48

M28 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, ~~complete to Rashad~~, ruled incomplete 1:38
 M28 2 - 10 Dils back to throw, knocked down at the line, incomplete 1:34
 M28 3 - 10 Dils back to throw, incomplete 1:30
 M28 4 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete to White 11 1:24
 M39 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete over the middle at M41 to Brown 10 (Colzie) (Washington hurt on the play) FIRST DOWN 1:11
 M49 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, knocked down by Logan at the line, incomplete 1:06
 M49 2 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete to Senser at TB40 18 (Green) FIRST DOWN :55
 TB33 1 - 10 Dils on a keeper up the middle 7 (Logan) :38
 TB26 2 - 4 Dils back to throw, out of bounds, incomplete :35
 TB26 3 - 4 Dils back to throw, intercepted at TB18 by Colzie, returned for TOUCHDOWN - :21 - Yepremian attempts extra point - good :21

TAMPA BAY - 21

MINNESOTA - 13

Yepremian kicks, taken by Payton at M5, returned to M28 23 (Hawkins) :16

MINNESOTA - :16

M28 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete at M42 to Rashad 15 (Thomas) FIRST DOWN, :09
 M43 1 - 10 Dils back to throw, complete at 50 over the middle to Harrell 17 (Green) FIRST DOWN

END OF GAME

TAMPA BAY - 21

MINNESOTA - 13

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Unofficial)

Visitor Minnesota Vikings	Tackles	Assists	Sacks	Yards Lost	Interceptions	Passes Defensed	Fumbles Recovered	Blocked Punt FG and PAT	Home Tampa Bay Buccaneers	Tackles	Assists	Sacks	Yards Lost	Interceptions	Passes Defensed	Fumbles Recovered	Blocked Punt FG and PAT
25 Kurt Knott	3								20 N. Colzie	6				2			
27 J. Turner									21 J. Holt	5	1						
29 J. Swain	1								34 C. Brown								
37 W. Teal	3								40 M. Washington	3					1		
44 W. Williams	1								41 N. Thomas	5	1				1	1	
45 T. Hannon	1					1			44 B. Cesare								
49 K. Nord	2								45 A. Mitchell								
50 J. Siemon	1	1				1			51 D. Natziger	6							
52 D. Johnson	1								52 S. Brantley								
53 H. Johnson	1								53 H. Green	3	3						
54 E. McNeill	5	1							54 R. Wood	8	2						
55 S. Studwell	8	1							56 C. Johnson	8	2						
57 R. Sendlein	1								57 D. Lewis	10	1				1		
59 M. Blair	3					1			59 A. Hawkins	2							
72 J. White	3								63 L.R. Selmon	5	1	2	18		1		
75 R. Holloway									65 D. Stalls								
77 M. Mallaney	2								70 S. Hutchinson								
79 D. Martin	1								76 D. Logan	6					3		
91 R. Yakovonis									77 B. Kollar	3					1	1	
61 W. Hamilton	1								90 B. White								
									26 J. Owens	1						1	
									86 J. Obradovich	1							
									62 J. Leonard	2							
									42 R. Bell							1	

Forced Fumbles

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63 L. R. Selmon
40 M. Washington

TAMPA BAY vs. MINNESOTA
September 5, 1981

BUC COACH JOHN MCKAY: "Artistic it wasn't, a triumph it was. That's easily translated Bucs look bad in opener."

"We can play better defense than we played tonight and I think we will."

"We didn't think that (dumping off to the backs) would beat us. Hugh Green tipped the ball and the guy still scored a touchdown."

"Lee Roy, Logan and Kollar are a good threesome, they come after you hard and Dave Stalls did a good job. All in all we played a pretty good defensive game and Colzie got us out of the fire."

"They called Snell for being in the backfield, we don't do that very often. I think we can run the ball better but we have to get Charley Hannah and Dave REavis back." We miss them in the game and in practice, we only have six guys."

MINNESOTA BUD GRANT: " They made the plays we didn't. They made the plays that won the game.

(Dils) - He did a fine job, didn't he.

passing when it was intercepted) - "We had a timeout left and we wanted to save it for the field goal.

(the Bucs) - They're the same team that we've seen before. We did see a rule change out there on the one pass to Rashad they called it incomplete and on the one to Sammy White they called it a fumble."

(Williams) - "He's a big leaguer."

Minnesota injuries - Bumps and bruises.

TERRY LECOUNT: (the last drive) - "We felt we were going to do it. Ever since the Cleveland game (last year, Hail Mary to Rashad on last play) we feel we can do it.

STEVE DILS: (the interception) - "He was open it was just a bad pass. I saw Colzie but I thought I could get it in."

We had a lot of chances but the mistakes killed us.

NOTES: STEVE DILS performance ranks with the best in NFL history in terms of completions and pass attempts. His 37 completions ties him for third in NFL history but it is not a Viking record. The two players to out-complete him are Richard Todd of the Jets and Tommy Kramer, his teammate both last year. Todd has 42 completions and Kramer had 38 against Cleveland on 12/14/80.

In terms of pass attempts, Dils 62 attempts ties him for second in NFL history with Joe Namath. George Blanda through 68 for the record (and Blanda completed 37 to tie him with Dils tonight.

Neal Colzie's 82-yard interception return was the longest touchdown play and longest interception in Buc history. The previous longest touchdown play was Cedric Brown's 80-yard fumble return vs. Houston last year.

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

	<u>Tackles</u>	<u>Sacks</u>	<u>Other Tack.</u> <u>For Loss</u>	<u>Int.</u>	<u>Passes</u> <u>Defen.</u>	<u>QB</u> <u>Pressure</u>	<u>Fumbles</u> <u>Caused-Recovered</u>
Lewis	11				1	2	
Wood	10						
C. Johnson	9		1				
L. R. Selmon	7	1½			1	6	1-0
Holt	7						
Green	6					1	1-0
Thomas	6		1		1		0-1
Colzie	6			2-89*		1	
Logan	5	½			3	2	
Kollar	3				1	3	0-1
Washington	3				1		1-0
Cesare	1						
Stalls	0					3	
TOTALS	<u>74</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2-89</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>3-2</u>

*Colzie scored defensive touchdown on 82-yard interception return vs. Minnesota, 9/5/81.

SPECIAL TEAMS TACKLES (not included in defensive statistics): Nafziger 6, Hawkins 2, Leonard 2, T. Davis 1, Obradovich 1, Hutchinson 1, Cesare 1, C. Johnson 1.

TENTATIVE DEPTH CHART

Offense

WR 84 Gordon Jones, 83 Theo Bell
 LT 74 Gene Sanders, 72 Ray Snell, 75 Dave Reavis
 LG 72 Ray Snell, 68 George Yarno
 C 50 Steve Wilson, 62 Jim Leonard
 RG 61 Greg Roberts, 68 George Yarno, 62 Jim Leonard
 RT 73 Charley Hannah, 74 Gene Sanders
 TE 88 Jimmie Giles, 86 Jim Obradovich
 WR 89 Kevin House, 87 Gerald Carter
 QB 12 Doug Williams, 14 Chuck Fusina, 10 Mike Ford
 FB 32 James Wilder, 27 Tony Davis, 28 Gary Davis
 TB 42 Ricky Bell, 43 Jerry Eckwood, 26 James Owens

Defense

LE 77 Bill Kollar, 65 Dave Stalls
 NT 76 David Logan, 90 Brad White
 RE 63 Lee Roy Selmon, 65 Dave Stalls, 70 Scott Hutchinson
 LOLB 57 David Lewis, 59 Andy Hawkins
 LILB 56 Cecil Johnson, 52 Scot Brantley
 RILB 54 Richard Wood, 52 Scot Brantley
 ROLB 53 Hugh Green, 51 Dana Nafziger
 LC 41 Norris Thomas, 44 Billy Cesare
 RC 21 John Holt, 40 Mike Washington
 SS 20 Neal Colzie, 45 Aaron Mitchell, 34 Cedric Brown
 FS 40 Mike Washington, 34 Cedric Brown, 44 Billy Cesare

Specialists

P 16 Tom Blanchard
 PK 1 Garo Yepremian
 KO 1 Garo Yepremian
 H 16 Tom Blanchard, 14 Chuck Fusina
 PC 62 Jim Leonard, 51 Dana Nafziger
 KC 50 Steve Wilson, 68 George Yarno
 PR 83 Theo Bell, 21 John Holt
 KR 28 Gary Davis, 26 James Owens