

WEEK FOUR  
ARIZONA STATE AT WASHINGTON

No. 10 Washington holds off rally, beats Arizona State 27-20  
SEATTLE -- Jake Browning threw a pair of touchdown passes in the first quarter, added a third TD toss early in the fourth quarter, and No. 10 Washington outlasted Arizona State 27-20 on Saturday night.

Browning rebounded from a handful of shaky moments in the first three weeks of the season to put together a complete performance that didn't have any of the major miscues he made at times early in his senior season. Browning hit Aaron Fuller and Ty Jones on TD passes during a brilliant first quarter, and found Cade Otton in the back corner of the end zone early in the fourth quarter on a 5-yard TD to give Washington (3-1, 2-0 Pac-12) a 27-13 lead.

Herm Edwards suffered his second straight loss in charge of the Sun Devils' after a promising 2-0 start that included an upset of Michigan State. The problem against Washington was simply a lack of punch from Edwards' offense.

Arizona State (2-2, 0-1) rediscovered its run game that was absent the previous two weeks, with Eno Benjamin rushing for 104 yards. But quarterback Manny Wilkins threw for only 104 yards and star wide receiver N'Keal Harry was limited to five catches for 20 yards, unable to find space against Washington's stellar secondary. Wilkins scored on a 1-yard TD run with 2:54 left to pull the Sun Devils within 27-20. Arizona State kicked deep with three timeouts remaining, but Washington converted a key third-and-6 when Browning hit Andre Baccellia for 9 yards with 2:34 left on a call that was overturned on replay.

Browning finished 15 of 22 passing for 202 yards, but was at his best in the first quarter when he hit 6 of 7 passes for 110 yards and his first two touchdowns. Fuller, the Huskies leading receiver, caught his first TD of the season on an 11-yard reception. Jones' TD was his fourth, an impressive 19-yard catch as he was falling backward in the end zone.

The quick start by Browning came after an inauspicious start for the Huskies. The team first got briefly stuck in the tunnel leading to the field before kickoff when a gate wouldn't open, then saw wide receiver Andre Baccellia throw an interception on the first play of the game on a double pass. Arizona State's Chase Lewis grabbed the interception and six plays later Benjamin scored from the 1 for a 7-0 Arizona State lead.

**BROWNING BITES**

Browning became the second quarterback in Washington history to top 10,000 career passing yards when he hit Otton on a 24-yard completion in the third quarter. He trails only Cody Pickett in career yards passing at the school. Browning topped 10,000 career yards of total offense earlier in the game and his three TD passes gave him 85 for his career, moving him into a tie for eighth in Pac-12 history.

**THE TAKEAWAY**

Arizona State: The Sun Devils were committed to the run game and keeping the ball away from the Huskies as much as possible. Arizona

State's 164 yards rushing was double the previous two games combined. The Sun Devils were held to 44 yards against Michigan State and only 36 yards against San Diego State.

Washington: The Huskies pass protection could not have been much better allowing Browning time to find his receivers down field, especially in the first quarter. Browning was sacked only once against a defense that had 12 sacks coming into the game.

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ASU	10	0	3	0	13
WASH	14	3	3	7	27

**Scoring Summary -----**

	ASU	WASH
<b>FIRST QUARTER</b>		
ASU TD 12:02 E. Benjamin run for 1 yd for a TD, (B. Ruiz KICK)	7	0
6 plays, 20 yards, 2:43		
WASH TD 8:05 J. Browning pass, to A. Fuller for 11 yds for a TD, (P. Henry KICK)	7	7
9 plays, 80 yards, 3:57		
ASU FG 3:53 B. Ruiz 48 yd FG GOOD	10	7
12 plays, 47 yards, 4:12		
WASH TD 0:57 J. Browning pass, to T. Jones for 19 yds for a TD, (P. Henry KICK)	10	14
5 plays, 75 yards, 2:56		
<b>Second Quarter</b>		
ASU FG 5:05 P. Henry 26 yd FG GOOD	16	17
16 plays, 73 yards, 7:13		
<b>Third Quarter</b>		
ASU FG 10:40 B. Ruiz 41 yd FG GOOD	13	17
10 plays, 44 yards, 4:20		
WASH FG 7:17 P. Henry 29 yd FG GOOD	13	20
8 plays, 63 yards, 3:23		
<b>Fourth Quarter</b>		
WASH TD 10:59 J. Browning pass, to C. Otton for 5 yds for a TD, (P. Henry KICK)	13	27
8 plays, 67 yards, 4:42		

**Team Stats**

	ASU	WASH
First Downs	17	24
Total Yards	268	363
Total Plays	67	55
Avg Gain Per Play	4.0	6.6
Net Yards Rushing	164	170
Rushes	40	33
Yards Per Rush	4.1	5.2
Net Yards Passing	104	193
Comp-Att	17-27	14-22
Yards Per Pass	3.9	8.8
Times Sacked	1	0
Yds Lost To Sacks	-2	0
Interceptions	0	1
Punts	4	3
Punt Average	0.0	0.0
Penalties	6	3
Penalty Yards	57	30
Fumbles	3	0
Fumbles Lost	1	0
<b>Possession</b>	<b>29:15</b>	<b>27:51</b>

**Individual Stats**

**RUSHING**

ASU	Rush	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
3 Eno Benjamin	26	104	4.0	15	1
25 Trelon Smith	8	45	5.6	19	0
5 Manny Wilkins	4	13	3.3	6	1
31 Isaiah Floyd	1	3	3.0	3	0
WASH	Rush	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
9 Myles Gaskin	17	75	4.4	14	0
26 Salvon Ahmed	10	71	7.1	14	0
24 Kamari Pleasant	3	18	6.0	9	0
3 Jake Browning	3	5	1.7	4	0
25 Sean McGrew	1	3	3.0	3	0

**PASSING**

ASU	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
5 Manny Wilkins	17	27	104	3.9	0	0	95.3
WASH	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
3 Jake Browning	14	21	193	9.2	3	0	191.0
5 Andre Baccellia	0	1	0	0.0	0	1	-200.0

**RECEIVING**

ASU	Rec	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
2 Brandon Aiyuk	3	36	12.0	20	0
1 N'Keal Harry	5	20	4.0	5	0
25 Trelon Smith	3	16	5.3	7	0
3 Eno Benjamin	3	14	4.7	7	0
10 Kyle Williams	2	12	6.0	9	0
22 Nick Ralston	1	6	6.0	6	0
WASH	Rec	Yds	Avg	Long	TD
2 Aaron Fuller	3	50	16.7	30	1
20 Ty Jones	2	43	21.5	24	1
87 Cade Otton	3	40	13.3	24	1
88 Drew Sample	2	24	12.0	17	0
9 Myles Gaskin	2	23	11.5	14	0
6 Chico McClatcher	1	11	11.0	11	0
26 Salvon Ahmed	1	2	2.0	2	0
5 Andre Baccellia	0	0	-	-	0