

## FINAL SCORE



**Western Ky.**

2-1 (1-0)

**49**



**Middle Tenn.**

1-2 (0-1)

**21**

September 14, 2024 • Floyd Stadium (Murfreesboro, Tennessee)

## FINAL STATISTICS

**Game Summary**  
**Western Ky. vs. Middle Tenn. (Final)**  
**09/14/2024 at Murfreesboro, Tennessee**



Western Ky. (2-1; 1-0) vs. Middle Tenn. (1-2; 0-1)  
 Date: 09/14/2024 • Site: Murfreesboro, Tennessee • Stadium: Floyd Stadium  
 Kickoff time: 06:02 PM CDT • End of Game: 09:11 PM CDT • Total elapsed time: 03:09  
 Attendance: 12227  
 Temperature: 72 • Wind: 5 northEast • Weather: cloudy

**SCORING SUMMARY**

<b>Score by Quarters</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>Total</b>
Western Ky.	14	7	21	7	<b>49</b>
Middle Tenn.	0	0	14	7	<b>21</b>

<b>Qtr</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring Play</b>	<b>V-H</b>
1st	04:37	WKU - R.Helms 4 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (PAT KICK by L.Carneiro GOOD) , 12-60 5:17	7-0
1st	01:05	WKU - K.Johnson 6 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (PAT KICK by L.Carneiro GOOD) , 5-65 1:58	14-0
2nd	00:18	WKU - E.Messer 10 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (PAT KICK by L.Carneiro GOOD) , 11-99 2:54	21-0
3rd	14:07	WKU - K.Hutchinson 72 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (PAT KICK by L.Carneiro GOOD) , 2-69 0:47	28-0
3rd	10:12	MTS - O.Kelly 37 yd TD PASS from N.Vattiato (PAT KICK by Z.Rankin GOOD) , 7-82 3:51	28-7
3rd	06:38	WKU - C.Veltkamp 1 yd TD RUSH (PAT KICK by L.Carneiro GOOD) , 7-67 3:24	35-7
3rd	06:17	MTS - O.Kelly 71 yd TD PASS from N.Vattiato (PAT KICK by Z.Rankin GOOD) , 1-71 0:13	35-14
3rd	03:28	WKU - K.Johnson 36 yd TD PASS from D.Smith (PAT KICK by L.Carneiro GOOD) , 6-85 2:46	42-14
4th	09:01	WKU - T.Borland 3 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (PAT KICK by L.Carneiro GOOD) , 7-64 3:53	49-14
4th	05:47	MTS - O.Kelly 7 yd TD PASS from N.Vattiato (PAT KICK by Z.Rankin GOOD) , 6-64 3:06	49-21

**OFFICIALS**

*Referee:* Douglas Mercer  
*Umpire:* Stephen Marshall

*Head Linesman:* Hugo Cruz  
*Line judge:* Jim Pidcoe  
*Field judge:* Leroy Jones

*Back judge:* Tommy Riley  
*Side judge:* Jeff Dahle  
*Center judge:* Bobby Wright

**Team Statistics**  
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	WKU	MTS
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	30	21
Rushing	11	3
Passing	18	18
Penalty	1	0
<b>NET YARDS RUSHING</b>	150	58
Rushing Attempts	35	23
Average Per Rush	4.3	2.5
Rushing Touchdowns	1	0
Yards Gained Rushing	167	73
Yards Lost Rushing	17	15
<b>NET YARDS PASSING</b>	481	456
Completions-Attempts-Int	31-37-0	24-31-1
Average Per Attempt	13	14.7
Average Per Completion	15.5	19
Passing Touchdowns	6	3
<b>TOTAL OFFENSIVE YARDS</b>	631	514
Total Offensive plays	72	54
Average Gain Per Play	8.8	9.5
Fumbles: Number-Lost	1-0	1-0
Penalties: Number-Yards	3-25	7-57
<b>PUNTS-YARDS</b>	0-0	1-56
Average Yards Per Punt	0	56.0
Net Yards Per Punt	0	43.0
Inside 20	0	0
50+ Yards	0	1
Touchbacks	0	0
Fair catch	0	0
<b>KICKOFFS-YARDS</b>	8-503	4-238
Average Yards Per Kickoff	62.9	59.5
Net Yards Per Kickoff	55.8	36.3
Touchbacks	2	1
Punt returns: Number-Yards-TD	1-13-0	0-0-0
Average Per Return	13	0
Kickoff returns: Number-Yards-TD	3-57-0	6-93-0
Average Per Return	19	15.5
Interceptions: Number-Yards-TD	1-0-0	0-0-0
Fumble Returns: Number-Yards	0-0	0-0
Miscellaneous Yards	0	0
Possession Time	31:22	28:38
1st Quarter	7:15	7:45
2nd Quarter	7:11	7:49
3rd Quarter	7:10	7:44
4th Quarter	9:40	5:20
Third-Down Conversions	7 of 10	4 of 8
Fourth-Down Conversions	2 of 3	0 of 3
Red Zone Scores-Chances	5 of 6	1 of 3
Touchdowns	5	1
Field Goals	0 of 0	0 of 0
Sacks By: Number-Yards	3-13	2-12
Tackles For Loss: Number-Yards	5.0-15	3.0-15
Forced Three-And-Outs	1	0
Total TDs	7	3
Defensive TDs	0	0
Special Teams TDs	0	0
PAT Kicks	7-7	3-3
Field Goals	0-0	0-0
Points off turnovers	7	0

**Individual Statistics**  
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**WESTERN KY.**

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
L.Sanders	8	54	0	54	0	31	6.8
G.Hart III	4	38	0	38	0	14	9.5
E.Young	10	30	3	27	0	7	2.7
J.Hampton	5	25	0	25	0	14	5
E.Messer	2	18	0	18	0	10	9
C.Veltkamp	3	2	2	0	1	1	0
TEAM	2	0	2	-2	0	0	-1
T.Finley	1	0	10	-10	0	0	-10
<b>Totals</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>4.3</b>

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
T.Finley	3-5-0	47	0	22	1
C.Veltkamp	27-30-0	398	5	72	1
D.Smith	1-2-0	36	1	36	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>31-37-0</b>	<b>481</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>2</b>

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Tgt	YAC
K.Johnson	8	129	2	36	9	21
E.Messer	5	73	1	34	5	56
E.Young	5	64	0	23	6	69
R.Helms	4	39	1	18	6	20
K.Hutchinson	2	83	1	72	3	56
D.Smith	1	37	0	37	1	24
D.Starling	1	27	0	27	1	22
B.Childress	1	12	0	12	1	7
M.Barry	1	9	0	9	1	12
M.Mathison	1	3	0	3	1	7
T.Borland	1	3	1	3	1	1
L.Sanders	1	2	0	2	1	6
G.Hart III	0	0	0	0	1	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>481</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>301</b>

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
<b>Totals</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

Returns	Punt			Kickoff			Intercept		
	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg
A.Johnson Jr.	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
E.Messer	0	0	0	1	31	31	0	0	0
D.McCray	0	0	0	1	26	26	0	0	0
K.Hutchinson	1	13	13	0	0	0	0	0	0
L.Howard	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

Field goals	Qtr	Time	Dist	Result
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Kickoffs	No.	Yards	Avg	TB	OB
R.Stephens	8	503	62.9	2	0

All-purpose	Run	Rcv	KR	PR	IR/FR	Total
K.Johnson	0	129	0	0	0	129
E.Messer	18	73	31	0	0	122
K.Hutchinson	0	83	0	13	0	96
E.Young	27	64	0	0	0	91

**MIDDLE TENN.**

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
N.Vattiato	9	34	13	21	0	12	2.3
J.Credle	9	19	0	19	0	6	2.1
T.Wilkins	5	20	2	18	0	13	3.6
<b>Totals</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2.5</b>

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Long	Sack
N.Vattiato	24-31-1	456	3	71	3
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24-31-1</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>3</b>

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Tgt	YAC
O.Kelly	9	239	3	71	10	69
H.Willis	4	73	0	32	4	20
C.Lacy	3	41	0	17	5	29
M.Butler	2	43	0	32	4	29
J.Credle	2	13	0	9	2	19
T.Wilkins	2	11	0	9	2	19
G.Carter	1	27	0	27	3	0
J.Coleman	1	9	0	9	1	3
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>188</b>

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Long	In20	TB
G.Chadwick	1	56	56.0	56	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>56.0</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

Returns	Punt			Kickoff			Intercept		
	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg	No	Yds	Lg
B.Brewton	0	0	0	2	-5	1	0	0	0
K.Stewart	0	0	0	4	98	34	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

Field goals	Qtr	Time	Dist	Result
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Kickoffs	No.	Yards	Avg	TB	OB
Z.Benedict	4	238	59.5	1	0

All-purpose	Run	Rcv	KR	PR	IR/FR	Total
O.Kelly	0	239	0	0	0	239
K.Stewart	0	0	98	0	0	98
H.Willis	0	73	0	0	0	73
M.Butler	0	43	0	0	0	43

<b>Fumbles</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Lost</b>
HAMPTON,J	1	0

<b>Fumbles</b>	<b>No.</b>	<b>Lost</b>
VATTIATO,N	1	0

Western Ky. Quarterback Progression  
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**Veltkamp, Caden**

27 - 30 90% 398 yds 5TD 0INT 256.4RTG

	C-A	Yds		Context	Receiver	Stk
+	1-1	6		1st and 10 on MTS12 (Q1 06:01)	E.Messer	
+	2-2	4	TD	3rd and 2 on MTS4 (Q1 05:10)	R.Helms	2
+	3-3	3		1st and 10 on WKU35 (Q1 03:03)	E.Young	3
+	4-4	34	1st	2nd and 7 on WKU38 (Q1 02:52)	E.Messer	4
+	5-5	22	1st	1st and 10 on MTS28 (Q1 02:33)	K.Johnson	5
+	6-6	6	TD	2nd and 6 on MTS6 (Q1 01:26)	K.Johnson	6
+	7-7	37	1st	3rd and 8 on WKU3 (Q2 11:00)	D.Smith	7
+	8-8	6		1st and 10 on WKU40 (Q2 10:51)	K.Johnson	8
+	9-9	11	1st	3rd and 4 on WKU46 (Q2 10:02)	K.Hutchinson	9
+	10-10	6		2nd and 10 on MTS43 (Q2 08:59)	R.Helms	10
	10-11			3rd and 4 on MTS37 (Q2 08:47)	R.Helms	
	10-12			4th and 4 on MTS37 (Q2 08:11)	K.Hutchinson	-2
	10-13			1st and 10 on WKU1 (Q2 03:12)	K.Johnson	-3
+	11-14	11	1st	3rd and 4 on WKU7 (Q2 02:58)	R.Helms	
+	12-15	4		1st and 10 on WKU18 (Q2 02:00)	E.Messer	2
+	13-16	19	1st	2nd and 6 on WKU22 (Q2 01:46)	E.Messer	3
+	14-17	27	1st	2nd and 7 on WKU44 (Q2 01:18)	D.Starling	4
+	15-18	7		1st and 10 on MTS29 (Q2 01:09)	E.Young	5
+	16-19	12	1st	2nd and 3 on MTS22 (Q2 00:57)	B.Childress	6
+	17-20	10	TD	2nd and 10 on MTS10 (Q2 00:27)	E.Messer	7
+	18-21	72	TD	2nd and 13 on WKU28 (Q3 14:47)	K.Hutchinson	8
+	19-22	30	1st	1st and 10 on WKU33 (Q3 10:02)	K.Johnson	9
+	20-23	9		1st and 10 on MTS37 (Q3 09:47)	E.Young	10
+	21-24	2	1st	2nd and 1 on MTS28 (Q3 08:48)	L.Sanders	11
+	22-25	19	1st	1st and 10 on MTS26 (Q3 08:37)	K.Johnson	12
+	23-26	3		1st and 7 on MTS7 (Q3 08:01)	M.Mathison	13
+	24-27	3		2nd and 4 on MTS4 (Q3 07:32)	K.Johnson	14
+	25-28	9		1st and 10 on WKU25 (Q3 06:02)	M.Barry	15
+	26-29	23	1st	2nd and 7 on WKU41 (Q3 04:26)	E.Young	16
+	27-30	3	TD	3rd and 3 on MTS3 (Q4 09:07)	T.Borland	17

**Sacked 1 time for 2 yards lost**

Lost	Context
-2	1st and 10 on WKU41 (Q2 01:31)

**Finley, TJ**

3 - 5 60% 47 yds 0TD 0INT 139RTG

	C-A	Yds		Context	Receiver	Stk
+	1-1	7		1st and 10 on MTS49 (Q1 09:11)	K.Johnson	
	1-2			3rd and 3 on MTS42 (Q1 08:24)	E.Young	
+	2-3	18	1st	4th and 3 on MTS42 (Q1 07:44)	R.Helms	
	2-4			1st and 10 on MTS24 (Q1 07:30)	G.Hart III	
+	3-5	22	1st	3rd and 20 on MTS34 (Q1 06:50)	E.Young	

**Sacked 1 time for 10 yards lost**

Lost	Context
-10	2nd and 10 on MTS24 (Q1 06:59)

**Smith, Dalvin**

1 - 2   50%   36 yds   1TD   0INT   366.2RTG

	<i>C-A</i>	<i>Yds</i>		<i>Context</i>	<i>Receiver</i>	<i>Stk</i>
	0-1			1st and 10 on MTS43 (Q2 09:31)	R.Helms	
+	1-2	36	TD	1st and 10 on MTS36 (Q3 03:37)	K.Johnson	

Sacked 0 times for 0 yards lost

Lost   Context

**Middle Tenn. Quarterback Progression**  
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**Vattiato, Nicholas**

**24 - 31    77%    456 yds    3TD    1INT    226.5RTG**

	<b>C-A</b>	<b>Yds</b>		<b>Context</b>	<b>Receiver</b>	<b>Stk</b>
+	1-1	32	1st	3rd and 3 on MTS8 (Q1 14:12)	H.Willis	
+	2-2	9	1st	2nd and 6 on MTS44 (Q1 12:42)	J.Coleman	2
+	3-3	4		2nd and 7 on WKU44 (Q1 11:13)	J.Credle	3
	3-4			3rd and 3 on WKU40 (Q1 10:41)	M.Butler	
	3-5			4th and 3 on WKU40 (Q1 10:05)	M.Butler	-2
	3-6			2nd and 11 on MTS24 (Q1 04:30)	G.Carter	-3
+	4-7	17	1st	1st and 10 on MTS25 (Q1 01:05)	O.Kelly	
+	5-8	54	1st	2nd and 7 on MTS45 (Q2 15:00)	O.Kelly	2
+	6-9	9		1st and 10 on MTS37 (Q2 08:03)	T.Wilkins	3
+	7-10	13	1st	2nd and 1 on MTS46 (Q2 07:49)	O.Kelly	4
+	8-11	27	1st	1st and 20 on MTS49 (Q2 06:50)	G.Carter	5
	8-12			2nd and 1 on WKU15 (Q2 05:05)	O.Kelly	
	8-13		<i>INT</i>	2nd and 13 on WKU13 (Q2 03:19)	G.Carter	-2
+	9-14	17	1st	1st and 10 on MTS25 (Q2 00:13)	C.Lacy	
+	10-15	32	1st	1st and 10 on MTS42 (Q2 00:00)	M.Butler	2
+	11-16	13	1st	1st and 10 on MTS18 (Q3 14:03)	O.Kelly	3
+	12-17	16	1st	3rd and 14 on MTS27 (Q3 12:49)	O.Kelly	4
+	13-18	15	1st	1st and 10 on MTS43 (Q3 11:55)	H.Willis	5
+	<b>14-19</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>TD</b>	<b>2nd and 5 on WKU37 (Q3 10:53)</b>	<b>O.Kelly</b>	<b>6</b>
+	<b>15-20</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>TD</b>	<b>1st and 10 on MTS29 (Q3 06:30)</b>	<b>O.Kelly</b>	<b>7</b>
+	16-21	10	1st	1st and 10 on MTS31 (Q3 03:20)	C.Lacy	8
+	17-22	11	1st	2nd and 7 on MTS44 (Q3 02:44)	M.Butler	9
+	18-23	6		1st and 17 on MTS48 (Q3 01:38)	H.Willis	10
	18-24			2nd and 11 on WKU46 (Q3 01:09)	C.Lacy	
+	19-25	2		1st and 15 on WKU39 (Q4 15:00)	T.Wilkins	
	19-26			4th and 12 on WKU36 (Q4 13:28)	C.Lacy	
+	20-27	9		1st and 10 on MTS36 (Q4 08:53)	J.Credle	
+	21-28	11	1st	2nd and 1 on MTS45 (Q4 08:41)	O.Kelly	2
+	22-29	14	1st	1st and 10 on WKU44 (Q4 08:06)	C.Lacy	3
+	23-30	20	1st	1st and 20 on WKU40 (Q4 07:03)	H.Willis	4
+	<b>24-31</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>TD</b>	<b>1st and 7 on WKU7 (Q4 06:21)</b>	<b>O.Kelly</b>	<b>5</b>

**Sacked 3 times for 13 yards lost**

<b>Lost</b>	<b>Context</b>
-2	3rd and 11 on MTS24 (Q1 03:58)
-5	1st and 8 on WKU8 (Q2 04:43)
-6	2nd and 8 on MTS33 (Q3 13:27)



**Defensive Statistics**  
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#	Western Ky.	Solo	Ast	Total	Sacks-Yds	TFL-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH
14	D.Mathews	3	3	6	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
2	T.Ellis	4	0	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0
4	A.Johnson Jr.	4	0	4	0.0-0	1.0-1	0	0-0	1-0	1	0
23	K.Swanson	3	1	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
35	D.Walker	2	2	4	0.0-0	1.0-1	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
0	H.Wheeler	2	1	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
7	D.Williams	0	3	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
9	S.Benjamin	1	2	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
12	C.Matthews	2	1	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0
21	U.Stout	2	1	3	1.0-6	1.0-6	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
3	D.Thomas	0	2	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
5	K.Guidry	1	0	1	1.0-5	1.0-5	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
6	N.Ward	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
8	D.McCray	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
10	J.Mundy	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
11	K.Robinson	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
13	T.Thompson	1	0	1	1.0-2	1.0-2	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
17	D.Herard	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
18	K.Williams	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
41	A.Ford	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
94	J.Loving	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
99	J.Rivera-Harvey	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
Totals		30	20	50	3-13	5.0-15	0	0-0	1-0	3	0

BLOCKED KICKS: none.

#	Middle Tenn.	Solo	Ast	Total	Sacks-Yds	TFL-Yds	FF	FR-Yds	Int-Yds	BrUp	QBH
22	C.Johnson	5	4	9	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
36	J.Thompson	2	5	7	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
6	M.Myers	5	1	6	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
31	J.Howse IV	2	4	6	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
8	D.Curtis	3	2	5	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
26	J.Douglas	3	2	5	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
40	A.Bynum	4	1	5	0.0-0	1.0-3	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
4	J.Monds III	3	1	4	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	1	0
12	J.Davis	4	0	4	1.0-2	1.0-2	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
23	J.Jackson	3	0	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
27	R.Smith	1	2	3	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
49	J.Stewart	1	2	3	0.5-10	0.5-10	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
21	A.Muhammad	2	0	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
39	J.Beasley	1	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0
51	A.Bailey	1	1	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
96	J.Gillespie	0	2	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
98	S.Woods	0	2	2	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
43	M.James	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
44	A.Nwaoko	0	1	1	0.5-10	0.5-10	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
89	B.Buckner	0	1	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
91	F.Hixon	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0
99	A.Williams	1	0	1	0.0-0	0.0-0	0	0-0	0-0	0	1
Totals		43	32	75	2-12	3.0-15	1	0-0	0-0	1	1

BLOCKED KICKS: none.



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**STARTERS**

**Western Ky.**

Pos	##	OFFENSE	Pos	##	DEFENSE
WR	0	K.Johnson	DL	0	H.Wheeler
QB	2	T.Finley	LB	3	D.Thomas
RB	3	E.Young	DB	4	A.Johnson Jr.
WR	8	E.Messer	LB	5	K.Guidry
WR	18	M.Barry	DB	7	D.Williams
OL	53	M.Jackson	DE	8	D.McCray
OL	58	E.Wibberley	LB	9	S.Benjamin
OL	73	T.Taylor	DB	14	D.Mathews
OL	78	Q.Leslie	DB	21	U.Stout
OL	79	B.Austin	LB	31	A.Brackenridge
TE	87	R.Helms	DL	35	D.Walker

**Middle Tenn.**

Pos	##	OFFENSE	Pos	##	DEFENSE
WR	1	O.Kelly	DB	4	J.Monds III
WR	5	M.Butler	S	6	M.Myers
QB	11	N.Vattiato	LB	8	D.Curtis
RB	22	J.Credle	CB	23	J.Jackson
TE	41	S.Alexander	S	27	R.Smith
OL	55	M.Guevara	S	31	J.Howse IV
OL	62	S.Wilson	LB	36	J.Thompson
OL	71	E.Adams	DE	40	A.Bynum
OL	73	M.Miller	DE	89	B.Buckner
OL	79	Z.Clayton	DT	96	J.Gillespie
TE	80	R.Hoerstkamp	DL	99	A.Williams

**SUBSTITUTIONS**

**Western Ky.:**

2 T.Ellis; 4 M.Mathison; 5 B.Childress; 6 D.Starling; 6 N.Ward; 7 L.Sanders; 9 G.Hart III; 10 C.Veltkamp; 10 J.Mundy; 11 K.Moore; 11 K.Robinson; 12 C.Mathews; 12 T.Helton; 13 T.Thompson; 15 Z.Edwards; 15 K.Hutchinson; 16 L.Howard; 17 D.Smith; 17 D.Herard; 17 L.Carneiro; 18 K.Williams; 23 K.Swanson; 23 J.Cooper; 25 X.Griffin; 29 J.Mensah; 30 J.Hampton; 37 M.Owens; 41 A.Ford; 45 N.Griffin; 46 M.Malone; 47 R.Stephens; 51 D.Lynch; 65 R.Newsom Jr.; 70 D.Johnson Jr.; 74 M.Ondelacy; 81 N.Meyers; 86 T.Borland; 89 C.Cable; 92 M.Patterson; 94 J.Loving; 99 J.Rivera-Harvey;

**Middle Tenn.:**

0 B.Brewton; 4 T.Wilkins; 7 Z.Rankin; 9 H.Sutton; 12 J.Davis; 17 G.Carter; 19 K.Stewart; 21 A.Muhammad; 22 C.Johnson; 26 J.Gardner; 26 J.Douglas; 29 T.Raby; 35 Z.Benedict; 37 J.Shellman; 39 J.Beasley; 43 M.James; 44 A.Nwaoko; 49 J.Stewart; 51 A.Bailey; 52 M.Byard; 56 J.Lowe; 58 K.Smith; 70 I.Rue; 74 E.Ellis; 82 T.Sudderth; 83 H.Willis; 86 C.Lacy; 88 J.Coleman; 91 F.Hixon; 92 D.Smith; 93 A.Butts; 97 G.Chadwick; 98 S.Woods;

**DID NOT PLAY**

**Western Ky.:**

11 Parks, Tucker; 14 Taggart Jr., Willie; 16 Tisdale Jr., Rodney; 18 Maynard, Cole; 19 Bunton, Javy; 19 Marshall, Virgil; 20 Walker, Jaleel; 20 Titshaw, Tate; 21 Sims, Marvin; 22 Brown, Justin; 24 Wright, Lataj; 24 Jefferson, Damari; 25 Ponder, Dallen; 26 Eugene Jr., Jai; 26 Hayes, Jarvis; 27 Landers, Corey; 28 George, Ely; 28 McMahan, Javon; 30 Jackson, Jalen; 33 Jones, Eli; 34 Hayward, Koron; 34 Jones, Donovan; 36 Washington, Khrystian; 38 Allen Jr., Reginald; 40 Jamerson, Reid; 42 Zappe, Trent; 43 Smith, Jackson; 44 Holloman, Harper; 48 Minnis, Zsacari; 49 Wilson, Drew; 50 Horton, Wesley; 55 Robich, Rex; 56 Johnson, Leavy; 57 Price, Kolbyn; 58 Buck, Michael; 62 Moment, Michael; 67 Todd, Hayden; 68 Claybrook, Gabe; 71 Wilkins, Stacey; 75 Arnold, Gabriel; 77 Collins Jr., Melvin; 80 Flowers, Cameron; 82 Alleyne, Denzil; 83 Hampton, Jaylen; 84 Fofanah, Elvin; 88 Miller, Aiden; 89 Kiss, C.J.; 90 Okeke, Chuwunedu; 93 Hand, Jalen; 96 Tobias, Brandon; 97 Harvey, Ki'Shawn;

**Middle Tenn.:**

TM TEAM; 2 McDonald, De'Arre; 3 Peasant, Frank; 7 Harris, Brendon; 7 Driggers, Sam; 9 Hughes, Parker; 10 Francis, Drew; 10 Richesson, Luther; 12 Williams, Xavier; 13 Sherman, Javonte; 15 Evans, Josh; 16 Gagliano, Roman; 18 Frost, Stone; 18 Crite, Ethan; 24 Ferrell, Trevon; 25 Lowe, Jackson; 27 Dochnahl, Caleb; 28 Elder, Da'Shawn; 28 Kaup, Christopher; 30 Reid, Caleb; 31 Clemons, Austin; 32 Middlebrook, Jekail; 32 Young, Alan; 33 Love, Malik; 33 Ratinaud, Taylor; 34 Burley, Kedrick; 35 Simpson-Smith, Zeion; 42 Poticher, Evan; 45 Morris, Ja'Darious; 45 Council, Bobby; 46 Johnson, Reggie; 46 Lovvern, Sawyer; 47 Robinson, Tiyyan; 48 Stidham, Nash; 50 Carney, Elijah; 54 Dougherty, Connor; 54 Forsha, Nolan; 59 Jackson, Jacob; 60 Keith, Derrick; 61 Peoples, Lantz; 63 Gale, Alex; 65 Pierce, Julius; 67 Hamlin, Henry; 68 Overton, Jason; 69 Butler, Brody; 72 Scott, Morgan; 75 Knox, Dumela; 76 Crawford, Shamar; 77 Robinson, Jaylen; 78 Bodiford, J'Shun; 81 Howell, Mitchell; 84 Resper, Tyson; 85 Benke, Brody; 87 Ealey, Elijah; 89 Gonzalez, Daniel; 90 Smith, Chayce; 94 Merrihew, Ayden; 96 Taylor, Jacob; 99 Turk, Trey;

**Drive Chart (By Team)**  
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Team	Qtr	Spot	Drive Started		Drive Ended			Consumed	
			Time	Obtained	Spot	Time	How lost	PI-Yds	TOP
WKU	1st	WKU40	09:54	DOWNS	MTS0	04:37	*TD	12 - 60	5:17
WKU	1st	WKU35	03:03	PUNT	MTS0	01:05	*TD	5 - 65	1:58
WKU	2nd	WKU1	12:20	DOWNS	MTS37	08:03	DOWNS	10 - 62	4:17
WKU	2nd	WKU1	03:12	INT	MTS0	00:18	*TD	11 - 99	2:54
WKU	3rd	WKU31	14:54	KO	MTS0	14:07	*TD	2 - 69	0:47
WKU	3rd	WKU33	10:02	KO	MTS0	06:38	*TD	7 - 67	3:24
WKU	3rd	WKU15	06:14	KO	MTS0	03:28	*TD	6 - 85	2:46
WKU	4th	WKU36	12:54	DOWNS	MTS0	09:01	*TD	7 - 64	3:53
WKU	4th	WKU25	05:47	KO	MTS3	0:00	HALF	12 - 72	5:47

Western Ky.	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	1st Half	2nd Half	Total
Time of possession	7:15	7:11	7:10	9:40	14:26	16:50	31:22
3rd down conversions	2-3	3-4	1-1	1-2	5-7	2-3	7-10
4th down conversions	1-1	0-1	0-0	1-1	1-2	1-1	2-3

Team	Qtr	Spot	Drive Started		Drive Ended			Consumed	
			Time	Obtained	Spot	Time	How lost	PI-Yds	TOP
MTS	1st	MTS1	14:56	KO	WKU40	09:54	DOWNS	9 - 59	5:02
MTS	1st	MTS25	04:37	KO	MTS22	03:03	PUNT	3 - -3	1:34
MTS	1st	MTS25	01:05	KO	WKU1	12:20	DOWNS	7 - 74	3:45
MTS	2nd	MTS37	08:03	DOWNS	WKU13	03:12	INT	8 - 50	4:51
MTS	2nd	MTS25	00:13	KO	WKU26	0:00	HALF	2 - 49	0:13
MTS	3rd	MTS18	14:03	KO	WKU0	10:12	*TD	7 - 82	3:51
MTS	3rd	MTS29	06:30	KO	WKU0	06:17	*TD	1 - 71	0:13
MTS	3rd	MTS31	03:20	KO	WKU36	12:54	DOWNS	11 - 33	5:26
MTS	4th	MTS36	08:53	KO	WKU0	05:47	*TD	6 - 64	3:06

Middle Tenn.	1st Qtr	2nd Qtr	3rd Qtr	4th Qtr	1st Half	2nd Half	Total
Time of possession	7:45	7:49	7:44	5:20	15:34	13:04	28:38
3rd down conversions	1-3	1-2	2-2	0-1	2-5	2-3	4-8
4th down conversions	0-1	0-1	0-0	0-1	0-2	0-1	0-3

**Drive Chart (By Quarter)**  
**Western Ky. vs. Middle Tenn. (Final)**  
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Team	Qtr	Spot	Drive Started		Spot	Drive Ended		Consumed	
			Time	Obtained		Time	How lost	Pl-Yds	TOP
MTS	1st	MTS1	14:56	KO	WKU40	09:54	DOWNS	9 - 59	5:02
WKU	1st	WKU40	09:54	DOWNS	MTS0	04:37	*TD	12 - 60	5:17
MTS	1st	MTS25	04:37	KO	MTS22	03:03	PUNT	3 - -3	1:34
WKU	1st	WKU35	03:03	PUNT	MTS0	01:05	*TD	5 - 65	1:58
MTS	1st	MTS25	01:05	KO	WKU1	12:20	DOWNS	7 - 74	3:45
WKU	2nd	WKU1	12:20	DOWNS	MTS37	08:03	DOWNS	10 - 62	4:17
MTS	2nd	MTS37	08:03	DOWNS	WKU13	03:12	INT	8 - 50	4:51
WKU	2nd	WKU1	03:12	INT	MTS0	00:18	*TD	11 - 99	2:54
MTS	2nd	MTS25	00:13	KO	WKU26	0:00	HALF	2 - 49	0:13
WKU	3rd	WKU31	14:54	KO	MTS0	14:07	*TD	2 - 69	0:47
MTS	3rd	MTS18	14:03	KO	WKU0	10:12	*TD	7 - 82	3:51
WKU	3rd	WKU33	10:02	KO	MTS0	06:38	*TD	7 - 67	3:24
MTS	3rd	MTS29	06:30	KO	WKU0	06:17	*TD	1 - 71	0:13
WKU	3rd	WKU15	06:14	KO	MTS0	03:28	*TD	6 - 85	2:46
MTS	3rd	MTS31	03:20	KO	WKU36	12:54	DOWNS	11 - 33	5:26
WKU	4th	WKU36	12:54	DOWNS	MTS0	09:01	*TD	7 - 64	3:53
MTS	4th	MTS36	08:53	KO	WKU0	05:47	*TD	6 - 64	3:06
WKU	4th	WKU25	05:47	KO	MTS3	0:00	HALF	12 - 72	5:47

**Play-by-Play Summary (1st quarter)**  
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- Start of 1st quarter, clock 15:00. [15:00]  
*Middle Tenn. won the toss. MTS will receive and WKU will defend the north goal.*

(15:00) STEPHENS, Riley kickoff 65 yards from the WKU35 to the MTS0, BREWTON, Brian returned 1 yard to the MTS1 (BENJAMIN, Sebastian), clock 14:56.

**MTS drive start at 14:56**

- 1-10 MTS1 (14:52) [NHSG] CREDLE, Jaiden rush up the middle for a gain of 1 yard to the MTS2 (WILLIAMS, Demarko;MCCRAY, Deante), clock 14:47. [14:47]
  - 2-9 MTS2 (14:18) [NHSG] CREDLE, Jaiden rush up the middle for a gain of 6 yards to the MTS8 (BENJAMIN, Sebastian;WALKER, Dallas), clock 14:12. [14:12]
  - 3-3 MTS8 (13:34) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the right complete for 32 yards to WILLIS, Holden caught at the MTS30 and advanced to the MTS40 (ROBINSON, Kent), 1ST DOWN, clock 13:20. [13:20] P
  - 1-10 MTS40 (12:48) [NHSG] WILKINS, Terry rush up the middle for a gain of 4 yards to the MTS44 (LOVING, Jayden), clock 12:42. [12:42]
  - 2-6 MTS44 (12:12) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the right complete for 9 yards to COLEMAN, Jacob caught at the MTS50 and advanced to the WKU47 (WILLIAMS, Demarko;STOUT, Upton), 1ST DOWN, clock 12:00. [12:00] P
  - 1-10 WKU47 (11:35) [NHSG] QB Keeper VATTIATO, Nicholas rush to the left for a gain of 8 yards to the WKU39 (JOHNSON JR., Anthony), clock 11:28. [11:28]
- MTS WILKINS, Terry injured on the play.*
- 2-2 WKU39 PENALTY Before the snap, MTS False Start on MILLER, Marcus enforced 5 yards from the WKU39 to the WKU44, clock 11:13. [11:13]
  - 2-7 WKU44 (10:53) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the left complete for 4 yards to CREDLE, Jaiden caught at the WKU49 and advanced to the WKU40 (WHEELER, Hosea), clock 10:41. [10:41]
  - 3-3 WKU40 (10:11) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the left incomplete intended for BUTLER, Myles broken up by JOHNSON JR., Anthony at the WKU18, clock 10:05. [10:05]
  - 4-3 WKU40 (09:59) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the right incomplete intended for BUTLER, Myles thrown to the WKU10; MTS turnover on downs, clock 09:54. [09:54]

*Drive Summary: 9 plays, 59 yards, 5:02*

**WKU drive start at 09:54**

- 1-10 WKU40 (09:52) [NHSG] YOUNG, Elijah rush up the middle for a gain of 6 yards to the WKU46 (CURTIS, Devyn), clock 09:48. [09:48]
  - 2-4 WKU46 (09:17) [NHSG] YOUNG, Elijah rush up the middle for a gain of 5 yards to the MTS49 (CURTIS, Devyn), 1ST DOWN, clock 09:11. [09:11] R
  - 1-10 MTS49 (08:54) [NHSG] FINLEY, TJ pass short to the right complete for 7 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean caught at the MTS44 and advanced to the MTS42 (MYERS, Marvae), clock 08:51. [08:51]
  - 2-3 MTS42 (08:29) [NHSG] YOUNG, Elijah rush up the middle for no gain to the MTS42 (THOMPSON, Jordan;GILLESPIE, James), clock 08:24. [08:24]
  - 3-3 MTS42 (07:48) [NHSG] FINLEY, TJ pass to the left incomplete intended for YOUNG, Elijah thrown to the MTS45; QB hurried by WILLIAMS, Alex, clock 07:44. [07:44]
  - 4-3 MTS42 (07:43) [NHSG] FINLEY, TJ pass short up the middle complete for 18 yards to HELMS, River caught at the MTS40 and advanced to the MTS24 (BYNUM, Anthony), 1ST DOWN, clock 07:30. [07:30] P
  - 1-10 MTS24 (07:05) [NHSG] FINLEY, TJ pass deep to the left incomplete intended for HART III, George thrown to the MTS5, clock 06:59. [06:59]
  - 2-10 MTS24 (06:58) [NHSG] FINLEY, TJ sacked for a loss of 10 yards at the MTS34 (STEWART, James;NWAOKO, Andy), clock 06:50. [06:50]
  - 3-20 MTS34 (06:11) [NHSG] FINLEY, TJ pass short to the left complete for 22 yards to YOUNG, Elijah caught at the MTS30 and advanced to the MTS12 (SMITH, Rickey;THOMPSON, Jordan), 1ST DOWN, clock 06:01. [06:01] P
- WKU FINLEY, TJ injured on the play.*
- 1-10 MTS12 (05:53) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass up the middle complete for 6 yards to MESSER, Easton caught at the MTS15 and advanced to the MTS6 (THOMPSON, Jordan), clock 05:50. [05:50]
- C. Veltkamp in at QB for WKU*
- 2-4 MTS6 (05:17) [NHSG] YOUNG, Elijah rush up the middle for a gain of 2 yards to the MTS4 (BYNUM, Anthony), clock 05:10. [05:10]
  - 3-2 MTS4 (04:41) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass short up the middle complete for 4 yards to HELMS, River to the MTS0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN WKU, clock 04:37 (Scoring play confirmed). [04:37] P
  - 0-0 MTS3 CARNEIRO, Lucas PAT kick attempt is good.

**WESTERN KY. 7, MIDDLE TENN. 0**

*Drive Summary: 12 plays, 60 yards, 5:17*

STEPHENS, Riley kickoff 65 yards from the WKU35 to the MTS0, Touchback , clock 04:37.

**MTS drive start at 04:37**

- 1-10 MTS25 (04:36) [NHSG] WILKINS, Terry rush up the middle for a loss of 1 yard to the MTS24 (WALKER, Dallas), clock 04:30. [04:30]
- 2-11 MTS24 (04:01) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the left incomplete intended for CARTER, Gamarion thrown to the MTS42, clock 03:58. [03:58]
- 3-11 MTS24 (03:56) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas sacked for a loss of 2 yards at the MTS22 (THOMPSON, Terrion), clock 03:48. [03:48]
- 4-13 MTS22 (03:12) CHADWICK, Grant punt 56 yards to the WKU22, HUTCHINSON, K.D. returned 13 yards to the WKU35 (SMITH, Rickey;JOHNSON, Chris), clock 03:03. [03:03]

Drive Summary: 3 plays, -3 yards, 1:34

**WKU drive start at 03:03**

- 1-10 WKU35 (03:00) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the left complete for 3 yards to YOUNG, Elijah caught at the WKU28 and advanced to the WKU38 (CURTIS, Devyn), clock 02:52. [02:52]
- 2-7 WKU38 (02:42) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep up the middle complete for 34 yards to MESSER, Easton caught at the MTS45 and advanced to the MTS28 (MONDS III, James), 1ST DOWN, clock 02:33. [02:33] P
- 1-10 MTS28 (02:08) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep to the left complete for 22 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean caught at the MTS10 and advanced to the MTS6 (MYERS, Marvae), 1ST DOWN, clock 02:04. [02:04] P
- 1-6 MTS6 (01:32) [NHSG] YOUNG, Elijah rush to the left for no gain to the MTS6 (SMITH, Rickey), clock 01:26. [01:26]
- 2-6 MTS6 (01:08) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the right complete for 6 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean to the MTS0, TOUCHDOWN WKU, clock 01:05 (Scoring play confirmed). [01:05]
- 0-0 MTS3 CARNEIRO, Lucas PAT kick attempt is good.

**WESTERN KY. 14, MIDDLE TENN. 0**

Drive Summary: 5 plays, 65 yards, 1:58

STEPHENS, Riley kickoff 65 yards from the WKU35 to the MTS0, Touchback , clock 01:05.

**MTS drive start at 01:05**

- 1-10 MTS25 (01:03) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the left complete for 17 yards to KELLY, Omari caught at the MTS41 and advanced to the MTS42 (JOHNSON JR., Anthony), 1ST DOWN, clock 00:51. [00:51] P
- 1-10 MTS42 (00:28) [NHSG] CREDLE, Jaiden rush up the middle for a gain of 3 yards to the MTS45 (BENJAMIN, Sebastian;RIVERA-HARVEY, Jalil), clock 00:00. [00:00]
- End of 1st quarter, clock 0:00. [0:00]

**END OF 1ST QUARTER: WESTERN KY. 14, MIDDLE TENN. 0**

Quarter Summary	Score	Time Poss	1st Downs				Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
			R	P	X	T	3rd	4th			
Western Ky.	14	7:15	1	5	0	6	2-3	1-1	6-3	9-11-0-122	0-0
Middle Tenn.	0	7:45	0	3	0	3	1-3	0-1	7-19	4-7-0-62	1-5

Quickie Statistics (1st Quarter only)  
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	WKU	MTS
Score	14	0
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	6	3
<b>RUSHES-YARDS (NET)</b>	6-3	7-19
<b>PASSING-YARDS (NET)</b>	122	62
Passes Att-Comp-Int	11-9-0	7-4-0
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS</b>	17-125	14-81
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-13	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	1-1
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	0-0	1-56.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	0-0	1-5
Possession Time	7:15	7:45
Third-Down Conversions	2-3	1-3
Fourth-Down Conversions	1-1	0-1

Western Ky.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Avg	Lg
E.Young	5	13	0	13	0	2.6	6

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Lg	Sack
C.Veltkamp	6-6-0	75	2	34	0
T.Finley	3-5-0	37	0	22	1

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Tgt	Lg
K.Johnson	3	35	1	3	22
E.Young	2	25	0	3	22
E.Messer	2	40	0	2	34
R.Helms	2	22	1	2	18

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lng	In20	TB

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
K.Hutchinson	1	13	0	13

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
A.Johnson Jr.	2-0	2.0	0.0	0.0
S.Benjamin	1-2	2.0	0.0	0.0
D.Walker	1-1	1.5	0.0	1.0
H.Wheeler	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
D.Williams	0-2	1.0	0.0	0.0
K.Robinson	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
T.Thompson	1-0	1.0	1.0	1.0
J.Loving	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0

Middle Tenn.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Avg	Lg
N.Vattiato	1	8	0	8	0	8	8
J.Credle	3	10	0	10	0	3.3	6
T.Wilkins	2	4	-1	3	0	1.5	4

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Lg	Sack
N.Vattiato	4-7-0	60	0	32	1

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Tgt	Lg
O.Kelly	1	17	0	1	17
H.Willis	1	32	0	1	32

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lng	In20	TB
G.Chadwick	1	56	56.0	56	0	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
B.Brewton	1	1	0	1

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
D.Curtis	3-0	3.0	0.0	0.0
M.Myers	2-0	2.0	0.0	0.0
R.Smith	1-2	2.0	0.0	0.0
J.Thompson	1-2	2.0	0.0	0.0
A.Bynum	2-0	2.0	0.0	0.0
J.Monds III	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
C.Johnson	0-1	0.5	0.0	0.0
A.Nwaoko	0-1	0.5	0.5	0.5

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	04:37	WKU - R.Helms 4 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 12-60 5:17	7-0
1st	01:05	WKU - K.Johnson 6 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 5-65 1:58	14-0



**Play-by-Play Summary (2nd quarter)**  
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-		Start of 2nd quarter, clock 15:00. [15:00]	
2-7	MTS45	(14:59) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep up the middle complete for 54 yards to KELLY, Omari to the WKU1 (MUNDY, Jaymar), 1ST DOWN, clock 14:45. [14:45]	P
1-1	WKU1	(14:30) [NHSG] CREDLE, Jaiden rush up the middle for no gain to the WKU1 (THOMAS, Darius;MATTHEWS, Chandler), clock 14:22. [14:22]	
2-1	WKU1	(13:56) [NHSG] CREDLE, Jaiden rush up the middle for no gain to the WKU1 (WALKER, Dallas), clock 13:39. [13:39]	
3-1	WKU1	(13:06) [NH] QB Keeper VATTIATO, Nicholas rush up the middle for no gain, VATTIATO, Nicholas fumbled at WKU1, recovered by MTS ADAMS, Ellis at the WKU1, returned 0 yards to the WKU1, End of Play, clock 12:47. [12:47]	
4-1	V1	Timeout Middle Tenn., clock 12:26. [12:26]	
4-1	WKU1	[NH] CREDLE, Jaiden rush up the middle for no gain to the WKU1 (WHEELER, Hosea); MTS turnover on downs, clock 12:20. [12:20]	

**WKU drive start at 12:20**

1-10	WKU1	[NH] QB Keeper VELTKAMP, Caden rush up the middle for a gain of 1 yard to the WKU2 (BYNUM, Anthony).	
2-9	WKU2	[NH] SANDERS, L.T. rush up the middle for a gain of 1 yard to the WKU3 (STEWART, James). [11:00]	
3-8	V3	Timeout Western Ky., clock 11:00. [11:00]	
3-8	WKU3	(10:58) [NH] VELTKAMP, Caden pass up the middle complete for 37 yards to SMITH, Dalvin caught at the WKU16 and advanced to the WKU40 (JACKSON, Jalen), 1ST DOWN, clock 10:51. [10:51]	P
1-10	WKU40	(10:36) [NH] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the right complete for 6 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean to the WKU46 (MYERS, Marvae), clock 10:32. [10:32]	
2-4	WKU46	(10:08) [NH] SANDERS, L.T. rush to the right for no gain to the WKU46 (WOODS, Shakai;THOMPSON, Jordan), clock 10:02. [10:02]	
3-4	WKU46	(09:41) [NH] VELTKAMP, Caden pass short to the right complete for 11 yards to HUTCHINSON, K.D. caught at the WKU50 and advanced to the MTS43 (MONDS III, James), 1ST DOWN, clock 09:31. [09:31]	P
1-10	MTS43	(09:05) SMITH, Dalvin pass deep to the right incomplete dropped by HELMS, River thrown to the MTS6, clock 08:59. [08:59]	
2-10	MTS43	(08:56) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the left complete for 6 yards to HELMS, River to the MTS37 (MONDS III, James;CURTIS, Devyn), clock 08:47. [08:47]	
3-4	MTS37	(08:15) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass short to the right incomplete intended for HELMS, River thrown to the MTS32, clock 08:11. [08:11]	
4-4	MTS37	(08:09) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the right incomplete intended for HUTCHINSON, K.D. broken up by MONDS III, James at the MTS29; WKU turnover on downs, clock 08:03. [08:03]	

*Drive Summary: 10 plays, 62 yards, 4:17*

**MTS drive start at 08:03**

1-10	MTS37	(08:01) [NH] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the left complete for 9 yards to WILKINS, Terry caught at the MTS34 and advanced to the MTS46 (WALKER, Dallas;WARD, Nazir), clock 07:49. [07:49]	
2-1	MTS46	(07:25) [NH] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the left complete for 13 yards to KELLY, Omari caught at the MTS43 and advanced to the WKU41 (MATHEWS, Devonte), 1ST DOWN, clock 07:22. [07:22]	P
1-10	WKU41	(06:55) VATTIATO, Nicholas scrambles to the left for a gain of 4 yards to the WKU37, out of bounds, clock 06:50. PENALTY MTS Holding on MILLER, Marcus enforced 10 yards from the WKU41 to the MTS49 [NH]. NO PLAY (replay the down). [06:50]	
1-20	MTS49	(06:24) [NH] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the left complete for 27 yards to CARTER, Gamarion to the WKU24, out of bounds, 1ST DOWN, clock 06:16. [06:16]	P
1-10	WKU24	(05:48) [NH] CREDLE, Jaiden rush up the middle for a gain of 4 yards to the WKU20 (WHEELER, Hosea;SWANSON, Keyshawn), clock 05:43. [05:43]	
2-6	WKU20	PENALTY Before the snap, WKU Disconcerting Signals on BENJAMIN, Sebastian enforced 5 yards from the WKU20 to the WKU15, clock 05:05. [05:05]	
2-1	WKU15	(04:55) [NH] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the left incomplete intended for KELLY, Omari broken up by ELLIS, Terrence at the WKU5, clock 04:52. [04:52]	
3-1	WKU15	(04:50) [NH] QB Keeper VATTIATO, Nicholas rush to the right for a gain of 7 yards to the WKU8 (SWANSON, Keyshawn), 1ST DOWN, clock 04:43. [04:43]	R
1-8	WKU8	(03:33) [NH] VATTIATO, Nicholas sacked for a loss of 5 yards at the WKU13 (GUIDRY, Kylan), clock 03:19. [03:19]	
2-13	WKU13	[NH] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the right intercepted by JOHNSON JR., Anthony at the WKU1 intended for CARTER, Gamarion. Johnson Jr. return for 0 yards to the WKU1, End of Play, clock 03:12. [03:12]	

*Drive Summary: 8 plays, 50 yards, 4:51*

**WKU drive start at 03:12**

1-10	WKU1	(03:10) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep to the right incomplete intended for JOHNSON, Kisean thrown to the WKU27, clock 03:05. [03:05]	
2-10	WKU1	(03:03) [SG] YOUNG, Elijah rush up the middle for a gain of 6 yards to the WKU7 (MUHAMMAD, Abdul), clock 02:58. [02:58]	
3-4	WKU7	(02:21) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass up the middle complete for 11 yards to HELMS, River caught at the WKU14 and advanced to the WKU18 (BAILEY, Amarrien;HOWSE IV, John), 1ST DOWN, clock 02:09. [02:09]	P
1-10	V18	Timeout Official, clock 02:00. [02:00]	
1-10	WKU18	(01:58) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the right complete for 4 yards to MESSER, Easton caught at the WKU17 and advanced to the WKU22 (MYERS, Marvae), clock 01:46. [01:46]	
2-6	WKU22	(01:37) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the right complete for 19 yards to MESSER, Easton caught at the WKU29 and advanced to the WKU41 (HOWSE IV, John;MYERS, Marvae), 1ST DOWN, clock 01:31. [01:31]	P
1-10	WKU41	(01:24) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden sacked for a loss of 2 yards at the WKU39 (DAVIS, Jalen), clock 01:18. [01:18]	
2-12	WKU39	PENALTY MTS Offsides on WOODS, Shakai enforced 5 yards from the WKU39 to the WKU44 [SG], clock 01:18. [01:18]	
2-7	WKU44	(01:14) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass short to the left complete for 27 yards to STARLING, Demick caught at the WKU49 and advanced to the MTS29, out of bounds, 1ST DOWN, clock 01:09. [01:09]	P
1-10	MTS29	(01:05) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass up the middle complete for 7 yards to YOUNG, Elijah caught at the MTS29 and advanced to the MTS22 (HOWSE IV, John), clock 00:57. [00:57]	
2-3	MTS22	(00:39) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass short to the left complete for 12 yards to CHILDRESS, Bryce caught at the MTS17 and advanced to the MTS10 (DAVIS, Jalen), 1ST DOWN, clock 00:35. [00:35]	P
1-10	MTS10	(00:33) [SG] YOUNG, Elijah rush up the middle for no gain to the MTS10 (WOODS, Shakai;HOWSE IV, John), clock 00:27. [00:27]	
2-10	H10	Timeout Western Ky., clock 00:27. [00:27]	
2-10	MTS10	(00:26) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the left complete for 10 yards to MESSER, Easton caught at the MTS13 and advanced to the MTS0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN WKU, clock 00:18 (Scoring play confirmed). [00:18]	P
0-0	MTS3	CARNEIRO, Lucas PAT kick attempt is good.	

**WESTERN KY. 21, MIDDLE TENN. 0**

Drive Summary: 11 plays, 99 yards, 2:54

(00:18) STEPHENS, Riley kickoff 64 yards from the WKU35 to the MTS1, BREWTON, Brian return of 9 yards to the MTS10 nullified (WILLIAMS, Keondre), clock 00:13. PENALTY WKU Personal Foul on HOWARD, Lofton enforced 15 yards after the change of possession from the end of the play at the MTS10 to the MTS25, from the the spot of the ball when the foul occurred.

**MTS drive start at 00:13**

1-10	MTS25	(00:07) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the left complete for 17 yards to LACY, Cam'ron caught at the MTS21 and advanced to the MTS42, out of bounds, 1ST DOWN, clock 00:00. [00:00]	P
1-10	MTS42	[NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass short to the right complete for 32 yards to BUTLER, Myles caught at the MTS45 and advanced to the WKU26 (JOHNSON JR., Anthony), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN, clock 00:00. [00:00]	P

Drive Summary: 2 plays, 49 yards, 0:13

- End of first half, clock 0:00. [0:00]

**END OF 2ND QUARTER: WESTERN KY. 21, MIDDLE TENN. 0**

Quarter Summary	Score	Time Poss	1st Downs				Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
			R	P	X	T	3rd	4th			
Western Ky.	7	7:11	0	7	0	7	3-4	0-1	6-6	11-15-0-150	2-20
Middle Tenn.	0	7:49	1	5	0	6	1-2	0-1	7-6	6-8-1-152	2-15

**Quickie Statistics (Halftime Cumulative)**  
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	WKU	MTS
Score	21	0
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	13	9
<b>RUSHES-YARDS (NET)</b>	12-9	14-25
<b>PASSING-YARDS (NET)</b>	272	214
Passes Att-Comp-Int	26-20-0	15-10-1
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS</b>	38-281	29-239
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-13	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	2--5
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	0-0	1-56.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	2-20	3-20
Possession Time	14:26	15:34
Third-Down Conversions	5-7	2-5
Fourth-Down Conversions	1-2	0-2

**Western Ky.**

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
L.Sanders	2	1	0	1	0	1	0.5
E.Young	7	19	0	19	0	6	2.7

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Lg	Sack
C.Veltkamp	17-20-0	223	3	37	1
T.Finley	3-5-0	37	0	22	1
D.Smith	0-1-0	0	0		0

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Tgt	Lg
K.Johnson	4	41	1	5	22
E.Young	3	32	0	4	22
E.Messer	5	73	1	5	34
R.Helms	4	39	1	6	18

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lg	In20	TB

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
K.Hutchinson	1	13	0	13

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
A.Johnson Jr.	3-0	3.0	0.0	0.0
D.Walker	2-2	3.0	0.0	1.0
H.Wheeler	2-1	2.5	0.0	0.0
S.Benjamin	1-2	2.0	0.0	0.0
K.Swanson	1-1	1.5	0.0	0.0
K.Guidry	1-0	1.0	1.0	1.0
D.Williams	0-2	1.0	0.0	0.0
J.Mundy	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	04:37	WKU - R.Helms 4 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 12-60 5:17	7-0
1st	01:05	WKU - K.Johnson 6 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 5-65 1:58	14-0
2nd	00:18	WKU - E.Messer 10 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 11-99 2:54	21-0

**Middle Tenn.**

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
N.Vattiato	3	15	0	15	0	8	5
J.Credle	7	14	0	14	0	6	2
T.Wilkins	2	4	-1	3	0	4	1.5

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Lg	Sack
N.Vattiato	10-15-1	207	0	54	2

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Tgt	Lg
O.Kelly	3	84	0	4	54
H.Willis	1	32	0	1	32
C.Lacy	1	17	0	1	17
T.Wilkins	1	9	0	1	9

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lg	In20	TB
G.Chadwick	1	56	56.0	56	0	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
B.Brewton	2	-5	0	1

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
M.Myers	4-1	4.5	0.0	0.0
D.Curtis	3-1	3.5	0.0	0.0
A.Bynum	3-0	3.0	0.0	0.0
J.Monds III	2-1	2.5	0.0	0.0
J.Howse IV	1-3	2.5	0.0	0.0
J.Thompson	1-3	2.5	0.0	0.0
J.Davis	2-0	2.0	1.0	1.0
R.Smith	1-2	2.0	0.0	0.0

Quickie Statistics (2nd Quarter only)  
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	WKU	MTS
Score	7	0
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	7	6
<b>RUSHES-YARDS (NET)</b>	6-6	7-6
<b>PASSING-YARDS (NET)</b>	150	152
Passes Att-Comp-Int	15-11-0	8-6-1
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS</b>	21-156	15-158
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	1--6
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	0-0	0-0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	2-20	2-15
Possession Time	7:11	7:49
Third-Down Conversions	3-4	1-2
Fourth-Down Conversions	0-1	0-1

Western Ky.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Avg	Lg
L.Sanders	2	1	0	1	0	0.5	1
E.Young	2	6	0	6	0	3	6

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Lg	Sack
C.Veltkamp	11-14-0	148	1	37	1
D.Smith	0-1-0	0	0		0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Tgt	Lg
K.Johnson	1	6	0	2	6
E.Young	1	7	0	1	7
E.Messer	3	33	1	3	19
R.Helms	2	17	0	4	11

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lng	In20	TB
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Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
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Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
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Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
H.Wheeler	1-1	1.5	0.0	0.0
K.Swanson	1-1	1.5	0.0	0.0
D.Walker	1-1	1.5	0.0	0.0
A.Johnson Jr.	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
K.Guidry	1-0	1.0	1.0	1.0
J.Mundy	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
D.Mathews	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
D.Thomas	0-1	0.5	0.0	0.0

Middle Tenn.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Avg	Lg
N.Vattiato	2	7	0	7	0	3.5	7
J.Credle	4	4	0	4	0	1	4

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Lg	Sack
N.Vattiato	6-8-1	147	0	54	1

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Tgt	Lg
O.Kelly	2	67	0	3	54
C.Lacy	1	17	0	1	17
T.Wilkins	1	9	0	1	9

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lng	In20	TB
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Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
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Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
B.Brewton	1	-6	0	-6

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
M.Myers	2-1	2.5	0.0	0.0
J.Howse IV	1-3	2.5	0.0	0.0
J.Davis	2-0	2.0	1.0	1.0
J.Monds III	1-1	1.5	0.0	0.0
A.Muhammad	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
J.Jackson	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
A.Bynum	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
J.Stewart	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
2nd	00:18	WKU - E.Messer 10 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 11-99 2:54	21-0

**Play-by-Play Summary (3rd quarter)**  
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At the start of the second half, WKU will receive and MTS will defend the north goal.

- Start of 3rd quarter, clock 15:00. [15:00]

(15:00) BENEDICT, Zach kickoff 60 yards from the MTS35 to the WKU5, MCCRAY, Deante returned 26 yards to the WKU31 (JOHNSON, Chris), clock 14:54.

**WKU drive start at 14:54**

1-10 WKU31 (14:52) [SG] YOUNG, Elijah rush up the middle for a loss of 3 yards to the WKU28 (BYNUM, Anthony), clock 14:47. [14:47]

2-13 WKU28 (14:18) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep to the left complete for 72 yards to HUTCHINSON, K.D. caught at the MTS49 and advanced to the MTS0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN WKU, clock 14:07 (Scoring play confirmed). [14:07] **P**

0-0 MTS3 CARNEIRO, Lucas PAT kick attempt is good.

**WESTERN KY. 28, MIDDLE TENN. 0**

Drive Summary: 2 plays, 69 yards, 0:47

(14:07) STEPHENS, Riley kickoff 61 yards from the WKU35 to the MTS4, STEWART, Kellen returned 14 yards to the MTS18 , End of Play, clock 14:03.

**MTS drive start at 14:03**

1-10 MTS18 (14:01) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass short up the middle complete for 13 yards to KELLY, Omari caught at the MTS21 and advanced to the MTS31, out of bounds, 1ST DOWN, clock 13:55. [13:55] **P**

1-10 MTS31 (13:31) [NHSG] CREDLE, Jaiden rush up the middle for a gain of 2 yards to the MTS33 (MATHEWS, Devonte'), clock 13:27. [13:27]

2-8 MTS33 (12:55) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas sacked for a loss of 6 yards at the MTS27 (STOUT, Upton), clock 12:49. [12:49]

3-14 MTS27 (12:15) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the left complete for 16 yards to KELLY, Omari caught at the MTS41 and advanced to the MTS43 (MATHEWS, Devonte'; WILLIAMS, Demarko), 1ST DOWN, clock 11:55. [11:55] **P**

1-10 MTS43 (11:28) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the right complete for 15 yards to WILLIS, Holden caught at the WKU45 and advanced to the WKU42 (SWANSON, Keyshawn), 1ST DOWN, clock 11:20. [11:20] **P**

1-10 WKU42 (11:01) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas scrambles to the left for a gain of 5 yards to the WKU37, out of bounds, clock 10:53. [10:53]

2-5 WKU37 (10:17) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep up the middle complete for 37 yards to KELLY, Omari to the WKU0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN MTS, clock 10:12 (Scoring play confirmed). [10:12] **P**

0-0 WKU3 RANKIN, Zeke PAT kick attempt is good.

**WESTERN KY. 28, MIDDLE TENN. 7**

Drive Summary: 7 plays, 82 yards, 3:51

(10:12) BENEDICT, Zach kickoff 63 yards from the MTS35 to the WKU2, MESSER, Easton returned 31 yards to the WKU33 (DAVIS, Jalen), clock 10:02.

**WKU drive start at 10:02**

1-10 WKU33 (09:57) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep to the left complete for 30 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean caught at the MTS44 and advanced to the MTS37 (MUHAMMAD, Abdul), 1ST DOWN, clock 09:47. [09:47] **P**

1-10 MTS37 (09:26) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass short up the middle complete for 9 yards to YOUNG, Elijah caught at the MTS33 and advanced to the MTS28 (DAVIS, Jalen), clock 09:17. [09:17]

2-1 H28 Timeout Middle Tenn., clock 08:48. [08:48]

2-1 MTS28 (08:44) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the left complete for 2 yards to SANDERS, L.T. caught at the MTS32 and advanced to the MTS26 (THOMPSON, Jordan), 1ST DOWN, clock 08:37. [08:37] **P**

1-10 MTS26 (08:13) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep to the right complete for 19 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean caught at the MTS9 and advanced to the MTS7 (HOWSE IV, John), 1ST DOWN, clock 08:01. [08:01] **P**

1-7 MTS7 (07:46) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass up the middle complete for 3 yards to MATHISON, Michael caught at the MTS11 and advanced to the MTS4 (JOHNSON, Chris), clock 07:32. [07:32]

2-4 MTS4 (07:15) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the left complete for 3 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean caught at the MTS7 and advanced to the MTS1 (JACKSON, Jalen), out of bounds, clock 07:08. [07:08]

3-1 MTS1 (06:40) [NHSG] QB Keeper VELTKAMP, Caden rush to the left for a gain of 1 yard to the MTS0, TOUCHDOWN WKU, clock 06:38 (Scoring play confirmed). [06:38]

0-0 MTS3 CARNEIRO, Lucas PAT kick attempt is good.

### WESTERN KY. 35, MIDDLE TENN. 7

Drive Summary: 7 plays, 67 yards, 3:24

(06:38) STEPHENS, Riley kickoff 56 yards from the WKU35 to the MTS9, STEWART, Kellen returned 20 yards to the MTS29 (MATTHEWS, Chandler), clock 06:30.

#### MTS drive start at 06:30

1-10 MTS29 (06:29) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the left complete for 71 yards to KELLY, Omari caught at the WKU27 and advanced to the WKU0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN MTS, clock 06:17 (Scoring play confirmed). [06:17] P

0-0 WKU3 RANKIN, Zeke PAT kick attempt is good.

### WESTERN KY. 35, MIDDLE TENN. 14

Drive Summary: 1 plays, 71 yards, 0:13

(06:17) BENEDICT, Zach kickoff 50 yards from the MTS35 to the WKU15, returned by HOWARD, Lofton. , End of Play, clock 06:14.

#### WKU drive start at 06:14

1-10 WKU15 (06:13) [NHSG] MESSER, Easton rush to the right for a gain of 10 yards to the WKU25 (WILLIAMS, Alex), 1ST DOWN, clock 06:02. [06:02] R

1-10 WKU25 (05:44) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the right complete for 9 yards to BARRY, Moussa caught at the WKU22 and advanced to the WKU34 (JOHNSON, Chris), clock 05:34. [05:34]

2-1 WKU34 (05:18) [NHSG] YOUNG, Elijah rush up the middle for a gain of 4 yards to the WKU38 (STEWART, James;GILLESPIE, James), 1ST DOWN, clock 05:13. [05:13] R  
*MTS STEWART, James injured on the play.*

1-10 WKU38 (05:00) [NHSG] MESSER, Easton rush to the right for a gain of 8 yards to the WKU46 (JOHNSON, Chris), clock 04:51. [04:51]

2-2 WKU46 PENALTY Before the snap, WKU False Start on STARLING, Demick enforced 5 yards from the WKU46 to the WKU41, clock 04:26. [04:26]

2-7 WKU41 (04:04) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the left complete for 23 yards to YOUNG, Elijah caught at the WKU35 and advanced to the MTS36 (JOHNSON, Chris), 1ST DOWN, clock 03:48. [03:48] P

1-10 H36 Timeout Middle Tenn., clock 03:37. [03:37]

1-10 MTS36 [NHSG] SMITH, Dalvin pass deep to the right complete for 36 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean to the MTS0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN WKU, clock 03:28 (Scoring play confirmed). [03:28] P

0-0 MTS3 CARNEIRO, Lucas PAT kick attempt is good.

### WESTERN KY. 42, MIDDLE TENN. 14

Drive Summary: 6 plays, 85 yards, 2:46

(03:28) STEPHENS, Riley kickoff 64 yards from the WKU35 to the MTS1, STEWART, Kellen returned 30 yards to the MTS31 (WILLIAMS, Keondre;MATHEWS, Devonte'), clock 03:20.

#### MTS drive start at 03:20

1-10 MTS31 (03:18) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass short up the middle complete for 10 yards to LACY, Cam'ron caught at the MTS36 and advanced to the MTS41 (FORD, Alex), 1ST DOWN, clock 03:08. [03:08] P

1-10 MTS41 (02:47) [NHSG] CREDLE, Jaiden rush to the left for a gain of 3 yards to the MTS44 (STOUT, Upton), out of bounds, clock 02:44. [02:44]

2-7 MTS44 (02:12) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the left complete for 11 yards to BUTLER, Myles to the WKU45 (MATHEWS, Devonte'), 1ST DOWN, clock 02:05. [02:05] P

1-10 WKU45 (01:44) [NHSG] WILKINS, Terry rush up the middle for a gain of 7 yards to the WKU38 (MATHEWS, Devonte';THOMAS, Darius), clock 01:38. PENALTY MTS Holding on ELLIS, Ethan enforced 10 yards from the WKU42 to the MTS48, from the the spot of the ball when the foul occurred, runner is credited with 3 yards on the play. [01:38]

1-17 MTS48 (01:21) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass short up the middle complete for 6 yards to WILLIS, Holden caught at the WKU48 and advanced to the WKU46 (MATHEWS, Devonte';THOMAS, Darius), clock 01:09. [01:09]

2-11 WKU46 (00:42) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the right incomplete intended for LACY, Cam'ron thrown to the WKU25, clock 00:38. [00:38]

3-11 WKU46 (00:35) [NHSG] QB Keeper VATTIATO, Nicholas rush to the left for a gain of 12 yards to the WKU34, End of Play, 1ST DOWN, clock 00:29. [00:29] R

1-10 WKU34 PENALTY Before the snap, MTS False Start on ELLIS, Ethan enforced 5 yards from the WKU34 to the WKU39, clock 00:00. [00:00]

- End of 3rd quarter, clock 0:00. [0:00]

**END OF 3RD QUARTER: WESTERN KY. 42, MIDDLE TENN. 14**

Quarter Summary	Score	Time Poss	1st Downs				Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
			R	P	X	T	3rd	4th			
Western Ky.	21	7:10	2	6	0	8	1-1	0-0	5-20	10-10-0-206	1-5
Middle Tenn.	14	7:44	1	7	0	8	2-2	0-0	6-19	8-9-0-179	2-15

**Quickie Statistics (3rd Quarter Cumulative)**  
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	WKU	MTS
Score	42	14
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	21	17
<b>RUSHES-YARDS (NET)</b>	17-29	20-44
<b>PASSING-YARDS (NET)</b>	478	393
Passes Att-Comp-Int	36-30-0	24-18-1
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS</b>	53-507	44-437
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	1-13	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-57	5-59
Interception Returns-Yards	1-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	0-0	1-56.0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	1-0
Penalties-Yards	3-25	5-35
Possession Time	21:36	23:18
Third-Down Conversions	6-8	4-7
Fourth-Down Conversions	1-2	0-2

**Western Ky.**

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
L.Sanders	2	1	0	1	0	1	0.5
E.Young	9	23	-3	20	0	6	2.2

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Lg	Sack
C.Veltkamp	26-29-0	393	4	72	1
T.Finley	3-5-0	37	0	22	1
D.Smith	1-2-0	36	1	36	0

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Tgt	Lg
K.Johnson	8	129	2	9	36
E.Young	5	64	0	6	23
E.Messer	5	73	1	5	34
R.Helms	4	39	1	6	18

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lg	In20	TB
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Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
K.Hutchinson	1	13	0	13

Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
E.Messer	1	31	0	31
D.McCray	1	26	0	26
L.Howard	1	0	0	0

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
D.Mathews	3-3	4.5	0.0	0.0
A.Johnson Jr.	3-0	3.0	0.0	0.0
D.Walker	2-2	3.0	0.0	1.0
H.Wheeler	2-1	2.5	0.0	0.0
U.Stout	2-1	2.5	1.0	1.0
K.Swanson	2-1	2.5	0.0	0.0
S.Benjamin	1-2	2.0	0.0	0.0
D.Williams	0-3	1.5	0.0	0.0

**Middle Tenn.**

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Lg	Avg
N.Vattiato	5	32	0	32	0	12	6.4
J.Credle	9	19	0	19	0	6	2.1
T.Wilkins	3	7	-1	6	0	4	2

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Lg	Sack
N.Vattiato	18-24-1	380	2	71	3

Receiving	No.	Yds	TD	Tgt	Lg
O.Kelly	7	221	2	8	71
H.Willis	3	53	0	3	32
C.Lacy	2	27	0	3	17
T.Wilkins	1	9	0	1	9

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lg	In20	TB
G.Chadwick	1	56	56.0	56	0	0

Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
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Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
K.Stewart	3	64	0	30
B.Brewton	2	-5	0	1

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
C.Johnson	5-1	5.5	0.0	0.0
M.Myers	4-1	4.5	0.0	0.0
J.Davis	4-0	4.0	1.0	1.0
A.Bynum	4-0	4.0	0.0	1.0
D.Curtis	3-1	3.5	0.0	0.0
J.Howse IV	2-3	3.5	0.0	0.0
J.Thompson	2-3	3.5	0.0	0.0
J.Monds III	2-1	2.5	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
1st	04:37	WKU - R.Helms 4 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 12-60 5:17	7-0
1st	01:05	WKU - K.Johnson 6 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 5-65 1:58	14-0
2nd	00:18	WKU - E.Messer 10 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 11-99 2:54	21-0
3rd	14:07	WKU - K.Hutchinson 72 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 2-69 0:47	28-0
3rd	10:12	MTS - O.Kelly 37 yd TD PASS from N.Vattiato (KICK by Z.Rankin) , 7-82 3:51	28-7
3rd	06:38	WKU - C.Veltkamp 1 yd TD RUSH (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 7-67 3:24	35-7



<b>Qtr</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Scoring Play</b>	<b>V-H</b>
3rd	06:17	MTS - O.Kelly 71 yd TD PASS from N.Vattiato (KICK by Z.Rankin) , 1-71 0:13	35-14
3rd	03:28	WKU - K.Johnson 36 yd TD PASS from D.Smith (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 6-85 2:46	42-14

Quickie Statistics (3rd Quarter only)  
Western Ky. vs. Middle Tenn. (Final)  
09/14/2024 at Murfreesboro, Tennessee



	WKU	MTS
Score	21	14
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	8	8
<b>RUSHES-YARDS (NET)</b>	5-20	6-19
<b>PASSING-YARDS (NET)</b>	206	179
Passes Att-Comp-Int	10-10-0	9-8-0
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS</b>	15-226	15-198
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	3-57	3-64
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	0-0	0-0
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	1-5	2-15
Possession Time	7:10	7:44
Third-Down Conversions	1-1	2-2
Fourth-Down Conversions	0-0	0-0

Western Ky.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Avg	Lg
E.Young	2	4	-3	1	0	0.5	4

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Lg	Sack
C.Veltkamp	9-9-0	170	1	72	0
D.Smith	1-1-0	36	1	36	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Tgt	Lg
K.Johnson	4	88	1	4	36
E.Young	2	32	0	2	23

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lng	In20	TB
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Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
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Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
E.Messer	1	31	0	31
D.McCray	1	26	0	26
L.Howard	1	0	0	0

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
D.Mathews	2-3	3.5	0.0	0.0
U.Stout	2-0	2.0	1.0	1.0
C.Mathews	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
K.Swanson	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
A.Ford	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
D.Thomas	0-1	0.5	0.0	0.0
D.Williams	0-1	0.5	0.0	0.0
K.Williams	0-1	0.5	0.0	0.0

Middle Tenn.

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Avg	Lg
N.Vattiato	2	17	0	17	0	8.5	12
J.Credle	2	5	0	5	0	2.5	3
T.Wilkins	1	3	0	3	0	3	3

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Lg	Sack
N.Vattiato	8-9-0	173	2	71	1

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Tgt	Lg
O.Kelly	4	137	2	4	71
H.Willis	2	21	0	2	15
C.Lacy	1	10	0	2	10

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lng	In20	TB
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Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
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Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
K.Stewart	3	64	0	30

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
C.Johnson	5-0	5.0	0.0	0.0
J.Davis	2-0	2.0	0.0	0.0
A.Muhammad	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
J.Jackson	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
J.Howse IV	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
J.Thompson	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
A.Bynum	1-0	1.0	0.0	1.0
A.Williams	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
3rd	14:07	WKU - K.Hutchinson 72 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 2-69 0:47	28-0
3rd	10:12	MTS - O.Kelly 37 yd TD PASS from N.Vattiato (KICK by Z.Rankin) , 7-82 3:51	28-7
3rd	06:38	WKU - C.Veltkamp 1 yd TD RUSH (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 7-67 3:24	35-7
3rd	06:17	MTS - O.Kelly 71 yd TD PASS from N.Vattiato (KICK by Z.Rankin) , 1-71 0:13	35-14
3rd	03:28	WKU - K.Johnson 36 yd TD PASS from D.Smith (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 6-85 2:46	42-14

**Play-by-Play Summary (4th quarter)**  
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-		Start of 4th quarter, clock 15:00. [15:00]	
1-15	WKU39	(14:53) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the left complete for 2 yards to WILKINS, Terry caught at the WKU44 and advanced to the WKU37 (ELLIS, Terrence), clock 14:40. [14:40]	
2-13	WKU37	(14:19) [NHSG] WILKINS, Terry rush up the middle for a loss of 1 yard to the WKU38 (JOHNSON JR., Anthony), clock 14:14. [14:14]	
3-14	WKU38	(13:33) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas scrambles to the left for a gain of 2 yards to the WKU36, out of bounds, clock 13:28. [13:28]	
4-12	WKU36	(12:57) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep up the middle incomplete intended for LACY, Cam'ron broken up by MATTHEWS, Chandler at the WKU18; MTS turnover on downs, clock 12:54. [12:54]	

**WKU drive start at 12:54**

1-10	WKU36	(12:51) [NHSG] SANDERS, L.T. rush to the right for a gain of 31 yards to the MTS33 (THOMPSON, Jordan;BUCKNER, Brandon), 1ST DOWN, clock 12:39. [12:39]	R
1-10	MTS33	(12:13) [NHSG] SANDERS, L.T. rush up the middle for a gain of 13 yards to the MTS20 (HOWSE IV, John;JOHNSON, Chris), 1ST DOWN, clock 12:08. [12:08]	R
1-10	MTS20	(11:34) [NHSG] SANDERS, L.T. rush up the middle for a gain of 2 yards to the MTS18 (HIXON, Felix), clock 11:30. [11:30]	
2-8	MTS18	(11:01) [NHSG] HART III, George rush to the right for a gain of 12 yards to the MTS6 (MYERS, Marvae), 1ST DOWN, clock 10:53. [10:53]	R
1-10	H6	Timeout Western Ky., clock 10:25. [10:25]	
1-6	MTS6	(10:20) [NHSG] SANDERS, L.T. rush up the middle for a gain of 3 yards to the MTS3 (JOHNSON, Chris;THOMPSON, Jordan), clock 10:16. [10:16]	
2-3	MTS3	(09:54) [NHSG] SANDERS, L.T. rush up the middle for no gain to the MTS3 (CURTIS, Devyn;JOHNSON, Chris), clock 09:48. [09:48]	
3-3	H3	Timeout Western Ky., clock 09:07. [09:07]	
3-3	MTS3	<b>(09:05) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass short to the right complete for 3 yards to BORLAND, Trevor caught at the MTS1 and advanced to the MTS0, TOUCHDOWN WKU, clock 09:01 (Scoring play confirmed). [09:01]</b>	
0-0	MTS3	<b>CARNEIRO, Lucas PAT kick attempt is good.</b>	

**WESTERN KY. 49, MIDDLE TENN. 14**

Drive Summary: 7 plays, 64 yards, 3:53

(09:01) STEPHENS, Riley kickoff 63 yards from the WKU35 to the MTS2, STEWART, Kellen returned 34 yards to the MTS36 (MATTHEWS, Chandler), clock 08:53.

**MTS drive start at 08:53**

1-10	MTS36	(08:49) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass up the middle complete for 9 yards to CREDLE, Jaiden caught at the MTS35 and advanced to the MTS45 (ELLIS, Terrence), clock 08:41. [08:41]	
2-1	MTS45	(08:19) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the left complete for 11 yards to KELLY, Omari caught at the MTS43 and advanced to the WKU44 (HERARD, Dave), 1ST DOWN, clock 08:06. [08:06]	P
1-10	WKU44	(07:44) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass up the middle complete for 14 yards to LACY, Cam'ron caught at the WKU33 and advanced to the WKU30 (SWANSON, Keyshawn), 1ST DOWN, clock 07:32. [07:32]	P
1-10	WKU30	(07:12) VATTIATO, Nicholas pass short to the right incomplete intended for KELLY, Omari thrown to the WKU25; QB hurried by EDWARDS, Zach, clock 07:03. PENALTY MTS Holding on SCOTT, Morgan enforced 10 yards from the WKU30 to the WKU40 [NHSG]. NO PLAY (replay the down). [07:03]	
1-20	WKU40	(07:02) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass up the middle complete for 20 yards to WILLIS, Holden caught at the WKU25 and advanced to the WKU20 (ELLIS, Terrence), 1ST DOWN, clock 06:44. [06:44]	P
1-10	WKU20	(06:27) [NHSG] WILKINS, Terry rush up the middle for a gain of 13 yards to the WKU7 (ELLIS, Terrence), 1ST DOWN, clock 06:21. [06:21]	R
1-7	WKU7	<b>(05:51) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the left complete for 7 yards to KELLY, Omari to the WKU0, TOUCHDOWN MTS, clock 05:47 (Scoring play confirmed). [05:47]</b>	
0-0	WKU3	<b>RANKIN, Zeke PAT kick attempt is good.</b>	

**WESTERN KY. 49, MIDDLE TENN. 21**

Drive Summary: 6 plays, 64 yards, 3:06

BENEDICT, Zach kickoff 65 yards from the MTS35 to the WKU0, Touchback , clock 05:47.

**WKU drive start at 05:47**

1-10	WKU25	(05:44) [NHSG] HART III, George rush to the left for a gain of 14 yards to the WKU39 (DOUGLAS, Jared), 1ST DOWN, clock 05:37. [05:37]	R
1-10	WKU39	(05:02) [NHSG] HART III, George rush to the left for a gain of 6 yards to the WKU45 (BYNUM, Anthony;DOUGLAS, Jared), clock 04:55. [04:55]	
2-4	WKU45	(04:21) [NHSG] HART III, George rush up the middle for a gain of 6 yards to the MTS49 (MONDS III, James), 1ST DOWN, clock 04:15. [04:15]	R
1-10	MTS49	(03:41) [NHSG] YOUNG, Elijah rush to the left for a gain of 7 yards to the MTS42 (BAILEY, Amarrien), clock 03:36. [03:36]	
2-3	MTS42	(03:00) [NHSG] SANDERS, L.T. rush to the left for a gain of 4 yards to the MTS38 (DOUGLAS, Jared), 1ST DOWN, clock 02:54. [02:54]	R
1-10	MTS38	(02:20) [NHSG] HAMPTON, Jalen rush up the middle for a gain of 14 yards to the MTS24 (JACKSON, Jalen), 1ST DOWN, clock 02:17. PENALTY MTS Face mask on JACKSON, Jalen enforced half the distance from the goal, 12 yards from the end of the play at the MTS24 to the MTS12 and results in automatic 1ST DOWN. [02:17]	R
1-10	H12	Timeout Official, clock 02:00. [02:00] <i>T.Helton in at QB for WKU</i>	
1-10	MTS12	(01:56) [NHSG] HAMPTON, Jalen rush up the middle for a gain of 6 yards to the MTS6 (DOUGLAS, Jared), clock 01:53. [01:53]	
2-4	MTS6	(01:51) [NHSG] HAMPTON, Jalen rush up the middle for a gain of 1 yard to the MTS5 (JAMES, Markel), clock 01:42. [01:42]	
3-3	MTS5	(01:11) [NHSG] HAMPTON, Jalen rush to the right for no gain to the MTS5 (BEASLEY, Jordan;DOUGLAS, Jared), clock 01:03. [01:03]	
4-3	MTS5	(00:55) [NHSG] HAMPTON, Jalen rush up the middle for a gain of 4 yards, HAMPTON, Jalen fumbled at MTS1 forced by BEASLEY, Jordan, recovered by WKU STARLING, Demick at the MTS1, returned 0 yards to the MTS1, End of Play, 1ST DOWN, clock 00:51. [00:51]	R
1-10	H1	Timeout Middle Tenn., clock 00:59. [00:59]	
1-1	MTS1	(00:48) [NH] Kneel down by HELTON, Turner at MTS2 (team loss of 1), clock 00:34. [00:34]	
2-2	MTS2	(00:19) [NH] Kneel down by HELTON, Turner at MTS3 (team loss of 1), clock 00:00. [00:00]	

Drive Summary: 12 plays, 72 yards, 5:47

2-2 MTS3 End of game, clock 0:00.

## FINAL SCORE: WESTERN KY. 49, MIDDLE TENN. 21

Quarter Summary	Score	Time Poss	1st Downs				Conversions		Rushing	Passing	Penalties
			R	P	X	T	3rd	4th			
Western Ky.	7	9:40	8	0	1	9	1-2	1-1	18-121	1-1-0-3	0-0
Middle Tenn.	7	5:20	1	3	0	4	0-1	0-1	3-14	6-7-0-63	2-22

**Quickie Statistics (4th Quarter only)**  
**Western Ky. vs. Middle Tenn. (Final)**  
**09/14/2024 at Murfreesboro, Tennessee**



	WKU	MTS
Score	7	7
<b>FIRST DOWNS</b>	9	4
<b>RUSHES-YARDS (NET)</b>	18-121	3-14
<b>PASSING-YARDS (NET)</b>	3	63
Passes Att-Comp-Int	1-1-0	7-6-0
<b>TOTAL OFFENSE PLAYS-YARDS</b>	19-124	10-77
Fumble Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punt Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Kickoff Returns-Yards	0-0	1-34
Interception Returns-Yards	0-0	0-0
Punts (Number-Avg)	0-0	0-0
Fumbles-Lost	1-0	0-0
Penalties-Yards	0-0	2-22
Possession Time	9:40	5:20
Third-Down Conversions	1-2	0-1
Fourth-Down Conversions	1-1	0-1

**Western Ky.**

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Avg	Lg
L.Sanders	6	53	0	53	0	8.8	31
G.Hart III	4	38	0	38	0	9.5	14
E.Young	1	7	0	7	0	7	7
J.Hampton	5	25	0	25	0	5	14

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Lg	Sack
C.Veltkamp	1-1-0	3	1	3	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Tgt	Lg
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Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lng	In20	TB
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Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
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Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
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Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
T.Ellis	4-0	4.0	0.0	0.0
A.Johnson Jr.	1-0	1.0	0.0	1.0
C.Matthews	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
D.Herard	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
K.Swanson	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0

**Middle Tenn.**

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	Avg	Lg
N.Vattiato	1	2	0	2	0	2	2
T.Wilkins	2	13	-1	12	0	6	13

Passing	C-A-I	Yds	TD	Lg	Sack
N.Vattiato	6-7-0	63	1	20	0

Receiving	No.	Yards	TD	Tgt	Lg
O.Kelly	2	18	1	2	11
H.Willis	1	20	0	1	20
C.Lacy	1	14	0	2	14
T.Wilkins	1	2	0	1	2

Punting	No.	Yds	Avg	Lng	In20	TB
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Punt Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
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Kick Returns	No.	Yards	TD	Lg
K.Stewart	1	34	0	34

Tackles	UA-A	Total	Sacks	TFL
J.Douglas	3-2	4.0	0.0	0.0
C.Johnson	0-3	1.5	0.0	0.0
J.Beasley	1-1	1.5	0.0	0.0
J.Monds III	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
M.Myers	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
J.Jackson	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0
J.Thompson	0-2	1.0	0.0	0.0
M.James	1-0	1.0	0.0	0.0

Qtr	Time	Scoring Play	V-H
4th	09:01	WKU - T.Borland 3 yd TD PASS from C.Veltkamp (KICK by L.Carneiro) , 7-64 3:53	49-14
4th	05:47	MTS - O.Kelly 7 yd TD PASS from N.Vattiato (KICK by Z.Rankin) , 6-64 3:06	49-21

**Western Ky. Explosive Plays**  
**Western Ky. vs. Middle Tenn. (Final)**  
**09/14/2024 at Murfreesboro, Tennessee**



**Western Ky.**

**Passing Plays Gain of 15+**

12 Plays for 359 total yards (84% of total passing yards)

Yds	Qtr	Context/Play
72	3	<b>2nd and 13 on WKU28</b> (14:07) (14:18) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep to the left complete for 72 yards to HUTCHINSON, K.D. caught at the MTS49 and advanced to the MTS0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN WKU, clock 14:07 (Scoring play confirmed).
37	2	3rd and 8 on WKU3 (10:51) (10:58) [NH] VELTKAMP, Caden pass up the middle complete for 37 yards to SMITH, Dalvin caught at the WKU16 and advanced to the WKU40 (JACKSON, Jalen), 1ST DOWN, clock 10:51.
36	3	<b>1st and 10 on MTS36</b> (03:28) [NHSG] SMITH, Dalvin pass deep to the right complete for 36 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean to the MTS0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN WKU, clock 03:28 (Scoring play confirmed).
34	1	2nd and 7 on WKU38 (02:33) (02:42) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep up the middle complete for 34 yards to MESSER, Easton caught at the MTS45 and advanced to the MTS28 (MONDS III, James), 1ST DOWN, clock 02:33.
30	3	1st and 10 on WKU33 (09:47) (09:57) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep to the left complete for 30 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean caught at the MTS44 and advanced to the MTS37 (MUHAMMAD, Abdul), 1ST DOWN, clock 09:47.
27	2	2nd and 7 on WKU44 (01:09) (01:14) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass short to the left complete for 27 yards to STARLING, Demick caught at the WKU49 and advanced to the MTS29, out of bounds, 1ST DOWN, clock 01:09.
23	3	2nd and 7 on WKU41 (03:48) (04:04) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the left complete for 23 yards to YOUNG, Elijah caught at the WKU35 and advanced to the MTS36 (JOHNSON, Chris), 1ST DOWN, clock 03:48.
22	1	3rd and 20 on MTS34 (06:01) (06:11) [NHSG] FINLEY, TJ pass short to the left complete for 22 yards to YOUNG, Elijah caught at the MTS30 and advanced to the MTS12 (SMITH, Rickey;THOMPSON, Jordan), 1ST DOWN, clock 06:01.
22	1	1st and 10 on MTS28 (02:04) (02:08) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep to the left complete for 22 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean caught at the MTS10 and advanced to the MTS6 (MYERS, Marvae), 1ST DOWN, clock 02:04.
19	2	2nd and 6 on WKU22 (01:31) (01:37) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the right complete for 19 yards to MESSER, Easton caught at the WKU29 and advanced to the WKU41 (HOWSE IV, John;MYERS, Marvae), 1ST DOWN, clock 01:31.
19	3	1st and 10 on MTS26 (08:01) (08:13) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep to the right complete for 19 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean caught at the MTS9 and advanced to the MTS7 (HOWSE IV, John), 1ST DOWN, clock 08:01.
18	1	4th and 3 on MTS42 (07:30) (07:43) [NHSG] FINLEY, TJ pass short up the middle complete for 18 yards to HELMS, River caught at the MTS40 and advanced to the MTS24 (BYNUM, Anthony), 1ST DOWN, clock 07:30.

**Rushing Plays Gain of 10+**

6 Plays for 94 total yards (63% of total rushing yards)

Yds	Qtr	Context/Play
31	4	1st and 10 on WKU36 (12:39) (12:51) [NHSG] SANDERS, L.T. rush to the right for a gain of 31 yards to the MTS33 (THOMPSON, Jordan;BUCKNER, Brandon), 1ST DOWN, clock 12:39.
14	4	1st and 10 on WKU25 (05:37) (05:44) [NHSG] HART III, George rush to the left for a gain of 14 yards to the WKU39 (DOUGLAS, Jared), 1ST DOWN, clock 05:37.
14	4	1st and 10 on MTS38 (02:17) (02:20) [NHSG] HAMPTON, Jalen rush up the middle for a gain of 14 yards to the MTS24 (JACKSON, Jalen), 1ST DOWN, clock 02:17. PENALTY MTS Face mask on JACKSON, Jalen enforced half the distance from the goal, 12 yards from the end of the play at the MTS24 to the MTS12 and results in automatic 1ST DOWN.
13	4	1st and 10 on MTS33 (12:08) (12:13) [NHSG] SANDERS, L.T. rush up the middle for a gain of 13 yards to the MTS20 (HOWSE IV, John;JOHNSON, Chris), 1ST DOWN, clock 12:08.
12	4	2nd and 8 on MTS18 (10:53) (11:01) [NHSG] HART III, George rush to the right for a gain of 12 yards to the MTS6 (MYERS, Marvae), 1ST DOWN, clock 10:53.
10	3	1st and 10 on WKU15 (06:02) (06:13) [NHSG] MESSER, Easton rush to the right for a gain of 10 yards to the WKU25 (WILLIAMS, Alex), 1ST DOWN, clock 06:02.

**All Plays Gain of 20+**

12 Plays for 514 total yards

Yds	Qtr	Context/Play
72	3	<b>2nd and 13 on WKU28</b> (14:07) (14:18) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep to the left complete for 72 yards to HUTCHINSON, K.D. caught at the MTS49 and advanced to the MTS0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN WKU, clock 14:07 (Scoring play confirmed).
37	2	3rd and 8 on WKU3

(10:51) (10:58) [NH] VELTKAMP, Caden pass up the middle complete for 37 yards to SMITH, Dalvin caught at the WKU16 and advanced to the WKU40 (JACKSON, Jalen), 1ST DOWN, clock 10:51.

36 3 1st and 10 on MTS36  
**(03:28) [NHSG] SMITH, Dalvin pass deep to the right complete for 36 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean to the MTS0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN WKU, clock 03:28 (Scoring play confirmed).**

34 1 2nd and 7 on WKU38  
(02:33) (02:42) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep up the middle complete for 34 yards to MESSER, Easton caught at the MTS45 and advanced to the MTS28 (MONDS III, James), 1ST DOWN, clock 02:33.

31 3 0th and 0 on MTS35  
(10:02) (10:12) BENEDICT, Zach kickoff 63 yards from the MTS35 to the WKU2, MESSER, Easton returned 31 yards to the WKU33 (DAVIS, Jalen), clock 10:02.

31 4 1st and 10 on WKU36  
(12:39) (12:51) [NHSG] SANDERS, L.T. rush to the right for a gain of 31 yards to the MTS33 (THOMPSON, Jordan;BUCKNER, Brandon), 1ST DOWN, clock 12:39.

30 3 1st and 10 on WKU33  
(09:47) (09:57) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep to the left complete for 30 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean caught at the MTS44 and advanced to the MTS37 (MUHAMMAD, Abdul), 1ST DOWN, clock 09:47.

27 2 2nd and 7 on WKU44  
(01:09) (01:14) [SG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass short to the left complete for 27 yards to STARLING, Demick caught at the WKU49 and advanced to the MTS29, out of bounds, 1ST DOWN, clock 01:09.

26 3 0th and 0 on MTS35  
(14:54) (15:00) BENEDICT, Zach kickoff 60 yards from the MTS35 to the WKU5, MCCRAY, Deante returned 26 yards to the WKU31 (JOHNSON, Chris), clock 14:54.

23 3 2nd and 7 on WKU41  
(03:48) (04:04) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass to the left complete for 23 yards to YOUNG, Elijah caught at the WKU35 and advanced to the MTS36 (JOHNSON, Chris), 1ST DOWN, clock 03:48.

22 1 3rd and 20 on MTS34  
(06:01) (06:11) [NHSG] FINLEY, TJ pass short to the left complete for 22 yards to YOUNG, Elijah caught at the MTS30 and advanced to the MTS12 (SMITH, Rickey;THOMPSON, Jordan), 1ST DOWN, clock 06:01.

22 1 1st and 10 on MTS28  
(02:04) (02:08) [NHSG] VELTKAMP, Caden pass deep to the left complete for 22 yards to JOHNSON, Kisean caught at the MTS10 and advanced to the MTS6 (MYERS, Marvae), 1ST DOWN, clock 02:04.

**Middle Tenn. Explosive Plays**  
**Western Ky. vs. Middle Tenn. (Final)**  
**09/14/2024 at Murfreesboro, Tennessee**



**Middle Tenn.**

**Passing Plays Gain of 15+**

11 Plays for 338 total yards (90% of total passing yards)

Yds	Qtr	Context/Play
71	3	<b>1st and 10 on MTS29</b> (06:17) (06:29) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the left complete for 71 yards to KELLY, Omari caught at the WKU27 and advanced to the WKU0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN MTS, clock 06:17 (Scoring play confirmed).
54	2	2nd and 7 on MTS45 (14:45) (14:59) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep up the middle complete for 54 yards to KELLY, Omari to the WKU1 (MUNDY, Jaymar), 1ST DOWN, clock 14:45.
37	3	<b>2nd and 5 on WKU37</b> (10:12) (10:17) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep up the middle complete for 37 yards to KELLY, Omari to the WKU0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN MTS, clock 10:12 (Scoring play confirmed).
32	1	3rd and 3 on MTS8 (13:20) (13:34) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the right complete for 32 yards to WILLIS, Holden caught at the MTS30 and advanced to the MTS40 (ROBINSON, Kent), 1ST DOWN, clock 13:20.
32	2	1st and 10 on MTS42 (00:00) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass short to the right complete for 32 yards to BUTLER, Myles caught at the MTS45 and advanced to the WKU26 (JOHNSON JR., Anthony), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN, clock 00:00.
27	2	1st and 20 on MTS49 (06:16) (06:24) [NH] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the left complete for 27 yards to CARTER, Gamarion to the WKU24, out of bounds, 1ST DOWN, clock 06:16.
20	4	1st and 20 on WKU40 (06:44) (07:02) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass up the middle complete for 20 yards to WILLIS, Holden caught at the WKU25 and advanced to the WKU20 (ELLIS, Terreance), 1ST DOWN, clock 06:44.
17	1	1st and 10 on MTS25 (00:51) (01:03) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the left complete for 17 yards to KELLY, Omari caught at the MTS41 and advanced to the MTS42 (JOHNSON JR., Anthony), 1ST DOWN, clock 00:51.
17	2	1st and 10 on MTS25 (00:00) (00:07) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the left complete for 17 yards to LACY, Cam'ron caught at the MTS21 and advanced to the MTS42, out of bounds, 1ST DOWN, clock 00:00.
16	3	3rd and 14 on MTS27 (11:55) (12:15) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the left complete for 16 yards to KELLY, Omari caught at the MTS41 and advanced to the MTS43 (MATHEWS, Devonte; WILLIAMS, Demarko), 1ST DOWN, clock 11:55.
15	3	1st and 10 on MTS43 (11:20) (11:28) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass to the right complete for 15 yards to WILLIS, Holden caught at the WKU45 and advanced to the WKU42 (SWANSON, Keyshawn), 1ST DOWN, clock 11:20.

**Rushing Plays Gain of 10+**

2 Plays for 25 total yards (43% of total rushing yards)

Yds	Qtr	Context/Play
13	4	1st and 10 on WKU20 (06:21) (06:27) [NHSG] WILKINS, Terry rush up the middle for a gain of 13 yards to the WKU7 (ELLIS, Terreance), 1ST DOWN, clock 06:21.
12	3	3rd and 11 on WKU46 (00:29) (00:35) [NHSG] QB Keeper VATTIATO, Nicholas rush to the left for a gain of 12 yards to the WKU34, End of Play, 1ST DOWN, clock 00:29.

**All Plays Gain of 20+**

10 Plays for 540 total yards

Yds	Qtr	Context/Play
71	3	<b>1st and 10 on MTS29</b> (06:17) (06:29) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the left complete for 71 yards to KELLY, Omari caught at the WKU27 and advanced to the WKU0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN MTS, clock 06:17 (Scoring play confirmed).
54	2	2nd and 7 on MTS45 (14:45) (14:59) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep up the middle complete for 54 yards to KELLY, Omari to the WKU1 (MUNDY, Jaymar), 1ST DOWN, clock 14:45.
37	3	<b>2nd and 5 on WKU37</b> (10:12) (10:17) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep up the middle complete for 37 yards to KELLY, Omari to the WKU0, 1ST DOWN, TOUCHDOWN MTS, clock 10:12 (Scoring play confirmed).
34	4	0th and 0 on WKU35 (08:53) (09:01) STEPHENS, Riley kickoff 63 yards from the WKU35 to the MTS2, STEWART, Kellen returned 34 yards to the MTS36 (MATHEWS, Chandler), clock 08:53.
32	1	3rd and 3 on MTS8 (13:20) (13:34) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the right complete for 32 yards to WILLIS, Holden caught at the MTS30 and advanced to the MTS40 (ROBINSON, Kent), 1ST DOWN, clock 13:20.
32	2	1st and 10 on MTS42 (00:00) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass short to the right complete for 32 yards to BUTLER, Myles caught at the MTS45 and advanced to the WKU26 (JOHNSON JR., Anthony), out of bounds, 1ST DOWN, clock 00:00.
30	3	0th and 0 on WKU35



(03:20) (03:28) STEPHENS, Riley kickoff 64 yards from the WKU35 to the MTS1, STEWART, Kellen returned 30 yards to the MTS31 (WILLIAMS, Keondre;MATHEWS, Devonte), clock 03:20.  
27 2 1st and 20 on MTS49  
(06:16) (06:24) [NH] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass deep to the left complete for 27 yards to CARTER, Gamarion to the WKU24, out of bounds, 1ST DOWN, clock 06:16.  
20 3 0th and 0 on WKU35  
(06:30) (06:38) STEPHENS, Riley kickoff 56 yards from the WKU35 to the MTS9, STEWART, Kellen returned 20 yards to the MTS29 (MATTHEWS, Chandler), clock 06:30.  
20 4 1st and 20 on WKU40  
(06:44) (07:02) [NHSG] VATTIATO, Nicholas pass up the middle complete for 20 yards to WILLIS, Holden caught at the WKU25 and advanced to the WKU20 (ELLIS, Terreance), 1ST DOWN, clock 06:44.