

WEEK NINE
CINCINNATI AT SMU

DALLAS -- James Wiggins returned an interception 86 yards for a touchdown in overtime, giving Cincinnati a 26-20 win over Southern Methodist on Saturday afternoon.

SMU's Ben Hicks threw over the middle early in overtime and Wiggins stepped in front of the intended receiver for the interception, then ran 86 yards untouched for the winning score.

Cincinnati trailed 20-17 when Cole Smith booted a 41-yard field goal as regulation expired, forcing the overtime.

Desmond Ridder had 352 yards and two touchdowns passing for the Bearcats (7-1, 3-1 American Athletic Association). Khalil Lewis caught both scores and had 174 yards receiving.

Ridder capped the first drive of the game with a 32-yard touchdown pass to Lewis who had to fully extend himself in stride to make the catch.

The Bearcats went on to lead 17-14 at halftime but fell behind 20-17 in the fourth quarter on a pair of Kevin Robledo field goals.

Hicks finished with 328 yards passing and a pair of touchdowns for the Mustangs (3-5, 2-2).

Final	1	2	3	4	OT	T
CIN	7	0	10	3	6	26
SMU	7	0	7	6	0	20

Scoring Summary -----

	CIN	SMU
FIRST QUARTER		
CIN TD 13:37		
Kahlil Lewis 32 Yd pass from Desmond Ridder (Cole Smith Kick)		
4 plays, 74 yards, 1:23	7	0
SMU TD 11:46		
Reggie Roberson Jr. 8 Yd pass from Ben Hicks (Kevin Robledo Kick)		
1 play, 8 yards, 0:06	7	7
THIRD QUARTER		
CIN TD 13:13		
Kahlil Lewis 32 Yd pass from Desmond Ridder (Cole Smith Kick)		
3 plays, 32 yards, 0:17	14	7
CIN FG 6:37		
Cole Smith 24 Yd Field Goal		
10 plays, 68 yards, 5:03	17	7
SMU TD 4:05		
Reggie Roberson Jr. 22 Yd pass from Ben Hicks (Kevin Robledo Kick)		
7 plays, 82 yards, 2:25	17	14
FOURTH QUARTER		
SMU FG 12:46		
Kevin Robledo 20 Yd Field Goal		
10 plays, 79 yards, 3:21	17	17
SMU FG 4:23		
Kevin Robledo 36 Yd Field Goal		
10 plays, 49 yards, 3:26	17	20
CIN FG 0:00		
Cole Smith 41 Yd Field Goal		
13 plays, 0 yards, 1:21	20	20
OVERTIME		
CIN TD James Wiggins 86 Yd Interception Return		
13 plays, 0 yards, 1:21	26	20

Team Stats	CIN	SMU
First Downs	25	13
Total Yards	477	351
Total Plays	89	67
Avg Gain Per Play	5.4	5.2
Net Yards Rushing	125	23
Rushes	39	24
Yards Per Rush	3.2	1.0
Net Yards Passing	352	328
Comp-Att	33-50	22-43
Yards Per Pass	7.0	7.6
Times Sacked	3	2
Yds Lost To Sacks	-33	-15
Interceptions	2	1
Punts	4	9
Punt Average	0.0	0.0
Penalties	6	7
Penalty Yards	51	72
Fumbles	1	0
Fumbles Lost	1	0
Possession	33:39	26:21

Individual Stats

RUSHING

	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
CIN					
Michael Warren II	14	67	4.8	0	31
Desmond Ridder	17	47	2.8	0	19
Charles McClelland	6	11	1.8	0	5
Team	2	0	0.0	0	0
SMU					
Braeden West	11	16	1.5	0	5
Ke'Mon Freeman	4	15	3.8	0	7
Xavier Jones	3	5	1.7	0	2
William Brown	1	0	0.0	0	0
Reggie Roberson Jr.	1	-6	-6.0	0	0
Ben Hicks	4	-7	-1.8	0	7

PASSING

	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
CIN							
Desmond Ridder	33	50	352	7.0	2	2	130.3
SMU							
Ben Hicks	22	43	328	7.6	2	1	125.9

RECEIVING

	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	Long
CIN					
Kahlil Lewis	12	174	14.5	2	32
Rashad Medaris	4	56	14.0	0	21
Michael Warren II	6	45	7.5	0	15
Thomas Geddis	5	38	7.6	0	11
Josiah Deguara	3	22	7.3	0	9
Charles McClelland	2	12	6.0	0	7
Jayshon Jackson	1	5	5.0	0	5
SMU					
Reggie Roberson Jr.	7	147	21.0	2	42
James Proche	6	72	12.0	0	25
Braeden West	3	54	18.0	0	51
CJ Sanders	2	17	8.5	0	11
Myron Gailliard	2	14	7.0	0	9
Judah Bell	1	13	13.0	0	13
Xavier Jones	1	11	11.0	0	11