



GAME SUMMARY

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DATE September 9, 1984 DAY OF WEEK Sunday STARTING TIME 12:01 PM CDT
 VISITOR TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS VS. HOME NEW ORLEANS SAINTS AT Louisiana Superdome
 WEATHER Indoors TEMPERATURE 70 WIND AND DIRECTION None
 OFFICIALS: REFEREE Gordon McCarter UMPIRE Ron Botchan LINE JUDGE Jack Fette
 BACK FIELD SIDE
 LINESMAN Terry Gierke JUDGE JW Sanders JUDGE Pat Mallette JUDGE Dean Look

OFFENSE		VISITOR	DEFENSE	LINEUPS	OFFENSE	HOME	DEFENSE
WR 89 Kevin House		LE 78 John Cannon		WR 80 Lindsay Scott		LE 75 Bruce Clark	
LT 74 Gene Sanders		NT 76 David Logan		LT 68 Kelvin Clark		NT 74 Derland Moore	
LG 65 Noah Jackson		RE 63 Lee Roy Selmon		LG 63 Brad Edelman		RE 94 Jim Wilks	
C 50 Steve Wilson		L0LB 56 Cecil Johnson		C 60 Steve Korte		L0LB 57 Rickey Jackson	
RG 62 Sean Farrell		L1LB 58 Jeff Davis		RG 66 Louis Oubre		L1LB 52 Jim Kovach	
RT 70 Kelly Thomas		R1LB 52 Scot Brantley		RT 67 Stan Brock		R1LB 56 Dennis Winston	
TE 88 Jimmie Giles		R0LB 53 Hugh Green		TE 85 Hoby Brenner		R0LB 51 Whitney Paul	
WR 87 Gerald Carter		LC 23 Jeremiah Castille		WR 88 Eugene Goodlow		LCB 44 Dave Waymer	
QB 14 Jack Thompson		RC 21 John Holt		QB 11 Richard Todd		RCB 25 Johnnie Poe	
FB 46 Adger Armstrong		LS 43 Beasley Reece		FB 46 Hokie Gajan		SS 20 Russell Gary	
TB 32 James Wilder		RS 34 Cedric Brown		HB 38 George Rogers		FS 49 Frank Wattlelet	

SUBSTITUTIONS

1 Michael Morton, 2 Obed Ariri, 16 Blair Kiel, 26 James Owens, 28 Melvin Carver, 79 Ken Kaplan, 82 Jerry Bell, 85 Mark Witte, 83 Theo Bell, 17 Steve DeBerg, 86 Jay Carroll, 24 Maurice Harvey, 27 Fred Acorn, 33 Mark Cotney, 41 Norris Thomas, 51 Chris Washington, 54 Richard Wood, 55 Danny Spradlin, 57 Keith Browner, 71 Byron Braggs, 5 Frank Garcia, 67 Karl Morgan, 75 Brison Manor

SUBSTITUTIONS

19 Guido Merkens, 22 Tyrone Anthony, 41 Jimmy Rogers, 45 Tim Wilson, 61 Joel Hilgenberg, 82 John Tice, 83 Kenny Duckett, 86 Jeff Groth, 72 Chris Ward, 89 Tyrone Young, 7 Morten Andersen, 10 Brian Hansen, 24 Terry Hoage, 26 Jitter Fields, 34 Bobby Johnson, 53 Scott Pelluer, 58 Glen Redd, 73 Frank Warren, 97 James Geathers, 96 Don Thorp, 29 Rodney Lewis

60 Randy Grimes, 72 Steve Courson, 73 Ron Heller, 81 Perry Tuttle

DID NOT PLAY 16 Ken Stabler, 18 Dave Wilson, 30 Wayne Wilson, 62 John Hill, 98 Reggie Lewis, 84 Junior Miller

FIELD GOALS (Made & Missed)

Ariri 2 of 2 (48, 40)

Andersen 1 for 1 (23)

		1	2	3	4	OT	TOTAL
TAMPA BAY	(Visitor)	7	3	3	0		13
NEW ORLEANS	(Home)	0	7	3	7		17

TEAM	PERIOD	ELAPSED TIME	SCORING PLAY	SCORE	
				VISITOR	HOME
T.B.	1	13:29	Armstrong 2 pass from Thompson (Ariri Kick) 19/80	7	0
N.O.	2	9:28	Anthony 2 run (Andersen Kick) 11/75	7	7
T.B.	2	14:50	FG Ariri 48 9/35	10	7
T.B.	3	3:16	FG Ariri 40 8/50	13	7
N.O.	3	14:11	FG Andersen 23 9/31	13	10
N.O.	4	13:07	Gajan 8 run (Andersen Kick) 4/88	13	17

ATTENDANCE 54,686 (TICKETS DISTRIBUTED 59,991 ; UNUSED 5305). TIME 2:58

Tampa (Visitor) vs. New Orleans (Home)

Date Sept. 9, 1984 At: Mo Superdome N.O.

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

	VISITOR <u>Tampa</u>	HOME <u>New Orleans</u>
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	<u>20</u>	<u>17</u>
BY RUSHING	<u>9</u>	<u>9</u>
BY PASSING	<u>9</u>	<u>7</u>
BY PENALTY	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	<u>6-15</u> %	<u>6-11</u> %
FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY	<u>2-3</u> <u>66</u> %	<u>0-1</u> <u>0</u> %
TOTAL NET YARDS	<u>264</u>	<u>333</u>
TOTAL OFFENSIVE PLAYS (Inc. times thrown passing)	<u>66</u>	<u>53</u>
AVERAGE GAIN PER OFFENSIVE PLAY	<u>4.0</u>	<u>6.3</u>
NET YARDS RUSHING	<u>130</u>	<u>130</u>
TOTAL RUSHING PLAYS	<u>37</u>	<u>29</u>
AVERAGE GAIN PER RUSHING PLAY	<u>3.5</u>	<u>4.5</u>
NET YARDS PASSING	<u>134</u>	<u>203</u>
TIMES THROWN—YARDS LOST ATTEMPTING TO PASS	<u>7-41</u>	<u>1-10</u>
GROSS YARDS PASSING	<u>175</u>	<u>213</u>
PASS ATTEMPTS—COMPLETIONS—HAD INTERCEPTED	<u>22-15-0</u>	<u>23-13-0</u>
AVERAGE GAIN PER PASS PLAY (Inc. times thrown passing)	<u>6.0</u>	<u>8.9</u>
PUNTS—NUMBER AND AVERAGE	<u>4-43.8</u>	<u>3-41.0</u>
HAD BLOCKED	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE	<u>95</u>	<u>116</u>
NO. AND YARDS PUNT RETURNS	<u>1-8</u>	<u>1-14</u>
NO. AND YARDS KICKOFF RETURNS	<u>3-87</u>	<u>4-102</u>
NO. AND YARDS INTERCEPTION RETURNS	<u>0-0</u>	<u>0-0</u>
PENALTIES—NUMBER AND YARDS	<u>7-56</u>	<u>10-89</u>
FUMBLES—NUMBER AND LOST	<u>3-0</u>	<u>0-0</u>
TOUCHDOWNS	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>
RUSHING	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>
PASSING	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>
RETURNS	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
EXTRA POINTS MADE—ATTEMPTS	<u>2-2</u>	<u>1-1</u>
FIELD GOALS MADE—ATTEMPTS	<u>1-1</u>	<u>2-2</u>
TIME OF POSSESSION	<u>34:22</u>	<u>25:38</u>

DATE 9.9.84

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

AT Superdome

VISITOR Tampa

HOME New Orleans N.C.

RUSHING		ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD			
Wilder	21	75	3.6	37	0				
Thompson	4	22	5.5	12	0				
Armstrong	3	11	3.7	7	0				
Owens	1	1	1.0	1	0				
Carver	6	20	3.3	12	0				
Morton	1	-2	-	-	-				
DeBerg	1	3	3.0	3	0				
TOTALS		37	130	3.5	37	0			
PASSING		ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS	TD	LG.	Had Int.	
Thompson	22	15	175	7	41	1	29	0	
TOTALS		22	15	175	7	41	1	29	0
PASS RECEIVING		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
Giles	2	18	13	0					
House	3	34	15	0					
Wilder	2	17	15	0					
Armstrong	4	41	14	1					
T. Bell	3	52	29	0					
Carter	1	13	13	0					
TOTALS		15	175	29	1				
INTERCEPTIONS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
None									
TOTALS									
PUNTING		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG.		
Garcia	4	175	43.8	1	1	47			
TOTALS		4	175	43.8	1	1	47		
PUNT RETURNS		NO.	FC	YARDS	LG.	TD			
Holt	0	2	0	0	0	0			
T. Bell	1	0	8	8	0	0			
TOTALS		1	2	8	8	0			
KICKOFF RETURNS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
Owens	1	33	33	0					
Morton	2	54	31	0					
TOTALS		3	87	33	0				
FUMBLES		FUM.	OWN REC.	YDS.	TD	OPP REC.	YDS.	TD	OUT BDS.
Wilder	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Witte	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carver	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Armstrong	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Thompson	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS		3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0

RUSHING		ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD			
Rogers	18	56	3.1	10	0				
Gatan	6	42	7.0	17	1				
Anthony	2	21	10.5	19	1				
Todd	3	11	3.7	12	0				
TOTALS		29	130	4.5	19	2			
PASSING		ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS	TD	LG.	Had Int.	
Todd	23	13	213	1	10	0	51	0	
TOTALS		23	13	213	1	10	0	51	0
PASS RECEIVING		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
Brenner	1	12	12	0					
Gatan	4	75	51	0					
Scott	2	39	37	0					
Young	2	36	24	0					
Groth	3	46	20	0					
Duckett	1	5	5	0					
TOTALS		13	213	51	0				
INTERCEPTIONS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
None									
TOTALS									
PUNTING		NO.	YDS.	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG.		
Hansen	3	123	41.0	0	2	44			
TOTALS		3	123	41.0	0	2	44		
PUNT RETURNS		NO.	FC	YARDS	LG.	TD			
Fields	1	1	14	14	0				
TOTALS		1	1	14	14	0			
KICKOFF RETURNS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
Duckett	2	34	18	0					
Fields	2	68	39	0					
TOTALS		4	102	39	0				
FUMBLES		FUM.	OWN REC.	YDS.	TD	OPP REC.	YDS.	TD	OUT BDS.
None									
TOTALS									

NEW ORLEANS SAINTS vs. TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS

The Louisiana Superdome
New Orleans, Louisiana

Sunday, September 9, 1984
12:01 P.M. Kickoff

NEW ORLEANS wins the toss and will RECEIVE. TAMPA BAY defends the SOUTH goal.

Ariri kicks off for Tampa Bay to open the game, to the 7, Duckett returns 18 to 25 (Morton).

14:52 Saints

- 1-10 NO 25 -- G. Rogers runs right side, 8 yards to 33 (Brantley)
- 2-2 NO 33 -- Gajan cracks the middle, first down, 3 to 36 (Davis)
- 1-10 NO 36 -- G. Rogers, left side, 1 to 37 (Logan)
- 2-9 NO 37 -- Todd pass over middle for Goodlow almost intercepted (Brantley)
- 3-9 NO 37 -- Todd hits Scott over middle, first down, (Reece), but Saints penalized 10 yards holding (on Brenner). (Gain would have been 11 to 48).
- 3-19 NO 27 -- Todd scrambles, hits Brenner over middle, 12 to 39 (Reece)
- 4-7 NO 39 -- Hansen punts, Holt fair-catches on his 20, a 41-yard punt.

11:57 Bucs

- 1-10 TB 20 -- Wilder gets 3 to 23, left side (Wilks)
- 2-7 TB 23 -- Thompson passes left to Giles, first down, 13 to 36 (Wattelet). (10P, 3R)
- 1-10 TB 36 -- Wilder at left side, 4 to 40 (Kovach)
- 2-6 TB 40 -- Wilder runs left side for 7 to 47 (Wattelet), but Bucs pen. 10 holding (Giles)
- 2-16 TB 30 -- Thompson hits House over middle, 15 to the 45 (Waymer)
- 3-1 TB 45 -- Wilder dives over left side, first down, 2 to 47 (Gary)
- 1-10 TB 47 -- Thompson back to pass, runs right, 7 to NO 46 (Kovach runs him out)
- 2-3 NO 46 -- Wilder at middle, 1 to 45 (Winston)
- 3-2 NO 45 -- Wilder through left side for first down, 6 to 39 (Paul)
- 1-10 NO 39 -- Thompson hits Wilder in right flat, 2 to 37 (Jackson)
- 2-8 NO 37 -- Armstrong at right end, 7 yards to 30 (Wattelet, Kovach)
- 3-1 NO 30 -- Wilder at right side, fumbled (Winston hit), Witte recovers for TB, no gain.
- 4-1 NO 30 -- Wilder up the middle for first down, 4 to 26 (Paul)
- 1-10 NO 26 -- Carver sweeps right, 4 to 22 (Wattelet), but Saints pen. 5, offsides (Moore)
- 1-5 NO 21 -- Wilder off the right side, 3 to 18 (Jackson)
- 2-2 NO 18 -- Wilder tries right side, gets 1 to 17 (Wilks)
- 3-1 NO 17 -- Saints pen. 5 yards encroachment. First down penalty. (on Winston)
- 1-10 NO 12 -- Wilder runs left; for 6 to the 6 (Kovach)
- 2-4 NO 6 -- Armstrong, right side, 2 to the 4 (Moore)
- 3-2 NO 4 -- Wilder goes left, 1 to the 3 (Poe, Wilks)
- 4-1 NO 3 -- Owens runs middle, 1 to the 2, first down (Poe)
- 1-G NO 2 -- Thompson passes right to Armstrong for 2 yard touchdown (first down).
(Winston defender). Time: 13:29 elapsed. Possession: 10:26. Ariri adds ep.

Tampa Bay 7, New Orleans 0

(80 yards, 19 plays to TD)

Ariri kicks it off for the Bucs to the 6, Duckett returns 39 to the 45 (Witte).

1:20 Saints

- 1-10 NO 45 -- Todd hits G. Rogers in right flat, 6 to TB49, but Saints pen. 10 holding (Oubre and Clark)
- 1-20 NO 35 -- Todd hits Gajan on screen right, 6 to 41 (Davis)
- 2-14 NO 41 -- Todd pass left to Goodlow is out of bounds (Acorn)
- 3-14 NO 41 -- Todd pass up middle is dropped by Groth (Holt)
- 4-14 NO 41 -- Hansen punts, Holt fair-catches, a 44-yard punt to the 15.
(End of quarter)

Score: Tampa Bay 7, New Orleans 0

First Downs: Tampa Bay 7, New Orleans 1

Possession: Tampa Bay 10:26, New Orleans 4:34.

3rd Down Conversions: Tampa Bay 2 for 4, New Orleans 0 for 2

4th Downs: Tampa Bay, 2 for 2

15:00 Bucs

- 1-10 TB 15 -- Wilder goes left, 4 to 19 (Clark)
- 2-6 TB 19 -- Carver goes left, fumbles (Jackson), and Thompson recovers on 12.
- 3-13 TB 12 -- Thompson passes left to Armstrong, 14, first down on 26 (Jackson)
- 1-10 TB 26 -- Wilder at left side for 1 to 27 (Jackson)
- 2-9 TB 27 -- Wilder again, right side, 2 to 29 (Kovach)(Clark)
- 3-7 TB 29 -- Thompson pass up middle for House incomplete, thrown short (Waymer)
- 4-7 TB 29 -- Garcia punts 46 yards to the 25, Fields fair-catches.

11:18 Saints

- 1-10 NO 25 -- G. Rogers sweeps right, 10 yards to 35, first down (Reece)
- 1-10 NO 35 -- Todd hits Scott deep down right side, first down, 37 to TB28 (Castille)
- 1-10 TB 28 -- Todd pass right is tipped high, caught by Scott, 2 to 26 (Reece)
- 2-8 TB 26 -- Todd throws behind Brenner, left side (Green)
- 3-8 TB 26 -- Todd hits Young up middle, first down, 12 to the 14 (Reece)
- 1-10 TB 14 -- G. Rogers runs right end, 5 yards to the 9 (C. Johnson)
- 2-5 TB 9 -- G. Rogers through right side, first down, 6 to the 3 (Logan)
- 1-G TB 3 -- G. Rogers at right side, loses 1 to the 4 (C. Johnson)
- 2-G TB 4 -- G. Rogers at the middle, 1 to the 3 (Logan)
- 3-G TB 3 -- Todd pass left to Gajan loses 4 to the 7 (Thomas), but Bucs penalized 1 yard roughing the passer (C. Johnson) First down penalty.
- 1-G TB 2 -- G. Rogers, right side, no gain (Davis)
- 2-G TB 2 -- Anthony goes left for 2 yards (first down) and a touchdown. Andersen ep ties the game. Time: 9:28 elapsed. Possession: 5:46.

New Orleans 7, Tampa Bay 7

(75 yards, 11 plays to TD)

Andersen kicks off for the Saints to the 1, Owens returns 33 to the 34 (Fields)

5:21 Bucs

- 1-10 TB 34 -- Morton goes left, loses 2 back to 32 (Paul)
- 2-12 TB 32 -- Thompson long pass left for House out of bounds (Poe), but Saints pen. 23 yards to the TB 45, interference on Poe. First down penalty.
- 1-10 NO 45 -- Thompson back to pass, sweeps right, 12 yards to 33, first down (Wilks)
- 1-10 NO 33 -- DeBerg replaces Thompson, hurt on last play. DeBerg goes right, 3 to 30,
- 2-7 NO 30 -- Thompson back in, Carver runs right end, 6 to 24 (Clark)
- 3-1 NO 24 -- Thompson scrambles right, gets first down, 1 to 23 (Moore)
- 1-10 NO 23 -- (2:00) Thompson sacked by (Jackson), loses 2 to 25.
- 2-12 NO 25 -- (1:30) Thompson sacked again (Jackson), loses 8 to 33.
- 3-20 NO 33 -- (:55) Time--TB,1 Thompson scrambles, hit Wilder for 9 to 24 (Gary), but Bucs penalized 10 yards holding (on Kelly Thomas)
- 3-30 NO 43 -- (:46) Carver runs draw left, 12 to 31 (Wattelet).
- 4-18 NO 31 -- (:16) Time--TB,2 Ariri kicks 48-yard field goal. Time:14:50 elapsed. Possession: 5:22.

Tampa Bay 10, New Orleans 7

(35 yards, 9 plays to FG)

Ariri kicks off for the Bucs, to the 11, Duckett returns 16 to 27 (Washington).

:05 Saints

- 1-10 NO 27 --Gajan off the right side for 17, first down on 44, as the half ends (Brown)

Halftime: Tampa Bay 10, New Orleans 7

FIRST HALF SUMMARY

Tampa VISITOR vs. New Orleans HOME 9-9-84 DATE La. Superdome SITE N.O.

PERIOD SCORES
 VISITOR 7-3=10
 HOME 0-7=7

TIME OF POSSESSION
 VISITOR 19:30
 HOME 10:30

TEAM	PERIOD	ELAPSED TIME	SCORING PLAY	SCORE VISITOR	SCORE HOME
Tampa	1 st	13:29	Pass Thompson to Armstrong Ariri PAT	7	0
N.O.	2 nd	9:28	Rush Anthony 2 yds Anderson PAT	7	7
Tampa	2 nd	14:50	FG Ariri 48 yds	10	7

TOTAL FIRST DOWNS

First Downs Rushing-Passing-by Penalty

THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY

TOTAL NET YARDS

Total No. Offensive Plays (Include times thrown passing)

NET YARDS RUSHING

NET YARDS PASSING

Gross Yards Gained Passing

Times Thrown—Yards Lost Attempting to Pass

PASS ATTEMPTS—COMPLETIONS—HAD INTERCEPTED

PUNTS—Number and Average

PENALTIES—Number and Yards

FUMBLES—Number and Lost

VISITOR	Tampa	HOME	New Orleans
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	<u>11</u>	<u>8</u>	
First Downs Rushing-Passing-by Penalty	<u>7-2-2</u>	<u>5-2-1</u>	
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	<u>4-8-50%</u>	<u>1-3-33%</u>	
TOTAL NET YARDS	<u>121</u>	<u>121</u>	
Total No. Offensive Plays (Include times thrown passing)	<u>33</u>	<u>20</u>	
NET YARDS RUSHING	<u>85</u>	<u>52</u>	
NET YARDS PASSING	<u>36</u>	<u>69</u>	
Gross Yards Gained Passing	<u>46</u>	<u>69</u>	
Times Thrown—Yards Lost Attempting to Pass	<u>2-10</u>	<u>0-0</u>	
PASS ATTEMPTS—COMPLETIONS—HAD INTERCEPTED	<u>6-5-0</u>	<u>9-5-0</u>	
PUNTS—Number and Average	<u>1-46</u>	<u>2-42.5</u>	
PENALTIES—Number and Yards	<u>3-21</u>	<u>5-53</u>	
FUMBLES—Number and Lost	<u>2-0</u>	<u>0-0</u>	

VISITORS Tampa

RUSHING							
	ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD		
Wilder	14	38	2.7	6	0		
Thompson	3	20	6.7	12	0		
Armstrong	2	9	4.5	7	0		
Owens	1	1	1.0	1	0		
Corver	3	16	5.3	12	0		
Morton	1	-2	-	-	-		
DeBerg	1	3	3.0	3	0		
	<u>25</u>	<u>85</u>	<u>3.4</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>0</u>		
PASSING							
	ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD	LG.	Had Int.
Thompson	6	5	46	3	10	15	0
	<u>6</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>
PASS RECEIVING							
	NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD			
Giles	1	13	13	0			
House	1	15	15	0			
Wilder	1	2	2	0			
Armstrong	2	16	14	0			
	<u>5</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0</u>			

HOME New Orleans

RUSHING							
	ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD		
Rogers	8	30	3.8	10	0		
Gatan	2	20	10.0	17	0		
Anthony	1	2	2.0	2	1		
	<u>11</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>4.7</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1</u>		
PASSING							
	ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD	LG.	Had Int.
Todd	9	5	69	0	0	37	0
	<u>9</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>0</u>
PASS RECEIVING							
	NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD			
Brenner	1	12	12	0			
Gatan	1	6	6	0			
Scott	2	39	37	0			
Young	1	12	12	0			
	<u>5</u>	<u>69</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>0</u>			

NEW ORLEANS vs. TAMPA BAY
THIRD QUARTER

(Bucs 10, Saints 7)

Andersen kicks off for New Orleans to open the second half, to the 1 out of bounds. Saints pen. 5 yards illegal procedure. Andersen kicks off again, this time to the 4, Morton returns 23 yards to the 27 (Anthony).

14:44 Bucs

- 1-10 TB 27 -- Wilder runs through the right side for 37 yards, first down N036 (Paul)
- 1-10 NO 36 -- Carver sweeps right, 4 to the 32 (Wattelet)
- 2-6 NO 32 -- Wilder tries the middle, loses 1 to 33 (Wilks)
- 3-7 NO 33 -- Thompson passes over middle to T. Bell, first down, 8 to 25 (Waymer)
- 1-10 NO 25 -- Armstrong goes left, fumbles (Warren), Armstrong recovers for 2 to 23.
- 2-8 NO 23 -- Thompson throws out of bounds, right, for Wilder (Jackson)
- 3-8 NO 23 -- Thompson overthrows G. Carter, right sideline (Gary)
- 4-8 NO 23 -- Ariri kicks 40-yard field goal. Time: 3:16 elapsed. Possession: 3:16

Tampa Bay 13, New Orleans 7

(8 plays, 50 yards to FG)

Ariri kicks it off for the Bucs to the 4, Fields returns 29 to the 33 (Acorn)

11:34 Saints

- 1-10 NO 33 -- G. Rogers at right side, 6 to 39 (Logan)
- 2-4 NO 39 -- Saints pen. 5 yards delay of game. (Todd)
- 2-9 NO 34 -- Todd overthrows Gajan in right flat (Johnson)
- 3-9 NO 34 -- Todd back to pass, runs right, first down, 12 yards to 46 (Logan)
- 1-10 NO 46 -- G. Rogers at right end, 3 to 49 (Brantley)
- 2-7 NO 49 -- G. Rogers through right side, 4 to TB 47 (Davis)
- 3-3 TB 47 -- G. Rogers, right side again, 3 to 44 and first down (Davis)
- 1-10 TB 44 -- Todd is sacked by (H. Green), loses 10 back to NO 46 .
- 2-20 NO 46 -- Todd pressured, throws incomplete for Gajan up middle (Davis)
- 3-20 NO 46 -- Saints pen. 5 yards illegal procedure (on Edelman)
- 3-25 NO 41 -- Todd hits Gajan on screen right, 9 to mid-field (Castille)
- 4-16 50 -- Hansen punts 38 yards to the 12, T. Bell returns 8 to 20 (Pelluer).
Bucs penalized 10 yards illegal block (Browner), back to their 10.

6:57 Bucs

- 1-10 TB 10 -- Wilder at middle, 1 to 11 (Moore) Time--TB, 1 (6:15 on clock)
- 2-9 TB 11 -- Wilder goes right, loses 2 back to the 9 (Clark)
- 3-7 TB 9 -- Thompson is sacked by (Clark), loss of 4-yards to the 5.
- 4-12 TB 5 -- Garcia punts 46 yards to NO 49, Fields returns 14 to TB 37 (Davis).

4:57 Saints

- 1-10 TB 37 -- G. Rogers through left side, 6 to the 31 (Selmon)
- 2-4 TB 31 -- G. Rogers runs left end for first down, 7 yards to 24 (Logan)
- 1-10 TB 24 -- Todd pass right tipped by (C. Johnson,) incomplete for Tice.
- 2-10 TB 24 -- Todd pass incomplete for Brenner in right end zone (Brown)
- 3-10 TB 24 -- Todd passes left to Groth, first down on the 4, a 20-yard gain (Brown) (20P)
- 1-G TB 4 -- G. Rogers, right side, 1 to 3 (Thomas)
- 2-G TB 3 -- Todd keeps around right end, no gain (Thomas)
- 3-G TB 3 -- G. Rogers tries to go right, loses 3 back to the 6 (Brown)
- 4-G TB 6 -- Andersen kicks 23-yard field goal. Time: 14:11 elapsed. Possession: 4:08.

Tampa Bay 13, New Orleans 10

(31 yards, 9 plays to FG)

Andersen kicks it off for the Saints to the end zone 1 yards deep, Morton returns 71 to the NO 30 (B. Johnson), but Bucs pen. 10 yards illegal block (on Carroll)(Morton gets 31 on return)

:30 Bucs

- 1-10 TB 20 -- Thompson is sacked by (Paul), loss of 5 back to the 15.
- 2-15 TB 15 -- Thompson scrambles, 2 to 17, left side (Winston)
- 3-13 TB 17 -- (End of quarter)

Score: Tampa Bay 13, New Orleans

First Downs: Bucs 13, Saints 12

3rd down conversions: Bucs 5 for 11, Saints 4 for 8

4th downs: Bucs 2 for 2

Possession: Bucs 25:35, Saints 19:25

15:00 Bucs (Continued)

- 3-13 TB 17 -- Thompson hits T. Bell up middle, 29 to 46, first down (Poe, Waymer) (18P, 11R)
- 1-10 TB 46 -- Carver runs left, loses 1 back to 45 (Winston)
- 2-11 TB 45 -- Thompson hits Armstrong over middle, 13, first down on NO 42 (Jackson)
- 1-10 NO 42 -- Wilder tries to go left, no gain (Winston)
- 2-10 NO 42 -- Thompson hits Giles, right, 5 to 37 (Wattelet)
- 3-5 NO 37 -- Thompson hits Wilder, right flat, 9 to 28 (Clark), but
Bucs penalized 10, off. pass interference (on Giles).
- 3-15 NO 47 -- Thompson is incomplete, left, for Armstrong (Jackson)
- 4-15 NO 47 -- Garcia punts 47 yards into the end zone.

10:59 Saints

- 1-10 NO 20 -- Anthony sweeps right for 19 to 39 (Castille), but Saints pen. 10 yards
illegal use of hands (Young).
- 1-1 NO 29 -- G. Rogers runs right, 3 to 32 (Reece), but Saints pen. 11 holding (on Korte)
- 1-12 NO 18 -- Gajan runs right, 7 yards to 25 (Castille)
- 2-5 NO 25 -- Gajan up the middle, 2 to 27 (Selmon) Time--TB, 2 (9:58 remaining)
- 3-3 NO 27 -- Todd hits Groth up the middle, first down, 15 yards to 42 (C. Johnson)
- 1-10 NO 42 -- Todd-to-Duckett in right flat, 5 yards to 47 (Reece)
- 2-5 NO 47 -- G. Rogers at the middle, 1 to 48 (Brentley) Time--NO, 1 (8:00 remaining)
- 3-4 NO 48 -- Todd passes right to Groth; first down, 11 to TB 41 (Holt)
- 1-10 TB 41 -- Gajan drops Todd pass, left (Green)
- 2-10 TB 41 -- Todd pass left for Goodlow incomplete, out of bounds (Brown)
- 3-10 TB 41 -- Todd hits Gajan in right flat, 9 yards to 32 (Manor)
- 4-1 TB 32 -- G. Rogers sweeps right, loses 2 back to 34 (Johnson), Bucs take over.

6:09 Bucs

- 1-10 TB 34 -- Carver at right side, 1 to 35 (Jackson)
- 2-9 TB 35 -- Thompson hits House, right, 12 to 47, first down (Wattelet)
- 1-10 TB 47 -- Wilder at middle, 1 to 48 (Jackson)
- 2-9 TB 48 -- Thompson passes right to Wilder, first down, 15 to NO 37 (Waymer)
- 1-10 NO 37 -- Wilder at left side, 1 to 36 (B. Clark)
- 2-9 NO 36 -- Thompson is sacked (by Clark), loses 5 back to 41. Time--NO, 2 (2:46)
- 3-14 NO 41 -- Thompson is sacked again (by Clark), loss of 7 back to 48. (Time--NO, 3)
- 4-21 NO 48 -- Garcia punts 36 yards, out of bounds on the 12.

2:35 Saints

- 1-10 NO 12 -- Todd hits Young up middle, 24 to the 36, first down (Reece, Castille)
- 1-10 NO 36 -- Todd hits Gajan in right flat, he does down right sideline for 51 yards to 13.
- 1-10 TB 13 -- Gajan runs right guard for 5 yards to the 8 (C. Johnson) / (Reece tackler)
- 2-5 TB 8 -- (1:57) Gajan runs off the left side for 8 yards (first down) and a touchdown.
Time: 13:07 elapsed. Andersen kicks point. Possession: :42.

New Orleans 17, Tampa Bay 13

(88 yards, 4 plays to TD)

Andersen kicks off for the Saints to the end zone and 4 yards beyond.

1:53 Bucs

- 1-10 TB 20 -- Bucs penalized 5, false start (Sanders)
- 1-15 TB 15 -- Thompson hits Armstrong, right, for 12 to 27 (Gary runs him out)
- 2-3 TB 27 -- Thompson hits House, left, for 7 to 34, first down (Paul)
- 1-10 TB 34 -- (1:25) Thompson hits Carter, 13 to 47, first down (Gary)
- 1-10 TB 47 -- (1:12) Thompson hits T. Bell, 15, first down NO 38 (Waymer)
- 1-10 NO 38 -- (:59) Thompson pass left incomplete for House (Poe)
- 2-10 NO 38 -- (:55) Thompson pass is batted down behind line (by Warren)
- 3-10 NO 38 -- (:51) Thompson overthrows T. Bell, middle (Waymer)
- 4-10 NO 38 -- (:45) Thompson is sacked for 7th time in game (Geathers), loss of 10 to 48.

:41 Saints

- 1-10 NO 48 -- Todd falls down, loses 1 to 47. (Brantley)
- 2-11 NO 47 -- Todd lets the clock run down.

Final Score: New Orleans 17, Tampa Bay 13

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Unofficial)

Visitor TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS	Tackles	Assists	Sacks	Yards Lost	Interceptions	Passes Defensed	Fumbles Recovered	Blocked Punt: FG and PAT	Home NEW ORLEANS SAINTS	Tackles	Assists	Sacks	Yards Lost	Interceptions	Passes Defensed	Fumbles Recovered	Blocked Punt: FG and PAT
⁷⁸ CANNON		3							⁷⁵ B. CLARK	7	4	3	16				
⁷⁶ LOGAN	6	1							⁷⁴ MOORE	3							
⁶³ SELMON	2	2							⁹⁴ WILKS	4	2						
⁵⁶ C. JOHNSON	5					1			⁵⁷ JACKSON	10	2	2	10				
⁵⁸ DAVIS	6	1				1			⁵² KOVACH	4	5						
⁵² BRANTLEY	4	2				1			⁵⁶ WINSTON	4	2						
⁵³ GREEN	1		1	10					⁵¹ PAUL	6		1	5				
²³ CASTILLE	3	3							⁴⁴ WAYMER	4	2				1		
²¹ HOLT	1								²⁵ POE	2	1						
⁴³ REECE	6	2							²⁰ GARY	2	2						
³⁴ BROWN	3					2			⁴⁹ WATTELET	6	1						
¹ MORTON	1								²⁶ FIELDS	1							
⁸⁵ WITTE	1								²² ANTHONY	1							
⁵¹ WASHINGTON	1								⁷³ WARREN	1					1		
²⁷ ACORN	1								⁵³ PELLUER	1							
³³ COTNEY		1							³⁴ B. JOHNSON	1							
⁴¹ THOMAS	2								⁹⁷ GEATHERS	1		1	10				
⁷⁵ MANOR	1																

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- 56 - Winston
- 57 - Jackson