POSTGAME NOTES

5/7 **KANSAS (22-5, 10-4)** VS 9/9 **BAYLOR (20-7, 9-5)** LAWRENCE, KAN. // ALLEN FIELDHOUSE FEBRUARY 18, 2023



KU STARTERS (CAREER STARTS)

Dajuan Harris Jr. (68) Gradey Dick (27) Jalen Wilson (80) Kevin McCullar Jr. (75, 26 while at KU) KJ Adams Jr. (28)

SERIES INFO: Kansas leads 36-9 (18-1 in Allen Fieldhouse)

THE WIN...

- Made Kansas 22-5 overall and 10-4 in Big 12 play
- Gave Kansas 10 conference wins for the 29th consecutive season, a streak which started in 1994-95 and is the longest active streak in NCAA Division I
- Made Kansas 13-1 in Allen Fieldhouse this season, 843-117 all-time in the venue, including 305-17 in the Bill Self era
- Made Bill Self 578-129 while at Kansas, 781-234 all-time and 28-9 vs. Baylor, 28-8 while at KU
- · Gave Bill Self 22 wins for the 19th time in 20 seasons at Kansas, and the 24th time in 30 yaers as a head coach
- Made Kansas 2,379-882 all-time.

TEAM NOTES

- Saturday's contest marked the 350th consecutive sellout at Allen Fieldhouse, a streak that started in the second game of the 2001-02 season.
- Allen Fieldhouse was the site of ESPN's College GameDay (CGD) on Saturday morning, marking the second-straight season and 11th time that KU has hosted the broadcast. KU is 8-2 in its previous 10 times hosting CGD.
- Kansas trailed 45-32 at halftime, marking the seventh time this season that KU has been behind at intermission. KU is now 2-5 in such games, with its other win being a 69-67 win over Oklahoma State on Dec. 31, after trailing 45-30 at half.
- The Jayhawks was behind by as many as 17 points, 40-23, with 3:30 to play in the first half. It's the largest deficit overcome by KU since defeating Kansas State 78-75 on Jan. 22, 2022 after also trailing by 17. Kansas has now overcome two double-digit deficits to win in conference play for the first time since joining the Big 12 in 1996-97.
- Kansas has overcome trailing by double-digits at halftime to win in two games in back-to-back seasons. Last season KU trailed by 10+ points at halftime against Kansas State (Jan. 22, 2022) and North Carolina (April 4, 2022). Earlier this season, Kansas overcame a 15-point halftime deficit to defeat Oklahoma State on Dec. 31, 2022.
- With a 16-point victory after trailing by as many as 17 points in the first half, KU picks up its first double-digit win in a game in which it trailed by double-digits since Dec. 12, 2015 versus Oregon State. In that game, Kansas trailed by 11 points at halftime before winning 82-67.
- Kansas' 17-point deficit overcome was the biggest at home since March 3, 2015, when Kansas trailed 22-40 against West Virginia and came back to win in overtime.
- The Jayhawks outscored Baylor 55-26 in the second half. Kansas' 55 points were the most in any half by Kansas this season.
- The Jayhawks improved to 20-0 this season when leading with five minutes remaining in the game.
- Kansas turned the ball over only four times on Saturday, which was the fewest turnovers since January 14, 2019, when Kansas also turned the ball over four times against Texas.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

- For the 26th time in 27 games, redshirt junior Jalen Wilson scored in double figures and recorded his league-leading ninth double-double with 21 points and 13 rebounds. Wilson entered the game tied with Eric Chenowith for No. 34 on KU's all-time scoring list with 1,281 points, and moved past Chenowith and Jo Jo White for 33rd on the list. Wilson now has 1,302 career points as a Jayhawk. He also passed Mark Randall for 16th on KU's career rebound list, currently with 730.
- Freshman Gradey Dick finished with 16 points for his 19th game this season with 10+ points. Dick has now scored 397 points this season and moves into 10th among KU freshman for points, passing Darnell Valenting, who had 391 points in 1977-78.
- Redshirt junior guard Dajuan Harris Jr. compiled nine assists and one turnover, marking his 11th game this season with eight or more assists. Over the last two games, Harris has 18 assists and one turnover, and has 168 assists to 54 turnovers this season. Harris' nine assists moves him into a tie for 17th with Elijah Johnson (2010-13) in school history with 399 assists. Harris scored 14 points on 6-of-8 shooting from the field, and Kansas improves to 20-0 and 12-0 this season when Harris scores in double-figures.
- Sophomore KJ Adams Jr. scored 17 points on 5-of-6 from the field and 7-of-9 from the free-throw line on Saturday, marking his 16th-career game in double-figures, all of which have come this season. Adams has now scored in double figures in four-straight games, with 32 points in his last two games.

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