

WEEK EIGHT  
SOUTHERN MISS at LOUISIANA TECH

**Robertson's 3 picks, Stanley's 212 yards lead La. Tech win**

RUSTON, La. (AP) Amik Robertson intercepted three passes, J'Mar Smith threw for 325 yards with 212 of those yards going to Malik Stanley, and Louisiana Tech defeated Southern Mississippi 45-30 on Saturday.

Smith completed 14 of 21 with one touchdown - a 56-yarder to Stanley - and an interception.

Stanley, the 14th La. Tech receiver to go over 200 yards in a game, had the one touchdown among his eight receptions. The 212 yards are his career high.

Justin Henderson had 111 yards rushing and two touchdowns for the Bulldogs (6-1, 3-0 Conference USA).

USM's De'Michael Harris returned the opening kickoff 100 yards for a touchdown and the Golden Eagles went on to lead 27-24 at half-time. After a scoreless third quarter, Louisiana Tech dominated the fourth. The Bulldogs scored final-period touchdowns on 1-yard runs by Smith and Bobby Holly and a 30-yard interception return by Ezekiel Barnett.

Robertson's interceptions all came against Jack Abraham, a former Louisiana Tech quarterback. Abraham threw for 327 yards and a touchdown for the Golden Eagles (4-3, 2-1) but was intercepted four times.

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USM	14	13	0	3	30
LAT	7	17	0	21	45

**Scoring Summary -----**

	USM	LAT
<b>FIRST QUARTER</b>		
USM TD 14:47 De'Michael Harris 100 Yd Kickoff Return (Andrew Stein Kick)		
0 plays, 0 yards, 0:13	7	0
USM TD 6:48 Ray Ladner 15 Yd pass from Jack Abraham (Andrew Stein Kick)		
12 plays, 95 yards, 5:46	14	0
LAT TD 0:04 Malik Stanley 5 Yd pass from J'Mar Smith (Bailey Hale Kick)		
14 plays, 86 yards, 6:44	14	7
<b>SECOND QUARTER</b>		
LAT TD 14:39 Justin Henderson 30 Yd Run (Bailey Hale Kick)		
1 play, 30 yards, 0:06	14	14
USM TD 10:28 Jack Abraham 37 Yd Run (Andrew Stein Kick)		
9 plays, 81 yards, 4:11	21	14
LAT FG 9:14 Bailey Hale 50 Yd Field Goal		
5 plays, 22 yards, 1:14	21	17
USM FG 4:32 Andrew Stein 28 Yd Field Goal		
9 plays, 64 yards, 4:42	24	17
USM FG 2:24 Andrew Stein 46 Yd Field Goal		
4 plays, -5 yards, 1:55	27	17
LAT TD 0:56 Justin Henderson 2 Yd Run (Bailey Hale Kick)		
6 plays, 90 yards, 1:28	27	24
<b>FOURTH QUARTER</b>		
LAT TD 12:02 J'Mar Smith 1 Yd Run (Bailey Hale Kick)		
10 plays, 36 yards, 5:01	27	31
LAT TD 6:28 Bobby Holly 1 Yd Run (Bailey Hale Kick)		
5 plays, 80 yards, 2:55	27	38
USM FG 3:36 Andrew Stein 41 Yd Field Goal		
10 plays, 52 yards, 2:52	30	38
LAT TD 1:27 Ezekiel Barnett 30 Yd Interception Return (Bailey Hale Kick)		
3 plays, 14 yards, 0:24	30	45

Team Stats	USM	LAT
First Downs	23	19
Passes for First	15	10
Rushes for First	5	7
Penalties for First	3	2
Third Down Efficiency	6-12	4-10
Fourth Down Efficiency	1-2	2-2
Total Yards	437	476
Total Plays	70	61
Avg Gain Per Play	6.2	7.8
Net Yards Rushing	110	151
Rushes	30	40
Yards Per Rush	3.7	3.8
Net Yards Passing	327	325
Comp-Att	26-40	14-21
Yards Per Pass	8.2	15.5
Times Sacked	1	2
Yds Lost To Sacks	-7	-14
Interceptions	4	1
Punts	1	3
Punt Average	0.0	0.0
Penalties	7	5
Penalty Yards	58	48
Fumbles	1	2
Fumbles Lost	0	1
Time of Poss	33:08	26:52

**Individual Stats**

**RUSHING**

	Rush	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
<b>SOUTHERN MISS</b>					
Kevin Perkins	12	56	4.7	0	22
Jack Abraham	7	44	6.3	1	37
Zac Everett	1	10	10.0	0	10
Jaylond Adams	1	3	3.0	0	3
De'Michael Harris	5	3	0.6	0	4
Team	1	-1	-1.0	0	0
Darius Maberry	3	-5	-1.7	0	1
<b>LOUISIANA TECH</b>					
Justin Henderson	19	111	5.8	2	30
J'Mar Smith	12	22	1.8	1	17
DeAndre Marcus	4	20	5.0	0	6
Bobby Holly	1	1	1.0	1	1
Israel Tucker	2	-1	-0.5	0	2
Team	2	-2	-1.0	0	0

**PASSING**

	Comp	Att	Yds	Y/A	TD	Int	QBRat
<b>SOUTHERN MISS</b>							
Jack Abraham	26	40	327	8.2	1	4	63.3
<b>LOUISIANA TECH</b>							
J'Mar Smith	14	21	325	15.5	1	1	89.2

**RECEIVING**

	Rec	Yds	Avg	TD	LONG
<b>SOUTHERN MISS</b>					
Quez Watkins	6	102	17.0	0	31
Tim Jones	5	80	16.0	0	24
Jaylond Adams	8	80	10.0	0	23
Trevor Terry	4	35	8.8	0	12
Ray Ladner	1	15	15.0	1	15
Kevin Perkins	2	15	7.5	0	14
<b>LOUISIANA TECH</b>					
Malik Stanley	8	212	26.5	1	56
Griffin Hebert	2	86	43.0	0	70
Cee Jay Powell	3	23	7.7	0	12
Bobby Holly	1	4	4.0	0	4