

# **NFL GAMEDAY**

## **WEEK 14**

### **ST. LOUIS @ NEW ORLEANS**

NOTE: NO SCRIPT IN THIS SEGMENT.

### **SEATTLE @ SAN FRANCISCO**

HARD TO BELIEVE, BUT THE 49ERS LED THIS GAME BY 23 POINTS AT THE HALF.

JUST AS IT LOOKED AS IF MIKE SINGLETARY MIGHT LOSE HIS GRIP, HIS TEAM FOUND TRACTION.

ALEX SMITH KEPT THE HEAT ON BY FINDING HOT RECEIVERS AND BEATING BLITZES.

CRUEL PERHAPS BUT CORRECT. THE SEAHAWKS BEST CATCH MAY HAVE COME FROM ONE OF THEIR GUARDS. IF HE ONLY BLOCKED HALF AS WELL. SINGLETARY'S TOUGHEST DECISION OF THE DAY WAS WHEN TO PULL HIS STARTERS.

### **TAMPA BAY @ WASHINGTON**

LAST SUNDAY, WASHINGTON BATTLED THE BUCCANEERS AND THE ELEMENTS.

THE REDSKINS COULD STOP THE BUCCANEERS, HOLDING TAMPA BAY TO THREE POINTS IN THE FIRST HALF.

THE BUCCANEERS TRAILED 10-9 IN THE FOURTH QUARTER.

WITH THIRTEEN SECONDS REMAINING, WASHINGTON NEEDED TO BE PERFECT.

### **NEW ENGLAND @ CHICAGO**

NOBODY LIKES A SNOWY DAY MORE THAN THE PATRIOTS. UNDER BILL BELICHICK THEY ARE 11-0 IN THE SNOW, AND RIGHT NOW THEY'RE THE FOOTBALL EQUIVALENT OF A PERFECT STORM.

NEITHER THE ELEMENTS NOR THE BEARS SLOWED DOWN THE NEW ENGLAND MAELSTROM.

TRAILING 14-0, IT GOT WORSE FOR CHICAGO. A PAIR OF 2ND QTR FUMBLES TURNED A SUPPOSED SHOWDOWN INTO YET ANOTHER PATRIOTS ROUT. IF THE GAME HAD ANY REMAINING DOUBT, TOM BRADY REMOVED IT JUST BEFORE HALFTIME.

### **MIAMI @ NY JETS**

A STORM IS BREWING IN THE MEADOWLANDS./ THE ONCE MIGHTY JETS WERE KNOCKED DOWN FOR THE SECOND WEEK IN A ROW....

...THIS TIME BY A DOLPHINS TEAM STRUGGLING TO KEEP ITS GRIP.

THE JETS OFFENSE WAS UGLY.

...BUT THE UGLIEST OFFENSE WAS BY A COACH.

THOUGH THE DOLPHINS NOLAN CARROLL WAS TRIPPED, IT WAS THE JETS WHO TOOK THE HARDEST FALL.

### **OAKLAND @ JACKSONVILLE**

SOMETIMES FIREWORKS ARE LIMITED TO PREGAME. BUT AFTER TWO SEASONS OF MISFIRES, DARREN MCFADDEN HAS BECOME AN EXPLOSIVE PLAYER.

OAKLAND STRUCK QUICKLY, AND TOOK A 17-7 LEAD BY HALFTIME.

"NOTHING" WAS WHAT EITHER DEFENSE COULD DO TO STOP A TORRENT OF TOUCHDOWNS IN THE THIRD QUARTER.

A FAVORABLE CALL GAVE THE JAGUARS THEIR FIRST LEAD OF THE GAME. WITH UNDER TWO MINUTES REMAINING, THE IRREPRESSIBLE MCFADDEN KNOTTED THE SCORE AT 31.

THE TIE LASTED JUST 19 SECONDS.

### **PHILADELPHIA @ DALLAS**

THE 2010 COWBOYS NO LONGER RESEMBLE A POP WARNER SQUAD, THOUGH THE EAGLES STILL MADE SCORING ON THEM LOOK LIKE CHILD'S PLAY.

THE DALLAS OFFENSE DID PUSH BACK IN THIS SEESAW MATCHUP. BUT LESEAN MCCOY RAN AWAY WITH IT, RUSHING FOR A CAREER-HIGH 149 YARDS.

DESEAN JACKSON ADDED 210 YARDS RECEIVING ON JUST FOUR CATCHES, INCLUDING A 91 YARD TOUCHDOWN THAT PUT THE EAGLES ON TOP FOR GOOD.

### **NY GIANTS @ MINNESOTA**

ON SUNDAY, THE SNOWPOCALYPSE WAS NIGH AS THE METRODOME RESEMBLED A ROLAND EMMERICH MOVIE SET...

BUT THAT WON'T BE THE ONLY HEADLINE THAT ENDURES THE DAY AFTER TOMORROW.

TAVARIS JACKSON'S DAY WAS A DISASTER.

THE GIANTS RUNNING GAME WAS A FORCE OF NATURE AS BRANDON JACOBS AND AHMAD BRADSHAW COMBINED FOR OVER 200 YARDS AND TWO TOUCHDOWNS.

NEW YORK IS STILL STANDING WITH PHILADELPHIA ATOP THE NFC EAST.

### **BALTIMORE @ HOUSTON**

TEXAN THRILL SEEKERS NEED NOT TURN TO EXTREME SPORTS. THERE'S NO GREATER ADRENALINE RUSH IN HOUSTON THAN MATT SCHaub FINDING ANDRE JOHNSON.

DESPITE THE TEXANS TOUCHDOWN BOMB, BALTIMORE DOMINATED, BUILDING A 28 TO SEVEN LEAD EARLY IN THE THIRD QUARTER.

SOME QUESTIONED HOUSTON'S HEART UNTIL THE TEXANS GOT THEIR BLOOD PUMPING. THEY SCORED 21 UNANSWERED SECOND-HALF POINTS,

MOUNTING FOURTH QUARTER TOUCHDOWN DRIVES OF 99 AND 95 YARDS. JOHNSON'S SCORE PLUS A TWO POINT CONVERSION TIED THE GAME WITH 21 SECONDS REMAINING. BUT IN OVERTIME, HOUSTON COLLAPSED INTO CARDIAC ARREST.

### **KANSAS CITY @ SAN DIEGO**

SAN DIEGO HELD THE CHIEFS TO JUST 67 YARDS AND 5 FIRST DOWNS – FOR THE ENTIRE GAME.

BRODY CROYLE WAS SACKED FOUR TIMES.

THE CHARGERS ALSO PUMMELED THEIR AFC WEST RIVALS WITH THE 1-2 PASSING PUNCH OF PHILIP RIVERS AND MALCOLM FLOYD.

ALTHOUGH IT WAS OVER BY HALFTIME, RYAN MATTHEWS PUT AN EXCLAMATION

POINT ON SAN DIEGO'S DOMINATING PERFORMANCE.

### **WHIPAROUND:**

**ATLANTA @ CAROLINA; CINCINNATI @ PITTSBURGH; INDIANAPOLIS @ TENNESSEE; GREEN BAY @ DETROIT; DENVER @ ARIZONA; CLEVELAND @ BUFFALO**

AND NOW, A VERY SPECIAL EPISODE OF THE WHIP, WHERE WE PAY HOMAGE TO ONE OF

TELEVISION'S GREATEST SITCOMS: DIFFERENT STROKES.

NOW, THE WORLD DON'T MOVE TO THE BEAT OF JUST ONE DRUM,

WHAT MIGHT BE RIGHT FOR YOU, MAY NOT BE RIGHT FOR SOME.

A MAN IS BORN, HE'S A MAN OF MEANS. THEN ALONG COME TWO PICKSIXES,

AND THE BENGALS WERE LEFT WITH NOTHING BUT THEIR JEANS.

EVERYBODY'S GOT A SPECIAL KIND OF STORY PEYTON MANNING FINDS A WAY TO SHINE.

IT DON'T MATTER THAT YOU GOT NOT A LOT -- OF WINS -- SO WHAT? YOU CAN STILL HURT THE PACKERS PLAYOFF DRIVE.

THEY'LL HAVE THEIRS, YOU'LL HAVE YOURS, I'LL HAVE MINE, FIVE FIELD GOALS AND A TOUCHDOWN MADE JAY FEELEY FEEL FINE.

[THE] BILLS HAVE A .....BLUE-COLLAR DEFENSE .... AND A.... HARVARD

QUARTERBACK.

'CAUSE IT TAKES DIFFERENT STROKES TO MOVE THE WORLD, YES IT  
DOES. IT TAKES DIFFERENT STROKES TO MOVE THE WORLD.