

Game notes – UTSA at Marshall – Nov. 17, 2018

The game captains were senior receiver Marcel Williams and senior lineman Jordan Dowrey on offense, and senior linebacker Chase Hancock and senior lineman Ryan Bee on defense.

After Saturday's win, Marshall leads its series with UTSA, 2-1. Marshall has won both meetings in Huntington (2013 and 2018).

The shutout is the fifth for Marshall under Doc Holliday, and the fourth consecutive season the Herd defense has shut out an opponent.

Marshall improved to 5-0 this season when leading after the first quarter.

The Thundering Herd has now won 16 consecutive games when scoring first.

UTSA rushed for minus-26 yards, which is a Marshall program record for fewest rushing yards allowed in a single game (BYU, 1999, minus-16 yards). Marshall allowed 137 yards overall to UTSA, the fewest since the Herd held Ohio to 123 total yards in the 2009 Little Caesars Pizza Bowl in Detroit.

The Marshall defense did not allow an individual 100-yard rusher for the 11th consecutive game dating back to last season.

UTSA's long run of the game was 5 yards. Marshall is the last remaining FBS team that has yet to allow a rush of 30-plus yards this season.

The Thundering Herd was plus-two in turnover margin against UTSA, and is now 7-0 this season when it has a turnover margin of minus-one or better. MU is 0-3 when the turnover margin is minus-two.

Freshman quarterback Isaiah Green made his seventh start of his collegiate career on Saturday, and has thrown a touchdown pass in every game. He set a new career high for passing yards in a game (387), the most passing yards by a Marshall quarterback since Chase Litton threw for 413 against Akron on Sept. 17, 2016.

Senior receiver Tyre Brady caught a pass for the 21st consecutive game. Brady had a 50-yard reception in the second quarter, his longest of the season. Brady recorded his seventh 100-yard receiving game of the season and fourth of 2018, and tied a season high with 162 receiving yards.

Senior receiver Obi Obialo caught five passes for a career-best 103 yards. Brady and Obialo are the first set of Marshall teammates to go over 100 receiving yards in the same game since Davonte Allen and Tommy Shuler against Western Kentucky in 2014.

Senior linebacker Chase Hancock forced a fumble on a kickoff return in the first quarter, his second forced fumble of the season and third of his career.

Junior kicker Justin Rohrwasser recovered a fumble on a kickoff return, his second fumble recovery of the season. Rohrwasser is the only FBS player with at least two fumble recoveries who has zero tackles. Senior running back Keion Davis rushed for 49 yards, giving him 1,920 for the year and moving him past Jack Mahone (1,902, 1962-64) for No. 16 on the program's career rushing list.