

## FINAL SCORE



**Houston**

6-11

**3**



**Minnesota**

3-16

**2**

March 17, 2023

U.S. Bank Stadium (Minneapolis, Minn.)

## FINAL STATISTICS

**Official Box Score - Final**  
**Houston at Minnesota**  
**3/17/2023 at U.S. Bank Stadium (Minneapolis, Minn.)**



**Houston 3 (6-11)**

#	Player	Pos	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	k	po	a	lob
18	NICKENS, C	lf	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
32	LOTT, M	lf	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
7	ARNOLD, Z	3b	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
14	LOPEZ, A	dh	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
5	TULIMERO, A	c	4	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	0
4	UHSE, B	rf	4	1	2	0	0	1	3	0	1
13	MURRAY, J	1b	3	1	2	1	1	1	4	0	0
1	BURCKEL, B	2b	2	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	2
12	MCMILLAN, I	ss	3	0	0	1	0	0	3	2	0
2	BIANCO, D	cf	2	0	0	1	0	2	5	0	1
Totals			29	3	6	3	1	5	27	4	4

**Minnesota 2 (3-16)**

#	Player	Pos	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	k	po	a	lob
7	Bateman	cf	4	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	2
3	Counsell	2b	4	1	1	1	0	0	4	1	0
23	Mezzenga	ss	4	1	2	1	0	2	3	4	0
27	Perry	1b	3	0	0	0	1	1	7	3	2
33	Merila	dh	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
10	Hunt	rf/c	4	0	1	0	0	2	2	2	0
1	Larson	3b	2	0	0	0	2	0	1	2	0
6	Hokenson	lf	2	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0
22	Neels	ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Swenson	c	2	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	2
8	Jurgella	rf	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Totals			31	2	5	2	5	7	27	13	7

**Score by Innings**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E	LOB
Houston	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	3	6	0	4
Minnesota	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	5	0	7

DP - Houston 0; Minnesota 1.

RBI - MURRAY, J (8) ; MCMILLAN, I (6) ; BIANCO, D (8) ; Counsell (8) ; Mezzenga (11) ; 2B - Bateman (4) ; 3B - MURRAY, J (2) ; HR - Counsell (2) ; Mezzenga (2) ; KL - MURRAY, J ; BIANCO, D ; Perry ; Swenson ; HBP - ARNOLD, Z (6) ; BURCKEL, B 2 (6) ; SH - BIANCO, D (2) ; CS - MURRAY, J (3) ; Larson (4) ; GDP - LOPEZ, A ; LOB - Houston 4; Minnesota 7.

HOU	ip	h	r	er	bb	k	bf	ab	np
47 MILLER, M	6.2	3	0	0	5	5	27	22	100
11 FORSYTH, B	2.1	2	2	2	0	2	9	9	39

MINN	ip	h	r	er	bb	k	bf	ab	np
29 Novotny	7.0	6	3	3	0	3	27	23	86
46 Rooney	2.0	0	0	0	1	2	7	6	34

Win - MILLER, M(2-0). Loss - Novotny(0-2). Save - FORSYTH, B (1).

HB - Novotny 3 (7) ;

Inherited runners/scored - FORSYTH, B 2/0; Groundouts/Flyouts - MILLER, M 1/13; FORSYTH, B 2/3; Novotny 9/6; Rooney 1/3; Pitches/strikes - MILLER, M 100/58; FORSYTH, B 39/27; Novotny 86/59; Rooney 34/20;

Umpires - HP: Glen (Trey) Nelson; 1B: Stephen Linton; 2B: Greg Stanzak; 3B: Aaron Christians.

Start: 6:00 pm. Duration: 2:26. Attendance: 247



**Play By Play (Full) - Final Houston at Minnesota  
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Minnesota	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	5	0	7

**Houston starters:**

18/lf/NICKENS, C; 7/3b/ARNOLD, Z; 14/dh/LOPEZ, A; 5/c/TULIMERO, A; 4/rf/UHSE, B; 13/1b/MURRAY, J; 1/2b/BURCKEL, B; 12/ss/MCMILLAN, I; 2/cf/BIANCO, D; 47/p/MILLER, M;

**Minnesota starters:**

7/cf/Bateman; 3/2b/Counsell; 23/ss/Mezzenga; 27/1b/Perry; 33/dh/Merila; 10/rf/Hunt; 1/3b/Larson; 6/lf/Hokenson; 20/c/Swenson; 29/p/Novotny;

**1st Inning**

Top of 1st - HOU batting

NICKENS, C grounded out to 1b unassisted (0-2 FK).

ARNOLD, Z singled to left field (3-2 KSBBS).

LOPEZ, A grounded into double play 3b to 2b to 1b (3-1 BBBK); ARNOLD, Z out on the play.

This Inning	R	H	E	L
HOU	0	1	0	0
MINN	0	1	0	1

Bottom of 1st - MINN batting

Bateman doubled down the lf line (1-1 BK).

Counsell lined out to rf (1-1 BK).

Mezzenga struck out swinging (0-2 SSS).

Perry flied out to cf (0-0).

**2nd Inning**

Top of 2nd - HOU batting

TULIMERO, A flied out to lf (1-1 BS).

UHSE, B singled through the left side (2-0 BB).

MURRAY, J struck out looking (0-2 KSK).

BURCKEL, B grounded out to p, bunt (0-0).

This Inning	R	H	E	L
HOU	0	1	0	1
MINN	0	0	0	2

Bottom of 2nd - MINN batting

Merila popped up to 2b (1-2 SSB).

Hunt popped up to cf (0-0).

Larson walked (3-1 BBBKB).

Hokenson walked (3-2 BBSBFB); Larson advanced to second.

Swenson struck out looking (1-2 BKFK).

**3rd Inning**

Top of 3rd - HOU batting

MCMILLAN, I popped up to 2b (1-0 B).

BIANCO, D struck out swinging (2-2 KFBBS).

NICKENS, C lined out to cf (0-0).

This Inning	R	H	E	L
HOU	0	0	0	0
MINN	0	1	0	1

Bottom of 3rd - MINN batting

Bateman flied out to lf (1-0 B).

Counsell popped up to 1b (1-1 KB).

Mezzenga singled down the rf line (0-1 K).

Mezzenga stole second.

Perry flied out to cf (3-2 KBBFB).

#### 4th Inning

##### Top of 4th - HOU batting

ARNOLD, Z grounded out to ss (0-1 K).  
 LOPEZ, A singled to left center (1-2 FFB).  
 TULIMERO, A reached on a fielder's choice (0-2 SF); LOPEZ, A out at second 1b to ss.  
 UHSE, B popped up to lf (0-0).

This Inning	R	H	E	L
HOU	0	1	0	1
MINN	0	0	0	0

##### Bottom of 4th - MINN batting

Merila popped up to 1b (3-2 BFBFBFF).  
 Hunt struck out swinging (0-2 KSS).  
 Larson walked (3-2 KSB BBB).  
 Larson out at second c to ss, caught stealing.

#### 5th Inning

##### Top of 5th - HOU batting

MURRAY, J tripled to left center (2-0 BB).  
 BURCKEL, B hit by pitch (0-2 KK).  
 BURCKEL, B stole second.  
**MCMILLAN, I grounded out to ss, RBI (2-2 BKKB); BURCKEL, B advanced to third; MURRAY, J scored.**  
**BIANCO, D out at first p to 2b, SAC, bunt, RBI (0-1 F); BURCKEL, B scored.**  
 NICKENS, C flied out to cf (0-0).

This Inning	R	H	E	L
HOU	2	1	0	0
MINN	0	0	0	0

##### Bottom of 5th - MINN batting

Hokenson popped up to cf (0-0).  
 Swenson popped up to 1b (0-0).  
 Bateman struck out swinging (2-2 BKFBS).

#### 6th Inning

##### Top of 6th - HOU batting

ARNOLD, Z hit by pitch (0-0).  
 LOPEZ, A reached on a fielder's choice (1-2 BFF); ARNOLD, Z out at second 1b to ss.  
 TULIMERO, A lined out to 3b (0-0); LOPEZ, A out at first 3b to 1b.

This Inning	R	H	E	L
HOU	0	0	0	0
MINN	0	0	0	1

##### Bottom of 6th - MINN batting

Counsell flied out to rf (1-2 FBK).  
 Mezzenga struck out swinging (0-2 SSS).  
 Perry walked (3-1 FBBBB).  
 Merila flied out to rf (0-0).

#### 7th Inning

##### Top of 7th - HOU batting

UHSE, B singled up the middle (0-1 K).  
 UHSE, B stole second.  
**MURRAY, J singled up the middle, RBI (3-2 BBKBKFF); UHSE, B scored.**  
 MURRAY, J out at second p to 1b to ss, caught stealing.  
 BURCKEL, B hit by pitch (1-2 BFF).  
 BURCKEL, B stole second.  
 MCMILLAN, I grounded out to ss (0-2 SK); BURCKEL, B advanced to third.  
 BIANCO, D struck out looking (2-2 FFBFBK).

This Inning	R	H	E	L
HOU	1	2	0	1
MINN	0	1	0	2

##### Bottom of 7th - MINN batting

Hunt singled to left field (2-2 BKSB).  
 Larson reached on a fielder's choice (2-2 BBKS); Hunt out at second ss to 2b.  
 Hokenson popped up to ss (1-1 BK).  
 Swenson walked (3-1 BKBBB); Larson advanced to second.  
 FORSYTH, B to p for MILLER, M.  
 Bateman reached on a fielder's choice (0-1 K); Swenson out at second ss to 2b.

## 8th Inning

Top of 8th - HOU batting.

*Hunt to c.*

*Jurgella to rf for Swenson.*

*Rooney to p for Novotny.*

NICKENS, C struck out swinging (1-2 KBSS).

ARNOLD, Z flied out to cf (1-0 B).

LOPEZ, A lined out to lf (2-2 KBBFF).

Bottom of 8th - MINN batting

*LOTT, M to lf for NICKENS, C.*

**Counsell homered to left field, RBI (2-2 BFKBF).**

**Mezzena homered to left field, RBI (0-2 SS).**

Perry struck out looking (3-2 SFBFBK).

Merila grounded out to 2b (0-1 F).

Hunt struck out swinging (2-2 SSBBS).

<b>This Inning</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>L</b>
HOU	0	0	0	0
MINN	2	2	0	0

## 9th Inning

Top of 9th - HOU batting

TULIMERO, A lined out to rf (3-2 BKFFBFFF).

UHSE, B struck out swinging (1-2 SSBS).

MURRAY, J walked (3-1 BBFB).

BURCKEL, B reached on a fielder's choice (2-0 BB); MURRAY, J out at second ss to 2b.

<b>This Inning</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>L</b>
HOU	0	0	0	1
MINN	0	0	0	0

Bottom of 9th - MINN batting

Larson popped up to ss (2-0 BB).

*Neels pinch hit for Hokenson.*

Neels lined out to lf (1-2 KBKF).

Jurgella flied out to cf (2-2 BKBSF).

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2 R, 1 H, 0 E, 0 LOB.

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MCMILLAN, I grounded out to ss (0-2 SK); BURCKEL, B advanced to third.

BIANCO, D struck out looking (2-2 FFBFBK).

1 R, 2 H, 0 E, 1 LOB.

Bottom of 8th - MINN batting

LOTT, M to lf for NICKENS, C.

**Counsell homered to left field, RBI (2-2 BFKBF).**

**Mezzenga homered to left field, RBI (0-2 SS).**

Perry struck out looking (3-2 SFBFBK).

Merila grounded out to 2b (0-1 F).

Hunt struck out swinging (2-2 SSBBS).

2 R, 2 H, 0 E, 0 LOB.