

**WEEK TEN**  
**TEXAS ST AT GEORGIA ST**

ATLANTA -- Willie Jones III completed 21 of 26 passes for 325 yards and two touchdowns and Texas Southern created enough distance to hold off Georgia State for a 40-31 win on Saturday.

Texas State (3-6, 1-4 Sun Belt) led 13-10 at halftime before Jones took over. He threw an 11-yard score to Javen Banks to increase the lead to 10. The 18-yard scoring drive was set up when the Bobcats recovered Penny Hart's fumble of a punt early in the second half.

After forcing Georgia State (2-7, 1-4) to punt, Jones completed a 93-yard pass to Jeremiah Haydel for a 26-10 lead. Keenen Brown's 3-yard TD run with 3:04 left in the third made it a 23-point lead.

Aaron Winchester and Dan Ellington each threw for 112 yards for Georgia State with Winchester throwing a TD pass. Ellington added 89 yards rushing on 13 carries before leaving the game with an injury late in the third quarter.

Final	1	2	3	4	T
TXST	13	0	20	7	40
GAST	7	3	0	21	31

**Scoring Summary -----**

First Quarter	TXST	GAST
GAST TD 11:09 Tra Barnett 29 Yd Run (Brandon Wright Kick) 9 plays, 75 yards, 3:51	0	7
TXST TD 9:23 Willie Jones III 48 Yd Run (James Sherman PAT blocked) 6 plays, 75 yards, 1:46	6	7
TXST TD 5:46 Anthony D. Taylor 2 Yd Run (James Sherman Kick) 7 plays, 44 yards, 2:45	13	7
Second Quarter	TXST	GAST
GAST FG 3:07 Brandon Wright 27 Yd Field Goal 7 plays, 17 yards, 3:46	13	10
Third Quarter	TXST	GAST
TXST TD 11:31 Javen Banks 11 Yd pass from Willie Jones III (Clayton Stewart Kick) 3 plays, 18 yards, 0:49	20	10
TXST TD 9:10 Jeremiah Haydel 93 Yd pass from Willie Jones III (Clayton Stewart PAT failed) 2 plays, 97 yards, 0:00	26	10
TXST TD 3:04 Keenen Brown 3 Yd Run (Clayton Stewart Kick) 9 plays, 64 yards, 4:33	33	10
Fourth Quarter	TXST	GAST
GAST TD 13:44 Devin Gentry 5 Yd pass from Aaron Winchester (Brandon Wright Kick) 11 plays, 75 yards, 4:20	33	17
TXST TD 4:24 Caleb Twyford 13 Yd Run (Clayton Stewart Kick) 3 plays, 34 yards, 1:30	40	17
GAST TD 1:53 Tra Barnett 4 Yd Run (Brandon Wright Kick) 10 plays, 75 yards, 2:31	40	24
GAST TD 0:00 Aaron Winchester 4 Yd Run (Brandon Wright Kick) 7 plays, 53 yards, 1:35	40	31

Team Stats	TXST	GAST
First Downs	19	25
Total Yards	489	445
Total Plays	62	83
Avg Gain Per Play	7.9	5.4
Net Yards Rushing	164	221
Rushes	36	43
Yards Per Rush	4.6	5.1
Net Yards Passing	325	224
Comp-Att	21-26	21-40
Yards Per Pass	12.5	5.6
Times Sacked	0	1
Yds Lost To Sacks	0	-14
Interceptions	0	0
Punts	5	4
Punt Average	0.0	0.0
Penalties	5	2
Penalty Yards	32	13
Fumbles	0	3
Fumbles Lost	0	2
Possession	26:32	33:28

**Individual Stats**

RUSHING						
TXST	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	
Caleb Twyford	8	73	9.1	1	34	
Willie Jones III	14	62	4.4	1	48	
Robert Brown Jr.	5	15	3.0	0	6	
Anthony D. Taylor	3	7	2.3	1	4	
Hutch White	1	4	4.0	0	4	
Jaylen Gipson	2	4	2.0	0	4	
Jaylin Nelson	1	2	2.0	0	2	
Keenen Brown	2	-3	-1.5	1	3	
GAST	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	
Dan Ellington	13	89	6.8	0	19	
Tra Barnett	16	85	5.3	2	29	
Aaron Winchester	6	37	6.2	1	14	
Seth Paige	7	12	1.7	0	4	
Demarcus Kirk	1	-2	-2.0	0	0	

PASSING							
TXST	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
Willie Jones III	21	26	325	12.5	2	0	211.2
GAST	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
Aaron Winchester	10	18	112	6.2	1	0	126.2
Dan Ellington	11	22	112	5.1	0	0	92.8

RECEIVING						
TXST	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	
Jeremiah Haydel	2	103	51.5	1	93	
Tyler Watts	2	72	36.0	0	69	
Keenen Brown	6	63	10.5	0	20	
Hutch White	4	27	6.8	0	11	
Caleb Twyford	2	18	9.0	0	13	
Javen Banks	2	15	7.5	1	11	
Mason Hays	1	14	14.0	0	14	
Robert Brown Jr.	1	9	9.0	0	9	
Elijah Rogers	1	4	4.0	0	4	
GAST	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	Long	
Roger Carter	4	47	11.8	0	20	
Tamir Jones	3	43	14.3	0	23	
Devin Gentry	2	32	16.0	1	27	
Penny Hart	4	31	7.8	0	14	
Cornelius McCoy	3	24	8.0	0	17	
Tra Barnett	3	21	7.0	0	14	
Jonathan Ifedi	1	14	14.0	0	14	
Seth Paige	1	12	12.0	0	12	