

## **POSITION OUTLOOK FOR 2016**

QUARTERBACKS - Will Gardner (PS#59) st'd in '14 until injury. True frosh Reggie Bonnafon (PS#25) earned 5 starts with rFr Kyle Bolin (PS#36) starting the bowl. The 3 QB's comb for 3,276 yds (55%, 21-10, 43 rush). Bonnafon is a dual-threat QB (164 rush) and Bolin is the most accurate. LY they added true frosh Lamar Jackson (PS#29). Bonnafon was the official st'r for the opener but Jackson led the comeback vs Aub. Jackson st'd vs UH (just 3rd true frosh QB st'r here s/1976) but Bolin led the comeback and st'd vs Clemson. Jackson st'd the next 5 and broke the UL single gm QB rush record with 184 (Jim Wagoner 162 in '74). Jackson inj'd his ankle and Bolin st'd vs Syr (24-35-362-3-1) and retook the job. He struggled vs UVA (10-21-139-1-0) but won. Bolin st'd vs Pitt but was benched trailing 42-17. Jackson almost guided the comeback. Bolin started vs UK but two 1Q int's got Jackson in for a comeback win. HC Bobby Petrino made his fifth and final QB change as Jackson threw for 227 and ran for a new QB rush rec of 226 vs A&M. Jackson struggled taking snaps from under center but improved during the year and threw for 1,840 (54.7%, 12-8, 960 rush). Bolin finished with 1,154 (56.9%, 7-6) while Bonnafon added 192 (58.3%, 2-1, 175 rush). Jackson should be one of

the ACC's top QB's for '16.

RUNNING BACKS - In '14 Brandon Radcliff had 129 vs WF, 110 vs Syr and 136 vs ND to lead w/737 (5.1). At 226 lbs true frosh LJ Scott (PS#63), a prototypical Petrino RB, avg 6.9 (201 yd). LY they added PS#98JC Jeremy Smith and NW trans Malin Jones (PS#37). Big things were expected from Radcliff but he had just 263 over the first 8 (late fmbl vs BC, bench vs WF) He ret'd with a vengeance (117 Syr, 146 Virg) and led the RB's with 634 (4.6). Smith had 129 comb'd in B2B gms vs WF and Syr (270, 4.5). Scott had just 137 (3.6) while QB Bonnafon also saw time as a hybrid QB/RB. A big reason for the RB struggles was an O-line that was allowing contact after less than 2 yds in the 1H of the year. With an improved O-line and everyone back, I look for significantly stronger numbers.

**RECEIVERS** - In '14 the Cardinals had 4 of their top 5 back. Devante Parker (inj) missed the first 7 but showed off his NFL form as he had 855 (19.9) in the final 6! VHT James Quick (PS#6) was #2 (566, 15.7). LY Quick was the only one of the top 6 rec's to return. They added in A&M trans Ja'Quay Savage (PS#16), UAB trans Jamari Staples (648 yds 2 yr), 2 JC's and some solid frosh. It was an injury depleted unit early on (1st 3 wks) with Staples, Quick and TE Cole Hikutini all inj'd (4 rec comb). Staples (miss 1st 4) had 194 vs Pitt and led with 638 (17.2). Quick had 130 vs Fla St (#2, 624, 16.0) while Hikutini was #4 (348, 18.3). True frosh Jaylen Smith had

214 in the first 4 (162 last 9) and finished #3. Everyone is back with 11 guys that are at 6'3" or taller making it one of the top units in the country.

DFFENSIVE LINE - LY the unit lost a 2nd Tm ACC LT(#3DC), 4Y LG (#3DC), a 4Y RG and a RT (7 st, lost job). They lost 158 car sts and had just 19 back! I pointed out the numbers were weaker than expected in '14 (143, 3.6, 41 sk) and Aaron Epps st'd the L/6 so they had 2 ret st'rs and added in 2 JUCO's. The numbers improved to 171 (4.5, 44 sk) aided by more mobile QB's. They shuffled the unit early and often with 11 diff st'rs. TY they lose RT Aaron Epps (8/14, UFA CIN), RG Skylar Lacy (9/10), RT Kelby Johnson (1/1, UFA TB), LG Pedro Sibiea (3/3) and CTC Klusman (2/3). Six of the top 11 return, including 2 true frosh who st'd (53 car sts), making them more exp'd and hopefully a more stable unit in 16.

**DEFENSIVE LINE** - In '14 UL shifted to a 3-4 and had to replace all 3 st'rs (#1DC), yet only all'd 28 rush ypg more. LY they only lost 1 DE (#6DC). Five of the top 6 ret'd incl 3rd Tm ACC Sheldon Rankins (8 sk '14). My computer called for them to allow 115 ypg rush and they yielded 120 (3.3, 38 sk). TY they lose 2nd Tm ACC DE Rankins (#6 tkl'r, 13 st, 6 sk, 7 tfl, #1DC NO) and DE Pio Vatuvei (5 st, 26 tkl, 1 sk). They return 4 of the top 6 including 2nd Tm ACC NT DeAngelo Brown and add in Ole Miss/JC transfer Chris Williams (PS#87). While less exp'd,

keep in mind the job they did with that '14 unit.

LINEBACKERS - LY the Cardinals had to replace a 1st Tm ACC LB (#5 tkl'r, #3DC) and their #9 tackler. They ret'd the unit's top 2 tkl'rs (#2 & #3) in the "Bash Brothers" Keith Brown and James Burgess. They also added in TCU transfer Devonte Fields (B12 DPOY '12)! Fields arrived late but had a big 2H of the year and led the FBS in tfl per gm (1.73). My computer proj (pg 43) forecast them to allow 23.7 ppg (allowed 24.1). TY they lose their Bash Brother duo in 2nd Tm ACC Burgess (13 st, #2 tkl'r, 9 tfl, UFA MIA) and Brown (6 st, #10 tkl'r, 2 tfl, trans to WKU) Trevon Young (6'4" 237) is bigger than Burgess (6'0" 229) and had 10 tfl. Fields got 8 sts at DE and is now locked in at LB so

this looks like one of the ACC's top LB units again. **DEFENSIVE BACKS** - The story of the unit in '14 was the emergence of Gerod Holliman (PS#20) who tied an NCAA record with 14 int (Al Worley, Washington '68). The Cards finished #2 in my PDR. LY they had to replace the Jim Thorpe Award winner, a #6 DC CB, their #6 tkl'r and SS (#1 tkl'r, #4DC). They had 111 car sts gone and ret'd only 5 of the '14's FBS leading 26 int's. They did add in a pair of VHT transfers from Georgia Shaq Wiggins (PS#37) and Josh Harvey-Clemons (PS#1) who had 11 car SEC sts. As expected they dropped in my PDR but were still solid at #47 (56.1%, 23-17).TY they lose S Jermaine Reve (7 st, #9 tkl'r) and DeEric Culver (10 tkl) but have 6 of the top 8 back and add in PS#58JC Ronald Walker. Harvey-Clemons did move to LB so they go from 0 ret st'rs to 3 and could move back into the Top 10 of my PDR.

ECIAL TEAMS - LY the unit had to replace their P & LS. K John Wallace hit 15-21 FG (long 50, 28 TB 73 KO) and became the career leader in FG's. ST coach Tony Grantham said Josh Appleby had one of the strongest legs of any P he ever coached and he avg 40.4 (39.1 net, 57 PR yds all'd). The return game was average with the exception of a 100 yd KR vs Clemson by true frosh Traveon Samuel. They were #99 in '15 and lose their K & P and should finish in the same area again.

OACHES - Bobby Petrino left L'ville after a 12-1 season in '06 ('03-'06) and the Cards won a comb'd 15 gms over the next 3Y. Now in year 3 of his return, w/17 wins total in '14-'15, Petrino seems settled in. He spent '13 at WKU and was also with the Atlanta Falcons ('07) and Ark ('08-'11). OC Garrick McGee left for Illinois and the new Co-OCs are Lonnie Galloway (WR cch) and Chris Klenakis (OL cch). Galloway is off a 2nd stint at WV (WR/asst HC '13-'15, '08-'10). Third year DC Todd Grantham was the DC ('10-'13) at Georgia. He also spent 11 yrs in the NFL incl 2Y as the Cowboys DL cch ('08-'09) and 3Y as the Browns DC ('05-'08). Tony Grantham (brother of DC) is in his 2nd ssn here (ST/LB) after serving as Navy's LB cch the prior six seasons.

**HIS DECADE 54-24 (69.2%) #19** - When former HC Howard Schnellenberger ('85-'94) got UL's program turned around he said that the Cardinals were on a collision course for the Nat'l Title. In '06 they blew a 25-7 lead at Rutgers or they would have been in that Nat'l Title gm. Bobby

Petrino left after '06 (12-1, #6). The next 5 yrs, the Cards were 29-33 but did get to bowls in each of Charlie Strong's F2Y ('10 & '11, 7-6 each yr). In '12 they had just 9 Sr's but won the final Big East Title and then ambushed #4 Florida in the Sugar Bowl finishing AP #13. The Cards did not face a tm that was ranked when they played in '13. They went 12-1 and won 36-9 over Miami in the bowl (#15). In '14 Strong left for Texas but Petrino ret'd. He only had 11 ret st'rs and lost Teddy Bridgewater while stepping up to the ACC. That '13 team was +17 in TO's. L'ville was crushed by UGA in the bowl 37-14 and finished 9-4 (#24). LY they opened 0-3 but finished 8-5 and their 54-24 record makes them #19 in the FBS this decade.

015 ANALYSIS 8-5 - UL ret'd just 9 st'rs in '15 and had just 10 schlp seniors. L'ville had a 405-327 vd edge vs Auburn but came up 7 pts short. In a Nat'l TV sandwich they were upset by Houston at home (UH finish #8 AP). UL missed a 53 yd FG at the end vs UH losing by 3. They missed a 38 yd FG w/2:28 left vs Clemson to lose by 3 and opened 0-3 for the first time s/1984. They st'd 3 diff QB's in the 1st 3. L'ville beat NCSt on the road and had a 267-179 yd edge vs Florida St at half but lost by 20. UL had a 365-79 yd edge vs BC but won by just 3 and then topped WF by 1 with zero 4Q pts in either game. They beat Syracuse and Virginia, but trailed Pitt 42-17 and lost by 11. Louisville trailed UK 24-7 in the 3Q but rallied to win by 14 and later beat a Texas A&M team down to its #3 QB by 6 in the bowl for an 8-5 record (NR).

ALSO OLI 105 TLIE RB Trey Smith 6'0" 215 rFr

QB Ethan Horton 6'0" 208 Jr

QB Sean McCormack 6'5" 200 Fr

WR Pat Thomas 6'4" 190 Sr

WR Chris Miele 6'2" 190 Jr

# PHIL'S FORECAST

**OFFENSE** - L'ville avg 35.6 ppg over their final 5 gms in '15. If QB Lamar Jackson plays all year like he did in the bowl game, their offense will be unstoppable. They have 9 ret st'rs on offense (Petrino is known for his offenses) and my computer says (pg 43) they will be about a TD per game better than LY's 28.7 ppg.

DEFENSE - Losing DL Rankins and the "Bash Brothers" at LB is tough, but they have back LB Devonte Fields, S Josh Harvey-Clemons and CB Shaq Wiggins, who all saw their first action here last year. With 8 returning starters they could be stronger despite the losses.

D16 - L'ville won 8 of their last 10 gms in '15 including a bowl win over A&M so they come in with some momentum. They have a Stock Market Indicator of +2.5 and go from 9 ret st'rs and #117 in my experience rankings, to 17 ret st'rs and 14th most exp'd. QB Jackson has a great set of WR's to throw to and they are in the top 4 of the ACC in both Offense and Defense. The ST's need to improve. All the talk this year in the ACC will be about Florida St and Clemson who are both National Title contenders but Louisville has the talent to challenge those 2 in the Atlantic. Even with the addition of Houston on the nonconference slate, 3 of my 9 sets of power ratings are calling for double digit wins. Check out page 35 to see if Louisville made my Surprise Team List (National Title contenders).

6-3 257 PS#39.11 gm, 12 tkl, 3.5 tfl LY.93 Chris Williams (6'1" 295 Jr) PS#87. Orig

### 2016 PROJECTED STARTING NEUP

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OFFENSE 6-3 196 PS#29. 7 st, 1840 (55%, 12-8), 960 rush (5.9) as true. 7 Reggie Bonnafon LE 99 James Hearns Jr. QB 8 LAMAR JACKSON SO. (6'3" 209 Jr) PS#25. 5 st, 864 (51%, 5-4) '14. 3 st (1QB, 2RB) 192 (58%, 2-1), 175 rush (3.9) LY. 14 Kyle Bolin (6'2" 208 Jr). RB 23 BRANDON RADCLIFF SR. 5-9 214 `PS#89.5st, 737(5.1) 14.5st, 634 (4.6) LY.27 LJ Scott (60° 226 Jr) PS#63. NT 97 DeANGELO BROWN SR. 3 st, 201 (6.9) '14. 4 st, 137 (3.6) LY. 34 Jeremy Smith (6'2" 221 Jr) PS#98JC. 33 Malin Jones (6'0" 225 Sr) PS#37. WR 17 JAMÉS QUICK SR. 6-1 191 PS#6. 9 gm, 73 (12.2) as true. 12 st, 566 (15.7) '14. 8 st, 624 (16.0) LY RE 14 Drew Bailey Sr. 9 Traveon Samuel (5'7" 178 So) PS#64. 13 gm, 177 (9.8), 321 KR (26.8) as true. Emonee Spence (6'3" 194 So) PS#72. 58 Jonathan Greenard (6 6-3 214 PS#16. 10 gm, 71 (17.8) as true. A&M trans '14. 6 st, 135 (11.3) LY. SAM 92 DEVONTE FIELDS SR. WR 19 JA'QUAY SAVAGE JR. 86 Devante Peete (6'6" 203 So) PS#33. WR 2 JAMARI STAPLES SR. 6-4 195 PS#265. 12 st, 648 (16.2) F2Y at UAB. 6 st, 638 (17.2) LY. 87 Jaylen Smith WKE 32 STACY THOMAS JR. (6'4" 184 So) PS#164. 10 st, 376 (13.0) as true. 88 Javonte Bagley (6'3" 192 Jr) PS#310. 4 gm as true. 1 st, 88 (12.6) LY. 7 tkl '14. 9 st, 32 tkl, 8.5 sk LY. O TE 18 COLE HIKUTINI SR. 6-5 242 PS#134JC.3 st, 348 (18.3) LY. 89 Keith Towbridge (6'5" 261 Sr) PS#57. MO 55 KEITH KELSEY SR. 12 st, 261 (13.7) 3Y. 83 Micky Crum (6'4" 257 So) PS#45. 7 st, 163 (11.6) LY. Charles Standberry (6'3" 226 Jr) PS#49. C 61 TOBIJAH HUGHLEY SR. 6-3 289 DNP '13. 11 st '14. 11 st LY. 54 Kevin Austin (6'2" 286 Jr) PS#502JC DNP as WO LY. <u>LS</u> 49 Colin Holba (6'3" 233 Sr) 1 gm '14. 12 gm LY. 42 Tyler Polston (6'3" 239 Jr) DNP LY.

RG 50 Khalil Hunter Jr.

6-4 291 PS#36JC.4 gm LY. 56 Kiola Mahoni (6'3" 300 Jr) PS#252JC.4 st, 8 gm CB 6 SHAQ WIGGINS JR. LY. 65 Luke Schultheiss (6'1" 284 Jr). Tyler Haycraft (6'3" 269 rFr) DNP LY. LS 46 Brendan Lowery (5'11" 210 So). LG 79 Kenny Thomas So. 6-6 320 F3#200. 3 st, 10 girl as tide. 77 Chaldide 3 offices (64 20 67 f) 6-7 Thomas Nauert (6'2' 255 rFr). LS 41 Ryan Betlach (5'10' 193 Jr).
6-6 313 PS#119. RS '14.9 st, 11 gm last season. 68 Danny Burns (6'6' 303 SS 22 CHUCKY WILLIAMS JR.
Chaz Ray (6'3" 340 rFr) WO this spring. 63 Nathan Scheler (6'1" 270 So).
6-6 320 PS#113. 13 st at LT as true. 70 Toriano Roundtree (6'7" 305 So) RS FS 11 Dee Smith So. PS#162. Linwood Foy (6'5" 290 Jr) RT 72 LUKAYUS MCNEIL SO. rFr) PS#115, DNP last season, 6 LT 74 GERON CHRISTIAN SO. as a late signee last season. Robbie Bell (6'5" 285 Fr) PS#171. 47 pancake blocks last year as a HS Sr. K 43 Austin Johnson Fr. 6-2 185 PS#21. QB/K/P in HS w/2158 all-purp yds, 13 td pass, 9 rush td's, 7-8 fg L/42 P

as HS Sr. 47 Jon Brown (5'10" 202 Jr) 1 gm, 1 KO LY. 32 Blanton Creque (5'11" 170 So). Anthony George (6'1" 190 Sr).

Ole Miss '14. JC LY. 95 Kyle Shortridge (6'2" 305 Jr) PS#115. 4 gm, 2 tkl '14. 12 gm, 7 tkl LY. Mike Boykin is PS#114. 6-0 308 PS#146.7 gm, 10 tkl as true. DNP (inj) '13.3 st, 20 tkl, 1.5 sk '14.12 st, 40 tkl, 2 sk, 4.5 tfl LY, 90 Johnny Richardson (6'3" 322 Jr) PS#58. 1 st, 9 tkl '14. 2 gm, 4 tkl LY. Caleb Tillman is PS#147. RE 14 Drew Bailey Sr. 6-3 284 PS#82JC. 12 gm, 9 tkl LY. 94 GG Robinson (6'4" 290 rFr) PS#142. 58 Jonathan Greenard (6'4" 226 rFr) PS#163. Kordell Slater (6'4" 244 Fr) PS#250. Derek Dorsey (6'3" 275 Fr) PS#169. 6-4 245 PS#8JC. B12 DPOY at TCU as true. JC '14. 12 st, 64 tkl, 11 sk, 11.5 tfl, 3 pbu, 13 gm, 166 (13.8) as true. Gio Pascascio (6'3" 185 Sr). Jalen Washington (5'7" 177 So). 2nd Tm ACC LY. Gary McCrae (6'4" 220 So) PS#43. Henry Famurewa (6'2" 245 Jr) PS#99. Damien Smith (6'1" 215 So). 6-1 225 **PS#63**.26 gm, 40 tkl L2Y. **91 Trevon Young** (6'4" 237 Sr) **PS#41JC**. 11 gm, Finesse Middleton (5'11" 242 Jr) PS#147.8 gm, 4 tkl L2Y. Trey Smith (6'0" 215 rFr). 7 tkl '14, 9 st. 32 tkl. 8,5 sk LY, OFS, 57 6-1 236 PS#114. 13 st, 87 tkl, 6 sk, 3 pbu, 7 qbh, HM ACC '14. 13 st, 107 tkl, 3.5 sk, 8.5 tfl, 3 pbu, 6 qbh, 1st Tm ACC LY. 42 Isaac Stewart (6'2" 238 Jr) PS#118.9 gm, 7 tkl LY. PJ Blue is PS#39. WILL 25 JOSH HARVEY-CLEMONS SR. 6-5 230 PS#1. 11 st, 66 tkl, 5.5 tfl, 6 pd at UGA '13. Trans '14. 13 st, 88 tkl, 2 tfl, 3 pbu, 3 int LY. <u>NB</u> 53 Amonte Caban (61" 226 rFr) PS#58. 29 Javier Santiago (5'9" 190 So). John Stitch (5'10" 185 So). CB 6 SHAQ WIGGINS JR. 5-10 171 PS#37. 8 st, 19 tkl, 6 pd as true. UGA trans '14. 13 st, 30 tkl, 13 pd LY. 10 Jaire Alexander (5'11" 184 So) PS#137. 1 st, 19 tkl, 3 pd, 223 PR (9.7) as true. Lamarques Thomas is PS#92. 6-6 320 PS#206. 5 st, 10 gm as true. 71 Chandler Jones (6'4" 300 rFr) CB 15 TRUMAINE WASHINGTON JR. 5-10 181 PS#317.8 gm, 14 tkl as true. 12 st, 56 tkl, 7 tfl, 6 pbu, 4 int, 3rd Tm ACC LY. 20 Ronald Walker (6'2" 195 Jr) PS#58JC. IFS. 3 Cornelius Sturghill (5'11" 186 So). Devontre Parnell (5'11" 184 Jr). SS 22 CHUCKY WILLIAMS JR. 6-2 204 PS#68. 9 gm, 6 tkl 14. 13 st, 61 tkl, 2 tfl, 7 pbu, 3 int LY. 1 Alphonso Carter is PS#80JC. London lakopo (6'0" 212 Jr) PS#89JC. Marcus Mays (5'10" 185 So). Jacob Crawford (5'6" 166 Fr). 6-1 200 PS#52.6 gm, 7 tkl as true. 24 Zykiesis Cannon (6'0" 195 Jr) PS#241. Khane Pass (6'1" 200 rFr) PS#119. 28 Terrence Ross (6'1" 208 Jr) PS#234. 9 gm, 4 tkl as true. 1 st, 16 tkl LY. 5 43 Austin Johnson Fr. 6-2 195 PS#21. Also at K. 29 Mason King (6'3" 175 rFr) RS LY. Likely the P, showed potential at pract LY. 43 Patrick Soucy (6'0" 185 So). 36 Evan O'Hara (5'10" 194 So) PS#151. WO. DNP LY.

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### WEATHER 40209 Louisville, Kentucky PLAYING EXP: QB at Carroll ('79-'82) **Enrollment: 22.367 (#5/#81)** PRIOR HC EXP: Louisville 1st stint ('03-'06) T CAREER PASSING LEADERS CAREER RUSHING LEADERS CAREER RECEIVING LEADERS Phil's Homefield Edge - 4.25 NFL ATL ('07, 13 gms), Arkansas ('08-'11), WKU ('13) Ļ W **FINAL** 1. Chris Redman 12.541 '96-'99 1. Walter Peacock 3.204 '72-'75 1. Arnold Jackson 3.670 '97-'00 TH Yr Here / 3 Yr Back / 12 Overall FBS 2016 Schedule Difficulty - #50 **SCORE** 2 Brian Brohm 10 775 '04-'07 2 Nathan Poole 2 903 '75-'78 2 Harry Douglas 2 924 '04-'07 Ņ Ŕ 2015 RECORDS L **OPPONENT** 3. Teddy Bridgewater 9,817 '11-'13 3. Lenny Lyles 2,786 '54-'57 3. lbn Green 2.830 '96-'99 UL OPP Record: 58-18 100-39 Bowls: 3-3 5-4 First mtg. The Cardinals are 10-3 in home openers but lost LY, haven't dropped 2 str s/'95-'98 (4 str 0 Sep. 1 Charlotte (Thur) Α Home: 31-4 57-11 losses). The last 3 ssns Louisville has played 10x's on non-Saturdays in the regular ssn going 7-3. Away: 24-10 34-23 CONF: 5-3 (#3 ATLANTIC) Former BE opp's from '05-'12 reunited in the ACC. LTH outside of 2 fg drives SU mustered just 145 Neutral 3-4 9-5 Sep. 9 at Syracuse (Fri) Α yds on 12 poss. UL trailed 3-0 but led 12-3 at HT & scored 16 unanswered after SU cut it to 6 early 3Q. **2016 RET STARTERS:** Vs Conf. 34-12 55-30 L2Y UL has all'd ssn highs in yds, +265 above avg in '14 & +177 LY. UL led 14-13 w/9:08 3Q. FSU hit a Vs Top 10: 2-3 4-12 DEF: 8 Α Sep. 17 Florida St 14-22 Vs Top 25: 4-10 70 yd td pass that sparked 21 str pts. Up 13, FSU put the gm away w/a 75/11pl 4Q td drive (6:35 TOP) Vs P5 16-4 20-7 LETTERMEN (O/D/ST) LTH UL won 56-0 but that was in '77. UL has dropped 4 str since their L/win in '81 incl the '98 Motor City Off Bye: 12-7 16-10 Α Sep. 24 at Marshall & '02 GMAC Bowls. UL has won 6 str non-conf reg ssn 'true' road gms (L/loss in '11 at NC, BE member) **RET: 46** (25,20,1) Off Loss: 12-3 24-11 LTH was the inaugural mtg. It was a defensive battle as the tms combined for just 493 yds & 22 FD. **LOST: 17** (7,8,2) **ACC-ATLANTIC** BE/AAC: '05-'1: CUSA: '96-'0 G at Clemson Oct. 1 Down 6, UL took over w/1:20 left, driving 79/5pl but on 4th&G from the CU2 threw inc in the EZ w/:21 Bonus: Petrino is 12-3 after a loss during his tenure here. UL is on a 2-9 run vs ranked foes s/08. 8 Oct. First ACC mtg as their last/only gm took place in '02 (Durham, NC), UL won 40-3. Into '16, the Cardinals Oct. 14 Duke (Fri) are 6-2 hosting ACC foes with the wins by 12 ppg & the losses by 7 ppg (vs #2 & #11 ranked foes). LY UL never trailed & led 14-0 after a 93/13pl td drive w/8:36 2Q. The Cardinal defense limited the Wolfpack A Oct. 22 NC State offense to just 30/16pl their L/3 poss that ended in 2 punts & SOD down 7 at the NCSt14 w/1:13 left. LTH (1st gm s/'89) UL took a 21-20 lead w/6:59 left, but after forcing a punt fmbl'd the PR setting up the G Oct. 29 at Virginia Cavaliers GW fg. Into '16, UL is 4-4 in ACC road gms but LY's avg W was by 4 ppg (losses by 16 ppg) UL has won 3 str (L/loss in '94). LTH UL trailed 13-3 early 2Q. They went on to score 21 str until a BC Α Nov. 5 at Boston College 71/7pl td drive w/3:30 3Q. Into the 4Q UL only led 24-19 but int'd BC 3x's (at UL35, UL7 & midfield) LY UL trailed 19-10 but got a td:22 before HT. UL shutout WF in the 2H scoring the only pts on a 39 Nov. 12 Wake Forest Α yd fg w/1:25 3Q. WF was int'd at the UL11 & 3 in the 4Q. QB Jawon Pass 6-4 214 PS#7 Gary McCrae 6-4 252 PS#43 '15 Chris Williams 6-1 295 PS#87 '14 IFS PJ Blue 6-3 210 PS#39 Desmond Fitzpatrick 6-2 195 PS#63 LB CUSA rivals from '96-'04 & AAC foes in '13. LTH ('04) UL DL LB WR at Houston (Thur) Α Nov. 17 rolled UH 65-27. Cardinals are 6-2 s/99 vs the Cougars. Ply'd every yr s/'94. LY UK led 21-0 after a 81 yd IR td & WH Desmond Fligharinx 6-2 195 PS#93 DB Lamarques Thomas 6-0 185 PS#92 WR Chris Taylor-Yamanoha 6-2 185 PS#108 LB Tobias Little 6-0 234 PS#93 K/P Austin Johnson 6-2 195 PS#21 DL Mike Boykin 6-6 255 PS#114 WR Keion Wakefield 5-10 170 PS#118 DR Desmold Wilding 6-1 10 PS#51/16 ER A Nov. 26 Kentucky after a fg on the 1H's L/pl led 24-7 at HT. UL held UK to -1 3Q yds & into the 4Q the gm was tied 24-24. UL got a gm Dec. 3 deciding 4 yd td run w/10:17 left & tacked on a td 6:15 later. RB BRANDON RADCLIF PAPA JOHN'S CARDINAL STADIUM - FieldTuri Ronald Walker 6-1 196 PS#58JC IFS Seth Dawkins 6-3 205 PS#131 DB WR **Built: 1998 • 55,000 (#49) • LY's Capacity: 89.2% (#49)** ΙR Tabarius Peterson 6-3 242 PS#116 LAST 5 BOWLS ALL-TIME RECORD 10-9-1 Malik Staples 6-1 205 PS#83 Caleb Tillman 6-3 274 PS#147 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 10 Yr Total 2006 YR BOWL/TEAM RANK OPPONENT SCORE LINE STRAIGHT UP 12-1 6-6 5-7 4-8 7-6 11-2 12-1 9-4 8-5 DB London lakopo 6-0 212 PS#89JC NC State 11 Belk +2 24-31 Derek Dorsey 6-3 275 PS#169 Robbie Bell 6-5 285 PS#171 Kordell Slater 6-4 243 PS#250 IFS DL OL DL TE Home 6-0 4-2 4-4 4-2 3-4 3-3 6-1 6-1 5-1 4-2 45-20 12 Sugar Bowl - #22 +14 Florida - #4 33-23 **(H)** 1-3 3-2 4-2 4-2 Awav 4-1 2-4 0-6 4-1 5-0 30 - 2313 Russell Athletic - #18 -5 Miami FI 36-9 Neutral 0-0 2-0 0-0 6-3 0-0 1-0 0-1 1-0 1-0 0-1 1-1 Austin Cummins 6-5 230 PS#77 Dae Williams 6-2 236 PS#176 Malik Williams 6-3 220 PS#268JC vs Conf 14 Belk - #20 +7 Georgia - #13 14-37 6-1 1-6 1-6 5-2 7-1 41-32 DB 15 Music City -3 Texas A&M 27-21 vs Non-Conf 6-0 4-1 3-2 4-2 2-4 6-0 40-14 ATS 4-7 4-7 4-7-1 7-6 6-7 5-7-1 OFFENSE - LAST 7 9-4 7-6 — DEFENSE 2-3 Home Fav 8 5-1 1-2 1-2 2-2 2-4 3-4 2-5 2-3 21-30 PASS AVG OFF % PLAY YPP 55.5 6.0 14.5 1-4 OFF OFF YPC 4.5 OFF SKS TOTAL YPP VS TURN 14.5 44 -1 DEF TOTAL PTS DEF TOTAL OFF OFF PASS DEF RUSH DEF YPC DEF PASS PASS 인 0-0 원 1-2 1-2 Home Dog 9 0-0 2-2 0-3 0-0 0-0 0-0 ፟ በ-1 1-0 4-8 333 5\* 28.7 416 171 245 4 24.1 120 3.3 213 56.1 4.8 13.8 38 1-1 3-1 2-0 Away Fay ∄ 3-2 0-0 2-0 0-0 1-3 2-2-1 1-1 14-12-1 31.2 395 143 3.6 252 55.4 5.5 12.7 41 2014 4 21.8 309 109 3.3 200 53.9 4.8 14.2 41 Away Doo 0-0 0-2 2-3-1 2-1 6-0 1-0 0-0 16-9-1 2-1 5 0-0 ≅ 1-1 35.2 461 147 4.2 314 70.8 6.7 13.1 26 +17 2013 10 12.2 251 81 2.6 171 50.7 4.2 20.7 43 0-0 0-0 1-0 0-1 1-0 1-0 0-1 2-0 6-3 Neutral 6\* 31.2 419 123 3.5 296 67.3 5.9 13.4 31 +11 2012 8 23.8 340 148 4.3 192 57.3 5.3 14.3 22 ₩ 4-3 1-6 1-5-1 6-1 3-4 \ 2-6 30-42-1 vs Conf vs Non-Conf 2011 2010 4-2 2-4 3-3 3-1-1 4-1 21.9 333 122 3.4 211 63.8 5.1 15.2 41 -1 7 20.1 328 101 3.0 227 60.0 5.0 16.3 33 1-3 3-1 3-2 31-20-1 3 8\* 7 4 Off SU Win 175 3-2 2-1-1 3-3 3-4 4-6 3-7-1 26.4 369 4.8 194 59.8 5.7 14.0 17 +3 19.4 312 144 4.0 167 54.8 5.0 16.1 39 1-4 33-40-2 6 26.3 371 165 4.3 206 64.6 5.8 14.1 23 Off SU Loss 1-0 3-3 1-4 2-5 4-2 5-0 1-1 1-0 2-1 3-2 23-18 18.1 334 125 3.5 209 56.2 5.1 18.5 37 -3 2009 **2015 STATISTICAL LEADERS** GAME-BY-GAME STATS 2015 **OFFENSE DEFENSE** 960 11 5.9 634 7 4.6 270 3 4.5 175 0 3.9 137 2 3.6 -59 0 -3.7 TKL SKS TFL PBU INT QBH 107 3.5 8.5 3 0 6 92 0 9.5 4 1 1 88 1 1 3 3 1 LOST 228 55 16 RUSH PASS SKS ATT-YDS AVG CO-ATT YDS VS TTL RUSH PASS SKS DEF FD ATT-YDS AVG CO-ATT YDS BY NET OFF VS DEF VS GM YDS TO'S FOE DEF FOE OFF GRADE SCORE OFF FD Lamar Jackson Brandon Radcliff Keith Kelsey ATT OPPONENT 4 327 21 41-190 4.6 11-21 73.927 24-31 405 27 48-238 5.0 17-33 167 137 0 78 +1 #8 #5 47 90.9 139 James Burgess Auburn 0 689 Josh Harvey-Clemons 88 Devonte Fields 64 Chucky Williams 61 Sholdon Populing Jeremy Smith Reggie Bonnafon LJ Scott 286 26-70 27 27-45 325 2 462 25 57-226 4.0 23-35 2 -3 #8 12 50.019 Houston 31-34 395 25 236 -67 #9 24 83.4 48 7 87 45 38 16 55 396 Clemson 17-20 272 16 28-19 0.7 20-35 253 5 401 20 40-202 5.1 21-30 199 -129 0 #10 -44 122 87.1 144 28 Kyle Bolin Sheldon Rankins 50 121 Samford 45-3 562 25 46-288 6.3 18-28 274 2 201 12 27-71 2.6 17-30 130 3 361 +2 96.0 YDS TD 1840 12 INT QBR 8 126.8 6 135.8 1 144.7 Trumaine Washington DeAngelo Brown PASSING ATT COM Lamar Jackson 247 135 Kyle Bolin 137 78 at NC State 20-13 306 20 45-203 4.5 10-27 103 228 11 30-45 1.5 16-28 183 4 78 +2 -48 #1 56.417 94.2 406 20 3.3 20-35 307 5 32-133 4.2 27-39 377 2 -2 #4 #10 80.8 71,225 at Florida St 21-41 30-99 510 24 -104 75 -93 0.5 78 56.9 14 58.3 56.9 1154 7 58.3 192 2 Jermaine Reve Reggie Bonnafon 24 Keith Brown **Boston College** 17-14 365 18 48-135 2.8 15-26 230 79 30--14 -0.5 9-22 93 8 286 -3 #3 121 92.7 57 48 TD 3 5 82.8 37 39 29 19 24.922 at Wake Forest 20-19 317 17 42-68 1.6 23-32 249 266 32-40 1.3 9-30 226 51 #8 -51 74 AVG 17.2 638 624 Jamari Staples Stacy Thomas 41-17 579 23 31-217 7.0 24-36 362 286 13 36-102 2.8 19-37 184 2 -1 153 #3 37 98.3 0.5 11 46.158 Syracuse 293 #1 James Quick 16.0 Shaq Wiggins Pio Vatuvei 376 348 177 Jaylen Smith Cole Hikutini 13.0 18.3 55 56 27 2.5 0 0 1 51 233 38-31 425 23 37-266 7.2 11-22 159 2 354 22 31-94 3.0 25-41 260 2 71 -1 #6 15 #6 32 876 Virginia Jaire Alexander 0 0 2.5 0 42,119 at Pittsburgh 354 17 476 25 45-244 5.4 22-34 2 34-45 24-(-1) 0.0 20-38 355 232 -1 -10 #13 -107 73.9 -122 #9 Traveon Samuel 9.8 **Zvkiesis Cannon** 166 163 154 135 105 9.8 13.8 11.6 15.4 11.3 10.5 12 14 10 James Hearns 0 62,512 at Kentucky 38-24 489 20 40-314 7.9 10-26 175 0 291 14 37-92 2.5 9-26 199 3 198 -1 #2 103 #3 88 943 37 29 32 34 26 Micky Crum 5 50.478 † Texas A&M 27-21 534 21 46-307 6.7 12-26 227 1 445 25 39-138 3.5 28-48 307 89 +2 #1 167 #7 -22 96.5 0.5 Keith Towbridge **Drew Bailey** 0.5 0 0 1 4326 227 477-1563 3.3 236-421 2763 38 1083 **TOTALS** 373-313 5409 272 491-2223 4.5 227-409 3186 44 -1 #6 493 #5 Ja'Quay Say 12 10 Isaac Stewart Reggie Bonnafon PUNT RETURNS Jaire Alexander **AVERAGES** 29-24 416 21 38-171 4.5 55.5% 245 10.8% 333 17 37-120 3.3 56.1% 213 9.0% 83 -0.1 #37 41 #30 51 #30 AVG 9.7 TD 0 NO YDS 23 223 LNG 33 NO YDS AVG FC NET 69 2791 40.4 40 39.1 BLK In20 ATTENDANCE CONF 26-25 378 19 36-126 3.5 57.0% 252 13.9% 325 16 35-106 3.1 56.7% 219 9.6% 53 -2 #44 26 #24 60 87.2 YDS 321 276 AVG 26.8 17.2 TD LNG 1 100 0 33 Josh Appleby 28 KICK RETURNS 433 22 36-166 4.6 59.9% 267 9.9% 297 49.069 (#44) HOME 32-20 16 37-114 3.1 58.5% 184 9.2% 136 XP 1-29 30-39 40-49 50+ TTL LNG Traveon Samuel 46-47 5-5 8-11 1-2 1-3 15-21 50 Corvin Lamb -6 #37 51 #21 86 90.8 John Wallace 54,514 (#40) AWAY 26-28 402 20 39-175 4.5 51.6% 226 11.5% 363 19 37-126 3.4 54.0% 237 8.8% 38 +5 #37 34 #42 27 85.2 **15 RESULTS (8-5) 11 RESULTS (7-6) 12 RESULTS (11-2)** POST #13 '13 RESULTS (12-1) POST #15 **14 RESULTS (9-4)** POST #24 RANK SCORE RANK RANK **21-9** 17-24 Miami, Fl\* +10 24-31 31-34 Murray St -29 #25 Kentucky -14 32-14 #9 Ohio -21 49-7 31-13 † Auburn - #6 -3<sup>7</sup> #23 Missouri St -37 35-7 -40 Eastern Kentucky 44-7 -37 -13 FIU #8 Murray St 66-21 Houston at Virginia' Clemson\* - #11 PREVIOUSLY RANKED! 24-17 #19 North Carolina -3 39-34 #7 at Kentucky -14 27-13 -5' 21-23 17-20 at Kentucky +5 #21 +6 -11 at FIU 28-21 -42 -32 34-3 45-3 Marshall 13-17 #20 #7 FIU 72-0 Samford #19 at Southern Miss -11 21-17 #7 at Wake Forest\* -20' 20-10 20-13 at North Carolina Temple' at NC State Rutgers\* UCF\* at Florida St\* - #11 21-41 **17-14** at Cincinnati\* +13' 16-25 #18 at Pittsburgh\* 45-35 #8 -19 24-10 at Syracuse\* **-2**' 28-6 +6' **-7**' -3 -6 -3 USF\* Boston College\* 27-25 #16 Rutgers\* -1 16-14 #8 -14 35-38 at Clemson<sup>1</sup> 17-23 #16 Cincinnati\* ot 34-31 #18 at USF\* NC State\* -18' 30-18 Syracuse -20 34-3 -11 20-19 27-10 at Wake 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