

GAME SUMMARY



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DATE 18 September 1983 DAY OF WEEK Sunday STARTING TIME 4:03 p.m.

VISITOR Minnesota Vikings VS. HOME Tampa Bay Buccaneers AT Tampa Stadium

WEATHER Cloudy 50% chance rain TEMPERATURE 86 WIND AND DIRECTION East @ 7 mph

OFFICIALS REFEREE Dick Jorgensen (60) UMPIRE Neil Gereb (50) LINE JUDGE Dick McKenzie (41)

LINESMAN Bob McLaughlin BACK JUDGE Jim Kearney FIELD JUDGE Dick Dolack SIDE JUDGE Dave Hawk (66)

VISITOR

LINEUPS

HOME

OFFENSE

DEFENSE

OFFENSE

DEFENSE

WR 80 Terry LeCount LE 79 Doug Martin
 LT 78 Steve Riley NT 65 Charlie Johnson
 LG 51 Jim Hough RE 77 Mark Mullaney
 C 67 Dennis Swilley LOLB 59 Matt Blair
 RG 61 Wes Hamilton LILB 55 Scott Studwell
 RT 76 Tim Irwin RILB 52 Dennis Johnson
 TE 82 Bob Bruer ROLB 54 Fred McNeill
 WR 85 Sammy White LCB 29 John Swain
 QB 9 Tommy Kramer RCB 37 Willie Teal
 RB 23 Ted Brown LS 45 Tommy Hannon
 RB 34 Ricky Young RS 27 John Turner

WR 87 Gerald Carter LE 78 John Cannon
 LT 75 Dave Reavis NT 76 David Logan
 LG 68 George Yarno RE 63 Lee Roy Selmon
 C 50 Steve Wilson LOLB 59 Andy Hawkins
 RG 62 Sean Farrell LILB 58 Jeff Davis
 RT 70 Kelly Thomas RILB 52 Scot Brantley
 TE 88 Jimmie Giles ROLB 53 Hugh Green
 WR 89 Kevin House LCB 21 John Holt
 QB 14 Jack Thompson RCB 40 Mike Washington
 FB 32 James Wilder SS 20 Neal Colzie
 TB 26 James Owens FS 34 Cedric Brown

SUBSTITUTIONS

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1-B. Ricardo, 8-G. Coleman,
 12-S. Dils, 21-R. Bess, 22-J. Redwine,
 32-T. Galbreath, 33-R. Bell, 20- D. Nelson
 39-C. Lee, 47-J. Browner, 49-K. Nord,
 53-H. Johnson, 56-D. Huffman, 57-R. Sendlein,
 58-W.L. Ashley, 62-B. Boyd, 66-T. Tausch,
 68-C. Rouse, 72-J. White, 73-N. Elshire,
 75-R. Holloway, 83-S. Jordan, 86-M. Mularkey,
 87-L. Lewis, 88-M. McDole, 89-M. Jones

1-M. Morton, 3-B. Capece, 5-F. Garcia, 8-B. Hewko,
 22-J.R. Smith, 23-J. Castille,
 24-T. Morris, 28-M. Carver, 43-T. Middleton,
 44-D. O'Steen, 60-R. Grimes, 54-R. Wood,
 55-D. Spradlin, 56-C. Johnson, 57-J. Leonard,
 65-D. Stalls, 66-B. Reese,
 69-H. Arbubakrr,
 74-G. Sanders, 81-A. Tyler, 82-J. Bell, 83-T. Bell
 85-M. Witte, 86-J. Obradovich, 90-B. White

DID NOT PLAY

11-W. Wilson

11-J. Golsteyn, 72-R. Snell

FIELD GOALS (Made & Missed)

Ricardo: 29, 37, 38, 42

Capece: 47 wl, 33 wl.

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | OT | TOTAL |
|--------------------------------|---|---|---|---|----|-------|
| (Visitor) MINNESOTA VIKINGS | 7 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 19 |
| (Home) TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS | 0 | 6 | 3 | 7 | 0 | 16 |

| TEAM | PERIOD | ELAPSED TIME | SCORING PLAY | SCORE | |
|------|--------|--------------|---|---------|------|
| | | | | VISITOR | HOME |
| MN | 1 | 7:10 | LeCount 8 pass from Kramer (Ricardo kick) 11p, 64yd, 6:36 | 7 | 0 |
| MN | 2 | 13:49 | FG Ricardo 29 | 10 | 0 |
| TB | 2 | 5:07 | Owens 1 run (snap fumbled) | 10 | 6 |
| MN | 2 | 0:52 | FG Ricardo 37 | 13 | 6 |
| TB | 3 | 9:33 | FG Capece 40 | 13 | 9 |
| TB | 4 | 8:29 | Wilder 5 pass from Thompson (Capece kick) 13p, 80yd, 6:35 | 13 | 16 |
| MN | 4 | 0:24 | FG Ricardo 38 | 16 | 16 |
| MN | OT | 5:33 | FG Ricardo 42 | 19 | 16 |
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ATTENDANCE: TICKETS DISTRIBUTED 63,646 ; ACTUAL 57,567 ; NO SHOWS 6,079 ; TIME 3:31

DATE SEPT. 18, 1983

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

AT TAMPA

VISITOR MINNESOTA

HOME TAMPA BAY

| RUSHING | | ATT. | NET YARDS | AVG. | LONG GAIN | TD | | | |
|-----------------|--|------|-----------|-------|-----------|-----------|------|----------|----------|
| BROWN | | 21 | 61 | 2.9 | 11 | 0 | | | |
| NELSON | | 8 | 15 | 1.9 | 9 | 0 | | | |
| KRAMER | | 1 | 8 | 8.0 | 8 | 0 | | | |
| DILS | | 2 | 4 | 2.0 | 2 | 0 | | | |
| GALBREATH | | 1 | 2 | 2.0 | 2 | 0 | | | |
| TOTALS | | 33 | 90 | 2.7 | 11 | 0 | | | |
| PASSING | | ATT. | COMP. | YARDS | TKD YDS. | TD | LG. | Had Int. | |
| DILS | | 33 | 16 | 205 | 3 -19 | 0 | 48 | 0 | |
| KRAMER | | 8 | 8 | 78 | - | 1 | 19 | 0 | |
| LECOUNT | | 1 | 0 | | | | | | |
| TOTALS | | 42 | 24 | 283 | 3 -19 | 1 | 48 | 0 | |
| PASS RECEIVING | | NO. | YARDS | LG. | TD | | | | |
| LECOUNT | | 6 | 92 | 31 | 1 | | | | |
| BROWN | | 7 | 58 | 25 | 0 | | | | |
| YOUNG | | 6 | 94 | 48 | 0 | | | | |
| BRUER | | 2 | 30 | 17 | 0 | | | | |
| WHITE | | 1 | 7 | 7 | 0 | | | | |
| NELSON | | 1 | 5 | 5 | 0 | | | | |
| GALBREATH | | 1 | -3 | -3 | 0 | | | | |
| TOTALS | | 24 | 283 | 48 | 1 | | | | |
| INTERCEPTIONS | | NO. | YARDS | LG. | TD | | | | |
| TURNER | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| SWAIN | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| TOTALS | | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| PUNTING | | NO. | YDS. | AVG. | TB | IN 20 | LG. | | |
| COLEMAN | | 8 | 313 | 39.1 | 2 | 0 | 65 | | |
| TOTALS | | 8 | 313 | 39.1 | 2 | 0 | 65 | | |
| PUNT RETURNS | | NO. | FC | YARDS | LG. | TD | | | |
| BESS | | 2 | 0 | 16 | 9 | 0 | | | |
| TOTALS | | 2 | 0 | 16 | 9 | 0 | | | |
| KICKOFF RETURNS | | NO. | YARDS | LG. | TD | | | | |
| REDWINE | | 2 | 49 | 30 | 0 | | | | |
| NELSON | | 2 | 32 | 18 | 0 | | | | |
| TOTALS | | 4 | 81 | 30 | 0 | | | | |
| FUMBLES | | FUM. | OWN REC. | YDS. | TD | OPP. REC. | YDS. | TD | OUT BDS. |
| BROWN | | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| TOTALS | | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | | | | |

| RUSHING | | ATT. | NET YARDS | AVG. | LONG GAIN | TD | | | |
|-----------------|--|------|-----------|-------|-----------|-----------|------|----------|----------|
| OWENS | | 22 | 55 | 2.5 | 15 | 1 | | | |
| WILDER | | 16 | 45 | 2.8 | 9 | 0 | | | |
| THOMPSON | | 2 | 12 | 6.0 | 7 | 0 | | | |
| MORTON | | 2 | 2 | 1.0 | 2 | 0 | | | |
| TOTALS | | 42 | 114 | 2.7 | 15 | 1 | | | |
| PASSING | | ATT. | COMP. | YARDS | TKD YDS. | TD | LG. | Had Int. | |
| THOMPSON | | 30 | 17 | 192 | - | 1 | 41 | 2 | |
| TOTALS | | 30 | 17 | 192 | - | 1 | 41 | 2 | |
| PASS RECEIVING | | NO. | YARDS | LG. | TD | | | | |
| CARTER | | 5 | 85 | 41 | 0 | | | | |
| WILDER | | 4 | 35 | 15 | 1 | | | | |
| T. BELL | | 3 | 33 | 12 | 0 | | | | |
| OWENS | | 2 | 9 | 7 | 0 | | | | |
| HOUSE | | 1 | 12 | 12 | 0 | | | | |
| TYLER | | 1 | 9 | 9 | 0 | | | | |
| OBRADOVICH | | 1 | 9 | 9 | 0 | | | | |
| TOTALS | | 17 | 192 | 41 | 1 | | | | |
| INTERCEPTIONS | | NO. | YARDS | LG. | TD | | | | |
| TOTALS | | | | | | | | | |
| PUNTING | | NO. | YDS. | AVG. | TB | IN 20 | LG. | | |
| GARCIA | | 4 | 167 | 41.8 | 1 | 0 | 52 | | |
| TOTALS | | 4 | 167 | 41.8 | 1 | 0 | 52 | | |
| PUNT RETURNS | | NO. | FC | YARDS | LG. | TD | | | |
| TYLER | | 2 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 0 | | | |
| T. BELL | | 1 | 0 | 8 | 8 | 0 | | | |
| TOTALS | | 3 | 0 | 13 | 8 | 0 | | | |
| KICKOFF RETURNS | | NO. | YARDS | LG. | TD | | | | |
| MORTON | | 3 | 74 | 28 | 0 | | | | |
| OWENS | | 1 | 22 | 22 | 0 | | | | |
| CARVER | | 1 | 11 | 11 | 0 | | | | |
| TOTALS | | 5 | 107 | 28 | 0 | | | | |
| FUMBLES | | FUM. | OWN REC. | YDS. | TD | OPP. REC. | YDS. | TD | OUT BDS. |
| TOTALS | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | |

MINNESOTA
(Visitor)

VS.

TAMPA BAY
(Home)

Date SEPTEMBER 18, 1983

At: TAMPA STADIUM

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

| | VISITOR | HOME |
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| TOTAL FIRST DOWNS | 18 | 20 |
| BY RUSHING | 4 | 10 |
| BY PASSING | 13 | 10 |
| BY PENALTY | 1 | 0 |
| THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY | 6-20-30% | 4-14-29% |
| FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY | 2-2-100% | 3-3-100% |
| TOTAL NET YARDS | 354 | 306 |
| TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS (Inc. times thrown passing) | 77 | 72 |
| AVERAGE GAIN PER OFFENSIVE PLAY | 4.60 | 4.25 |
| NET YARDS RUSHING | 90 | 114 |
| TOTAL RUSHING PLAYS | 33 | 42 |
| AVERAGE GAIN PER RUSHING PLAY | 2.73 | 2.71 |
| NET YARDS PASSING | 264 | 192 |
| TIMES THROWN—YARDS LOST ATTEMPTING TO PASS | 3-19 | 0-0 |
| GROSS YARDS PASSING | 283 | 192 |
| PASS ATTEMPTS—COMPLETIONS—HAD INTERCEPTED | 41-24-0 | 30-17-2 |
| AVERAGE GAIN PER PASS PLAY (Inc. times thrown passing) | 6.00 | 6.40 |
| PUNTS—NUMBER AND AVERAGE | 8 - 39.1 | 4 - 41.8 |
| HAD BLOCKED | 0 | 0 |
| TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE | 97 | 120 |
| NO. AND YARDS PUNT RETURNS | 2 - 16 | 3 - 13 |
| NO. AND YARDS KICKOFF RETURNS | 4 - 81 | 5 - 107 |
| NO. AND YARDS INTERCEPTION RETURNS | 2 - 0 | 0 - 0 |
| PENALTIES—NUMBER AND YARDS | 6 - 45 | 4 - 25 |
| FUMBLES—NUMBER AND LOST | 1 - 0 | 0 - 0 |
| TOUCHDOWNS | 1 | 2 |
| RUSHING | 0 | 1 |
| PASSING | 1 | 1 |
| RETURNS | 0 | 0 |
| EXTRA POINTS MADE—ATTEMPTS | 1-1 | 1-2 |
| FIELD GOALS MADE—ATTEMPTS | 4-4 | 0-2 |
| TIME OF POSSESSION | 35:00 | 34:27 |

TB wins the toss and will receive, MN will defend the SOUTH goal

FIRST QUARTER

Ricardo kicks to TB 9, Morton returns 20 to TB 29 (Sendlein)

TAMPA BAY: 15:00

- 1-10 TB 29 Thompson back, inc left side to Owens
- 2-10 TB 29 Owens up middle (Hannon) for 3
- 3-7 TB 32 Thompson back, inc nearly sacked
- 4-7 TB 32 Garcia punts 39 to MN 29, Bess returns 7 to MN 36 (Obradovich)

MINNESOTA: 13:46

- 1-10 MN 36 Brown sweeps r for 11 (Brown) FIRST DOWN
- 1-10 MN 47 Brown up middle on inside draw for loss of 1 (Cannon)
- 2-11 MN 46 Kramer back, comp to LeCount in r flat for 9 (Holt)
- 3-2 TB 45 Kramer comp to Brown over middle, recovers own fumble, for 8 (Brantley) FIRST DOWN

- 1-10 TB 37 Brown sweeps r chased out of bounds by (Hawkins) for 3
- 2-7 TB 34 Kramer on play action pass comp to Brown left flat for 1 (Logan)
- 3-6 TB 33 Kramer comp over middle to White for 7 (Colzie) FIRST DOWN

1-10 TB 26 Brown over r tackle, breaks outside for 11 (Brown) FIRST DOWN

1-10 TB 15 Brown over left tackle for 7 (Green)

2-3 TB 8 Nelson on draw up middle for 0 (Logan)

3-3 TB 8 Kramer pass comp to Le Count for 8 TOUCHDOWN TIME:7:10 (11p, 64yd, 6:36)

Ricardo kick good MINNESOTA 7, TAMPA BAY 0

Ricardo kicks to TB 5, Owens returns 22 to TB 27 (Bess)

TAMPA BAY: 7:10

- 1-10 TB 27 Thompson comp to Owens in r flat for 2 (Studwell)
- 2-8 TB 29 Owens up middle for 3 (Blair)
- 3-5 TB 32 Thompson comp to Carter for 15 (D. Johnson) FIRST DOWN
- 1-10 TB 47 Owens on sweep r caught for loss of 1 (Studwell)
- 2-11 TB 46 Thompson pass intercepted by Turner in middle, at MN 36, 0 return (T. Bell)

MINNESOTA: 4:30

- 1-10 MN 36 Brown up middle for 2 (Cannon)
- 2-8 MN 38 Brown off r tackle for 2 (Logan)
- 3-6 MN 40 Kramer in shotgun comp to Brown for 9 (Holt) FIRST DOWN
- 1-10 MN 49 Nelson tries sweep r, caught for loss of 8 (Cannon)
- 2-18 MN 41 Brown on draw up middle for 3 (Holt)
- 3-15 MN 44 Kramer in shotgun, comp to LeCount on r sideline for 19 (Castille) FIRST DOWN
- 1-10 TB 37 Kramer play action, comp to Bruer over middle for 17 (Brown) FIRST DOWN
- 1-10 TB 20 Kramer on naked bootleg left, run out of bounds for 8 (Washington)
- 2-2 TB 12 Brown over r tackle for 5 (Brantley) FIRST DOWN

MINNESOTA 7, TAMPA BAY 0

FIRST DOWNS: MN 9 TB 1 TIME OF POSSESSION: MN 11:06 TB 3:54 3rd. DOWN CONVERSIONS: MN 5 OF 5 TB 1 OF 2

SECOND QUARTER

MINNESOTA: (Continued)

- 1-G TB 7 Brown up middle for 5 (Logan)
 2-G TB 2 Dils overthrows for Young
 3-G TB 2 Dils sacked by (Hawkins) for loss of 8
 4-G TB 10 Ricardo 28 field goal good TIME:13:49 (13 p., 54yds, 5:41)

MINNESOTA 10, TAMPA BAY 0

Ricardo kicks to TB 21 out of bounds PENALTY MN 5 illegal procedure
 Ricardo kicks to TB 21, Carver returns 11 to TB 32 (LeCount)

TAMPA BAY: 13:49

- 1-10 TB 32 Owens up the middle for 8 (Blair)
 2-2 TB 40 Wilder up middle for 3 (Mullaney) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 TB 43 Wilder sweep left for 3 (Ashley)
 2-7 TB 46 Thompson back intended for House, almost intercepted by Swain in r deep
 3-7 TB 46 Thompson back rolls r comp to Wilder for 3 (Blair)
 4-7 TB 49 Garcia punts to MN endzone for 51 PENALTY TB ineligible man downfield, declined

MINNESOTA: 10:45

- 1-10 MN 20 Nelson on trap over left tackle for 4 (Logan)
 2-6 MN 24 Dils back, batted down by (Selmon)
 3-6 MN 24 Dils back, pressured by (Brantley & Green) inc in left flat
 4-6 MN 24 Coleman punts 17 to MN 41, downed by MN

TAMPA BAY: 9:48

- 1-10 MN 41 Owens up middle for 1 (Mullaney)
 2-9 MN 40 Thompson back, comp to T. Bell for 12 (Teal) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 MN 28 Wilder on pitch out right for 3 (Studwell)
 2-7 MN 25 Wilder off r tackle for 2 (Blair)
 3-5 MN 23 Thompson comp to Carter over middle for 7 (TURNER) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 MN 16 Thompson rolls r and comp to Wilder for 15 (Swain) FIRST DOWN
 1-G MN 1 Owens leaps over left tackle for 1 TOUCHDOWN TIME:5:27 (7p, 41yds, 4:21)
Capece no kick, fumbled snap by Hewko MINNESOTA 10, TAMPA BAY 6

Capece kicks to MN endzone, touchback

MINNESOTA: 5:27

- 1-10 MN 20 Brown quick pitch around r end for 2 (Davis)
 2-8 MN 22 Dils back, comp to Young for 5 in r flat (Brantley)
 3-3 MN 27 Dils sacked by (Brantley) loss of PENALTY MN false start dead ball foul 5
 3-8 MN 22 Dils back, pressure from Logan and Selmon, pass overthrown deep r side
 4-8 MN 22 Coleman punts 45 to TB 33, Tyler returns 5 to TB 38 (Browner)

TAMPA BAY: 3:40

- 1-10 TB 38 Thompson back, pass comp r sideline for Carter for 14 (Swain) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 MN 48 Owens quick pitch around r end for 15 (Hannon) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 MN 33 Owens over left guard for 3 (D. Johnson)
 2-7 MN 30 Owens over left tackle for 1 (Studwell)
 3-6 MN 29 Thompson back, scrambles, pass inc r flat for Wilder
 4-6 MN 29 Capece FG no good, wide left from 47 yds out

MINNESOTA: 2:00

- 1-10 MN 29 (2:00) Brown hit in backfield loss of 1 (Logan) PENALTY TB facemask 5
 1-6 MN 33 (1:45) Dils back, comp to Young left side for 19 (Brantley) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 TB 48 (1:35) Dils back, comp to Brown on r sideline for 25 (Holt) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 TB 23 (1:28) Brown sweeps r for 4 (Hawkins)
 TIME OUT MN 2-6 TB 19 (1:04) Dils back, pass batted down by (Logan)
 3-6 TB 19 (1:00) Dils pass inc in r flat for LeCount
 4-6 TB 19 (0:56) Ricardo 37 FG good TIME: 0:52 (7p, 52yds, 1:08)

MINNESOTA 13, TAMPA BAY 6

Ricardo kicks to TB 13, Morton returns 26 to TB 39 (Lee)

TAMPA BAY: 0:52

- 1-10 TB 39 (0:45) Thompson back, screen left almost intercepted by Martin
 2-10 TB 39 (0:40) Wilder on draw up middle for 1 (Holloway)
 T.O.-TB 3-9 TB 40 (0:31) Thompson comp over middle to Carter for 8 (Browner)
 4-1 TB 48 (0:07) Thompson comp to Tyler for 9, ran out of bounds FIRST DOWN

MINNESOTA 13, TAMPA BAY 6

FIRST HALF SUMMARY

MINNESOTA VISITOR VS. TAMPA BAY HOME SEPTEMBER 18, 1983 DATE TAMPA STADIUM SITE

PERIOD SCORES TIME OF POSSESSION
 VISITOR 7 - 6 = 13 VISITOR 16:08
 HOME 0 - 6 = 6 HOME 13:52

| TEAM | PERIOD | ELAPSED TIME | SCORING PLAY | SCORE | |
|-------|--------|--------------|---|---------|------|
| | | | | VISITOR | HOME |
| MINN. | 1 | 7:50 | LECOUNT 8 PASS (RICARDO KICK) | 7 | 0 |
| MINN. | 2 | 1:11 | RICARDO 28 FIELD GOAL | 10 | 0 |
| T. B. | 2 | 9:33 | OWENS 1 RUN (MISHANDLED SNAP ON P.A.T.) | 10 | 6 |
| MINN. | 2 | 14:08 | RICARDO 37 FIELD GOAL | 13 | 6 |
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| | VISITOR | MINN. | HOME | T. B. |
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| TOTAL FIRST DOWNS | | <u>11</u> | | <u>9</u> |
| First Downs Rushing-Passing-by Penalty | | <u>3 - 8 - 0</u> | | <u>3 - 6 - 0</u> |
| THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY | | <u>5 - 9 - 56%</u> | | <u>2 - 6 - 33%</u> |
| TOTAL NET YARDS | | <u>176</u> | | <u>131</u> |
| Total No. Offensive Plays (Include times thrown passing) | | <u>35</u> | | <u>29</u> |
| NET YARDS RUSHING | | <u>57</u> | | <u>46</u> |
| NET YARDS PASSING | | <u>119</u> | | <u>85</u> |
| Gross Yards Gained Passing | | <u>127</u> | | <u>85</u> |
| Times Thrown—Yards Lost Attempting to Pass | | <u>1 - - 8</u> | | <u>0 - 0</u> |
| PASS ATTEMPTS—COMPLETIONS—HAD INTERCEPTED | | <u>17 - 11 - 0</u> | | <u>15 - 9 - 1</u> |
| PUNTS—Number and Average | | <u>2 - 31.0</u> | | <u>2 - 45.0</u> |
| PENALTIES—Number and Yards | | <u>2 - 10</u> | | <u>1 - 5</u> |
| FUMBLES—Number and Lost | | <u>1 - 0</u> | | <u>1 - 0</u> |

VISITORS MINNESOTA

| RUSHING | | | | | | ATT. | NET YARDS | AVG. | LONG GAIN | TD |
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| BROWN | | | | | | 13 | 53 | 4.1 | 11 | 0 |
| NELSON | | | | | | 3 | -4 | -1.3 | 4 | 0 |
| KRAMER | | | | | | 1 | 8 | 8.0 | 8 | 0 |
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| PASSING | | ATT. | COMP. | YARDS | TKD YDS. | TD | LG. | Had Int. | | |
| KRAMER | | 8 | 8 | 78 | 0 | 1 | 19 | 0 | | |
| DILS | | 9 | 3 | 49 | 1 | 0 | 25 | 0 | | |
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| PASS RECEIVING | | | | NO. | YARDS | LG. | TD | | | |
| LECOUNT | | | | 3 | 36 | 19 | 1 | | | |
| BROWN | | | | 4 | 43 | 25 | 0 | | | |
| BRUER | | | | 1 | 17 | 17 | 0 | | | |
| WHITE | | | | 1 | 7 | 7 | 0 | | | |
| YOUNG | | | | 2 | 24 | 19 | 0 | | | |
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HOME TAMPA BAY

| RUSHING | | | | | | ATT. | NET YARDS | AVG. | LONG GAIN | TD |
|----------------|--|------|-------|-------|----------|------|-----------|----------|-----------|----|
| OWENS | | | | | | 9 | 34 | 3.8 | 15 | 1 |
| WILDER | | | | | | 5 | 12 | 2.4 | 3 | 0 |
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| PASSING | | ATT. | COMP. | YARDS | TKD YDS. | TD | LG. | Had Int. | | |
| THOMPSON | | 15 | 9 | 85 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 1 | | |
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| PASS RECEIVING | | | | NO. | YARDS | LG. | TD | | | |
| CARTER | | | | 4 | 44 | 15 | 0 | | | |
| WILDER | | | | 2 | 18 | 15 | 0 | | | |
| T. BELL | | | | 1 | 12 | 12 | 0 | | | |
| OWENS | | | | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | | | |
| TYLER | | | | 1 | 9 | 9 | 0 | | | |
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THIRD QUARTER

Capece kicks to MN goalline, Redwine returns 19 to MN 19 (Middleton)

MINNESOTA: 15:00

- 1-10 MN 19 Nelson over r guard for 3 (Green)
- 2-7 MN 22 Dils back, pressured by (Hawkins), pass inc in middle
- 3-7 MN 22 Dils back, screen r to Brown for 6 (Castille)
- 4-1 MN 28 Coleman punts out of bounds at TB 43 for 29 yd punt

TAMPA BAY: 13:31

- 1-10 TB 43 Owens over r tackle for 1 (McNeill)
- 2-9 TB 44 Thompson comp to Wilder in left flat for 12 (Teal) FIRST DOWN
- 1-10 MN 44 Wilder off tackle r for 9 (Turner)
- 2-1 MN 35 Wilder off r tackle for 5 (Mullaney) FIRST DOWN
- 1-10 MN 30 Owens on pitch r for 4 (Swain)
- 2-6 MN 26 Wilder up middle for 5 (Holloway)
- 3-1 MN 21 Thompson back, inc for T. Bell on left side
- 4-1 MN 21 Capece 40 FG good TIME 9:33 (8p, 36yds, 3:58) MINNESOTA 13, TAMPA BAY 9

Capece kicks to MN endzone, Redwine returns up middle for 30 to MN 28(Witte)

MINNESOTA: 9:33

- 1-10 MN 28 Brown over r tackle for 3 (Davis)
- 2-7 MN 31 Dils back comp to LeCount r sideline for 19 (Brown) FIRST DOWN
- 1-10 MN 50 Dils play action, pass tipped by (Cannon) inc.
- 2-10 MN 50 Nelson on draw up middle for 9 (Green)
- 3-1 TB 41 Brown over r tackle, no gain (Davis)
- 4-1 TB 41 Brown on sweep r, PENALTY MN holding 10
- 4-11 MN 49 Coleman punts out of bounds at TB 30 for 21 yd punt

TAMPA BAY: 7:09

- 1-10 TB 30 Wilder up middle for 1 (Mullaney)
- 2-9 TB 31 Thompson play action, pass intercepted by Swain at MN 24 (House)

MINNESOTA: 6:27

- 1-10 MN 24 Brown on draw breaks around left end for 5 (Washington)
- 2-5 MN 29 Brown over r tackle for 4 (Logan)
- 3-1 MN 33 Dils on keeper up middle for 2 (Davis) FIRST DOWN
- 1-10 MN 35 Dils on keeper option r for 2 (Cannon)
- 2-8 MN 37 Dils comp on slant over middle to Young for 12 (Hawkins) FIRST DOWN
- 1-10 MN 49 Nelson sweep r caught from behind by (Green) for 1
- 2-9 MN 50 Dils back, pass inc in left flat for White
- 3-9 MN 50 Dils shotgun pass inc in middle for LeCount
- 4-9 MN 50 Coleman punts 39 to TB 11, Tyler returns for 0 (Lee)

TAMPA BAY: 2:06

- 1-10 TB 11 Owens up the middle for-1 (Mullaney)
- 2-11 TB 10 Thompson back, inc short on left side for Carter
- 3-11 TB 10 Thompson back, overthrows Carter on left sideline
- 4-11 TB 10 Garcia punts 52 to MN 38, Bess returns 9 to MN 47 (Spradlin)

MINNESOTA: 1:08

- 1-10 MN 47 Brown quick pitch around r end for 8 PENALTY MN holding 10
- 1-20 MN 37 Dils back comp to Bruer for 13 in r side (Holt)
- 2-7 MN 50 Dils back, inc to Bruer over middle, Brown defending
- 3-7 MN 50 Dils back, pressure by Selmon, pass inc on r sideline, Holt defending
- 4-7 MN 50 Coleman punts 50 to TB 10 and rolls into endzone for touchback

TAMPA BAY: 0:04

- 1-10 TB 20 Thompson back, comp to Carter on TB 40, runs to MN 39 for 41 yd play FIRST DOWN (Turner)

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FOURTH QUARTER

TAMPA BAY: (Continued)

1-10 MN 39 Wilder over r tackle for 1 (Mullaney) PENALTY MN offsidess 5
 1-5 MN 34 Owens quick pitch r, slips down for 0 (D. Johnson)
 2-5 MN 34 Thompson play action inc for Wilder on r sideline PENALTY TB off.pass int. 10
 2-15 MN 44 Thompson back, comp r sideline to House for 12 (Swain)
 3-3 MN 32 Owens quick pitch around r end for 2 (Swain)
 4-1 MN 30 Owens dives over left guard for 2 (Martin) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 MN 28 Thompson back, comp to Owens on r side for 7 (Studwell)
 2-3 MN 21 Wilder up middle, breaks left for 3 (Studwell) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 MN 18 Thompson rolls r, runs for 7 (Blair)
 2-3 MN 11 Owens up the middle for 1 (J. White)
 3-2 MN 10 Owens up the middle for 1 (McNeill)
 4-1 MN 9 Morton over r tackle for 2 (Blair) FIRST DOWN
 1-G MN 7 Owens pitch r around end for 2 (Swain)
 2-G MN 5 Thompson rolls r, hits Wilder r flat for 5 TOUCHDOWN TIME: 8:29
(13p, 80 yds, 6:35) Capece kick good TAMPA BAY 16, MINNESOTA 13

Capece kicks to MN 10, goes out of bounds PENALTY TB illegal procedure 5
 Capece kicks to MN 15, Nelson returns 18 to MN 33 (Spradlin)

MINNESOTA: 8:29

1-10 MN 33 Dils back, comp to Nelson left side for 5 (Brantley)
 2-5 MN 38 Dils back, comp to LeCount left side for 6 (Washington) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 MN 44 Nelson over r tackle, breaks loose for 2 (Selmon)
 2-8 MN 46 Dils back, sacked by (Selmon) loss of 1
 3-9 MN 45 Dils shotgun sacked by (Cannon) for loss of 10
 4-19 MN 35 Coleman punts 65 to TB 6 and bounces into endzone for touchback

TAMPA BAY: 5:14

1-10 TB 20 Wilder on quick pitch r for 0 (D. Johnson)
 2-10 TB 20 Thompson back, comp left side to T.Bell for 9 (Teal)
 3-1 TB 29 Owens over left tackle for 2 (Mullaney) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 TB 31 Wilder over r tackle, caught in backfield for loss of 1 (Martin)
 2-11 TB 30 Thompson back, swing pass r for Wilder overthrown
 3-11 TB 30 Wilder on draw up middle, breaks tackle in backfield for 6 (Blair)
 T.O. MN 4-5 TB 36 Garcia punts 25 to MN 39, downed by TB

MINNESOTA: 2:03

1-10 MN 39 (2:03) Nelson on reverse around r end for 4 (Holt)
 2-6 MN 43 (1:57) Dils pass inc for Nelson in left flat, underthrown
 3-6 MN 43 (1:53) Dils shotgun comp to Brown over middle for 5 (Green)
 TIME OUT MN 4-1 MN 48 (1:39) Dils pass comp to Young in middle for 5 (Colzie)
 1-10 TB 47 (1:18) Dils pass comp to Young, r side for 5, run out (Holt)
 2-5 TB 42 (1:15) Dils pass inc, intended for Brown, Brantley defending
 TIME OUT MN 3-5 TB 42 (1:11) Dils mix-up in backfield, Brown dropped for -6 (Green)
 4-11 TB 48 (1:06) Dils shotgun comp to LeCount for 31 (Washington)
 1-10 TB 17 (0:42) Dils pass inc for LeCount
 2-10 TB 17 (0:38) Brown pitch left, run out of bounds for loss of 2 (Holt)
 3-12 TB 19 (0:33) Dils overthrows LeCount on r sideline
 4-12 TB 19 (0:29) Ricardo 38 FG TIME: 0:24 (11p, 42yds, 1:39)
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Ricardo kicks to TB 13, Morton returns to center, breaks a tackle for 28 to TB 41 (Hannon)

TAMPA BAY: 0:24

1-10 TB 41 (0:15) Thompson barely overthrows House deep r sidelines
 2-10 TB 41 (0:09) Morton on draw up middle for 0 (Holloway)

MINNESOTA 16, TAMPA BAY 16 (OVERTIME)

OVERTIME PERIOD

MN wins the toss, will receive, TB will defend the SOUTH goal

Capece kicks to MN 7, Nelson returns 14 to MN 21 (Middleton)

MINNESOTA: 15:00

1-10 MN 21 Brown around r side for 0, PENALTY MN holding 10
 1-20 MN 11 Dils pass comp to Galbreath in backfield for loss of 3 (Davis)
 2-23 MN 8 Galbreath over r tackle for 2 (Selmon)
 3-21 MN 10 Dils shotgun pass comp to Brown, for 4 (Hawkins)
 4-17 MN 14 Coleman punts 47 to TB 39, T. Bell returns 8 to TB 47

TAMPA BAY: 12:21

1-10 TB 47 Thompson pass inc on left side for Owens
 2-10 TB 47 Thompson pass comp to Obradovich for 9 (Turner)
 3-1 MN 44 Thompson rolls r, runs for 5 (Blair) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 MN 39 Owens on pitch r, around end for 1 (Holloway)
 2-9 MN 38 Thompson comp to T. Bell on left sideline for 12 (Teal) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 MN 26 Wilder up middle for 7 (Hannon)
 2-3 MN 19 Owens up middle, breaks two tackles for 4 (Teal) FIRST DOWN
 1-10 MN 15 Wilder to left tackle for 0 (Mullaney)
 T.O. TB 2-10 MN 15 Wilder tries left, hit in backfield for loss of 2 (Studwell)
 3-12 MN 17 Owens up the middle for 2 (McNeill)
 T.O. MN 4-10 MN 15 Capece FG 33 no good, wide left

MINNESOTA: 7:34

1-10 MN 20 Dils pass caught out of bounds long on left sideline PENALTY TB ill chuck 5
 1-10 MN 25 LeCount on reverse, pass inc. for White underthrown
 2-10 MN 25 Dils comp to Young in middle at MN35, runs to TB 27 for 48 (BROWN) FIRST
 1-10 TB 27 Brown up middle for 3 (Hawkins) DOWN
 2-7 TB 24 Brown up middle for 1 (Selmon)
 TIME OUT: MN 3-6 TB 23 Ricardo FG 42 faked, Dils attempted pass batted down by Hawkins
 4-6 TB 23 Ricardo FG 42 good TIME: 5:33 (6p, 57yds, 2:01)

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FINAL SCORE: MINNESOTA 19, TAMPA BAY 16

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

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| 21 R. Bess | 1 | | | | | | | | 20 N. Colzie | 2 | | | | | 1 | | |
| 27 J. Turner | 6 | 1 | | | 1 | | | | 21 J. Holt | 8 | 1 | | | | | | |
| 29 J. Swain | 4 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | | | J. R. Smith | | | | | | | | |
| 37 W. Teal | 4 | 1 | | | | | | | 23 J. Castillo | 2 | | | | | 1 | | |
| 39 C. Lee | 3 | | | | | | | | 24 T. Morris | | | | | | | | |
| 45 T. Hannon | 4 | 2 | | | | | | | 34 C. Brown | 4 | | | | | | | |
| 47 J. Browner | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 40 T. Washington | 4 | 2 | | | | | | |
| 49 K. Nord | | | | | | | | | 43 T. Middleton | 2 | | | | | | | |
| 52 D. Johnson | 3 | 1 | | | | | | | 44 D. O'Steen | | 1 | | | | | | |
| 53 H. Johnson | | | | | | | | | 52 S. Brantley | 6 | 1 | | | | | | |
| 54 F. McNeill | 3 | 1 | | | | | | | 53 H. Green | 9 | 4 | | | | | | |
| 55 S. Studwell | 9 | 1 | | | | | | | 54 R. Wood | | | | | | | | |
| 57 R. Sandlein | 1 | | | | | | | | 55 D. Spradlin | 2 | | | | | | | |
| 58 W. L. Ashley | | 1 | | | | | | | 56 D. Johnson | 1 | 1 | | | | | | |
| 59 M. Blair | 10 | 3 | | | | | | | 58 J. DAVIS | 6 | 1 | | | | | | |
| 65 C. Johnson | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 59 A. Hawkins | 5 | | 1 | 8 | | 1 | | |
| 72 J. White | 1 | | | | | | | | 63 L. R. Selmon | 5 | | 1 | 1 | | 1 | | |
| 73 N. Elshire | | | | | | | | | 65 D. Stalls | 1 | | | | | | | |
| 75 R. Holburny | 2 | 1 | | | | | | | 66 B. Reese | | | | | | | | |
| 77 M. Mullaney | 8 | | | | | | | | 69 H. Archibaker | | | | | | | | |
| 79 D. Martin | 2 | 1 | | | | 1 | | | 76 D. Logan | 9 | 1 | | | | 1 | | |
| 83 T. Brown | | | | | | | 1 | | 78 J. Cannon | 4 | 1 | 1 | 10 | | 1 | | |
| 80 T. LaCount | 1 | | | | | | | | 90 B. White | | | | | | | | |
| 89 M. Jones | 1 | | | | | | | | 86 J. O'Bradovich | 1 | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 83 T. Bell | 1 | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 85 M. Witte | 1 | | | | | | | |
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58 - J. DAVIS

POST-GAME NOTES & QUOTES

Tampa Bay vs. Minnesota
September 18, 1983

BUC COACH JOHN MCKAY: "We played very poorly and got beat by a superior Minnesota team.

(FG - why not on first down?): "We thought we might get a little closer where we might have a better chance. We can't play any worse. We have no excuse. To win games you have to kick the ball. We missed an extra point and a field goal and lost the game.

(Thompson): "He had a mediocre game. Nothing great, nothing outstanding. I thought at the end he threw the ball pretty well.

VIKING COACH BUD GRANT: "It usually is a good game with Tampa Bay. I thought Tampa played an excellent ballgame and the only mistake they really made was missing the field goal. Otherwise it was a pretty error-free ball game. It was very frustrating that we couldn't make an offensive play. We didn't have many big plays offensively or defensively.

(Kramer) - "It's a knee. You can't ever predict how bad. It's bad enough that we're concerned about it.

(DILS change game plan): "No the plays are the same, they are the same type of quarterback.

(fake field goal): "It was a throwaway. We either get someone clean or we throw it away."

(surprised Bucs weren't trying to pass closer in overtime?): "No. They were within range, the 20-yard line area. Capece has made them there before."

(the Kramer injury play): He saw the blitz coming and kept the ball. It was a smart play on his part.

(the long pass to Young in overtime): "We just caught them. We ran everybody to the right and Rickey came underneath to the left. Sometimes people ask us what is Ricky Young doing on the team?"

"They blitzed heavily after Dils came in. With a different quarterback, that's good strategy."

(the 4th and 12th completion): "That's all the difference there is between the winners and the losers. One play or two plays. I don't care who won the game I think either team deserved to win. Tampa Bay's 0-3 but they could win their next three as easy as they lost them."

BUC INJURIES

Bob Hewko - will have arthroscopic surgery on his knee tomorrow

Sean Farrell - pulled hamstring

Mike Washington - sprained ankle

Lee Roy Selmon - bruised ribs

Neal Colzie - pulled groin

Kevin House - pulled groin

Jimmie Giles - bruised back

Kelly Thomas - bruised hand

John Holt - bruised thigh