

# **NFL EXTRA**

## **Week #15**

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### **02:43:00 - MATT LIGHT**

GEEZ! HEY, HEY, HEY, EVERYBODY GET UP. EVERYBODY UP. HEY, THAT IS NOT GOOD. HEY, THAT'S THE GAS LINE. BRIAN, THAT'S THE GAS LINE. DO YOU GUYS SMELL ANYTHING? I'M TELLING YOU RIGHT NOW, SOMETHING'S HAPPENING HERE. I KIND OF LIVE FOR THESE MOMENTS. PULLING PRACTICAL JOKES AND PRANKING PEOPLE. EVERYBODY RIGHT HERE. THERE ARE GAS LINES THAT GO ALL THROUGH THIS CAMP. THAT'S ALL I NEED RIGHT NOW IS TO HAVE SOMETHING BLOWUP IN CAMP. I MEAN WHO DOESN'T LIKE TO HEAR EXPLOSIVES?

FOR OVER A DECADE, OFFENSIVE TACKLE MATT LIGHT HAS BEEN A CORNERSTONE OF ONE THE NFL'S MOST EXPLOSIVE OFFENSES.

HE'S BEEN AN ALL-PRO, AND THREE TIMES WAS SELECTED TO THE PRO BOWL.

AND HE'S HELPED THE PATRIOTS WIN 3 SUPER BOWLS SINCE HE ARRIVED.

HEY LIGHT, GOOD JOB. YOU KNOW MY NAME NOW, HUH?

PROTECTING THE BLINDSIDE DOESN'T MEAN TURNING A BLIND EYE TO THE LESS FORTUNATE. HIS LIGHT FOUNDATION HAS CREATED AN OUTDOOR LEADERSHIP CAMP FOR AT-RISK YOUNG MEN.

YOU GOT IT BABY. YOU GOT IT. HOLD IT BACK. HOLD IT BACK. NICE AND TALL. O.K. YOU'RE GOOD. THAT WAS GOOD. YOU HIT IT.

AS FAR BACK AS I CAN REMEMBER THE OUTDOORS HAS ALWAYS BEEN A BIG PART OF MY LIFE. WE WERE DOWN BY THE WATER FISHING. (..FISHERMAN WITHOUT A FISH. NOW MATT'S GONNA PUT HIM BACK IN THE WATER AND FIGHT HIM A LITTLE MORE.) NO. (YOU GOTTA THROW HIM BACK IF YOU WANT TO ..) NO WAY. IF THERE WAS A FREE MOMENT WE WERE EITHER IN THE WOODS HUNTING OR LOOKING FOR SOMETHING TO DO. ALRIGHT! 95% OF THE KIDS HAVEN'T SPENT ANY TIME IN THE OUTDOORS. ONE MORE. O.K. THEY GOTTA LEARN HOW TO DEAL WITH THE MOSQUITOES AND THE FLIES. NO...WHOA. THIS IS THE BIGGEST ONE

YET. O.K.! THERE WASN'T ONE ON THERE! I'M SORRY! I'M SORRY! YOU CAN DEFINITELY SEE THAT THE BENEFIT THEY'VE GOTTEN OUT OF IT.

I WAS HAVING SOME PROBLEMS IN SCHOOL. I WAS VERY SHY. VERY TIMID. DIDN'T WANT TO TALK TO ANYBODY. VERY DEPRESSED.

NICE SHOOTING TEX! GOOD WORK DUSTIN.

I DIDN'T CARE. I WAS ON THE VERGE OF..THIS MIGHT SOUND A LITTLE HARSH. I DON'T KNOW HOW IT IS BUT, A SUICIDE. LIKE I WAS LITERALLY DEBATING AT CAMP, COMING THERE. I WAS LIKE, WELL, I DON'T KNOW. BUT I'M SO GLAD I STAYED.

I WAS SCARED ABOUT THE FUTURE. I DIDN'T KNOW WHAT WAS GONNA HAPPEN. I DIDN'T KNOW WHERE I WAS GONNA GO AND THIS CAMP HAS LED ME ON THAT PATH TO WHERE I WANT TO GO AND WHAT I WANT TO BE.

IT'S DEFINITELY CHANGED MY PERSPECTIVE ON LIFE.

HE TARGETS THEIR PROBLEMS, BUT THEY DO GET TO TAKE AIM AT HIM.

IT IS GO TIME SKIPPY. DURING PAINTBALL, I BECOME A LITTLE TOO COMPETITIVE. I GOT HIM. YEA BABY! LONG RANGE MISSILE! YOU GOT ONE RIGHT IN THE FACE BABY! THE PAINTBALL IS ONE TIME WHERE I CAN ACTUALLY UNLOAD ON SOME OF THESE GUYS. RUN, RUN, RUN, RUN! YOU'RE DONE! YOU'RE DONE! THAT'S JOHN RAMBO! THERE'S USUALLY A BOUNTY ON ME. HIT! YOU MORON! I'VE GOT A LARGE CARCASS. SO THEY'VE GOT A HUGE SURFACE AREA TO WORK WITH. SO IT'S A LITTLE BIT OF AN UNFAIR ADVANTAGE. YOU GOTTA SEE THIS ONE. EVERY NOW AND THEN I DO GET STUCK BRINGING UP SOME TYPE OF A FOOTBALL ANALOGY. I'LL THROW IN A BILL'ISM.

BILL BELICHICK KNOWS THERE'S NOT MUCH NORMAL ABOUT MATT LIGHT.

MATT, YOU O.K.? (OH I'M STOKED!) YOU NEED THERAPY?

WHETHER IT'S HIS POSTGAME INTERVIEWS...

I'M NEVER FAST PUTTING THE BELT ON. AND THEN THIS ONE'S CRITICAL. AS YOU CAN SEE, I WORK IT ALL THE WAY AROUND BUT THROUGH THE CLASP AND I'VE GOTTEN THAT ONE RIGHT THERE GIVING ME AMPLE LENGTH TO TUCK BACK INTO MY ORIGINAL ... I MEAN THERE'S A LOT OF TECHNIQUE INVOLVED THERE. FROM THERE I GO TO MY SOCKS.

OR THE LENGTHS HE'LL GO TO PULL A PRANK.

I HAD A COUPLE OF MY TEAMMATES ARRESTED. THAT'S ALWAYS FUN. PUT A CAMERA IN A GUY'S ROOM FOR A WEEK AND HE DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT IT. I'M NOT SURE. I CAN PROBABLY GO TO JAIL FOR THAT ONE. PROBABLY SHOULDN'T USE THAT ONE, BUT THAT WAS FUN TO

WATCH HIM WHEN HE DIDN'T KNOW WE WERE THERE. THERE'S THINGS YOU DO IN A HOTEL ROOM THAT NO ONE SHOULD EVER SEE. THAT WAS ENJOYABLE.

EVEN HIS HEAD COACH ISN'T SAFE FROM HIM.

YOU KNOW AT ONE TIME I REPLACED COACH BELICHICK'S COMPUTER MOUSE WITH ANOTHER MOUSE. IT WAS A LITTLE DIFFERENT THOUGH. THIS ONE, WHEN YOU PRESSED THE BUTTON, IT WOULD FRY YOU. AND I'M TALKING IT WOULD SEND A LOT OF VOLTS OF ELECTRICITY THROUGH YOU IN A HURRY. NOW I THOUGHT THAT WOULD BE FAIRLY FUNNY. COME TO FIND OUT THAT HE HIT THE BUTTON THE FIRST TIME. ..WHICH IS AWESOME. HE FRIED HIMSELF, AND WHEN HE HIT IT THE 2<sup>ND</sup> TIME HE ACTUALLY HIT SOMETHING ON HIS COMPUTER AND LOST EVERYTHING THAT HE WAS WORKING ON. NOW THAT WASN'T PART OF THE PLAN.

JUST DEPENDING ON HOW IT GOT TO WHEREVER IT GOT...

SO, OF COURSE, WHEN I SEE BILL HE HAS SOMETHING TO SAY TO ME.

THE MOUSE IS A DIFFERENT STORY THOUGH, AND THAT DID P... ME OFF.

THAT WAS NOT ME. YOU GET SETUP. YOU GET... THE GUY THAT...

WHAT DO YOU MEAN SETUP?! SO JUST SO YOU KNOW, THERE ARE SECURITY CAMERAS OUT THERE. (RIGHT.) JUST SO YOU KNOW THAT. LIGHT, IT'S A LONG SEASON. LET ME TELL YOU, IT'S A LONG SEASON.

SO THAT WAS A GOOD ONE. I LIKE TO BE THE INSTIGATOR. YOU FIGURED ONE WOULDN'T ONE WOULDN'T BE ENOUGH.

### **02:49:32 - STEELERS-RAVENS**

IT'S BALTIMORE WEEK BABY. THEY DON'T LIKE US...AND WE DAMN FOR SURE DON'T LIKE THEM. GONNA GET MY DOSE OF STEELER FOOTBALL TODAY.

THIS IS OUR CHAMPIONSHIP. THEY GOT ...WHERE WE START!

IN THE 2011 SEASON OPENER, THE BALTIMORE RAVENS BEAT THE PITTSBURGH STEELERS, IN THE 9<sup>TH</sup> MEETING BETWEEN THE TWO TEAMS IN LESS THAN THREE YEARS.

IT HAS BECOME THE BEST RIVALRY IN THE NFL.

WHO BETTER TO TALK ABOUT IT THAN THE TWO HEAD COACHES? BALTIMORE'S JOHN HARBAUGH. AND PITTSBURGH'S MIKE TOMLIN.

TOMLIN – FROM A COACH'S STANDPOINT IT'S AN EASY WEEK CAUSE NOT A LOT NEEDS TO BE SAID.

HARBAUGH – WELL THE THING IS YOU COME OUT ON WEDNESDAY AND THE GUYS...A) THEY KNOW THE STEELERS INSIDE AND OUT AND (B) THEY'VE BEEN WATCHING THEM FOR 2 DAYS TO MAKE SURE THEY KNOW THEM INSIDE AND OUT.

I'M GONNA SAY THIS VERY CALM. EVERY TIME THEY THINK ...AND BRING YOUR MIDDLE LINEBACKER UP THE MIDDLE, WHERE DO THEY GO? PITTS. DO THIS ALL THE TIME. I'VE BEEN PLAYING THEM FOR 13 YRS.! WHEN YOU THROW UP THE MIDDLE, THEY'RE GOING TO THE MIDDLE! IT'S NEVER CHANGED!

YOU'RE ALWAYS TRYING TO FIND SOME WAY TO TRICK THEM, YOU KNOW. SOME WAY TO DO SOMETHING THAT THEY AREN'T EXPECTING. THEY KNOW WE DO THIS AND THEY THINK WE'RE GONNA DO THIS, AND THEY ..THEREFORE, THEY THINK WE'RE GONNA DO THAT. SO LET'S TRY THIS. IT SEEMS LIKE THEY PRETTY MUCH WERE EXPECTING IT ALL ALONG. I THINK BOTH TEAMS ARE LIKE THAT. IT'S HARD TO SURPRISE EACH OTHER.

HOW'S THE RELATIONSHIP OFF...WHEN YOU SEE COACH HARBAUGH, DOES IT GET YOUR BLOOD GOING A LITTLE BIT?

IT'S CORDIAL! IN A WORD, IT'S CORDIAL, AS IT SHOULD BE.

HOW'S THE FAMILY MAN? DOING GREAT. DAUGHTER'S DOING GREAT? WHAT'S SHE GONNA BE FOR HALLOWEEN, MAN? YOU KNOW, I DON'T EVEN KNOW YET. I GOTTA FIND OUT. WE GOT THE BYE WEEK SO I'LL BE OFF. I'LL BE WALKING WITH HER. OH, YOU'RE A LUCKY MAN. IT'S GONNA BE NICE.

THERE'S NOTHING CORDIAL ONCE THE GAME BEGINS.

EVERY GAME BETWEEN THESE AFC NORTH DIVISION RIVALS MATTERS. SINCE THE YEAR 2000, THEY HAVE COMBINED FOR 14 PLAYOFF APPEARANCES AND 8 DIVISIONAL TITLES.

RADIO – HE'S GONNA BE HIT AND HE'S GONNA BE SACKED!

LIKE ANY BIG RIVALRY YOU HAVE, YOU GO AGAINST YOUR BROTHER. THAT'S WHEN THE REAL STUFF COMES OUT. I'M THE ONLY GUY THAT'S GONNA TALK TO THE OFFICIALS OR THE STEELERS. YOU JUST PLAY. BUT YOU HUG THEM AFTER THE GAME. YOU DO RESPECT THEM. AND WHEN YOU WIN, THERE'S NO GREATER FEELING.

I'M A PROPONENT OF THE IRON SHARPENS IRON THEORY. ANYTIME YOU COMPETE AGAINST SOMEONE THAT'S AS COMMITTED AS YOU ARE THAT MAKES YOU STRONGER.

IT'S ALWAYS A BEATING. SEE YA. TAKE CARE NOW.

OUR TEAMS NEED TO BE BUILT TO HANDLE EACH OTHER, AND THAT'S PROBABLY WHY WE'RE SO SIMILAR. SOMETIMES YOU TURN ON THE TAPE AND YOU FEEL LIKE YOU'RE LOOKING AT A MIRROR IMAGE OF YOURSELF.

THE BALANCE IS UNBELIEVABLE. RAY LEWIS, JAMES FARRIOR, TERRELL SUGGS, JAMES HARRISON. FOR EVERY BLUE CHIP PLAYER FOR 1 TEAM, THE OTHER TEAM HAS THE ALTERNATE NAME. YOU CAN ZERO IN ON 2 GUYS. YOU COULD WATCH THE NOSE GUARD AND THE CENTER. YOU CAN STUDY THAT STUFF AND IT'S PRETTY EXCITING FOOTBALL.

RASHARD MENDENHAHL THOUGHT HE WAS PICKING UP A BLITZ THERE BUT IT WAS A 350 LB. BLITZER, AND THE NEXT THING YOU KNOW HE ENDS UP IN BEN'S LAP.

WE DIDN'T TURN HIM LOOSE. HE JUST RAN OVER HIM. IT'S ALWAYS GORY TO WATCH OUR T.E.'S VS. THEIR OUTSIDE LINEBACKERS. HEATH MILLER VS. SUGGS AND JOHNSON IS USUALLY A PRETTY GOOD DESCRIPTION OF HOW THE GAME IS UNFOLDING.

RADIO – WE THOUGHT THAT THIS WAS GOING TO BE A BLOOD BATH, AND IT IS JUST LIKE WE THOUGHT IT WAS GONNA BE.

AND IT'S GONNA BE A PHYSICAL CONFRONTATION. ALL THE STUFF THAT KIND OF HAPPENS THROUGH THE COURSE OF THE PLAY, AFTER THE PLAY. THAT'S ALL REAL BECAUSE THE EMOTIONS ARE REALLY UP THERE.

BOTH TEAMS INTEND TO IMPOSE THEIR WILL ON ONE ANOTHER. WHENEVER THE 2 TEAMS COME TOGETHER, IT'S USUALLY FIREWORKS AND A F.G. THAT SEPARATES THEM. USUALLY THE FIRST TEAM THAT BLINKS, LOSES.

NO EXCUSES! NO EXPLANATIONS!

YOU GOTTA FIND A WAY TO WIN THE GAME. YOU GOTTA MAKE A PLAY AND YOU GOTTA AVOID MISTAKES. IT'S HARD TO DO IN AN EMOTIONAL GAME LIKE THAT.

RADIO – GAME ON THE LINE. ROETHLISBERGER TAKES. HE WANTS TO THROW IT ON 3<sup>RD</sup> & GOAL. HE LOOKS RIGHT, NOTHING THERE. SCAMPERS LEFT, LOOKS. STOPS. NOW GOES BACK TO HIS RIGHT. THROWS A PASS. TOUCHDOWN PITTS.! SANTONIO HOLMES! THE STEELERS HAVE THE LEAD AND THE BALT. SIDELINE IS CRUSHED!

EIGHT OF THE LAST NINE MEETINGS HAVE BEEN DECIDED BY SINGLE DIGITS.

RADIO – RAY LEWIS ON THE BLITZ. INTERCEPTED! \_\_ HAS IT! KICK ON THE WAY, AND IT IS GOOD!! AND THE RAVENS HAVE WON IT IN OVERTIME!!

RADIO – STEELERS SHOW A BLITZ. FLACCO IS GONNA...POLAMALU'S THERE! THE STEELERS ARE GOING FOR IT! THEY PICK IT UP! QUIGLEY HAS IT INSIDE THE 15! DOWN TO THE 10! AND THE STEELERS BREAK THE HEARTS OF 71,000 PEOPLE.

THERE HAVE BEEN PLENTY OF MEMORABLE MOMENTS AND LATE GAME HEROICS...

RADIO – 3<sup>RD</sup> & 20 FROM HIS 38, AND HAS TIME. HE LOFTS IT. LONG PASS DOWN THE FIELD. TRYING TO GET UNDER IT.

HARBAUGH AND TOMLIN HAVE THEIR FAVORITES.

MY FAVORITE MEMORIES ARE WINS. YOU KNOW, JOE FLACCO HITTING T.J.

RADIO – 37 SECS. LEFT. RAVENS TRAILING 14-10. BLITZ PRESSURE COMING. FLACCO THROWS. END ZONE. HOUSHMANZADEH HAS IT! TOUCHDOWN RAVENS!! THE RAVENS ... DELIVERS THE MIRACLE!

YOU JUST NEVER FORGET THAT STUFF.

WE'VE BEEN BUILDING FOR THIS FOR 3 YRS. YOU'VE BEEN PART OF THE VICTORY! I'VE BEEN COACHING FOR 27 YRS. HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN PLAYING? YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW!

ABSOLUTELY, WITHOUT QUESTION, IT'S THE AFC CHAMP. FROM '08...AND TROY PICKED OFF THE JOE FLACCO PASS AND CUT ACROSS THE FIELD AND SENT US TO THE S.B. THAT WILL BE SOMETHING THAT WILL BE ETCHED IN MY MIND FOREVER.

RADIO – HE TURNS AND GOES FOR THE GOAL LINE, AND HE'S IN FOR THE PITTS. STEELERS TOUCHDOWN!

THERE'S AN IMMEASURABLE VALUE IN COMING OUT OF THAT GAME ON THE VICTORIOUS SIDE. CONVERSELY, I THINK YOU DIE A LITTLE BIT WHEN YOU DON'T WIN THAT GAME.

RADIO – SO EASY TO FEEL THE HEARTBREAK IN THIS FINAL MOMENT AS THE SNOW FALLS AND THE WIND SWIRLS IN PITTS., AND THE RAVENS HAVE TO STOMACH THE KNOWLEDGE THAT THE STEELERS WILL BE ON TO TAMPA.

YOU KNOW, IT'S JUST THE TEAM WE NEED TO BEAT, AND THEY FEEL THE SAME WAY ABOUT US, PERIOD.

YOU JUST RESPECT THEM. YOU'RE TIRED OF SEEING THEM AT THE SAME TIME. YOU'RE EXCITED ABOUT SEEING THEM BECAUSE IT'S AN OPPORTUNITY TO MEASURE YOURSELF. MORE THAN ANYTHING, YOU JUST WANT TO PLAY THE GAME.

GOOD JOB. GOOD LUCK.

YA ALL BRING THE BEST OUT IN US. I LOVE THESE MATCHUP'S.

THANK YOU, I LOVE THEM TOO. GOOD LUCK DOWN THERE, ALRIGHT?

THANK YOU MAN.

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