



**2022 FOOTBALL
CHAMPIONSHIP**

presented by



**#11 Utah 47,
#4 USC 24**

**Allegiant Stadium • Las Vegas, Nev.
December 2, 2022**



Scoring Summary report
 Utah vs Southern California (Dec 02, 2022)
 Utah (10-3, 8-2) vs Southern California (11-2, 8-2)

Date: Dec 02, 2022
 Site: Las Vegas, Nevada
 Stadium: Allegiant Stadium
 Attendance: 61195

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
Utah	3	14	7	23	47
Southern California	14	3	0	7	24

SCORING SUMMARY

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	11:28	USC - #16 T.Washington 2 yd pass from #13 C.Williams (#46 D.Lynch kick), 7-75, 03:32	0-7
1st	06:10	UTAH - #97 J.Redding 25 yd FG, 12-68, 05:18	3-7
1st	02:52	USC - #14 R.Brown 3 yd pass from #13 C.Williams (#46 D.Lynch kick), 6-75, 03:12	3-14
2nd	12:08	USC - #46 D.Lynch 20 yd FG, 12-71, 04:44	3-17
2nd	03:55	UTAH - #3 J.Jackson 8 yd rush (#97 J.Redding kick), 11-63, 06:33	10-17
2nd	00:02	UTAH - #25 J.Dixon 4 yd pass from #7 C.Rising (#97 J.Redding kick), 14-81, 01:38	17-17
3rd	10:33	UTAH - #10 M.Parks 57 yd pass from #7 C.Rising (#97 J.Redding kick), 3-48, 00:57	24-17
4th	14:56	UTAH - #97 J.Redding 35 yd FG, 9-41, 05:10	27-17
4th	10:52	USC - #4 M.Williams 12 yd pass from #13 C.Williams (#46 D.Lynch kick), 9-75, 04:04	27-24
4th	10:08	UTAH - #87 T.Yassmin 60 yd pass from #7 C.Rising (#97 J.Redding kick), 2-75, 00:44	34-24
4th	05:29	UTAH - #3 J.Jackson 53 yd rush (#97 J.Redding kick missed), 3-61, 01:28	40-24
4th	01:52	UTAH - #2 M.Bernard 23 yd rush (#97 J.Redding kick), 3-38, 01:32	47-24

TIME DETAILS

Kickoff time: 05:20 PM
 End of Game: 08:49 PM
 Total elapsed: 03:28

OFFICIALS

Referee: Chris Coyte
 Umpire: Roscoe Meisenheimer
 Linesman: Darryl Johnson
 Line judge: Cravonne Barrett
 Back judge: Johnny Morton
 Field judge: Brad Glenn
 Side judge: Bernie Hulscher
 Center judge: Jim Wharrie
 Replay Official: Jim LaBorde

WEATHER

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FULL GAME

UTAH

RUSHING		No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Ja'Quinden Jackson	13	107	2	105	2	53	8.1	
Micah Bernard	11	88	0	88	1	23	8.0	
Cameron Rising	8	27	9	18	0	11	2.2	
Nate Johnson	1	7	0	7	0	7	7.0	
Jaylen Dixon	2	8	3	5	0	8	2.5	
Totals:	35	237	14	223	3	53	6.4	

PASSING		C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Cameron Rising	22-34-0	310	3	60	1	
Totals:	22-34-0	310	3	60	1	

RECEIVING		TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long
Jaylen Dixon	8	6	55	30	1	19	
Micah Bernard	6	5	41	23	0	15	
Money Parks	6	4	88	51	1	57	
Dalton Kincaid	6	4	40	18	0	12	
Thomas Yassmin	2	2	81	40	1	60	
Nate Johnson	1	1	5	6	0	5	
Karene Reid	2	0	0	0	0	0	
Makai Cope	2	0	0	0	0	0	
Devaughn Vele	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals:	34	22	310	168	3	60	

PUNTING		No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Jack Bouwmeester	3	131	43.7	47	2	0	
Totals:	3	131	43.7	47	2	0	

	Punt			Kickoff			Intercept		
	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg
R.J. Hubert	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	29	29
Totals:	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	29	29

FIELD GOALS		Qtr	Time	Dist	Result
Jadon Redding	1st	06:10	25	GOOD	
Jadon Redding	4th	14:56	35	GOOD	

KICKOFFS		No.	Yards	Avg	TB	OB
Jordan Noyes	9	558	62.0	4	0	

ALL-PURPOSE		Rush	Rcv	KR	PR	IR	Total
Micah Bernard	88	41	0	0	0	0	129
Ja'Quinden Jackson	105	0	0	0	0	0	105
Money Parks	0	88	0	0	0	0	88
Thomas Yassmin	0	81	0	0	0	0	81

FUMBLES

Utah - Jaylen Dixon 1-1, Micah Bernard 1-0
Southern California - Tuasivi Nomura 1-0, Caleb Williams 1-1

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

RUSHING		No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Austin Jones	15	40	5	35	0	9	2.3	
Caleb Williams	12	90	69	21	0	59	1.8	
Totals:	27	130	74	56	0	59	2.1	

PASSING		C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
Caleb Williams	28-41-1	363	3	50	7	
Totals:	28-41-1	363	3	50	7	

RECEIVING		TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long
Tahj Washington	10	6	93	44	1	50	
Jordan Addison	9	5	65	21	0	48	
Austin Jones	5	4	40	55	0	13	
Mario Williams	3	3	51	14	1	29	
Brenden Rice	3	3	42	13	0	28	
Kyle Ford	4	2	38	11	0	34	
Raleek Brown	2	2	-1	1	1	3	
Kyron Hudson	1	1	17	2	0	17	
Lake McRee	2	1	15	13	0	15	
Darwin Barlow	1	1	3	0	0	3	
Malcolm Epps	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals:	41	28	363	174	3	50	

PUNTING		No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Aadyn Sleep-Dalton	4	166	41.5	49	1	0	
Totals:	4	166	41.5	49	1	0	

	Punt			Kickoff			Intercept		
	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg
Raleek Brown	0	0	0	4	91	29	0	0	0
Tuasivi Nomura	0	0	0	1	-23	0	0	0	0
Totals:	0	0	0	5	68	29	0	0	0

FIELD GOALS		Qtr	Time	Dist	Result
Denis Lynch	2nd	12:08	20	GOOD	

KICKOFFS		No.	Yards	Avg	TB	OB
Alex Stadthaus	5	325	65.0	5	0	

ALL-PURPOSE		Rush	Rcv	KR	PR	IR	Total
Tahj Washington	0	93	0	0	0	0	93
Raleek Brown	0	-1	91	0	0	0	90
Austin Jones	35	40	0	0	0	0	75
Jordan Addison	0	65	0	0	0	0	65



FULL GAME	UTAH	USC
FIRST DOWNS	25	19
Rushing	11	5
Passing	12	14
Penalty	2	0
NET YARDS RUSHING	223	56
Rushing Attempts	35	27
Average Per Rush	6.4	2.1
Rushing Touchdowns	3	0
Yards Gained Rushing	237	130
Yards Lost Rushing	14	74
NET YARDS PASSING	310	363
Completions-Attempts-Int	22-34-0	28-41-1
Average Per Attempt	9.1	8.9
Average Per Completion	14.1	13.0
Passing Touchdowns	3	3
TOTAL OFFENSE YARDS	533	419
Total offense plays	69	68
Average Gain Per Play	7.7	6.2
Fumbles: Number-Lost	2-1	2-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	5-45	4-39
PUNTS-YARDS	3-131	4-166
Average Yards Per Punt	43.7	41.5
Net Yards Per Punt	43.7	41.5
Inside 20	2	1
50+ Yards	0	0
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	3	3
KICKOFF-YARDS	9-558	5-325
Average Yards Per Kickoff	62.0	65.0
Net Yards Per Kickoff	44.3	40
Touchbacks	4	5
Fair Catch Yards	0	0
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	0.0	0.0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	5-68-0
Average Per Return	0.0	13.6
Interceptions: Number-Yds-TD	1-29-0	0-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yds-TD	0-0-0	0-0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	29:47	30:13
1st Quarter	06:18	08:42
2nd Quarter	08:23	06:37
3rd Quarter	11:18	03:42
4th Quarter	03:48	11:12
Third-Down Conversions	5-12	1-12
Fourth-Down Conversions	1-1	3-5
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	4-4	4-5
Touchdowns	2-4	3-5
Field goals	2-4	1-5
Sacks By: Number-Yards	7-69	1-9
PAT Kicks	5-6	3-3
2Pts Conversions	0-0	0-0
Field Goals	2-2	1-1
Points off Turnover	6	0



FULL GAME

UTAH

#	Name	Solo	Ast	Total	Sacks-Yds	TFL-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	Blks	QBH
8	Cole Bishop	7	2	9	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
11	R.J. Hubert	5	4	9	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	1-29	0	0	0
3	Mohamoud Diabate	6	2	8	2.0-19	3.0-20	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	1
28	Sione Vaki	3	3	6	0.0-0	1.0-4	0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0
20	Lander Barton	2	4	6	0.0-0	0.5-1	0	1-0	0-0	1	0	1
91	Gabe Reid	5	0	5	2.0-15	3.0-16	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1
16	Zemaiah Vaughn	3	1	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
81	Connor O'Toole	2	2	4	1.0-9	1.5-11	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
21	Karene Reid	0	4	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
47	Miki Suguturaga	2	1	3	1.0-16	1.0-16	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
77	Simote Pepa	2	0	2	1.0-10	1.0-10	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
4	JaTravis Broughton	1	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
55	Andrew Mata'afa	1	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
1	Clark Phillips	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
26	Charlie Vincent	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
5	Caine Savage	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Totals		41	26	67	7.0-69	11.0-78	1	1-0	1-29	5	0	3

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

#	Name	Solo	Ast	Total	Sacks-Yds	TFL-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	Blks	QBH
4	Max Williams	8	4	12	0.0-0	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
18	Eric Gentry	5	3	8	1.0-9	1.5-10	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
53	Shane Lee	4	2	6	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
6	Mekhi Blackmon	3	3	6	0.0-0	0.5-2	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
27	Bryson Shaw	2	3	5	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	1-0	0-0	2	0	0
49	Tuli Tuipulotu	3	1	4	0.0-0	1.0-2	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
7	Calen Bullock	1	3	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
10	Ralen Goforth	3	0	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
99	Nick Figueroa	1	2	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
14	Jacobe Covington	1	2	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
91	Brandon Pili	0	3	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1
21	Latrell McCutchin	1	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
47	Stanley Ta'ufo'ou	1	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1
0	Korey Foreman	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
22	Ceyair Wright	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
16	Tahj Washington	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
31	Tyrone Taleni	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	2
51	Solomon Byrd	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Totals		36	30	66	1.0-9	3.0-14	2	1-0	0-0	5	0	4



UTAH

Pos	##	OFFENSE
WR	11	Cope, Makai
WR	17	Vele, Devaughn
RB	2	Bernard, Micah
WR	25	Dixon, Jaylen
OL	51	Bills, Keaton
OL	52	Mokofisi, Michael
OL	54	Maile, Paul
QB	7	Rising, Cameron
OL	71	Daniels, Braeden
OL	78	Laumea, Sataoa
TE	86	Kincaid, Dalton

Pos	##	DEFENSE
CB	1	Phillips, Clark
S	11	Hubert, R.J.
CB	16	Vaughn, Zemaiah
LB	21	Reid, Karene
S	28	Vaki, Sione
LB	3	Diabate, Mohamoud
DE	47	Suguturaga, Miki
TK	58	Tafuna, Junior
S	8	Bishop, Cole
DE	81	O'Toole, Connor
DE	91	Reid, Gabe

Utah

0-Calvert, Ethan, 10-Parks, Money, 12-Isbell, Clayton, 13-Johnson, Nate, 16-Barnes, Bryson, 20-Barton, Lander, 21-Enis, Solomon, 24-Stewart, Darrien, 26-Vincent, Charlie, 3-Jackson, Ja'Quinden, 32-Kendall, Logan, 33-Malaska, Jocelyn, 34-Bouwmeester, Jack, 36-Azarcon, Stone, 39-Pearson, Jadon, 4-Broughton, JaTravis, 5-Savage, Caine, 54-Furey, Hayden, 55-Mata'afa, Andrew, 57-Greep, JT, 59-Kaumatule, Falcon, 61-Williams, Michael, 61-Faiu, Kolinu'u, 67-Noyes, Jordan, 68-Kump, Jaren, 76-Williams, Zereoue, 77-Pepa, Simote, 83-Elliss, Jonah, 84-Pututau, Taniela, 87-Yassmin, Thomas, 90-Kaufusi, Devin, 95-Vimahi, Aliko, 97-Redding, Jadon

Southern California

0-Foreman, Corey, 0-Bynum, Terrell, 1-Jackson, Domani, 10-Hudson, Kyron, 10-Goforth, Ralen, 14-Brown, Raleek, 15-Beavers Jr., Anthony, 16-Brown, Prophet, 17-Croom, Micah, 18-Wolfe, Jude, 19-Epps, Malcolm, 2-Rice, Brenden, 21-McCutchin, Latrell, 22-Wright, Ceyair, 22-Bartlow, Darwin, 28-Gordon, Xamarion, 35-Moore, Clyde, 36-Rose, Will, 38-Stadthaus, Alex, 39-Casasante, Jac, 41-Outlaw, Brandon, 42-Sleep-Dalton, Aady, 44-Nomura, Tuasivi, 46-Lynch, Denis, 51-Byrd, Solomon, 58-Tuliaupupu, Solomon, 61-Bryson, Joe, 66-Quinones, Gino, 7-Moss, Miller, 74-Ford, Courtland, 78-Milek, Andrew, 79-Benton, De'jon, 80-Jackson III, John, 83-Falo, Josh, 87-McRee, Lake, 9-Davis, Raesjon, 91-Pili, Brandon

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Pos	##	OFFENSE
QB	13	Williams, Caleb
WR	16	Washington, Tahj
WR	3	Addison, Jordan
WR	4	Williams, Mario
OL	57	Dedich, Justin
RB	6	Jones, Austin
OL	62	Neilon, Brett
OL	70	Haskins, Bobby
OL	76	Murphy, Mason
OL	79	Monheim, Jonah
WR	81	Ford, Kyle

Pos	##	DEFENSE
DB	14	Covington, Jacobe
LB	18	Gentry, Eric
DB	27	Shaw, Bryson
DL	31	Taleni, Tyrone
DB	4	Williams, Max
DL	47	Ta'ufo'ou, Stanley
DL	49	Tuipulotu, Tuli
LB	53	Lee, Shane
DB	6	Blackmon, Mekhi
DB	7	Bullock, Calen
DL	99	Figueroa, Nick



UTAH

Team	Qtr	Spot	Drive Started		Drive Ended			Consumed	
			Time	Obtained	Spot	Time	How lost	PI - Yds	TOP
UTAH	1st	UTAH25	11:28	Kickoff	USC07	06:10	*FIELD GOAL	12 - 68	05:18
UTAH		UTAH25	02:52	Kickoff	UTAH27	01:52	Punt	3 - 2	01:00
UTAH	2nd	UTAH25	12:08	Kickoff	UTAH39	11:56	Fumble	2 - 14	00:12
UTAH		UTAH37	10:28	Downs	USC00	03:55	*TOUCHDOWN	11 - 63	06:33
UTAH		UTAH19	01:40	Punt	USC00	00:02	*TOUCHDOWN	14 - 81	01:38
UTAH	3rd	UTAH25	15:00	Kickoff	UTAH47	12:41	Punt	4 - 22	02:19
UTAH		USC48	11:30	Punt	USC00	10:33	*TOUCHDOWN	3 - 48	00:57
UTAH		UTAH34	09:06	Punt	UTAH49	06:10	Punt	5 - 15	02:56
UTAH		UTAH42	05:06	Punt	USC17	14:56	*FIELD GOAL	9 - 41	05:10
UTAH	4th	UTAH25	10:52	Kickoff	USC00	10:08	*TOUCHDOWN	2 - 75	00:44
UTAH		UTAH39	06:57	Interception	USC00	05:29	*TOUCHDOWN	3 - 61	01:28
UTAH		USC38	03:24	Fumble	USC00	01:52	*TOUCHDOWN	3 - 38	01:32

Utah	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	H1	H2	Total
Time of possession	06:18	08:23	11:18	03:48	14:41	15:06	29:47
3rd down conversions	0-2	3-4	1-5	1-1	3-6	2-6	5-12
Average field position	UTAH25	UTAH27	UTAH38	UTAH42	UTAH26	UTAH40	UTAH34
4th down conversions	0-0	1-1	0-0	0-0	1-1	0-0	1-1

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USC		USC26	01:52	Punt	UTAH03	12:08	*FIELD GOAL	12 - 71	04:44
USC	2nd	UTAH39	11:56	Fumble	UTAH37	10:28	Downs	4 - 2	01:28
USC		USC09	03:46	Kickoff	USC41	01:40	Punt	4 - 32	02:06
USC	3rd	USC15	12:41	Punt	USC09	11:30	Punt	3 - 6	01:11
USC		USC25	10:33	Kickoff	USC28	09:06	Punt	3 - 3	01:27
USC		USC05	06:10	Punt	USC09	05:06	Punt	3 - 4	01:04
USC	4th	USC25	14:56	Kickoff	UTAH00	10:52	*TOUCHDOWN	9 - 75	04:04
USC		USC25	10:08	Kickoff	UTAH23	06:57	Interception	6 - 52	03:11
USC		USC20	05:24	Kickoff	USC38	03:24	Fumble	6 - 18	02:00
USC		USC29	01:46	Kickoff	USC42	00:00	End of half	6 - 13	01:46

Southern California	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	H1	H2	Total
Time of possession	08:42	06:37	03:42	11:12	15:19	14:54	30:13
3rd down conversions	0-3	0-2	0-3	1-4	0-5	1-7	1-12
Average field position	USC25	USC35	USC15	USC25	USC29	USC21	USC24
4th down conversions	2-2	0-1	0-0	1-2	2-3	1-2	3-5



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USC		USC26	01:52	Punt	UTAH03	12:08	*FIELD GOAL	12 - 71	04:44
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USC		USC09	03:46	Kickoff	USC41	01:40	Punt	4 - 32	02:06
UTAH		UTAH19	01:40	Punt	USC00	00:02	*TOUCHDOWN	14 - 81	01:38
UTAH	3rd	UTAH25	15:00	Kickoff	UTAH47	12:41	Punt	4 - 22	02:19
USC		USC15	12:41	Punt	USC09	11:30	Punt	3 - -6	01:11
UTAH		USC48	11:30	Punt	USC00	10:33	*TOUCHDOWN	3 - 48	00:57
USC		USC25	10:33	Kickoff	USC28	09:06	Punt	3 - 3	01:27
UTAH		UTAH34	09:06	Punt	UTAH49	06:10	Punt	5 - 15	02:56
USC		USC05	06:10	Punt	USC09	05:06	Punt	3 - 4	01:04
UTAH		UTAH42	05:06	Punt	USC17	14:56	*FIELD GOAL	9 - 41	05:10
USC	4th	USC25	14:56	Kickoff	UTAH00	10:52	*TOUCHDOWN	9 - 75	04:04
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UTAH		UTAH39	06:57	Interception	USC00	05:29	*TOUCHDOWN	3 - 61	01:28
USC		USC20	05:24	Kickoff	USC38	03:24	Fumble	6 - 18	02:00
UTAH		USC38	03:24	Fumble	USC00	01:52	*TOUCHDOWN	3 - 38	01:32
USC		USC29	01:46	Kickoff	USC42	00:00	End of half	6 - 13	01:46



1st Quarter

Southern California wins toss and will receive; UU will defend North end-zone.

#67 J.Noyes kickoff 65 yards to the USC00, Touchback.

Southern California drive starts at 15:00

- 1-10 USC25 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams rush right for 11 yards gain to the USC36 (#11 R.Hubert), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN. R1
- 1-10 USC36 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short right to #3 J.Addison for 4 yards to the USC40 (#16 Z.Vaughn).
- 2-6 USC40 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush middle for 4 yards gain to the USC44 (#81 C.O'Toole).
(13:01) Timeout by USC.
- 3-2 USC44 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush middle for 1 yard gain to the USC45 (#8 C.Bishop).
- 4-1 USC45 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams rush middle for 3 yards gain to the USC48 (#8 C.Bishop; #11 R.Hubert), 1ST DOWN. R2
- 1-10 USC48 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete deep right to #16 T.Washington for 50 yards to the UTAH02 QB hurried by #91 G.Reid (#16 Z.Vaughn), 1ST DOWN. P3
- 1-G UTAH02 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short left to #16 T.Washington for 2 yards to the UTAH00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 11:28.
- UTAH03 #46 D.Lynch kick attempt good (H: #36 W.Rose, LS: #39 J.Casasante).

Utah 0, Southern California 7.

7 plays, 75 yards, 03:32

#38 A.Stadthaus kickoff 65 yards to the UTAH00, Touchback.

Utah drive starts at 11:28

- 1-10 UTAH25 No Huddle-Shotgun #2 M.Bernard rush middle for 1 yard gain to the UTAH26 (#4 M.Williams).
- 2-9 UTAH26 #2 M.Bernard rush middle for 11 yards gain to the UTAH37 (#27 B.Shaw), 1ST DOWN. R1
- 1-10 UTAH37 Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete deep middle to #10 M.Parks for 19 yards to the USC44 (#4 M.Williams), 1ST DOWN. P2
- 1-10 USC44 Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete deep middle to #2 M.Bernard for 11 yards to the USC33 (#99 N.Figueroa; #7 C.Bullock), 1ST DOWN. P3
- 1-10 USC33 Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete short middle to #25 J.Dixon for 9 yards to the USC24 (#18 E.Gentry; #27 B.Shaw).
- 2-1 USC24 Shotgun #3 J.Jackson rush middle for 7 yards gain to the USC17 (#18 E.Gentry), 1ST DOWN. R4
- 1-10 USC17 Shotgun #13 N.Johnson rush left for 7 yards gain to the USC10 (#4 M.Williams), out of bounds.
- 2-3 USC10 No Huddle #7 C.Rising pass complete short right to #13 N.Johnson for 5 yards to the USC05 (#91 B.Pili; #27 B.Shaw), 1ST DOWN. P5
- 1-G USC05 No Huddle #3 J.Jackson rush middle for 1 yard gain to the USC04 (#53 S.Lee).
- 2-G USC04 No Huddle #25 J.Dixon rush right for 3 yards loss to the USC07 (#6 M.Blackmon; #18 E.Gentry).
(06:22) Timeout by USC.
- 3-G USC07 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass incomplete short left to #21 K.Reid broken up by #7 C.Bullock QB hurried by #47 S.Ta'ufu'ou.
- 4-G USC07 #97 J.Redding field goal attempt from 25 yards GOOD (H: #61 M.Williams, LS: #57 J.Greep), clock 06:10.

Utah 3, Southern California 7.

12 plays, 68 yards, 05:18

#67 J.Noyes kickoff 65 yards to the USC00 #14 R.Brown return 25 yards to the USC25 (#5 C.Savage; #4 J.Broughton).

Southern California drive starts at 06:04

- 1-10 USC25 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush middle for 5 yards gain to the USC30 (#47 M.Suguturaga).
- 2-5 USC30 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams rush left for 59 yards gain to the UTAH11 (#3 M.Diabate), 1ST DOWN. R4
- 1-10 UTAH11 PENALTY USC Delay Of Game 5 yards from UTAH11 to UTAH16. NO PLAY.
- 1-15 UTAH16 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short right to #3 J.Addison for 3 yards to the UTAH13 (#3 M.Diabate; #28 S.Vaki).
- 2-12 UTAH13 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass incomplete short left to #16 T.Washington QB hurried by #3 M.Diabate.
- 3-12 UTAH13 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short middle to #4 M.Williams for 10 yards to the UTAH03 (#8 C.Bishop).
- 4-2 UTAH03 No Huddle #13 C.Williams pass complete short right to #14 R.Brown for 3 yards to the UTAH00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 02:52, 1ST DOWN. P5
- UTAH03 #46 D.Lynch kick attempt good (H: #36 W.Rose, LS: #39 J.Casasante).

Utah 3, Southern California 14.

6 plays, 75 yards, 03:12

#38 A.Stadthaus kickoff 65 yards to the UTAH00, Touchback.

Utah drive starts at 02:52

- 1-10 UTAH25 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass incomplete short left to #11 M.Cope.
- 2-10 UTAH25 Shotgun #2 M.Bernard rush middle for 2 yards gain to the UTAH27 (#49 T.Tuipulotu).
- 3-8 UTAH27 Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass incomplete short right to #25 J.Dixon broken up by #27 B.Shaw.
- 4-8 UTAH27 #34 J.Bouwmeester punt 47 yards to the USC26 fair catch by #3 J.Addison at USC26.

3 plays, 2 yards, 01:00

Southern California drive starts at 01:52

- 1-10 USC26 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams rush right for 3 yards gain to the USC29 (#20 L.Barton).
- 2-7 USC29 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short left to #16 T.Washington for 7 yards to the USC36 (#11 R.Hubert), 1ST DOWN. P6
- 1-10 USC36 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush middle for 0 yards to the USC36 (#47 M.Suguturaga; #21 K.Reid).
- 2-10 USC36 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete deep right to #4 M.Williams for 29 yards to the UTAH35 (#1 C.Phillips), 1ST DOWN. P7

Summary	Score	Time Poss	R	1st Downs				Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
				P	X	T	3rd	4td				
Utah	3	06:18	2	3	0	5	0-2	0-0	7-26	4-7-0-44	0-0	
Southern California	14	08:42	3	4	0	7	0-2	2-2	8-86	8-9-0-108	1-5	



FIRST QUARTER	UTAH	USC
Score	3	14
FIRST DOWNS	5	7
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	7-26	8-86
PASSING YDS (NET)	44	108
Passes Cmp-Att-Int	4-7-0	8-9-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	14-70	17-194
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	1-25
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	1-47.0	0-0.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	0-0	1-5
Possession Time	06:18	08:42
Third-Down Conversions	0 of 2	0 of 2
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	2 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	3-3

UTAH							
Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Micah Bernard	3	14	0	14	0	11	4.7
Ja'Quinden Jackson	2	8	0	8	0	7	4.0
Nate Johnson	1	7	0	7	0	7	7.0
Jaylen Dixon	1	0	3	-3	0	0	-3.0
Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack		
Cameron Rising	4-7-0	44	0	19	0		
Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long	
Money Parks	1	1	19	1	0	19	
Micah Bernard	1	1	11	7	0	11	
Jaylen Dixon	2	1	9	13	0	9	
Nate Johnson	1	1	5	6	0	5	
Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB	
Jack Bouwmeester	1	47	47.0	47	0	0	
Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA							
Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Caleb Williams	4	76	0	76	0	59	19.0
Austin Jones	4	10	0	10	0	5	2.5

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack		
Caleb Williams	8-9-0	108	2	50	0		
Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long	
Tahj Washington	4	3	59	19	1	50	
Mario Williams	2	2	39	6	0	29	
Jordan Addison	2	2	7	4	0	4	
Raleek Brown	1	1	3	1	1	3	
Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB	

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long		
Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long		

Raleek Brown	No.	Yards	TD	Long		
	1	25	0	25		
Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL		
Bryson Shaw	1-2	3	0.0	0.0		
Eric Gentry	1-2	3	0.0	0.5		
Max Williams	3-0	3	0.0	0.0		
Brandon Pili	0-1	1	0.0	0.0		

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL		
Cole Bishop	2-1	3	0.0	0.0		
R.J. Hubert	2-1	3	0.0	0.0		
Miki Suguturaga	1-1	2	0.0	0.0		
Mohamoud Diabate	1-1	2	0.0	0.0		

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	11:28	USC - #16 T.Washington 2 yd pass from #13 C.Williams (#46 D.Lynch kick), 7-75, 03:32	0-7
1st	06:10	UTAH - #97 J.Redding 25 yd FG, 12-68, 05:18	3-7
1st	02:52	USC - #14 R.Brown 3 yd pass from #13 C.Williams (#46 D.Lynch kick), 6-75, 03:12	3-14



2nd Quarter

- 1-10 UTAH35 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass incomplete short right to #3 J.Addison QB hurried by #20 L.Barton.
- 2-10 UTAH35 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete deep right to #10 K.Hudson for 17 yards to the UTAH18 (#11 R.Hubert), 1ST DOWN. P8
- 1-10 UTAH18 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short right to #3 J.Addison for 6 yards to the UTAH12 (#16 Z.Vaughn), out of bounds.
- 2-4 UTAH12 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush middle for 9 yards gain to the UTAH03 (#20 L.Barton), 1ST DOWN. R9
- 1-G UTAH03 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush middle for 0 yards to the UTAH03 (#21 K.Reid; #20 L.Barton).
- 2-G UTAH03 No Huddle #13 C.Williams pass incomplete short middle to #19 M.Epps.
- 3-G UTAH03 No Huddle #13 C.Williams pass incomplete short left to #3 J.Addison broken up by #1 C.Phillips.
- 4-G UTAH03 #46 D.Lynch field goal attempt from 20 yards GOOD (H: #36 W.Rose, LS: #39 J.Casasante), clock 12:08.

Utah 3, Southern California 17.

12 plays, 71 yards, 04:44

#38 A.Stadthaus kickoff 65 yards to the UTAH00, Touchback.

Utah drive starts at 12:08

- 1-10 UTAH25 PENALTY UTAH False Start (#32 L.Kendall) 5 yards from UTAH25 to UTAH20. NO PLAY.
 - 1-15 UTAH20 Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass incomplete short middle to #21 K.Reid broken up by #27 B.Shaw.
 - 2-15 UTAH20 Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete deep middle to #25 J.Dixon for 19 yards to the UTAH39 fumbled by #25 J.Dixon at UTAH34 forced by #4 M.Williams recovered by USC #27 B.Shaw at UTAH39, End Of Play. P8
- 2 plays, 14 yards, 00:12*

Southern California drive starts at 11:56

- 1-10 UTAH39 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush left for 3 yards gain to the UTAH36 (#3 M.Diabate).
- 2-7 UTAH36 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush middle for 1 yard loss to the UTAH37 (#3 M.Diabate).
- 3-8 UTAH37 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass incomplete short middle to #16 T.Washington broken up by #28 S.Vaki.
- 4-8 UTAH37 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass incomplete short right to #3 J.Addison broken up by #28 S.Vaki PENALTY USC Holding declined. R9

4 plays, 2 yards, 01:28

Utah drive starts at 10:28

- 1-10 UTAH37 #7 C.Rising pass complete deep right to #25 J.Dixon for 11 yards to the UTAH48 (#10 R.Goforth), 1ST DOWN. P6
- 1-10 UTAH48 Shotgun #2 M.Bernard rush middle for 4 yards gain to the USC48 (#31 T.Taleni; #99 N.Figueroa).
- 2-6 USC48 #2 M.Bernard rush middle for 8 yards gain to the USC40 (#6 M.Blackmon), 1ST DOWN. R7
- 1-10 USC40 Shotgun #2 M.Bernard rush middle for 14 yards gain to the USC26 fumbled by #2 M.Bernard at USC28 forced by #21 L.McCutchin recovered by UTAH #51 K.Bills at USC26, End Of Play, 1ST DOWN. R8
- 1-10 USC26 Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete short middle to #2 M.Bernard for 3 yards to the USC23 (#7 C.Bullock).
- 2-7 USC23 Shotgun #3 J.Jackson rush middle for 4 yards gain to the USC19 (#0 K.Foreman).
- 3-3 USC19 Shotgun #3 J.Jackson rush middle for 1 yard gain to the USC18 (#18 E.Gentry).
- 4-2 USC18 Shotgun #7 C.Rising rush left for 4 yards gain to the USC14 (#18 E.Gentry), 1ST DOWN. R9
- 1-10 USC14 Shotgun #7 C.Rising rush right for 3 yards gain to the USC11 (#91 B.Pili; #21 L.McCutchin).
- 2-7 USC11 Shotgun #7 C.Rising rush right for 3 yards gain to the USC08 (#91 B.Pili; #4 M.Williams).
- 3-4 USC08 #3 J.Jackson rush right for 8 yards gain to the USC00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 03:55, 1ST DOWN. R10
- USC03 #97 J.Redding kick attempt good (H: #61 M.Williams, LS: #57 J.Greep).

Utah 10, Southern California 17.

11 plays, 63 yards, 06:33

#67 J.Noyes kickoff 65 yards to the USC00 #14 R.Brown return 32 yards to the USC32 (#0 E.Calvert) PENALTY USC Holding 9 yards from USC18 to USC09.

Southern California drive starts at 03:46

- 1-10 USC09 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete deep left to #81 K.Ford for 34 yards to the USC43 (#28 S.Vaki), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN. P10
- 1-10 USC43 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short left to #16 T.Washington for 9 yards to the UTAH48 (#11 R.Hubert), out of bounds.
- 2-1 UTAH48 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams sacked for loss of 7 yards to the USC45 (#91 G.Reid).
- 3-8 USC45 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short right to #14 R.Brown for 4 yards loss to the USC41 (#28 S.Vaki).
- 4-12 USC41 #42 A.Sleep-Dalton punt 40 yards to the UTAH19 fair catch by #17 D.Vele at UTAH19.

4 plays, 32 yards, 02:06

Utah drive starts at 01:40

- 1-10 UTAH19 Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete deep right to #86 D.Kincaid for 12 yards to the UTAH31 (#4 M.Williams), 1ST DOWN. P11
- 1-10 UTAH31 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass incomplete short right to #2 M.Bernard.
- 2-10 UTAH31 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass incomplete short left to #10 M.Parks.
- 3-10 UTAH31 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete deep left to #2 M.Bernard for 15 yards to the UTAH46 (#14 J.Covington), 1ST DOWN. P12
- 1-10 UTAH46 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete short left to #10 M.Parks for 7 yards to the USC47 (#14 J.Covington; #4 M.Williams).
- 2-3 USC47 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete short middle to #86 D.Kincaid for 10 yards to the USC37 (#7 C.Bullock; #18 E.Gentry), 1ST DOWN. P13
- (00:43) Timeout by UU .
- 1-10 USC37 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass incomplete short right to #25 J.Dixon QB hurried by #91 B.Pili.
- 2-10 USC37 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass incomplete short left to #11 M.Cope QB hurried by #31 T.Taleni.
- 3-10 USC37 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete deep right to #86 D.Kincaid for 11 yards to the USC26 (#6 M.Blackmon; #51 S.Byrd), 1ST DOWN. P14
- (00:28) Timeout by UU .
- 1-10 USC26 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass incomplete short middle to #17 D.Vele.
- 2-10 USC26 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising rush left for 12 yards gain (11) to the USC14 (#21 L.McCutchin), out of bounds PENALTY UTAH Holding (#17 D.Vele) 10 yards from USC15 to USC25.
- 2-9 USC25 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete deep middle to #87 T.Yassmin for 21 yards to the USC04 (#4 M.Williams; #27 B.Shaw), 1ST DOWN. P15



(00:11) Timeout by UU .
 1-G USC04 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass incomplete short left to #86 D.Kincaid.
 2-G USC04 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete short right to #25 J.Dixon for 4 yards to the USC00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 00:02.
 USC03 #97 J.Redding kick attempt good (H: #61 M.Williams, LS: #57 J.Greep).

Utah 17, Southern California 17.

14 plays, 81 yards, 01:38

#67 J.Noyes kickoff 39 yards to the USC26 #44 T.Nomura return for loss of 23 yards to the USC27 fumbled by #44 T.Nomura at USC27 recovered by USC #14 R.Brown at USC03, End Of Play.

Summary	Score	Time Poss	R	1st Downs			Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
				P	X	T	3rd	4td			
Utah	14	08:23	4	6	0	10	3-4	1-1	10-60	10-17-0-113	2-15
Southern California	3	06:37	1	2	0	3	0-3	0-1	5-4	5-10-0-62	1-9



SECOND QUARTER	UTAH	USC
Score	14	3
FIRST DOWNS	10	3
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	10-60	5-4
PASSING YDS (NET)	113	62
Passes Cmp-Att-Int	10-17-0	5-10-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	27-173	15-66
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	2--5
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	0-0.0	1-40.0
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-0
Penalties-Yards	2-15	1-9
Possession Time	08:23	06:37
Third-Down Conversions	3 of 4	0 of 3
Fourth-Down Conversions	1 of 1	0 of 1
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	2-2	0-0

UTAH							
Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Micah Bernard	3	26	0	26	0	14	8.7
Cameron Rising	4	21	0	21	0	11	5.2
Ja'Quinden Jackson	3	13	0	13	1	8	4.3
Keaton Bills	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack		
Cameron Rising	10-17-0	113	1	21	0		
Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long	
Jaylen Dixon	4	3	34	16	1	19	
Dalton Kincaid	4	3	33	16	0	12	
Micah Bernard	3	2	18	9	0	15	
Thomas Yassmin	1	1	21	7	0	21	
Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB	
Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Lander Barton	1-1	2	0.0	0.0
Mohamoud Diabate	2-0	2	0.0	1.0
R.J. Hubert	2-0	2	0.0	0.0
Sione Vaki	2-0	2	0.0	1.0

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA							
Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Austin Jones	4	12	1	11	0	9	2.8
Caleb Williams	1	0	7	-7	0	0	-7.0
Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack		
Caleb Williams	5-10-0	62	0	34	1		
Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long	
Kyle Ford	1	1	34	11	0	34	
Kyron Hudson	1	1	17	2	0	17	
Tahj Washington	2	1	9	8	0	9	
Jordan Addison	4	1	6	0	0	6	
Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB	
Aadyn Sleep-Dalton	1	40	40.0	40	1	0	
Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Raleek Brown	1	18	0	18			
Tuasivi Nomura	1	-23	0	0			
Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL			
Max Williams	2-3	5	0.0	0.0			
Eric Gentry	2-1	3	0.0	0.0			
Brandon Pili	0-2	2	0.0	0.0			
Calen Bullock	1-1	2	0.0	0.0			

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
2nd	12:08	USC - #46 D.Lynch 20 yd FG, 12-71, 04:44	0-3
2nd	03:55	UTAH - #3 J.Jackson 8 yd rush (#97 J.Redding kick), 11-63, 06:33	7-3
2nd	00:02	UTAH - #25 J.Dixon 4 yd pass from #7 C.Rising (#97 J.Redding kick), 14-81, 01:38	14-3



3rd Quarter

#38 A.Stadthaus kickoff 65 yards to the UTAH00, Touchback.

Utah drive starts at 15:00

- 1-10 UTAH25 No Huddle #2 M.Bernard rush middle for 3 yards gain to the UTAH28 (#47 S.Ta'ufo'ou) PENALTY USC Face Mask (#31 T.Taleni) 15 yards from UTAH28 to UTAH43, 1ST DOWN. X16
- 1-10 UTAH43 No Huddle #2 M.Bernard rush middle for 1 yard gain to the UTAH44 (#99 N.Figueroa).
- 2-9 UTAH44 No Huddle #3 J.Jackson rush middle for 5 yards gain to the UTAH49 (#53 S.Lee).
- 3-4 UTAH49 No Huddle #3 J.Jackson rush right for 2 yards loss to the UTAH47 (#49 T.Tuipulotu).
- 4-6 UTAH47 #34 J.Bouwmeester punt 38 yards to the USC15 fair catch by #3 J.Addison at USC15.
4 plays, 22 yards, 02:19

Southern California drive starts at 12:41

- 1-10 USC15 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass incomplete short left to #16 T.Washington.
- 2-10 USC15 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams sacked for loss of 8 yards to the USC07 (#91 G.Reid).
- 3-18 USC07 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush right for 2 yards gain to the USC09 (#81 C.O'Toole; #28 S.Vaki).
- 4-16 USC09 #42 A.Sleep-Dalton punt 39 yards to the USC48 fair catch by #17 D.Vele at USC48.
3 plays, -6 yards, 01:11

Utah drive starts at 11:30

- 1-10 USC48 No Huddle #7 C.Rising sacked for loss of 9 yards to the UTAH43 (#18 E.Gentry).
- 2-19 UTAH43 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass incomplete short right to #10 M.Parks broken up by #6 M.Blackmon.
- 3-19 UTAH43 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete deep middle to #10 M.Parks for 57 yards to the USC00 TOUCHDOWN, P17
clock 10:33, 1ST DOWN.
- USC03 #97 J.Redding kick attempt good (H: #61 M.Williams, LS: #57 J.Greep).

Utah 24, Southern California 17.

3 plays, 48 yards, 00:57

#67 J.Noyes kickoff 65 yards to the USC00, Touchback.

Southern California drive starts at 10:33

- 1-10 USC25 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams sacked for loss of 10 yards to the USC15 (#77 S.Pepa).
- 2-20 USC15 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass incomplete short middle to #81 K.Ford.
- 3-20 USC15 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete deep right to #6 A.Jones for 13 yards to the USC28 (#20 L.Barton; #8 C.Bishop).
- 4-7 USC28 #42 A.Sleep-Dalton punt 38 yards to the UTAH34 fair catch by #17 D.Vele at UTAH34.
3 plays, 3 yards, 01:27

Utah drive starts at 09:06

- 1-10 UTAH34 No Huddle #25 J.Dixon rush right for 8 yards gain to the UTAH42 (#27 B.Shaw).
- 2-2 UTAH42 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising rush middle for 2 yards gain to the UTAH44 (#49 T.Tuipulotu), 1ST DOWN. R18
- 1-10 UTAH44 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass incomplete short left to #86 D.Kincaid broken up by #14 J.Covington QB hurried by #31 T.Taleni.
- 2-10 UTAH44 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete short right to #2 M.Bernard for 1 yard to the UTAH45 (#6 M.Blackmon).
- 3-9 UTAH45 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete short left to #25 J.Dixon for 4 yards to the UTAH49 (#22 C.Wright).
- 4-5 UTAH49 #34 J.Bouwmeester punt 46 yards to the USC05 fair catch by #3 J.Addison at USC05.
5 plays, 15 yards, 02:56

Southern California drive starts at 06:10

- 1-10 USC05 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short left to #81 K.Ford for 4 yards to the USC09 (#4 J.Broughton). The previous play is under review. The ruling on the field stands.
- 2-6 USC09 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass incomplete short left to #81 K.Ford broken up by #21 K.Reid.
- 3-6 USC09 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass incomplete short middle to #16 T.Washington.
- 4-6 USC09 #42 A.Sleep-Dalton punt 49 yards to the UTAH42, out of bounds at UTAH42.
3 plays, 4 yards, 01:04

Utah drive starts at 05:06

- 1-10 UTAH42 No Huddle-Shotgun #3 J.Jackson rush middle for 5 yards gain to the UTAH47 (#10 R.Goforth).
- 2-5 UTAH47 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising rush left for 2 yards gain to the UTAH49 (#18 E.Gentry).
- 3-3 UTAH49 No Huddle-Shotgun #7 C.Rising rush right for 2 yards gain to the USC49 (#10 R.Goforth) PENALTY USC Holding 10 yards X19
from USC49 to USC39, 1ST DOWN.
- 1-10 USC39 No Huddle #3 J.Jackson rush middle for 4 yards gain to the USC35 (#4 M.Williams; #14 J.Covington).
- 2-6 USC35 Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete deep middle to #2 M.Bernard for 11 yards to the USC24 (#53 S.Lee), 1ST DOWN. P20
- 1-10 USC24 Shotgun #7 C.Rising rush right for 1 yard gain to the USC23, End Of Play PENALTY UTAH Holding 10 yards from USC24 to USC34. NO PLAY.
- 1-20 USC34 Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete short middle to #25 J.Dixon for 8 yards to the USC26 (#4 M.Williams).
- 2-12 USC26 Shotgun #3 J.Jackson rush middle for 4 yards gain to the USC22 (#47 S.Ta'ufo'ou; #53 S.Lee).
- 3-8 USC22 Shotgun #7 C.Rising pass complete short right to #10 M.Parks for 5 yards to the USC17 (#6 M.Blackmon).

Summary	Score	Time Poss	R	1st Downs			Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
				P	X	T	3rd	4td			
Utah	7	11:18	1	2	2	5	1-5	0-0	12-25	6-8-0-86	1-10
Southern California	0	03:42	0	0	0	0	0-3	0-0	3--16	2-6-0-17	2-25



THIRD QUARTER	UTAH	USC
Score	7	0
FIRST DOWNS	5	0
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	12-25	3--16
PASSING YDS (NET)	86	17
Passes Cmp-Att-Int	6-8-0	2-6-0
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	20-111	9-1
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	2-42.0	3-42.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	1-10	2-25
Possession Time	11:18	03:42
Third-Down Conversions	1 of 5	0 of 3
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	0 of 0
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	1-1	0-0

UTAH

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Ja'Quinden Jackson	5	18	2	16	0	5	3.2
Jaylen Dixon	1	8	0	8	0	8	8.0
Micah Bernard	2	4	0	4	0	3	2.0
Cameron Rising	4	6	9	-3	0	2	-0.8
Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack		
Cameron Rising	6-8-0	86	1	57	1		
Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long	
Money Parks	3	2	62	45	1	57	
Micah Bernard	2	2	12	7	0	11	
Jaylen Dixon	2	2	12	1	0	8	
Dalton Kincaid	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB	
Jack Bouwmeester	2	84	42.0	46	2	0	
Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL			
Cole Bishop	0-1	1	0.0	0.0			
Connor O'Toole	0-1	1	0.0	0.0			
Gabe Reid	1-0	1	1.0	1.0			
JaTravis Broughton	1-0	1	0.0	0.0			
Qtr Time Scoring Play							V-H

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Austin Jones	1	2	0	2	0	2	2.0
Caleb Williams	2	0	18	-18	0	0	-9.0
Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack		
Caleb Williams	2-6-0	17	0	13	2		
Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long	
Austin Jones	1	1	13	22	0	13	
Kyle Ford	3	1	4	0	0	4	
Tahj Washington	2	0	0	0	0	0	
Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB	
Aadyn Sleep-Dalton	3	126	42.0	49	0	0	
Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL			
Shane Lee	2-1	3	0.0	0.0			
Eric Gentry	2-0	2	1.0	1.0			
Max Williams	1-1	2	0.0	0.0			
Mekhi Blackmon	2-0	2	0.0	0.0			
Qtr Time Scoring Play							V-H

3rd 10:33 UTAH - #10 M.Parks 57 yd pass from #7 C.Rising (#97 J.Redding kick), 3-48, 00:57

7-0



4th Quarter

4-3 USC17 #97 J.Redding field goal attempt from 35 yards GOOD (H: #61 M.Williams, LS: #57 J.Greep), clock 14:56.

Utah 27, Southern California 17.

9 plays, 41 yards, 05:10

#67 J.Noyes kickoff 65 yards to the USC00, Touchback.

Southern California drive starts at 14:56

- 1-10 USC25 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush middle for 4 yards gain to the USC29 (#3 M.Diabate; #21 K.Reid).
- 2-6 USC29 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass incomplete short right to #3 J.Addison.
- 3-6 USC29 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams rush middle for 14 yards gain to the USC43 (#8 C.Bishop), 1ST DOWN. R11
- 1-10 USC43 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short right to #22 D.Barlow for 3 yards to the USC46 (#91 G.Reid).
- 2-7 USC46 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete deep middle to #2 B.Rice for 12 yards to the UTAH42 (#8 C.Bishop), 1ST DOWN. P12
- 1-10 UTAH42 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short left to #2 B.Rice for 2 yards to the UTAH40, End Of Play.
- 2-8 UTAH40 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete deep middle to #2 B.Rice for 28 yards to the UTAH12 (#11 R.Hubert), 1ST DOWN. P13
- 1-10 UTAH12 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush left for 0 yards to the UTAH12 (#77 S.Pepa).
- 2-10 UTAH12 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete deep right to #4 M.Williams for 12 yards to the UTAH00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 10:52, 1ST DOWN. P14

UTAH03 #46 D.Lynch kick attempt good (H: #36 W.Rose, LS: #39 J.Casasante).

Utah 27, Southern California 24.

9 plays, 75 yards, 04:04

#38 A.Stadthaus kickoff 65 yards to the UTAH00, Touchback.

Utah drive starts at 10:52

- 1-10 UTAH25 PENALTY UTAH False Start (#52 M.Mokofisi) 5 yards from UTAH25 to UTAH20. NO PLAY.
- 1-15 UTAH20 #2 M.Bernard rush middle for 20 yards gain to the UTAH40 (#6 M.Blackmon; #7 C.Bullock), 1ST DOWN. R21
- 1-10 UTAH40 #7 C.Rising pass complete deep left to #87 T.Yassmin for 60 yards to the USC00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 10:08, 1ST DOWN. P22
- USC03 #97 J.Redding kick attempt good (H: #61 M.Williams, LS: #57 J.Greep).

Utah 34, Southern California 24.

2 plays, 75 yards, 00:44

#67 J.Noyes kickoff 65 yards to the USC00, Touchback.

Southern California drive starts at 10:08

- 1-10 USC25 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short right to #3 J.Addison for 4 yards to the USC29 (#28 S.Vaki).
- 2-6 USC29 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush middle for 4 yards gain to the USC33 (#20 L.Barton; #28 S.Vaki).
- 3-2 USC33 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush middle for 1 yard loss to the USC32 (#91 G.Reid).
- 4-3 USC32 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete deep right to #3 J.Addison for 48 yards to the UTAH20 (#8 C.Bishop), 1ST DOWN. P15
- 1-10 UTAH20 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush left for 3 yards loss to the UTAH23 (#81 C.O'Toole; #20 L.Barton).
- 2-13 UTAH23 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass intercepted by #11 R.Hubert at UTAH10 #11 R.Hubert return 29 yards to the UTAH39 (#16 T.Washington).

6 plays, 52 yards, 03:11

Utah drive starts at 06:57

- 1-10 UTAH39 #2 M.Bernard rush middle for 1 yard gain to the UTAH40 (#53 S.Lee; #49 T.Tuipulotu).
- 2-9 UTAH40 #7 C.Rising pass complete short right to #86 D.Kincaid for 7 yards to the UTAH47 (#4 M.Williams).
- 3-2 UTAH47 #3 J.Jackson rush middle for 53 yards gain to the USC00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 05:29, 1ST DOWN. R23
- USC03 PENALTY UTAH UNS: Unsportsmanlike Conduct (#3 J.Jackson) 15 yards from USC03 to USC03. NO PLAY.
- USC03 #97 J.Redding kick attempt failed (H: #61 M.Williams, LS: #57 J.Greep).

Utah 40, Southern California 24.

3 plays, 61 yards, 01:28

#67 J.Noyes kickoff 64 yards to the USC01 #14 R.Brown return 19 yards to the USC20 (#26 C.Vincent).

Southern California drive starts at 05:24

- 1-10 USC20 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete deep left to #6 A.Jones for 12 yards to the USC32 (#91 G.Reid), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN. P16
- 1-10 USC32 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete deep left to #16 T.Washington for 14 yards to the USC46 (#11 R.Hubert; #16 Z.Vaughn), 1ST DOWN. P17
- 1-10 USC46 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams sacked for loss of 9 yards to the USC37 (#81 C.O'Toole).
- 2-19 USC37 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass incomplete short right to #6 A.Jones broken up by #20 L.Barton.
- 3-19 USC37 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete deep left to #16 T.Washington for 11 yards to the USC48 (#11 R.Hubert; #21 K.Reid).
- 4-8 USC48 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams sacked for loss of 10 yards to the USC38 (#3 M.Diabate), fumble by #13 C.Williams recovered by UTAH #20 L.Barton at USC38, End Of Play.

6 plays, 18 yards, 02:00

Utah drive starts at 03:24

- 1-10 USC38 #3 J.Jackson rush middle for 6 yards gain to the USC32 (#53 S.Lee).
- 2-4 USC32 #3 J.Jackson rush middle for 9 yards gain to the USC23 (#4 M.Williams), 1ST DOWN. R24
- 1-10 USC23 #2 M.Bernard rush right for 23 yards gain to the USC00 TOUCHDOWN, clock 01:52, 1ST DOWN. R25
- USC03 #97 J.Redding kick attempt good (H: #61 M.Williams, LS: #57 J.Greep).

Utah 47, Southern California 24.

3 plays, 38 yards, 01:32

#67 J.Noyes kickoff 65 yards to the USC00 #14 R.Brown return 29 yards to the USC29 (#55 A.Mata'afa).

Southern California drive starts at 01:46

- 1-10 USC29 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete deep left to #87 L.McRee for 15 yards to the USC44 (#3 M.Diabate), 1ST DOWN. P18
- 1-10 USC44 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short right to #6 A.Jones for 9 yards to the UTAH47 (#8 C.Bishop). (01:31) Timeout by USC.



- 2-1 UTAH47 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams pass complete short right to #6 A.Jones for 6 yards to the UTAH41 (#8 C.Bishop), 1ST P19 DOWN.
- 1-10 UTAH41 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams sacked for loss of 9 yards to the UTAH50 (#3 M.Diabate). (01:18) Timeout by USC.
- 2-19 USC50 No Huddle-Shotgun #13 C.Williams sacked for loss of 16 yards to the USC34 (#47 M.Suguturaga).
- 3-35 USC34 No Huddle-Shotgun #6 A.Jones rush middle for 8 yards gain to the USC42 (#11 R.Hubert; #55 A.Mata'afa).
6 plays, 13 yards, 01:46

Summary	Score	Time Poss	R	1st Downs			Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
				P	X	T	3rd	4td			
Utah	23	03:48	4	1	0	5	1-1	0-0	6-112	2-2-0-67	2-20
Southern California	7	11:12	1	8	0	9	1-4	1-2	11--18	13-16-1-176	0-0



FOURTH QUARTER	UTAH	USC
Score	23	7
FIRST DOWNS	5	9
RUSHES-YARDS (NET)	6-112	11--18
PASSING YDS (NET)	67	176
Passes Cmp-Att-Int	2-2-0	13-16-1
TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS	8-179	27-158
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	2-48
Interception Returns-Yards	1-29	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	0-0.0	0-0.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-1
Penalties-Yards	2-20	0-0
Possession Time	03:48	11:12
Third-Down Conversions	1 of 1	1 of 4
Fourth-Down Conversions	0 of 0	1 of 2
Red-Zone Scores-Chances	0-0	1-2

UTAH							
Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Ja'Quinden Jackson	3	68	0	68	1	53	22.7
Micah Bernard	3	44	0	44	1	23	14.7
Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack		
Cameron Rising	2-2-0	67	1	60	0		
Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long	
Thomas Yassmin	1	1	60	33	1	60	
Dalton Kincaid	1	1	7	2	0	7	

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long		
Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long		

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
Cole Bishop	5-0	5	0.0	0.0
Mohamoud Diabate	3-1	4	2.0	2.0
R.J. Hubert	1-3	4	0.0	0.0
Gabe Reid	3-0	3	0.0	1.0

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA							
Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
Austin Jones	6	16	4	12	0	8	2.0
Caleb Williams	5	14	44	-30	0	14	-6.0
Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack		
Caleb Williams	13-16-1	176	1	48	4		
Receiving	TAR	No.	Yards	YAC	TD	Long	
Brenden Rice	3	3	42	13	0	28	
Austin Jones	4	3	27	33	0	12	
Jordan Addison	3	2	52	17	0	48	
Tahj Washington	2	2	25	17	0	14	
Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB	
Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Long			
Raleek Brown	2	48	0	29			
Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL			
Max Williams	2-0	2	0.0	0.0			
Shane Lee	1-1	2	0.0	0.0			
Calen Bullock	0-1	1	0.0	0.0			
Mekhi Blackmon	0-1	1	0.0	0.0			

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
4th	14:56	UTAH - #97 J.Redding 35 yd FG, 9-41, 05:10	3-0
4th	10:52	USC - #4 M.Williams 12 yd pass from #13 C.Williams (#46 D.Lynch kick), 9-75, 04:04	3-7
4th	10:08	UTAH - #87 T.Yassmin 60 yd pass from #7 C.Rising (#97 J.Redding kick), 2-75, 00:44	10-7
4th	05:29	UTAH - #3 J.Jackson 53 yd rush (#97 J.Redding kick missed), 3-61, 01:28	16-7
4th	01:52	UTAH - #2 M.Bernard 23 yd rush (#97 J.Redding kick), 3-38, 01:32	23-7

Postgame Notes – 2022 Pac-12 Championship Game

No. 11 Utah 47, No. 4 USC 24

Alliant Stadium – Las Vegas, Nevada

Friday, December 2, 2022

No. 11 Utah Postgame Notes

- 2nd straight Pac-12 FCG win, 3rd different Pac-12 team to win consecutive FCGs
 - Stanford in 2012 & 2013, Oregon in 2019 & 2020
 - Utes improve to 2-2 all time in the Pac-12 Football Championship game
- Utah's 14-point comeback (trailing 17-3 with 12:08 remaining in Q2) is the largest comeback victory in Pac-12 FCG history
- Quarterback Cameron Rising named Pac-12 FCG MVP
 - First QB to win FCG MVP since USC's Sam Darnold in 2017
 - Fourth QB to win FCG MVP all-time
- Utah scored 24 straight points after trailing 17-3 in 1st half
 - Only team this season that has been down at least 14 to USC & either tied the game or took the lead (also were down 14 to USC in 1st half in regular season meeting)
 - Outscored USC 44-7 since 12:08 left in 2nd quarter
- Utes recorded three touchdowns of 50+ YD
 - 57 YD rec by Parks, 60 YD rec by Yassmin, 53 YD rush by Jackson
 - 1st time a team has had 3 TDs of at least 50 YD in a Pac-12 FCG
- Seven sacks match season high (also: Nov. 12 vs. Stanford)
 - Seven team sacks sets FCG record (previous: 6, Oregon, 2019)
- Jadon Redding's three consecutive made field goals (UTAH vs. ORE 2021, 1; UTAH vs. USC 2022, 2) ties Pac-12 FCG record
- **Cam Rising:** 22/34, 310 YD, 3 TD, 0 INT; 8 car, 18 YD
 - Over 300 pass YD in each of his last 3 games vs USC
 - 725 combined pass YD in 2 games vs USC this season
 - 3 passing TDs ties Pac-12 FCG record (Darron Thomas, ORE, 2011)
- **Ja'Quinden Jackson:** 13 car, 105 YD, 2 rush TD
 - 2nd Utes all time to run for 100+ YD in a Pac-12 FCG
 - Zack Moss ran for 113 in 2019
 - 2nd straight game with 100+ rush TD
 - 5 combined rush TD in last 2 games
 - 53-yard rushing score is fourth-longest rush attempt in FCG history
- **Micah Bernard:** 11 car, 88 YD, rush TD; 5 rec, 41 YD
 - 2nd straight game with 85 rush YD, season high in total YD

- **Dalton Kincaid:** 4 rec, 40 YD
 - Was not targeted until 1:53 left in the 2nd quarter
- **Thomas Yassmin:** 2 rec, 81 YD, TD
 - Career-long 60 YD TD reception in 4th qtr
 - 4th straight game with a receiving TD
- **Money Parks:** 4 rec, 88 YD, TD
 - 2nd straight game with a rec TD, 128 combined rec YD in last 2 games
 - 57 YD catch in 3rd qtr at the time was the longest scoring play in the Pac-12 FCG since Oregon's CJ Verdell had a 70 YD TD run in 2019 game

No. 4 USC Postgame Notes

- It's USC's second-straight loss in the Pac-12 FCG (1-3 all-time)
 - Previous defeat: 2020 vs. Oregon
- USC falls to 0-2 against Utah this season, 11-0 vs. all other opponents
 - First time since 2015 losing to an opponent twice in the same season
 - Previous: 2015, Stanford – in regular season & FCG
- USC allowed 47 points to Utah, its most points allowed since giving up 62 to UCLA on Nov. 20, 2021
- USC compiled 419 total yards, the most by a losing team in Pac-12 FCG history
- USC scored on each of its first three drives, then didn't score on its next 5 drives
- USC outgained Utah 196-70 in the 1st quarter, including three plays of at least 30 yards
- Led 17-3 with 12:03 left in 2nd quarter, outscored 44-7 in rest of the game
- USC rushed for a season-low 56 yards
 - The Trojans had rushed for at least 137 yards in each of their games this season
 - It was also the first game this season USC had not scored a rushing touchdown
- USC allowed a season-high 7 sacks, allowed 11 combined sacks in 2 games vs. Utah
 - 17 combined sacks allowed in the other 11 games
- **Caleb Williams:** 28/41, 363 YD, 3 TD; 12 car, 21 YD,
 - Set Pac-12 FCG passing yard record (previously was 325 by Sam Darnold in 2017)
 - 7th game this season with at least 3 pass TD, 5th game with 360+ pass YD
- Williams' 59-yard run in 2nd quarter was longest run by a USC quarterback on record, breaking his own record 55-yard run in the first meeting with Utah on Oct. 15, 2022

- Third-longest rush attempt in FCG history
- Has two of the four runs of 50+ YD by USC QBs on record
- **Tahj Washington:** 6 rec, 93 YD, 1 TD
 - 3rd game of at least 90 receiving yards this season
 - 50-yard catch in 1st quarter was second catch of at least 50 yards this season

Miscellaneous

- Utah's Cameron Rising (310) and USC's Caleb Williams (363) combined for 673 yards to break the Pac-12 FCB passing record between opposing players.
 - Previous: 2017 – Sam Darnold, USC (325) & K.J. Costello, STAN (192)
- Rising (328) and Williams (384) combined for 712 yards of total offense to break the Pac-12 FCB record between opposing players.
 - Previous: 2017 – Sam Darnold, USC (326) & K.J. Costello, STAN (168)
- Utah (533) and USC (419) combined for 952 yards of total offense, breaking previous FCG record of 908 (2011 – Oregon 571; UCLA 337)
- Sellout crowd of 61,195 was the first neutral site sellout in Pac-12 FCB history.
- Winner of regular season meeting is now 7-1 in the FCG rematch.
- USC won the coin toss and elected to receive.

Pac-12 Football Championship

Game: USC v Utah

Friday, December 2, 2022

Las Vegas, Nevada, USA

Allegiant Stadium

Utah Utes

Coach Kyle Whittingham

Postgame Press Conference



Utah - 47, USC - 24

KYLE WHITTINGHAM: So proud of our guys. Our coaching staff, our players, outstanding effort. Players never stopped believing. I mean, they had a great attitude going into this game. They were not going to be denied.

Didn't look good early. We didn't play very well in the first quarter at all. In fact, if they would have kept that pace, it would have been 100 points and a thousand yards I think I calculated.

Good job by our defense stemming the tide, pulling another 180 just like they did in the last game, although this came in the second quarter rather than the second half.

We owned third down. I believe they were one of 12 on third down. We were much better in that. I think we were five or six of 12. That was a big key to the game.

Our rushing attack was big, being able to pile up the yards, get those physical rushes when we needed them. Cam Rising was outstanding, obviously, Player of the Game, MVP. Well deserved. He's our leader. As Cam goes, so goes the offense. He was on the target tonight.

Very proud of the guys that stepped up for guys that weren't able to play. It was great to see those guys pick up the slack and perform very well.

Great job by our players repeating as Pac-12 champs. What more can you say? It's been a good last 12 months. Excited to go to the Rose Bowl again. Got to keep the good luck hair for another month now, so you have to deal with that (smiling). Can't cut it now.

But we're excited. We're excited. I'm proud. Like I said, so much hard work by our assistant coaches. Those guys just work tirelessly around the clock. Our players have a great work ethic and attitude. It's just a pleasure to be

around this team and these coaches. Love the culture that we have in our program.

Questions.

Q. You talk about college football coaches. We hear the same old names. I asked them if it's time we started hearing Kyle Whittingham among the greats. They said absolutely. Can you talk about the legacy you laid here. With two traditional standbys bolting this conference soon, is Utah now the face of the Pac-12?

KYLE WHITTINGHAM: There's a few questions there.

First of all, it's an anomaly to be at a school as long as I have. That just doesn't happen this day and age. I'm very grateful and blessed to have been at the University of Utah for as long as I have. It's close to 30 years as an assistant coach and head coach. Most coaches in that time frame would have been at 10 or 12 different places. Feel very fortunate.

Love the university. Love the community, love the state of Utah. It's a good fit for me and my family.

What was the question again? Oh, me?

As far as the success we've been able to have, I don't really care one bit about what conversation I'm in, I'm not in. That's not what's important. This job, you got to win to keep your job. But it's all about relationships, building those relationships with your players and coaching staff, even coaches from other teams. That's what it really is all about.

Again, if you don't win enough, you won't be around long enough to build relationships. I've been fortunate in that regard. I have no opinion on should I be in whatever conversation. That's where I'm at with that.

Q. Every season is unique, highs and lows, injuries. How gratifying is this one having been to this point already?



KYLE WHITTINGHAM: As gratifying as any season I can remember. We had our backs against the wall when we got beat by Oregon a couple weeks back. These kids never blinked, never flinched. We kept believing. Once we got the news after the Oregon game that there was a pathway that we could get to this game, our guys just were ecstatic. We knew some things had to line up, one of which we had control of.

It's been a magical season in a lot of ways. Things just fell into place. To have this team, this is the goal way back in January, a bunch of our guys came back instead of opting to the NFL, is to run it back, as they called it. Wanted to do it again. Here they sit with a championship in their Hall of Fame out in front. It will be there tomorrow.

Q. At what point in the game did you sense Caleb Williams was hurt and how did that change how you defended?

KYLE WHITTINGHAM: Yeah, we sensed -- I can't remember the exact point, but it was sometime early in the third quarter I believe. When you see a quarterback become not as mobile as he could be or should be, you smell blood in the water and you start bringing the heat. I mean, that's the strategy you want to use.

Caleb is a tremendous player. Maybe the most difficult quarterback to sack that we ever played against. We banged him up, slowed him down. I don't know how many sacks we ended up with, did we have half a dozen? Somewhere in that neighborhood?

He definitely took some punishment from our guys. We turned up the pressure.

Q. You've won this twice in a row. Can you go back to 2019, what you think USC might be feeling right now. To come this close and then lose, not play well.

KYLE WHITTINGHAM: Yeah, it's disheartening. We've been there twice, '18 and '19. In '18, we were elated to be there because we had never been to the championship game. '19 we had that great team; had we won, we would have been in the CFP almost for certain.

We can understand what they're going through. This is a competitive profession. You can just worry about yourself; you can't feel sorry for anybody else. You just keep going about your business.

Q. Pac-12 Media Day you talked about last year feeling like you got over the hump, achieving something that hadn't been done. What does it say about this program to follow up a year like last year?

KYLE WHITTINGHAM: Well, I think it speaks to just that: our program. I think we've got a very good football program. That's what you want. You don't want to have a good team every now and then. You want to have a good program. I think that's the point we're at right now.

We have a program that's got some momentum now, a great deal of pride, a great deal of talent on the roster, excellent coaches. That's what you strive for, to be an outstanding program.

Thanks to the hard work of our assistant coaches and players, we're closing in on that.

Q. Can you speak more to the play by the depth guys, Thomas and Ja'Quinden.

KYLE WHITTINGHAM: It says we have depth in the roster. That's what we've been trying to achieve ever since we got in the conference. When we first got here, our first 22 were good, but a big drop-off after that. We've been working tirelessly to improve the depth of the roster.

I think we're as deep and talented now as we ever have been. I know we are. I think that was manifest a lot of times this season. A lot of times we were without guys. Other years probably could not have overcome it, not continued to play at the high level we were able to this year. That's because of the recruiting efforts of our coaches, their development of those players, the sheer talent of the roster 1 through 85.

Q. Can you talk about the fans. The Utah fans traveled out in droves. How did that help or impact this game?

KYLE WHITTINGHAM: It's awesome. We love our fans. I don't know, 10 straight years of sellouts in Rice-Eccles back home.

They showed up without a doubt tonight. When we left the field at halftime, that's when it really hit me, how many fans we had there. The roar after we scored on that two-minute drill. We love our fans.

I know they're going to show up again at the Rose Bowl. I promise you that.

Q. Your players get praised a lot for their physical toughness. What are your thoughts on their mental toughness considering the game and the way they battled back tonight?

KYLE WHITTINGHAM: Yeah, no question there, mentally and physically tough. That's a reputation we had in the



Pac-12. That's the one we had in the Mountain West. That's who we are. A calling card of our program, physicality. We preach it. We practice it that way. We're physical in practice.

I think mental and physical toughness go hand-in-hand oftentimes. We had some guys play this year in some circumstances that they were pretty banged up. They're so tough mentally, it starts with Cam Rising. I'm certain most quarterbacks would have missed a lot more time than he missed when he had that injury.

Proud of our guys. That's something we take a great deal of pride in, is being mentally tough and physical.

Q. Talking to Morgan afterwards, he was saying there were a couple of miscues, miscommunications early on the defensive side. Felt like if you just cleaned that up, there was no need to panic, you could be fine. Could you address that?

KYLE WHITTINGHAM: Yeah, we had a few blown coverages early in the game. Then later in the game we had a defensive back fall down, which created another big play. We never panicked. It was just a situation where I was more disappointed with the missed tackles. The tackling wasn't real sharp at the beginning of the game. We knew those few assignment errors that we made early could be corrected and were corrected.

Felt if we didn't start tackling well, nothing else was going to matter. That was really the biggest turnaround, was the way we tackled, then the way we turned up the heat on the quarterback with the pass-rush.

That really was the difference in the fourth quarter, was our fourth quarter pass-rush. That's how you put a game away, a strong running game and a fourth quarter pass-rush. We had both those tonight.

Q. There were a couple years you went 5-7 back to back.

KYLE WHITTINGHAM: Two years. Thanks for reminding me (smiling).

Q. Since then you've won nine games in seven of eight years. Can you take me back to those early days and what you did fundamentally to set the stage for what you've done since.

KYLE WHITTINGHAM: Yeah, first of all, when we first went into the Pac-12, we knew it was going to be a big challenge. We had things we had to accomplish facility-wise, budget-wise, recruiting-wise. There were a lot

of challenges. That was like spanning the Grand Canyon, going from the Mountain West to the Pac-12. That was not an easy job.

We had, like you said, early on, pretty good front 22. First 22 guys, we were a pretty good at the line of scrimmage. But I think it was the third and fourth year, either the second and third or third and fourth year in the Pac-12, somewhere in that neighborhood, where he with had that dip. We were still in the process of getting everything up to speed. It was a process.

We appreciate the administration of the university being understanding and standing by us, not cleaning house. A lot of schools probably would have cleaned house after a couple of 5-7 years.

Grateful we had the opportunity to continue to build and grow with the help of the administration and facilities, all the things that you need to compete at the Power Five level falling into place. We think we're in a good spot right now.

Q. Obviously, coming into this game, there was a lot of talk that USC was guaranteed the Playoffs, Caleb Williams the Heisman. Was there a sweeter factor to winning it this year with all that noise out there?

KYLE WHITTINGHAM: There was a lot of noise. We had a team meeting and had a vote if we should even show up for kickoff because they were already going to the Playoffs and had the Heisman and this and that (smiling).

It's not their fault. It's people that get ahead of themselves in the media. We had a chip on our shoulder. We didn't really take a vote for that.

We definitely got the message loud and clear that a lot of people were underestimating us, not giving us much of a chance in this game. That's the wrong group of players to do that to. We've historically been a chip-on-our-shoulder type of program that's getting harder and harder to do the more success you have.

That was in our DNA from way back when, feeling a little bit disrespected and people weren't giving us our due. You shook up a little bit of a hornets nest when that happened.

Thank you. Appreciate you guys. Don't lose your money in Vegas.

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Utah Utes

Cameron Rising

Ja'Quinden Jackson

Postgame Press Conference



Utah - 47, USC - 24

THE MODERATOR: Questions, please.

Q. That hit that you had, what did that do to the rest of the team, kind of the offense after that happened?

CAMERON RISING: What play did you say?

Q. When you got hit and your helmet popped off. What did that hit do for the rest of the offense? Was it even something that affected you?

CAMERON RISING: Nope.

JA'QUINDEN JACKSON: It affected me.

CAMERON RISING: J.J. wanted it more than me out there. And the next play he showed it.

JA'QUINDEN JACKSON: I was pissed. Because I felt like it was my fault. I should have looked in, tried to block him as least. Yeah, I was pissed about that.

CAMERON RISING: It is what it is, Scooby snacks.

Q. Cam, J.J., how good does this one feel?

JA'QUINDEN JACKSON: Man, unbelievable. I don't even know how to describe it, man. Like I've been saying it all year, we're doing this for '22. I even got it on my wrist. Year 2022, doing it for '22, so it was definitely our year.

CAMERON RISING: It was destined. That's what it felt like.

JA'QUINDEN JACKSON: It was destiny.

Q. Can you talk about the momentum shift. You guys were down in the first quarter, but yet you turned it around. What was the key?

CAMERON RISING: Unwavering belief. We have a game plan. We have players that are great players, that get the job done. We just can't stop believing in that. That's what we did. That's why the game ended the way it ended.

Q. Ja'Quinden, what has the experience been like for you to switch to running back, then run for 105 yards and two touchdowns in the Pac-12 championship?

JA'QUINDEN JACKSON: It's a blessing, man. It was real natural because all through middle school, a little bit in high school, I played running back. It was natural ability to me.

But like I said, it's a blessing doing it. I'm glad I made it happen. I did it for the team. They needed it, so I just made it happen.

CAMERON RISING: You can cut the tape off of him in high school back in Duncanville, him getting loose. You get an idea of it (smiling).

Q. Cam, you've been talking about unwavering belief for a few weeks. Down two scores, they had the momentum, you're in the huddle, what was your message?

CAMERON RISING: Let's go. We knew what we had to go out and do. Just wanted to go execute it.

Everybody was on page. Just had to get them a little fired up, get their piss blowing pretty much (laughter).

Q. Cameron, can you describe what it's like in a game like tonight where all of a sudden one guy after another is busting through tackles at different points in the game, where maybe the sense that you get of how you are asserting yourself physically?

CAMERON RISING: Yeah, we talked about imposing our will tonight. That's really what we wanted to go out and do. Yeah, throwing those guys the ball there, they're going to



break the tackle, along with J.J. and Miki taking the load right there, running it. Did a great job breaking tackles, taking advantage of those missed opportunities that they had.

Q. I don't know if you were able to see it, but Caleb Williams paints his nails before every game. Today he had (expletive) Utah on his nails.

JA'QUINDEN JACKSON: He had what?

Q. A swear word on one hand and then Utah on the other. Do you have any response to that?

CAMERON RISING: It said (expletive) Utah on there? Don't give (expletive). It is what it is, you know. You can do whatever you want. Put whatever you want on your nails. I'm not going to judge you for whatever you do.

Yeah... Hope he liked it.

Q. When a season starts and you talk about college football, you talk about coaches, the greats, rarely do we hear Kyle Whittingham's name be brought up. Do we need to hear he's one of the best if not the best coach in college football?

JA'QUINDEN JACKSON: Yes, yes, most definitely. I don't know why it's not. Like, back to back Pac-12 championships? C'mon now. He been here too long for people not to be talking about him. One of the best coaches that I've ever been around. Like, it's time.

CAMERON RISING: Yeah, he's one of the most winning coaches in the Pac-12. The most winning coach at Utah. He's been doing something right. He's been tenured there for so long that you're going to be doing something right if you're there for that long.

He's just a great coach. Going back to back, I think he's moving up on that list for sure.

Q. Defending Pac-12 champions, yet you come into this game cast as the underdog. Can you talk about being in that role and the emotion you fed off of.

JA'QUINDEN JACKSON: We already knew what we had to do. It was just a regular game to us. Like, we knew we had to play physical. We knew that we had to stick together as one.

It was just regular game to us.

CAMERON RISING: I felt we took it a little personal, kind of saw all that. Just disrespect. Just wanted to go out and

prove a point.

JA'QUINDEN JACKSON: That, too.

Q. I'm sure you noticed there was a lot of attention paid to USC this week in terms of both their Playoff chances, Caleb Williams' Heisman chances. Did you feel you needed to prove a point this week not to crown them just yet?

JA'QUINDEN JACKSON: Most definitely, and we did.

CAMERON RISING: Yep, exactly.

THE MODERATOR: Thank you, guys.

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LINCOLN RILEY: Obviously, disappointing night for us. You come as far as this team has come and this program has come in the last 12 months, you get that close to winning a championship, possibly much more.

Obviously do not get it done, it's a tough pill to swallow. When you get to the top like this, these games that have so much riding on them, it takes so much to get here, especially where we started from. To get here and not get it done, not play our best, very, very disappointed. Very disappointed locker room. No other way to say it.

I want to give Utah a lot of credit. They battled their way to get back into this game. Did a tremendous job. They played better than us today. They certainly deserved to win tonight. They were definitely the better team tonight. I want to give their coaching staff, their players a lot of credit. They certainly deserve that.

Our guys deserve and our program deserves a lot of credit for being here right now, there's no question. Proud of the way these guys battled really all year, battled tonight, had some obviously things not go our way, kind of continued to keep fighting, kept it a pretty tight game there at the end. Didn't have quite enough to get over the hump.

Obviously made mistakes all across the board, our play didn't really resemble the way we've played the majority of this year. Disappointed with some of the missed opportunities out there. But that's the name of the game when you get to this level. You got to go play good football to win. We didn't do it.

Obviously there's a much bigger picture and outlook here of the progress that's been made here in the last 12 months. So we're not going to walk around like this is



some funeral, all right? We've made some great progress to be in this moment. We expected to win tonight. We didn't get it done. But that changes nothing in terms of the direction and trajectory of this program, and it's due to guys like these two guys here, all those guys in that locker room that are heartbroken right now that battled. Had guys refusing to come out of the game. Guys continued to battle as things went on. We've done it all year. No real surprise there.

Not something as a head coach you take for granted. Love coaching this team. We've responded to any type of adversity that has hit us all year. This will be a different kind, but I expect our response will be at an elite level. We'll find out where the next one is and be ready to go.

THE MODERATOR: Questions, please.

Q. Lincoln, you've seen a lot of players in your career. The guy to your left has to be one of the gutsiest performances you've seen. What was the conversation with your backup warming up? Was there a consideration?

LINCOLN RILEY: Definitely. He popped his hamstring on the long run that was on a second or third drive of the game. I asked him at one point, Are you 50%?

He was not even close to 50%. I definitely thought about taking him out. He wouldn't have let me, and he didn't let me. He wouldn't even let me take him out at the end.

Yeah, in terms of guys I've coached at that position, maybe the gutsiest performance I've ever seen. Most guys wouldn't have even played. He still gave us a chance. We had to change the game plan, had a change lot of things on the fly. He just kind of kept battling and willed us.

We had a real shot there at the end. I thought, after we scored the touchdown and made it a three-point game, that we had some real momentum on our side.

No, it was -- shit, that's as gutsy of a performance as you'll ever see.



Q. Lincoln, does something need to change philosophically or schematically to put defenses on the field that are as good as the offenses you put on the field?

LINCOLN RILEY: I think tonight defensively we obviously played really well early, had a lot of momentum.

They seized it there in the second quarter. I thought really the second half really changed. I felt like we were in position a lot defensively tonight. We dropped two or three very easy interceptions. Those are such big momentum plays. They made some of the competitive catches that we didn't make.

At the end of the game, we got way too focused, we panicked a little bit, got way too focused on trying to strip the ball or trying to make big plays as opposed to just getting them on the ground. Our tackling was very poor at the end.

A lot of things we got to correct going into this next one.

Q. Lincoln, to follow up on the defense part of it, two long touchdown runs in the third quarter were both plays where it looked like your guys were more focused on taking the ball away than they were tackling. Is that something you teach?

LINCOLN RILEY: To take the ball away?

Q. To take the ball away first rather than tackle.

LINCOLN RILEY: I don't know that I'm going to justify that question with an answer.

Q. Caleb, can you describe what you felt when you got hurt and then what it was like trying to go through the rest of the game?

CALEB WILLIAMS: You ever have an old rubber band? Yeah, kind of felt like that (smiling).

The rest of the game I felt it, but I had something that I always go by -- not always go by, but something that I have watched and admired, a person that I admire, Kobe. He always said the game is bigger than what you're feeling.

I was in my head encouraging myself that the game is bigger than what I was feeling. I also had a group of guys that was looking at me to go out there and lead 'em to victory. That didn't end up what happened, but that's what was going on.

Q. Coach, not having Vorhees out there tonight, can

you talk about that absence.

LINCOLN RILEY: Yeah, I mean, he's one of the best offensive linemen in the country. So, yeah, obviously not having him was a disappointment. He's really battled the last half of the season. Really hasn't been anywhere close to 100%.

But he's just another example of guys on all sides of the ball that have really battled. Have an impact? It probably did. Certainly when you lose one of the your best players up front, you have to shuffle some things around like we did that's part of it.

I feel like the group we put out there was perfectly capable of playing well. Losing Neilon at the end when we had a little bit of momentum certainly hurt, too, because somehow you're shift ago lot of people. Some of our depth showed up a little bit there at the end.

Obviously hope to be able to potentially get him back for the bowl. We'll see how that plays out.

Q. Coach, can you tell us what was so difficult about running the football tonight against Utah?

LINCOLN RILEY: A couple times that we didn't execute early. Some of our run game honestly became not totally limited, but when your quarterback's playing immobile, it's certainly a factor there as well.

People got to play us a little bit differently with him when he can move around. That changed some of the run game. I certainly deserve fault at that. There's times that I could have and should have stayed with it more as far as calling the game.

Q. Lincoln, obviously only two losses this season, but both to the same team. What is it that Utah does in particular that creates a tougher matchup for you guys?

LINCOLN RILEY: Yeah, they're two very different games. First game at their place, listen, they made plays. We made plays there, too. We had obviously a lot of chances and a lot of things that didn't quite go our way that night.

But they're a good football team, right? They make you earn it. Quarterback's played a lot of ball. They've got some really good skill. Defensively they're very strong. Had a system in place, guys recruited for a long time, you see the continuity, how that's built. You kind of feel that with the way their guys play.

You got to give 'em credit. Part of when you get to kind of



these moments in these big games is groups that have been there before. They certainly have. A lot of our team has not.

We had our chances up there. We certainly had our chances tonight. You got to tip your hat to them. They're a good football team. You got to play well to beat 'em. We played well up there, but not quite enough to overcome it. Tonight was obviously way too spotty.

Q. Lincoln, as you look at all the things that happened tonight on the line, to what extent do you feel this game was won and lost at the line of scrimmage?

LINCOLN RILEY: I mean, it's a big factor every single game. But it's not a singular factor. I mean, we all own in it. Again, you can go look at this game from so many different angles, right? Had a lot of momentum early. Even after Caleb got dinged, we were still stopping them there defensively.

We had a chance after we got the fumble to separate there. Think of how that game feels if offensively we purge that one in. Those are the big-momentum plays when you look back, so much can hinge on those.

We drop our for sure interception and they pop a score the very next play on a third-and-long, a play we didn't tackle very well. That's the game right there, right?

It comes down to they made more plays than we did. They played better than we did. The line of scrimmage skill, it's all of the above. The line of scrimmage is certainly very important in games like this. It was important tonight. But so are the other parts, as well.

Q. Coach, congratulations on an incredible season. You inherited a team that went 4-8. Here we are sitting here 11-2, talking about the possibility of championships.

LINCOLN RILEY: I like this guy already (smiling).

Q. Congratulations to you and Caleb. In terms of the game, it felt like two different games. What did you see in terms of kind of a sequence of plays or schematics or things where you felt the tide was turning? What did you see in that shift?

LINCOLN RILEY: I think there were two parts, right? There was the one we just referenced, which was we're up, we get the turnover, we got all the momentum in the world. We don't punch it in. They regain momentum for really the rest of the second half.

Then I thought after we scored, we kind of held serve there defensively for a while when we still weren't playing very good offensively in the beginning of the third. Then we scored and got it to the three-point game. I thought that was kind of the key sequence right there.

We held serve, but weren't able to hold serve there. Offensively we just didn't play very well together much. Even the beginning of the half, we're getting stops, but then we're going three-and-out down there.

We had some chances to surge. We had a chance to really separate in the game early. We didn't do it. Then we obviously had a chance to go back and get the lead or separate there a little bit there in the third quarter. We didn't do it.

I think Utah did a better job playing together. They did a better job when they surged. They made us pay for it. They got the combined stops and scores together and went on better runs than we did.

Q. Lincoln, I know there's a bowl game still left to play, but for you guys, roster stuff is going to be taking the forefront with transfer portal and recruiting. Where do you feel you need to take the next step with this roster so you finish with a win here next year?

LINCOLN RILEY: All parts of it. All parts of it.

So much is going to reset right now. We'll get an idea as these next few weeks go on. Obviously we're going to prep for a really, really good game coming up next. So obviously that's going to be the main thing.

Certainly we'll be taking an eye towards next year's roster. Again, it's not like you have the whole roster at your disposal, pick the spots. There's going to be a lot of changes. That's college football this day and age. We understand that.

The guys we have in the locker room now that are with us next year, we know what our mission is, it's to be in that same locker room and feel a whole hell after lot different than we do right now. We'll bring in a couple of pieces that are going to help us on that journey.

THE MODERATOR: Thank you.

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