

NFL GAMEDAY

WEEK 14

SEATTLE SEAHAWKS @ PHILADELPHIA EAGLES

OLD PAC 10 FOES, FORMER OREGON HEAD COACH CHIP KELLY AND SOUTHERN CAL'S PETE CARROLL FACED EACH OTHER ONCE MORE IN A CRITICAL NFC BATTLE.

CARROLL'S TROJAN QUARTERBACK MARK SANCHEZ LANDED THE FIRST PUNCH. CARROLL'S PRESENT QUARTERBACK, RUSSELL WILSON, PUT THE SEAHAWKS UP BY 3 AT HALFTIME.

ANOTHER PAC 10'er, CAL'S MARSHAWN LYNCH, UPPED SEATTLE'S LEAD TO 17 TO 7.

SANCHEZ HOOKED UP WITH PAC 10 ALUM, STANFORD CARDINAL ZACH ERTZ TO GET PHILADELPHIA BACK WITHIN 3.

THE EAGLES WERE FLYING HIGH. BUT STANFORD'S DOUG BALDWIN GROUNDED THEM FOR GOOD.

CHIP KELLY'S RAPID FIRE OFFENSE WAS NO MATCH FOR THE NFL'S NUMBER 1 DEFENSE. (PAUSE AND WAIT FOR CUE) IT WAS SEATTLE THAT LANDED THE HEAVYWEIGHT SHOTS.

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS @ SAN DIEGO CHARGERS

PHILIP RIVERS HAD NEVER BEATEN TOM BRADY. FOR 20 MINUTES, IT LOOKED LIKE THIS WOULD BE THE NIGHT.

DOWN BY 11, BRADY WAS DETERMINED TO KEEP HIS DOMINANCE OVER SAN DIEGO ALIVE.

THE PATRIOTS SCORED THE GAME'S FINAL 20 POINTS./ AND HELD THE CHARGERS TO 216 YARDS.

INDIANAPOLIS COLTS @ CLEVELAND BROWNS

BOTH BRIAN HOYER AND ANDREW LUCK LOOKED LIKE QUARTERBACKS ON THE VERGE OF LOSING THEIR JOBS.

TO ESCAPE THE JAWS OF DEFEAT, LUCK DREW ON HIS BULLDOG-LIKE TENACITY AS WELL AS HIS BIG-TIME TALENT. BEHIND LUCK, THE COLTS OVERCAME MISTAKES..... AND MISSED OPPORTUNITIES.

5-9 RECEIVER T.Y. HILTON PROVED ONCE AGAIN THAT IT'S NOT THE SIZE OF THE DOG IN THE FIGHT THAT MATTERS – IT'S THE SIZE OF THE FIGHT IN THE DOG.

WITH 3:14 REMAINING, THE COLTS MARCHED 90 YARDS AGAINST A TIRED CLEVELAND DEFENSE THAT WAS NOT OPERATING UNDER A FULL HEAD OF STEAM.

PITTSBURGH STEELERS @ CINCINNATI BENGALS

STEELERS/BENGALS IS ALWAYS A HANDS-ON AFFAIR....BUT IN THE SECOND QUARTER, NO ONE LAID A HAND ON ANDY DALTON.

IN A BACK AND FORTH BATTLE, LEVEON BELL'S PERFORMANCE RANG TRUE: 185 YARDS RUSHING, 50 MORE RECEIVING, AND THREE TOUCHDOWNS.

IN THE THIRD QUARTER, THE BENGALS TOOK THEIR SHOT -- AND RETOOK THE LEAD 21-17.

IN THE FOURTH QUARTER, THE STEELER DEFENSE ROSE UP.

A TIGHT ONE-POINT GAME TURNED ON THIS TURNOVER.

ASK NOT FOR WHOM THE BELL TOLLS -- IT TOLLS FOR SIX.

BIG BEN ALSO STRUCK SIX -- AND THE STEELERS RAN AWAY FROM THE BENGALS.

NEW YORK JETS @ MINNESOTA VIKINGS

WHETHER OR NOT THEY HAD THEIR DANCE MOVES READY, THE VIKINGS HAD ALL THE RIGHT MOVES AGAINST THE JETS.

A SIMPLE SURNAME WAS ON THE MENU FOR BOTH TEAMS SUNDAY.

MINNESOTA ORDERED A SMITH-ON-SMITH SACK SANDWICH.

DALLAS COWBOYS @ CHICAGO BEARS

JEREMY MINCEY NEVER QUITE SACKED JAY CUTLER, BUT THE DEFENSIVE END GOT SO CLOSE HE COULD SMELL IT.

DEMARCO MURRAY RAN FOR 179 YARDS BEHIND EXCELLENT BLOCKING, AS DALLAS BLEW AWAY THE BEARS IN THE WINDY CITY.

TAMPA BAY BUCCANEERS @ DETROIT LIONS

YOU KNOW WHAT THEY SAY ABOUT BIG HANDS....BIG CATCHES.

IN HIS FIRST YEAR WITH THE LIONS, GOLDEN TATE IS IN TUNE WITH HIS NEW OFFENSE AND HITTING THE HIGH NOTES.

HATE IS A STRONG WORD, BUT THE STRENGTH OF THE LIONS IS THEIR DEFENSE.

THE CATCH COUNTED, BUT IT WAS THE LIONS' TOUCHDOWNS THAT WERE ADDING UP AND CAPPED OFF WITH AN AUSPICIOUS PLAY BY A MAN NAMED JOIQUE.

BALTIMORE RAVENS @ MIAMI DOLPHINS

PRO BOWL OFFENSIVE LINEMAN MIKE POUNCY HELPED MIAMI TO A 10-0 LEAD.

SURPRISINGLY, IT WAS THE DOLPHINS WHO WILTED IN THE FLORIDA SUN.

THE RAVENS OUTSCORED MIAMI 28-3 IN THE FINAL 31 MINUTES.

KANSAS CITY CHIEFS @ ARIZONA CARDINALS

THE CARDINALS AND CHIEFS BOTH HAVE PLAYOFF ASPIRATIONS...BUT BOTH CAME IN RIDING A TWO GAME LOSING STREAK.

KANSAS CITY PAYS JAMAAL CHARLES A LOT OF MONEY AND HE CASHED IN TWICE IN THE FIRST HALF.

TRAILING 14-9, ARIZONA FANS WERE NERVOUS THEIR TEAM HAD HIT THE WALL...UNTIL THEY BROKE IT DOWN ON 3RD AND 18.

HOUSTON TEXANS @ JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS

SUCCESS ISN'T OWNED. IT'S LEASED. AND RENT IS DUE EVERY DAY.

NO ONE COLLECTS LIKE JJ WATT, WHOSE COLLECTIBLES INCLUDE 14 AND A HALF SACKS THIS YEAR.

CAROLINA PANTHERS @ NEW ORLEANS SAINTS

CAROLINA BATTLED NEW ORLEANS AND THEIR 271 RUSHING YARDS WERE THE THIRD MOST IN CLUB HISTORY.

BUFFALO BILLS @ DENVER BRONCOS

DECEMBER IN DENVER IS USUALLY TIME FOR UGLY SWEATERS, NOT UGLY QUARTERBACK PLAY, BUT PEYTON MANNING UNRAVELED A LITTLE AGAINST BUFFALO'S 5TH RANKED DEFENSE, SNAPPING HIS STREAK OF 51 STRAIGHT GAMES WITH A TOUCHDOWN PASS.

THE BRONCOS STILL STRUNG TOGETHER THESE NUMBERS: THREE CJ ANDERSON RUSHING TOUCHDOWNS...

...3 TAKEAWAYS...

...FOUR SACKS, AND A 24 TO 17 VICTORY.

ATLANTA FALCONS @ GREEN BAY PACKERS

THEY SAY IF YOU CAN'T BEAT 'EM, JOIN 'EM.

BUT DESPITE ATLANTA'S 20-POINT 4TH QUARTER AND JULIO JONES' CAREER-HIGH 259 RECEIVING YARDS...

... THE PACKERS ARE SIMPLY IN A LEAGUE OF THEIR OWN.

SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS @ OAKLAND RAIDERS

49ERS OWNER JOHN YORK KNOWS THAT A FRIENDLY SMILE CAN WIN OVER EVEN YOUR TOUGHEST CRITIC.

WHEN SAN FRANCISCO TOOK THE LEAD, THEY HOPED OAKLAND WOULD GRIN AND BEAR IT.

BUT DEREK CARR HAD TONGUES WAGGING OVER HIS THREE TOUCHDOWN PERFORMANCE.

AFTER PLAYING IN THREE STRAIGHT NFC TITLE GAMES, THE 49ERS ARE TWO SPOTS REMOVED FROM THE PLAYOFF PICTURE. THAT WOULD GIVE ANYONE A SOUR PUSS.

NEW YORK GIANTS @ TENNESSEE TITANS

THE GIANTS HAD LOST SEVEN STRAIGHT, BUT THE ONLY WAY TO FIX A SLUMP IS TO KEEP SWINGING.

IN ODELL BECKHAM JUNIOR, THE GIANTS MAY HAVE A FIVE TOOL PLAYER.

ST LOUIS RAMS @ WASHINGTON REDSKINS

RECALLING ALL THE MISTAKES IN A SHUT-OUT LOSS MAKES HEAD COACHES
SPITTIN' MAD.

THE MISCUES...

THE MISHAPS...

AND, OH, THE MISSED TACKLES...

ALT: AND, OH, THE GAME...A SWING AND A MISS.