

# **NFL Extra**

## ***Week 14***

<b>Segment</b>	<b>TRT</b>
Randall Cobb	1:29
Tom Brady	1:40
Flacco/Harbaugh	1:44
Tom Pratt	9:03

### **2:31:21;27 - RANDALL COBB**

TRUST IN YOUR TEAMMATES. BELIEVE IN EACH OTHER AND WE'RE GONNA TAKE CARE OF THIS. MAKE PLAYS ON 3. 1, 2, 3.

GO GET YOU ONE.

WHAT YOU MADE AT BRO? YOU ALRIGHT? I'M JUST CHECKING.

KEEP GOING. KEEP GOING. COME ON.

RADIO - RODGERS LOOKS. THROWS TO THE RIGHT SIDE. JORDY NELSON OVER THE SHOULDER CATCH IS MADE! TOUCHDOWN TO THE PYLON!!

THAT'S SOME GOOD FEET. THAT WAS SO RIDICULOUS. I MEAN THAT IS LIKE...

RADIO - HERE'S THE PUNT. MAKING THE CATCH ...GETS BY 1 DEFENDER. 35. CUTTING RIGHT, 40. HE'S GOT 1 MAN TO BEAT.

GO MICHAEL. GO MICHAEL.

RADIO - TOUCHDOWN, 75 YARDS!

OH YES! YES SIR! WHAT'D THEY CALL? ILLEGAL DEMONSTRATION. CELEBRATION. ON WHO? I DON'T KNOW. THE WHOLE FRIGGIN' TEAM. THEY PROBABLY DID THE GROUP SELFIE THEY'VE BEEN TALKING ABOUT. HAVING FUN? HEY, IT'S ALWAYS FUN WHEN IT'S LIKE THIS. YES SIR. BIG ONE.

**2:32:59;05 - TOM BRADY**

DOING GREAT. ROCK 'N ROLL MAN. OUR KIND OF DAY. HEY, LET'S GO ANSWER THE BELL, HUH!

RADIO - TOM IN THE POCKET. PUMPS. THROWS TO THE END ZONE. SLIDING CATCH. EDELMAN TOUCHDOWN! PATRIOTS! BIG POINT! PRECISION.

HEY, CAN I SPIKE IT? YOU CAN SPIKE IT. YOU SPIKE IT. YOU SPIKE IT.

RADIO - A LINE DRIVE SAILING TOWARD EDELMAN. BACKS UP THE RETURN FROM THE 16. JUKES A MAN. THROWS TO THE RIGHT. JULIAN GETS OUTSIDE.

RADIO - TOUCHDOWN PATRIOTS!

HEY, HOW ABOUT THAT?! WERE YOU IN THE END ZONE AFTER THE PUNT RETURN? YEA. GO SEE MY GUY. HEY! START PUTTING THE NAIL IN THE COFFIN, HUH!

RADIO - TOM PUMPS. HE THROWS DOWN THE MIDDLE. CARTWRIGHT... SOMEHOW MAKES THE CATCH! BRINGING IT IN WITH HIS LEFT HAND! AN ACROBATIC PLAY!

WHAT A CATCH!!

THAT WAS A RIDICULOUS CATCH AND THEY'RE CHECKING IT. UNBELIEVABLE! UNBELIEVABLE! UNBELIEVABLE. HERE WE GO, BABY. 7-2. WE NEEDED IT.

**2:34:43;16 - FLACCO/HARBAUGH**

WHAT'S UP FELLAS?

LET'S GO. LET'S GET OUT THERE. LET'S MAKE THEM RUE THE DAY THEY GOT ON THAT PLANE TO COME UP HERE.

LET'S GO!

RED 80! HUT!

COME ON GUYS. THAT CAN'T HAPPEN.

COME ON MAN, LET'S BE PHYSICAL. GET OURSELF INTO A LITTLE RHYTHM HERE. ALRIGHT, LET'S GO?

IS IT ONE, YOU WANT TO GO FOR IT? YOU WANT TO GO FOR IT OR YOU WANT TO KICK IT? WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO? GOT IT. DO IT. DO IT. GO FOR IT. GO FOR IT.

RADIO - THE RAVENS ARE GOING FOR IT. 4TH DOWN AND LESS THAN 1.

I-80, HUT!

RADIO - PITCH GOES TO FORSETT. TRIES TO GET AROUND THE LEFT. TOUCHDOWN!

HOW ARE YOU BABY? GOOD JOB.

HEY, I HAVE TO GET THIS AND MAYBE A TOUCHDOWN ,ALRIGHT? LET'S DRIVE IT DOWN THEIR THROAT, ALRIGHT? LET'S GO.

GO GET IT. GO GET IT.

RADIO - FORSETT GETS THE CARRY. HESITATION. RUN! RUN! HE'S THROUGH THE HOLE! HE'S IN THE END ZONE!!

HEY, LET'S FINISH THIS THING OUT, ALRIGHT? LET'S GO!

RADIO - BALL OUT. BLITZ COMING. FLACCO LOBS IT. NEAR SIDELINE LOOKING FOR TORY SMITH. END ZONE! HAS IT! TOUCHDOWN!

YES! GOOD JOB!

HOW ABOUT THOSE RAVENS?! WE GOT A 6 WEEK SEASON. WE GOT A 6 WK. SEASON TO A CHAMPIONSHIP.

### **2:36:34:09 - TOM PRATT**

FOR MANY SENIORS, A MORNING WALK IS A VITAL PART OF EVERYDAY LIFE. IT HELPS THE MIND AND BODY STAY YOUNG AND VIBRANT.

BUT THIS 79-YEAR OLD ISN'T STROLLING THROUGH LIFE, HE'S LAPPING THE FIELD.

HI ROGER. HEY MAN, YOU GOTTA STAY GOING, YOU KNOW. COME ON NICK. WE GOTTA GET TO THE OTHER END.

PEOPLE DON'T EVEN MAKE IT THAT LONG, LET ALONE HAVE THE ENERGY AND THE PASSION TO KEEP DOING THIS. HE LIVES BY IT, AND HE'S BEEN DOING IT FOR ...SINCE THE FLINTSTONES! I MEAN I DON'T KNOW!

IT WASN'T THE STONE-AGE, JUST THE LATE 50'S WHEN TOM PRATT'S FOOTBALL ODYSSEY BEGAN. HE WAS A TWO-WAY STAR AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI, PLAYING BOTH GUARD AND LINEBACKER.

AFTER GRADUATION, PRATT BECAME AN ASSISTANT ON THE HURRICANE'S COACHING STAFF WHERE HE WORKED WITH HANK STRAM. EVENTUALLY, STRAM BECAME HEAD COACH OF THE TEXANS AND IN 1963 HE HIRED PRATT TO BE HIS DEFENSIVE LINE COACH.

I'M 27 OR 28 YRS. OLD. I'VE GOT 3 PLAYERS TO COACH THAT ARE OLDER THAN I AM. HANK SAID, "DON'T WORRY ABOUT HOW OLD YOU ARE OR HOW OLD THEY ARE. JUST COACH THEM." AND I THOUGHT THAT WAS GREAT ADVICE BECAUSE IT WAS ALL ABOUT ACCOUNTABILITY.

DURING THE NEXT 5 DECADES, EVERYWHERE PRATT COACHED HIS UNITS WERE AMONG THE BEST IN THE LEAGUE. HE HELPED BUCK BUCHANAN, CURLEY CULP, DERRICK THOMAS AND WARREN SAPP BECOME HALL OF FAMERS. TURNS OUT, THE SECRET TO PRATT'S LONGEVITY IS PRETTY SIMPLE.

MY WIFE, ALL THE YEARS I'VE COACHED, SHE'S NEVER MISSED A HOME GAME. SHE'S ALWAYS THERE. SO THAT KIND OF SUPPORT IS VITAL. WE'VE GOT A GREAT FAMILY WITH 3 CHILDREN. OF COURSE IT'S BEEN THEIR LIFE.

WE'VE MOVED AROUND A LOT. I DIDN'T MIND IT. JUST BEING AROUND THE NFL AND BEING AROUND THE PLAYERS. AS A FAMILY, WE'VE HAD SO MUCH FUN WITH IT.

WE WERE AT THE ALL AMERICAN BOWL. SO WE WENT TO BERLIN AND IT WAS WHEN THE WALL WAS COMING DOWN. WE WERE FORTUNATE ENOUGH TO BE ABLE TO GO AND HAVE THE CHISELS AND THE HAMMERS, AND ACTUALLY PHYSICALLY BREAKDOWN PIECES OF THE WALL. SO THAT WAS REALLY AN AMAZING TIME.

I DON'T LOOK AT IT AS DECADES. I LOOK AT IT AS JUST NEW EXPERIENCES, DIFFERENT PLAYERS; AND THOSE ARE THE THINGS THAT ARE STRONGEST IN MY MEMORY.

SOME OF THOSE EXPERIENCES HAPPEN TO BE BIG MOMENTS IN NFL HISTORY.

A PROGRAM OF THE FIRST SUPER BOWL. IT WAS THE CHAMPIONSHIP GAME IT WAS CALLED THEN. AND HERE ARE THE TICKET STUBS. 12 DOLLARS. PRATT NOT ONLY COACHED IN THE FIRST SUPER BOWL, BUT HE WAS A PART OF HANK STRAM'S INFAMOUS WIRE IN SUPER BOWL 4.

WHERE'S THE BALL? WHERE'S THE BALL TOM? STAY CLOSE BY. JUST KEEP MATRICULATING THE BALL DOWN THE FIELD BOYS.

IT WAS PRATT'S PASS-RUSH THAT PREVENTED MINNESOTA FROM "MATRICULATING" THE BALL DOWNFIELD IN KANSAS CITY'S VICTORY.

THAT A WAY TO GO BOYS.

YEARS LATER, HE WATCHED HELPLESSLY AS HIS LINE FAILED TO STOP JOHN ELWAY DURING "THE DRIVE".

RADIO - SNAP TO ELWAY. THE LOOK. THE THROW. TOUCHDOWN! 98 YARD DRIVE!

PRATT WAS ALSO ON HAND FOR DERRICK THOMAS'S SEVEN SACK GAME.

DERRICK FIGURED HE WAS GONNA HAVE AT LEAST 7 SACKS EVERY GAME. I SAID, "JUST KEEP GOING DERRICK. KEEP GOING."

AFTER 34 YEARS, PRATT HAD DONE IT ALL AND SEEN IT ALL; AND EARNED A WELL-DESERVED REST.

WHEN I RETIRED I SAID I'M GONNA PLAY GOLF EVERYDAY. THIS IS GONNA BE THE GREATEST THING IN THE WORLD. WELL THAT WENT ON FOR ABOUT 2 OR 3 WKS., AND I SAID, "I'M SO BORED. I DON'T KNOW WHAT I'M GONNA DO WITH MYSELF."

PRATT CURED HIS BOREDOM BY RETURNING TO HIS PASSION. HE SERVED AS A COLLEGE ASSISTANT, THEN COACHED SEVERAL YEARS IN JAPAN. LATER HE BECAME A CONSULTANT WITH IMG, TRAINING PLAYERS FOR THE NFL. BUT IN 2013, PRATT'S JOURNEY TOOK A SURPRISING TURN WHEN HIS OLD FRIEND BRUCE ARIANS WAS HIRED AS HEAD COACH OF THE CARDINALS.

AND SO HE CALLED ME. HE SAID, "DO YOU WANT TO GET BACK IN THIS FULL TIME?"

HE COULDN'T SAY YES FAST ENOUGH. AND I THINK HOPE WAS MORE EXCITED THAN HE WAS.

I SAID, "I'M READY TO GO. WHEN ARE WE READY? I'M PACKED."

PRATT WASN'T THE ONLY HIRE THAT WAS UP IN AGE. ARIANS, WHO WAS 60 HIMSELF, TABBED 74-YEAR OLD TOM MOORE TO BE HIS ASSISTANT OFFENSIVE COORDINATOR AND 67-YEAR OLD LARRY ZIERLEIN AS HIS ASSISTANT OFFENSIVE LINE COACH.

HUT! REACH! QUICKER. REACH THAT ARM! REACH THAT LEFT ARM! TOO MUCH INDECISION. WHEN YOU GET THERE YOU GOTTA DO SOMETHING. I MEAN IT'S ATTACK, REACT AND FINISH.

I DON'T GIVE A CRAP ABOUT THE AGE. I MEAN WHEN YOU HAVE PASSION, YOU HAVE ENERGY AND YOU HAVE GREAT TEACHERS, THAT'S WHAT COACHING IS. TOO MANY YOUNG COACHES, THEY GET CAUGHT UP IN SCHEME. THEY CAN'T TEACH A GUY HOW TO BLOCK, HOW TO HIT A SLED. THE GAME MISSES THOSE TYPE OF TEACHERS.

WHEN YOU HIT IT, THINK ABOUT DOING THIS. BRINGING YOUR EYES UP.

WHEN YOU HAVE THAT MUCH KNOWLEDGE AND ABILITY TO STILL TEACH IT, WE'RE CRAZY NOT TO TAP INTO IT.

AT FIRST YOU'RE LIKE, MAN, THIS OLD DUDE DON'T KNOW WHAT HE'S TALKING ABOUT. THE GAME'S PROBABLY PASSED HIM. HE DOESN'T HAVE A CLUE. BUT AFTER KNOWING HIM FOR A COUPLE OF WEEKS IT'S JUST AMAZING HOW MY GAME CHANGED; AND YOU COULD SEE EVERYBODY ELSE DEVELOPING AND BECOMING BETTER PASS RUSHERS.

IN THEIR FIRST SEASON WITH PRATT, THE CARDINALS LED THE LEAGUE IN SACKS PER PASS ATTEMPT AND ALLOWED THE FEWEST RUSHING YARDS.

GOOD TECHNIQUE. IT STOOD THE TEST OF TIME.

TOM STILL HAS THE TRICKS OF THE TRADE THAT EVERYBODY CAN LEARN FROM.

I'VE GOT A PASS RUSH DVD THAT I USE.

YEA, HE BREAKS IT OUT. IT'S NON-HD. I DON'T KNOW WHAT THEY CALLED IT BACK THEN. ANALOGUE. IT'S CRAZY. IT'S ALL GRAINY AND STUFF. BUT YOU CAN SEE WHAT THE GUYS ARE OUT THERE DOING.

THAT INCLUDES THE YELLOW JACKET GUYS. BUCK BUCHANAN, CURLEY CULP, HOWIE LONG, BRUCE SMITH, DERRICK THOMAS. SO DERRICK'S COMING UP FIELD. HE GETS THE TACKLE. HE GETS THE STRIP. HE RECOVERS THE FOOTBALL AND ENDS UP SCORING A TOUCHDOWN. USING THOSE GUYS AS EXAMPLES OF HOW TO DO IT, YOU CAN LEARN FROM IT.

HE ALWAYS HAS ME WATCH LIKE A LOT OF NEIL SMITH FILM BECAUSE WE PLAY VERY SIMILAR. ESPECIALLY LAST YEAR. MY BEST YEAR, STATISTICALLY. THAT WAS ONE OF THE BIGGEST REASONS. IT REALLY HAS MADE A HUGE DIFFERENCE.

WHEN NEIL WOULD COME AROUND THAT RIGHT SIDE, HE WOULD DIP, AND HE'D JUST LEAN AND LEAN AND LEAN AND LEAN, AND HIS EYES WERE ON THAT QB.

NEIL SMITH'S INFLUENCE WENT BEYOND TECHNIQUE. CAMPBELL EVEN COPIED SMITH'S TRADEMARK "HOME RUN" SACK CELEBRATION.

TO ME, THAT'S THE GREAT PART OF COACHING. WATCHING THE ACHIEVEMENT OF THE PLAYERS, WATCHING THE TEAMS DEVELOP.

THE PLAYERS SHOWED THEIR APPRECIATION FOR PRATT AND HIS OLD SCHOOL METHODS IN A WAY THAT WAS TOTALLY NEW SCHOOL.

WE GOT HIM HIS FIRST PAIR OF AIR JORDAN'S THIS YEAR FOR CHRISTMAS AND TAUGHT HIM HOW TO WEAR IT, HOW TO JUICE IT UP A LITTLE BIT. THE ONLY THING THAT HE DIDN'T UNDERSTAND, "WHY THESE SHOES COST SO MUCH?"

WHEREVER I GO, AND I'VE GOT THESE SHOES ON, YOUNG OR OLD THEY'LL SAY, "HEY, GREAT SHOES."

ARIZONA IS WALKING ON AIR AGAIN IN 2014. ARIANS AND HIS EXPERIENCED COACHES HAVE LED THE CARDINALS TO ONE OF THE BEST SEASONS IN FRANCHISE HISTORY; PROOF THAT AGE REALLY IS JUST A NUMBER.

IT'S A WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY AND I REALLY APPRECIATE THE TIME THAT I'M ABLE TO SPEND WITH THE PLAYERS, WITH BRUCE AND WITH THIS STAFF. IT'S JUST GREAT.

IT'S BEEN AN AMAZING JOURNEY, AND I'M JUST SO HAPPY AND PROUD OF HIM THAT HE'S STILL AT IT.

IT'S JUST BEEN A GREAT EXPERIENCE FOR MYSELF, MY SISTERS, AND NOW THE GRANDCHILDREN GET A CHANCE TO EXPERIENCE THE SAME THING.

WHEN WE HAD PRACTICE ON CHRISTMAS LAST YEAR, I ALLOWED THE FAMILIES TO COME OUT. THE WHOLE SIDELINE WERE PRATTS. THAT THAT WAS BEAUTIFUL. I LOVED IT!

THIS IS HIS PURPOSE, TO TOUCH YOUNG MEN'S LIVES. BEING ABLE TO DO IT AS LONG AS HE'S DOING IT. IT'S JUST AMAZING.

WE'RE BLESSED TO HAVE HIM HERE. IT'S BEEN GREAT TO PLAY FOR HIM AND I HOPE WE CAN CONTINUE TO BUILD ON WHAT WE'RE DOING.

YOU TALK ABOUT BEING RETIRED. I'M NOT TIRED SO RETIREMENT, TO ME, IS AN OPPORTUNITY TO MOVE ON AND CONTINUE YOUR LIFE.

(END)