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NOTRE DAME

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

2004-05 Irish Schedule/Results (14-3, 2-2 BIG EAST)

Nove	mbe	<u>er</u>
12	#	(10/11) Illinois State W, 92-73
14	#	(10/11) Nebraska W, 73-57
17	#	(11/10) Duke (6/6) W, 76-65
20	#	(11/10) Ohio State (10/9) W, 66-62
22		(6/6) Colorado State W, 69-47
26		(6/6) at USC W, 60-56
30		(3/3) at Valparaiso W, 69-59
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2		(3/3) Michigan St. (15/15) L, 73-82 (ot)
9		(7/5) at Dayton W, 65-39
11		(7/5) Washington W, 72-58
19		(7/5) at Marquette
30		(6/4) at Northern Illinois W, 73-49
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2	*	(6/4) Seton Hall W, 54-33
5	*	(4/3) Syracuse W, 75-58
9	*	(4/3) at Villanova L, 54-59
12	*	(7/6) Connecticut (16/16) L, 50-67
16	\$	(7/6) Purdue (20/20) W, 86-69
19	*	at Syracuse7:00 ET
23	*	Rutgers (BETV)2:00 ET
26	*	St. John's (COM)7:00 ET
30	*	at Connecticut (ESPN2) 7:00 ET
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2	*	Boston College7:00 ET
5	*	at Pittsburgh 2:00 ET
9	*	at Providence7:30 ET
12	*	Georgetown (COM)2:00 ET
15	*	at Boston College (CSTV)7:00 ET
19	*	at Rutgers Noon ET
26	*	West Virginia (COM)2:00 ET
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1	*	at Seton Hall7:00 ET
5-8	%	BIG EAST Championship
19-22		NCAA First/Second Rounds (ESPN)
26-29		NCAA Regionals (ESPN)
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3-5		NCAA Final Four (Indianapolis, Ind.)

* BIG EAST Conference game

Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT (contested at campus sites)
\$ BIG EAST/Big Ten Challenge (Notre Dame, Ind.)
% To be played at Hartford Civic Center (Hartford, Conn.)
(COM) Game to be televised on Comcast Local (Detroit)
(CSTV) Game to be televised on College Sports Television
(ESPN/ESPN2) Game to be televised on ESPN or ESPN2
(BETV) Game to be televised on BIG EAST TV package

Numbers before opponent name indicate Notre Dame's ranking in AP and ESPN/USA Today polls at tipoff; numbers after opponent name indicate its ranking; one number indicates AP rank only.

Boldface indicates home game played at Joyce Center (11,418) All times are <u>local to site</u> // Dates and times subject to change

18 game

(#11 AP/#10 ESPN/USA Today) Notre Dame Fighting Irish (14-3, 2-2) vs. Syracuse Orange (10-5, 2-2)

The Date and Time: Wednesday, Jan. 19, 2005, at 7 p.m. ET.

The Site: Manley Field House (9,500) in Syracuse, N.Y.

The Tickets: Still available through the Notre Dame athletics ticket office (574-631-7356), the Syracuse athletics ticket office (315-443-2121) or at the door on game night.

<u>The Radio Plans:</u> Wednesday's game will be broadcast live on WDND-AM (ESPN Radio 1580) and WNDV-AM (1490) in South Bend with **Sean Stires** (play-by-play) calling the action. These broadcasts also are available through the Notre Dame athletics web site at *www.und.com*.

Real-Time Statistics: Live in-game statistics are available for the Syracuse game, via the Syracuse (*www.suathletics.com*) athletics web site.

Web Sites: Notre Dame (www.und.com), Syracuse (www.suathletics.com).

#11/10 IRISH STEP BACK INTO CONFERENCE PLAY WEDNESDAY AT SYRACUSE

Bolstered by a solid victory over a top-25 opponent last weekend, No. 11/10 Notre Dame will look to capitalize on its rediscovered resolve Wednesday when it travels to Syracuse for a 7 p.m. (ET) BIG EAST

Conference matchup. It will be the second of two games between the Irish and Orange this season — Notre Dame defeated SU, 75-58 back on Jan. 5 at the Joyce Center.

The Irish (14-3, 2-2 BIG EAST) got back in the win column this past Sunday with an 86-69 victory over No. 20 Purdue in the BIG EAST/Big Ten Challenge at the Joyce Center. Notre Dame used a 23-7 run late in the first half and rolled up its highest single-half point total of the year (54) in the opening period en route to the win, its first over Purdue since the 2001 NCAA championship game.

Senior All-America forward **Jacqueline Batteast** picked up her fourth double-double of the season with game highs of 21 points and 11 rebounds for the Irish. Junior guard **Megan Duffy** added 19 points (17 in the first half) and senior center **Teresa Borton** contributed a season-high 18 points and nine rebounds for Notre Dame.

Syracuse (10-5, 2-2) has won two in a row since its loss at Notre Dame earlier this month. The Orange are coming off a 68-55 victory at Pittsburgh last Sunday as four players scored in double figures. Freshman guard Jessica Richter led the way with a career-high 18 points. Senior forward/center Chineze Nwagbo, who leads SU in scoring, rebounding and field goal percentage, logged a double-double with 14 points and 13 rebounds.

Head coach Keith Cieplicki is in his second season at Syracuse with a 16-26 (.381) record. He is 0-3 in his career against Notre Dame.

LAST IRISH GAME

#7/6 Notre Dame 86, #20/20 Purdue 69 BIG EAST/Big Ten Challenge January 16, 2005 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

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FG Pct: Purdue 44.8, Notre Dame 48.4. <u>3-PT FG Pct</u>: Purdue 35.3, Notre Dame 75.0. <u>FT Pct</u>: Purdue 84.6, Notre Dame 83.3. <u>Turnovers</u>: Purdue 21, Notre Dame 15. <u>Blocked Shots</u>: Purdue 4, Notre Dame 4 (Batteast 3). <u>Steals</u>: Purdue 8, Notre Dame 6. <u>Attendance</u>: 7,282.

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ASSOCIATED PRESS POLL (Jan. 17)

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<u>Rk.</u>	<u>Team</u>	Record	Previous
1.	Duke (31)	16-1	1
2.	LSU (13)	16-1	3
3.	Ohio State (1)	17-2	5
4.	Baylor	13-2	2
5.	Stanford	15-2	6
6.	Rutgers	12-3	4
7.	Tennessee	12-3	8
8.	Michigan State	15-2	9
9.	North Carolina	13-2	9
10.	Texas Tech	13-2	13
11.	NOTRE DAME	14-3	7
12.	Minnesota	14-3	11
13.	Connecticut	10-4	16
14.	Boston College	12-2	14
15.	Texas	9-5	12
16.	Maryland	12-3	15
17.	Vanderbilt	13-3	17
18.	DePaul	13-3	22
19.	Iowa State	14-1	24
20.	Kansas State	12-3	23
21.	Georgia	14-5	18
22.	lowa	14-3	21
23.	Virginia Tech	11-3	25
24.	Purdue	10-6	20
25.	UCLA	11-5	19

ESPN/USA TODAY POLL (Jan. 18)

Rk.	<u>Team</u>	Record	<u>Previous</u>
1.	Duke (31)	17-1	1
2.	LSU (9)	16-1	2
3.	Stanford	15-2	4
4.	Ohio State	17-2	5
5.	Baylor	13-2	3
6.	North Carolina	14-2	8
7.	Rutgers	12-3	7
8.	Michigan State	15-2	9
9.	Tennessee	12-3	10
10.	NOTRE DAME	14-3	6
11.	Texas Tech	13-2	13
12.	Connecticut	11-4	16
13.	Minnesota	14-3	12
14.	Boston College	12-2	14
15.	Vanderbilt	13-3	15
16.	Texas	9-6	11
17.	DePaul	13-3	21
18.	(tie) Maryland	12-3	17
	(tie) Kansas State	12-3	22
20.	(tie) Iowa State	14-1	24
	(tie) Georgia	14-5	18
22.	lowa	14-3	22
23.	Purdue	10-6	20
24.	Florida State	16-2	NR
25.	Richmond	14-1	NR

Italics indicates 2004-05 Notre Dame opponents

A QUICK LOOK AT THE FIGHTING IRISH

It's hard to say a 13-3 team was at a crossroads in its season, but Notre Dame found itself in such a situation entering last Sunday's game with No. 20 Purdue. The Irish had opened with wins in 13 of their first 14 games, including a memorable run to the Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT title that included victories over a pair of top-10 opponents (No. 6 Duke and No. 10 Ohio State). However, after rising as high as third in the polls, a pair of bitter losses to BIG EAST Conference foes Villanova and No. 16 Connecticut had sapped some of the team's confidence and left them searching for answers heading into the Purdue contest.

After a tense struggle through the first 10 minutes, Notre Dame pulled away and put together its second-highest offensive production of the season while ending a four-game losing streak to its in-state rival. The victory renewed Irish spirits and have left them hungry for more success with six weeks remaining in the regular season.

Despite the added focus shown to her by opposing teams, senior All-America forward **Jacqueline Batteast** was a major catalyst for the Irish this season, averaging 18.5 points (27th in the nation as of Jan. 10), 7.0 rebounds and 3.2 assists per game. She was named the Preseason WNIT Most Valuable Player and BIG EAST Player of the Week on Nov. 22 after logging a career-high 32 points in the WNIT championship game against Ohio State. She has scored in double digits in 15 Irish games this season, has earned game-high scoring honors eight times and has three double-doubles. With her 22-point effort at Villanova on Jan. 9, Batteast also moved into fifth place on Notre Dame's career scoring list (1,609 points), giving her top-five placement on the school's all-time points, rebounds and blocks charts.

Junior guard **Megan Duffy** also has stepped up her play this season, registering 11.6 points per game with a team-high 5.0 assists and 2.7 steals per game. Duffy also leads the BIG EAST and is ninth in the nation with a .914 free throw percentage (64-for-70) this season, sparking the Irish to a league-leading .755 free throw ratio (18th in the NCAA as of Jan. 10).

Duffy's backcourt mate, sophomore **Breona Gray**, has also shown great improvement this year. Moviing effortlessly into the starting lineup, the Las Vegas native has nearly tripled her scoring average from last season (6.2 ppg.), highlighted by a career-high 17-point effort vs. Syracuse on Jan. 5, and she ranks second on the team with 24 steals (1.41 spg.).

In the post, senior center **Teresa Borton** is showing capable leadership by example. In her past four games, Borton is averaging 14.8 ppg. with a .742 field goal percentage (23-for-31) and has scored in double figures three times. She is third on the team in scoring this season (8.9 ppg.), second in rebounding (5.7 rpg.) and first in both blocked shots (1.6 bpg.) and field goal percentage (.592).

SOME POTENT NOTABLES ABOUT THE FIGHTING IRISH

- Notre Dame won its first seven games this season, the second-best debut in the program's history.
 The 2000-01 squad opened with a 23-game win streak en route to school's first national champion-ship. The Irish also reached the double-digit win mark Dec. 19 at Marquette, getting their 10th win faster than any team in school history (the '00-01 team did it two days later on Dec. 21, 2000).
- The Irish are 5-1 on the road this year, and won their first five road games this season for the second time in school history. The 2000-01 club opened with a 10-game road winning streak to set the school standard. Ironically, Notre Dame struggled in true road games last year, losing its first four and six of its first seven on the opposition's floor.
- Notre Dame has been a fixture near the top of all major RPI charts this season. Through Jan. 16, the Irish are sixth in the WBCA/Summerville RPI rankings, with the nation's ninth-toughest schedule.
- Notre Dame has appeared in the top 10 of the AP balloting nine times in the first 11 polls of the year, just missing that level this week at No. 11. On three other times in school history have the Irish spent longer in the AP top 10 1998-99 (16 weeks), 1999-2000 (15 weeks) and 2000-01 (18 weeks). All told, Notre Dame has spent 65 weeks in the AP top 10 and has a 100-17 (.855) all-time record when it's ranked in the top 10.
- The Irish have posted 33 wins over Top 25 opponents in the past seven seasons (1998-99 to present).
 Two of those wins came in Notre Dame's first four games this year (76-65 vs. No. 6 Duke and 66-62 vs. No. 10 Ohio State), while the third came last Sunday vs. No. 20 Purdue (86-69) in the BIG EAST/Big Ten Challenge.
- The Irish have defeated 20 top-10 opponents in their history, adding to that total with their victories over sixth-ranked Duke and 10th-ranked Ohio State in the Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT.
- Head coach Muffet McGraw has a 398-152 (.724) record in 18 seasons with the Irish, which puts her just two victories shy of the 400-win mark for her Notre Dame career.

NOTRE DAME'S PROBABLE STARTING LINEUP

No.	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	PPG	RPG	Other	Notes
21	Jacqueline Batteast*	F	6-2	Sr.	18.5	7.0	3.2 apg	4th double-double of season (21p, 11r) vs. Purdue
34	Crystal Erwin	F	6-1	So.	7.0	3.9	0.9 apg	8.6 ppg., .543 FG% in six home games this year
12	Teresa Borton*	С	6-3	Sr.	8.9	5.7	1.6 bpg	14.8 ppg. with .742 FG% (23-31) in past four gms.
13	Megan Duffy*	G	5-7	Jr.	11.6	3.0	5.0 apg	Averaging 7.0 apg. during past four games
32	Breona Gray	G	5-7	So.	6.2	3.9	2.1 apg	Distributed career-high five assists vs. Purdue

OFF THE BENCH FOR THE IRISH

.5 1.4 apg	Logged seven points (3-4 FG) in 13 min. vs. Purdue
.4 1.7 apg	Scored eight points in each of past two games
.3 0.8 apg	Has 11 assists, four turnovers this season
.0 0.1 apg	Walk-on frosh has seen action in seven games
.0 0.6 bpg	Piled up four points, two rebounds vs. Syracuse
.7 1.0 apg	8p, 4r vs. UConn (best game since knee surgery)
	.4 1.7 apg .3 0.8 apg .0 0.1 apg .0 0.6 bpg

Boldface indicates statistical leaders // * - indicates team captains

A QUICK LOOK AT SYRACUSE

If the mark of an improving team is how it deals with challenges, then Syracuse is certainly a team on the rise. The Orange came into this season having to figure out a way to deal with the graduation of all-BIG EAST guard Julie McBride, the program's all-time leading scorer (1,605 points), three-point shooter (229 made) and playmaker (574 assists). They also had to shrug off the after-effects of a 6-21 record last season that included 13 consecutive losses to end the campaign. On top of all that, the Orange entered the year with a revamped roster that included five new but inexperienced faces, part of the program's first-ever Top 25 recruiting class.

Syracuse (10-5, 2-2 BIG EAST) has overcome these obstacles with a flourish this season, already rolling up more victories than it had all of last year. Opening the campaign on a five-game winning streak, the Orange also went on to record their highest non-conference win total (8) since the 1989-90 season.

Since losing at Notre Dame on Jan. 5, Syracuse has won its last two games, defeating Providence at home (72-51) on Jan. 12, followed by a 68-55 win at Pittsburgh last Sunday. In their most recent outing, the Orange fielded only seven players, but four of them scored in double figures, led by a careerhigh 18 points from freshman guard Jessica Richter. Senior guard Rochelle Coleman narrowly missed a double-double with 15 points and nine assists, while senior forward/center Chineze Nwagbo did pull of a double dip with 14 points and 13 rebounds. Sophomore guard Lauren Kohn completed the high-scoring guartet with 13 points.

Nwagbo has been a mainstay for SU, leading the team in scoring (11.3 ppg.), rebounding (8.7 rpg.) and field goal percentage (.475) to go along with five double-doubles. Kohn is second on the team in scoring (10.1 ppg.) and tops in three-pointers made (30), while Richter has come on strong lately and is now averaging 9.0 points per game. Meanwhile, Coleman leads the team in three-point percentage (.413), assists (3.3 apg.) and steals (2.1 spg.).

Head coach Keith Cieplicki is in his second season at Syracuse with a record of 16-26 (.381) at the school. Prior to his tenure with the Orange, Cieplicki spent six years as the head coach at Vermont, leading the Catamounts to four 20-win seasons and two postseason berths, including the 2000 NCAA Tournament. He has an overall record of 143-79 (.644) in eight seasons as a collegiate head coach, with an 0-3 record against Notre Dame.

THE NOTRE DAME-SYRACUSE SERIES

Notre Dame and Syracuse will be meeting for the 20th time in their series on Wednesday night, with the Irish owning a 17-2 lead in the rivalry. It also will represent the ninth time the schools have tangled at Manley Field House, with Notre Dame going 7-1 in upstate New York.

THE TALE OF THE TAPE

	ND	<u>SU</u>
Overall/BIG EAST record	14-3/2-2	10-5/2-2
AP/ESPN-USA Today rank	11/10	NR
<u>SCORING</u>		
Points scored per game	68.1	60.8
Points allowed per game	57.6	56.3
Field goal percentage	.438	.390
Three-point percentage	.374	.338
Free throw percentage	.755	.595
REBOUNDING		
Rebounds per game	38.4	39.7
Opponent rebs. per game	36.8	41.4
Rebounding margin	+1.6	(-1.7)
<u>OTHER</u>		
Assists per game	16.8	14.0
Turnovers per game	16.0	17.4
Assist/turnover ratio	1.05	0.80
Blocked shots per game	4.9	4.5
Steals per game	9.5	9.8

THE KEVIN WHITE RADIO SHOW

A weekly radio show featuring Notre Dame athletics director **Kevin White** airs at 7 p.m. (Central time) each Thursday on ESPN Radio 1000 in Chicago (1000 AM in Chicago, www.espnradio1000.com). Now in its fifth season, "The Kevin White Show" can be heard in 35 states. White welcomes to the show a series of guests and prominent figures associated with college athletics, including administrators, coaches and media members.



THE SYRACUSE SERIES

Series: Notre Dame leads 17-2. Games Played at Syracuse: Notre Dame leads 7-1 (all games played at Joyce Center).

Date	Site	Result	Score
1/16/88	Notre Dame, Ind.	W	81-64
2/4/89	Syracuse, N.Y.	L	56-63
2/4/90	Notre Dame, Ind.	W	71-66
12/31/91	Syracuse, N.Y.	W	81-60
1/10/96	Notre Dame, Ind.	W	91-52
3/3/96	Storrs, Conn. *	W	70-55
1/15/97	Syracuse, N.Y.	W	72-45
2/6/97	Notre Dame, Ind.	W	90-73
1/21/98	Syracuse, N.Y.	W	87-69
1/26/99	Syracuse, N.Y.	W	94-61
2/17/99	Notre Dame, Ind.	W	82-60
1/15/00	Notre Dame, Ind.	W	71-56
2/14/01	Syracuse, N.Y.	W	75-61
1/29/02	Notre Dame, Ind.	W	71-46
3/3/02	Piscataway, N.J. *	L	79-84
3/4/03	Syracuse, N.Y.	W	62-54
1/21/04	Syracuse, N.Y.	W	64-35
3/2/04	Notre Dame, Ind.	W	54-33
1/5/05	Notre Dame, Ind.	W	75-58

^{* -} BIG EAST Championship

Series Scoring	Total	Average
Notre Dame	1,426	75.1
Syracuse	1,095	57.6

Current Win Streak: Notre Dame - 4 games Muffet McGraw vs. Syracuse: 17-2 Keith Cieplicki vs. Notre Dame: 0-3 McGraw vs. Cieplicki: McGraw leads 3-0 ND Biggest Win: 39 (91-52 on 1/10/96) SU Biggest Win: 7 (63-56 on 2/4/89) ND Longest Win Streak: 12 (1990-2002) SU Longest Win Streak: 1 (1989, 2002)

WHEN THE GAME IS ON THE LINE ...

Here's a look at Notre Dame's performance at the free throw line in the final five minutes of regulation and overtime this season:

Charel Allen	10-10 (1.000)
Tulyah Gaines	5-5 (1.000)
Amanda Tsipis	2-2 (1.000)
Jacqueline Batteast	6-7 (.857)
Megan Duffy	26-31 (.839)
Courtney LaVere	4-5 (.800)
Teresa Borton	5-7 (.714)
Crystal Erwin	2-4 (.500)
Breona Gray	2-4 (.500)
Melissa D'Amico	1-5 (.200)
TOTAL	63-80 (.788)

The Irish and Orange first played one another back in the 1987-88 season, **Muffet McGraw's** first as the head coach at Notre Dame, and the Irish came away with an 81-64 win at home. A year later, Notre Dame visited Syracuse for the first time and the host Orange weren't very accommodating, dealing the Irish a 63-56 setback. However, Notre Dame bounced back in the next two matchups, squeezing out a narrow 71-66 win at home in 1990 and an 81-60 triumph at Syracuse on New Year's Eve 1991.

Since the Irish joined the BIG EAST in 1995-96 and began playing the Orange annually, the series has been tipped in Notre Dame's favor. In fact, the Irish have won 14 of the 15 times the teams have met under the BIG EAST banner, including all 13 regular-season conference contests. Syracuse's only victory in that time came at the 2002 BIG EAST Championship, when the seventh-seeded Orange upset the No. 2 seed Irish, 84-79 in Piscataway, N.J., breaking Notre Dame's 12-game series winning streak.

Wednesday's game is the second of two between the Irish and Orange during the past two weeks. Back on Jan. 5, Notre Dame came away with a 75-58 victory at the Joyce Center. This season's dual meeting mark the fifth time in the past nine years that the Irish will have faced the Orange twice in the same season. The same thing occurred last year, when Notre Dame swept Syracuse (64-35 on the road; 54-33 at home).

THE LAST TIME NOTRE DAME AND SYRACUSE MET

Behind a balanced scoring effort that included four players scoring in double figures, fourth-ranked Notre Dame beat Syracuse 75-58 on Jan. 5 at the Joyce Center, never letting the Orange get within single digits in the second half.

Sophomore guard **Breona Gray**, senior center **Teresa Borton** and junior guard **Megan Duffy** each scored a team-high 17 points for the Irish. Gray shot 6-for-12 and finished with a career-high point total. Borton shot 6-for-7, and the Irish outscored Syracuse 28-18 in the paint.

The Irish (13-1, 2-0 BIG EAST) broke the game open with a 16-3 run in the first half and continued their best start since opening 23-0 in 2000-01, their NCAA championship season. Meanwhile, Syracuse (8-5, 0-2) fell to 0-13 against Notre Dame in BIG EAST play and 2-17 overall.

Senior All-America forward **Jacqueline Batteast** added 15 points and seven rebounds for the Irish, who outrebounded the Orange 45-37. Jessica Richter shot 5-for-13 from three-point range and finished with a (then) career-high 17 points for Syracuse.

The Orange made a season-high nine three-pointers on a season-best 29 attempts. Lauren Kohn added 11 points and Amanda Adamson had 10 for SU.

Syracuse shot 31 percent, its second-worst outing of the season.

THE LAST TIME NOTRE DAME AND SYRACUSE MET AT MANLEY FIELD HOUSE

Behind a record-setting defensive performance and a balanced offensive attack, the Notre Dame women's basketball team eased past Syracuse, 64-35 on Jan. 21, 2004, at Manley Field House. The 35 points allowed were the fewest ever allowed by the Irish in a BIG EAST Conference road game, and they were the second-fewest ever yielded by Notre Dame on the road, topped only by a 27-point lockdown at Valparaiso exactly 22 years earlier (Jan. 21, 1982).

Jacqueline Batteast led the Irish at both ends of the floor, posting her fourth consecutive double-double and seventh of the 2003-04 season with 12 points and a game-high 10 rebounds in just 28 minutes of action. Courtney LaVere continued to provide solid play off the bench, notching 10 points for her third consecutive double-digit game. Notre Dame saw 10 of its 12 players in uniform put points on the board, as the Irish reserves matched

LAST IRISH GAME AT SYRACUSE

Notre Dame 64, Syracuse 35 January 21, 2004 Manley Field House (Syracuse, N.Y.)

Notre Dame (64)									
	<u>Player</u>	<u>min</u>	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	<u>ast</u>	pf	<u>tp</u>
	Batteast	28	4-7	0-0	4-6	10	1	1	12
	Borton	13	2-5	0-0	0-0	2	1	0	4
	Severe	20	3-4	0-0	0-0	6	5	4	6
	Duffy	33	1-5	1-4	2-2	5	5	2	5
	Hernandez	21	1-4	0-2	0-0	1	0	1	2
	Powers	12	2-3	0-1	0-0	4	0	0	4
	Joyce	23	2-8	2-8	2-2	2	3	0	8
	Gray	9	0-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	4	0
	Flecky	9	3-6	0-0	0-1	5	0	1	6
	Erwin	10	3-3	0-0	1-2	2	0	1	7
	LaVere	20	5-9	0-0	0-0	2	1	2	10
	Weese	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
	Team					5			
	Totals	200	26-56	3-15	9-13	47	16	16	64
	Syracuse	(35)							
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	Syracuse (3	35)							
	Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
	Wegrzynowicz	39	1-4	1-3	0-0	2	2	<u>pf</u> 3	<u>tp</u> 3
	Coleman	35	2-13	2-9	0-0	5	2	1	6
	Nwagbo	30	6-11	0-0	1-1	6	0	5	13
	Kohn	39	1-7	1-5	0-0	1	0	0	3
	McBride	38	2-15	0-6	4-5	1	5	4	8
	Ellerbe	9	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0
	Norton	10	0-1	0-1	2-2	1	0	2	2
	Team					9			
	Totals	200	12-52	4-24	7-8	26	9	16	35
	Notre Dame Syracuse		28 36 16 19		64 35				

FG Pct: Notre Dame 46.4, Syracuse 23.1. 3-PT FG Pct: Notre Dame 20.0, Syracuse 16.7. FT Pct: Notre Dame 69.2, Syracuse 87.5. Turnovers: Notre Dame 11, Syracuse 12. Blocked Shots: Notre Dame 7 (LaVere 3), Syracuse 1. Steals: Notre Dame 3, Syracuse 15. Technical Fouls: Erwin (ND), Nwagbo (SU). Attendance: 614.

Syracuse's total offensive output (35 points) in the contest.

As a team, Notre Dame shot 46.4 percent from the field (26 of 56), marking the third consecutive game in which the Irish connected at 45 percent or better. Notre Dame also won the rebounding battle by a 47-26 margin and only committed 11 turnovers.

Chineze Nwagbo led the Orange with a game-high 13 points, nine of those coming in the second half. Meanwhile, Syracuse's leading scorer, all-BIG EAST guard Julie McBride, was held in check by the Notre Dame defense, tallying eight points (less than half of her season average of 17.8 ppg.). The Orange also posted a .231 field goal percentage (12 of 52) in the game.

Notre Dame jumped out to early leads of 6-0 and 8-3, the latter margin coming when Batteast knocked down a jumper four minutes into the game. Syracuse came back and squared the game at 8-8 when Nwagbo hit a layup with 13:48 remaining in the period. That would be the first and only tie in the contest, as Notre Dame outscored the Orange, 20-8 over the final 13 minutes of the first half, holding their hosts to just two field goals in that time. A pair of free throws by **Megan Duffy** with 22 seconds left in the half handed the Irish a 28-16 lead at the intermission.

Syracuse made a run at Notre Dame in the opening moments of the second half, scoring five of the first eight points and pulling within 31-21 when McBride hit a layup and was fouled with 17:18 to play. However, the veteran guard missed the ensuing free throw and the Orange would never trim the margin to single digits the rest of the way. Syracuse did get as close as 15 points on three occasions in the second half, the last coming at 45-30 on a jumper by Nwagbo with 9:23 to go. The Irish then responded by going on a 19-5 charge to end the game, holding the Orange to one basket over that final nineminute span.

OTHER NOTRE DAME-SYRACUSE SERIES NOTES

- Notre Dame has won all 13 matchups between the teams in BIG EAST Conference regular-season play. Syracuse's lone win since the Irish joined the BIG EAST 10 seasons ago came on March 3, 2002 in the quarterfinals of the BIG EAST Championship (84-79 at Piscataway, N.J.).
- Only four times has Notre Dame failed to score at least 70 points in its 19-game series with Syracuse. On the other hand, the Orangewomen have topped the 70-point mark just twice all-time against the Irish, most recently do so in their last win over Notre Dame (84-79 on March 3, 2002 at the BIG EAST Championship in Piscataway, N.J.).
- All but two of Notre Dame's 17 wins in the series have come by double-digit margins, with an
 average Irish margin of victory of 20.2 points per game in the 19-game rivalry. Notre Dame's margin
 of victory is slightly larger at Manley Field House, where Notre Dame has won seven of eight series
 games by an average of 21.4 points per contest.
- Notre Dame has held Syracuse to its two lowest point totals in the series in the two 2003-04 matchups (35 on Jan. 21, 2004; 33 on March 2, 2004). Ironically, the Irish were held to their lowest offensive output in the second of those two games, scoring only 54 points in the March 2, 2004 contest.
- Notre Dame is 8-1 all-time when it is ranked heading into the Syracuse game, including a 75-58 victory over the Orange back on Jan. 5 at the Joyce Center.
- Senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast leads all current Irish players with 10.8 points and 9.5 rebounds in six career games against Syracuse. She also has collected double-doubles in four of her five regular-season matchups against the Orange, only missing the mark in the team's last meeting back on Jan. 5, when she ended up with 15 points and seven rebounds.

SHADES OF GRAY

Two of the best games in the young career of sophomore guard **Breona Gray** have come against Syracuse. In last year's regular-season finale, the Las Vegas product scored a (then) career-high 11 points on 4-for-5 shooting as the Irish defeated the Orange, 54-33. Then, two weeks ago, Gray erupted for career bests of 17 points and seven rebounds, hitting six of 12 shots from the floor as Notre Dame downed Syracuse, 75-58 at the Joyce Center.

In three career games vs. the Orange, Gray is averaging 9.3 points per game while shooting 55.6 percent (10-for-18) from the field.

NEW YORK, NEW YORK

Notre Dame owns a superb 33-2 (.943) record all-time against schools from the state of New York, going 17-2 vs. Syracuse, 14-0 vs. St. John's and 1-0 vs. both Army and Fordham.

The Irish also have traveled to the state of New York 15 times in its history, posting a 14-1 (.933)



IRISH MEDIA POLICIES

MEDIA CONTACT

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IN-SEASON INTERVIEW POLICY

All requests for Notre Dame player or coach interviews must be made through **Chris Masters** and 24 hours' notice should be allowed when scheduling interviews. Media members also may speak to Irish team personnel following practice sessions. While most practices are open to the media, some may be closed at the staff's discretion — contact **Chris Masters** for the latest practice schedule. On game days, no interviews will be granted prior to competition.

POST-GAME PRESS CONFERENCES

Following each Irish home game, Notre Dame head coach **Muffet McGraw** and selected players, followed by the visiting head coach and selected players, will be available to speak with the media. Press conferences will be held in the Joyce Center auditorium, located adjacent to Gate 1 on the first floor of the arena. Media members should submit player requests for postgame interviews to **Chris Masters** no later than the four-minute mark of the second half.

MEDIA SERVICES

- Credentials for all Notre Dame women's basketball games must be submitted to Chris Masters at least 24 hours prior to each game. Media passes will be left at the Joyce Center Media Will Call table, located inside Gate 1.
- Media should park in the lots located immediately south of the Joyce Center (no charge).
- Media members wishing to receive Notre Dame women's basketball game notes and press releases in PDF form via e-mail should send requests to Chris Masters at masters.5@nd.edu.
- Notre Dame's official athletics department web site can be found at www.und.com, with extensive offerings including live audio for all Irish women's basketball games (home and away), as well as real-time statistics for all Notre Dame home games.



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BIG EAST STANDINGS (through games of Jan. 18)

<u>PI.</u>	<u>Team</u>	BIG EAST	<u>Overall</u>
1.	Connecticut	4-0	11-4
	Boston College	3-0	12-2
	Rutgers	3-0	12-3
4.	NOTRE DAME	2-2	14-3
	West Virginia	2-2	11-4
	Syracuse	2-2	10-5
	Villanova	2-2	9-6
8.	St. John's	2-3	13-3
	Seton Hall	2-3	10-6
10.	Pittsburgh	1-3	9-6
	Georgetown	1-3	6-9
12.	Providence	0-4	1-14

BIG EAST PLAYER OF THE WEEK

Nov. 22... Jacqueline Batteast, Notre Dame
Nov. 29...... Jessalyn Deveny, Boston College
Yolanda Paige, West Virginia
Dec. 6..... Meg Bulger, West Virginia
Dec. 13..... Jessalyn Deveny, Boston College
Sherell Sowho, West Virginia
Dec. 20.. Jacqueline Batteast, Notre Dame
Dec. 27..... Monique Blake, Seton Hall
Meg Bulger, West Virginia
Jan. 3..... Jessalyn Deveny, Boston College
Jan. 10..... Jackie Adamshick, Villanova
Monique Blake, Seton Hall
Jan. 17..... Meg Bulger, West Virginia

BIG EAST FRESHMAN OF THE WEEK

Nov. 22	Sara Antolick, Syracuse
Nov. 29	Andrea Peterson, St. John's
Dec. 6	Charde Houston, Connecticut
Dec. 13 Sh	amika Jackson, Boston College
Dec. 20	Matee Ajavon, Rutgers
Dec. 27	Kieraah Marlow, Georgetown
Jan. 3	Matee Ajavon, Rutgers
Jan. 10	Essence Carson, Rutgers
Jan. 17	Matee Ajavon, Rutgers
	Charde Houston, Connecticut

mark. The only time Notre Dame lost within the New York state lines was on its first-ever visit to the Empire State — Feb. 4, 1989 at Syracuse (63-56).

THE BEAST OF THE BIG EAST

Notre Dame is 126-30 (.808) in regular-season competition against the rest of BIG EAST Conference, owning the best conference winning percentage of any current member of the BIG EAST since joining the circuit for the 1995-96 campaign. The Irish also have finished either first or second in the BIG EAST eight times in their nine-year membership, and claimed a share of their first-ever regular-season conference championship in 2001.

When including postseason competition (BIG EAST and NCAA tournaments), Notre Dame is 139-39 (.781) against league opponents — when factoring in these 22 postseason tilts, the Irish are 71-8 (.899) at home, 55-25 (.688) on the road and 13-6 (.684) at neutral sites all-time vs. BIG EAST foes.

POLLING PLACE

Notre Dame is 175-43 (.803) all-time when it is ranked in the Associated Press poll at tipoff (the Irish are 11th entering Wednesday's game at Syracuse). When playing at home, Notre Dame has been especially strong, going 82-10 (.891) as a ranked host after posting a 9-2 record at the Joyce Center this season. Conversely, the Irish are 69-25 (.734) all-time when they play on the road as a ranked team.

IT'S "T" FOR TWO

Senior center **Teresa Borton** has been a solid presence in the middle for the Irish this season, but the past four games (beginning with the first Syracuse contest) have been especially productive for the Yakima, Wash., resident. Borton scored a (then) season-high 17 points in

IRISH IN THE POLLS

Here's where Notre Dame has been ranked in both of the major national Top 25 polls during the 2004-05 season:

Week	<u>AP</u>	ESPN/USA Today
Preseason	10	11
Nov. 15	11	10
Nov. 22	6	6
Nov. 29	3	3
Dec. 6	7	5
Dec. 13	7	5
Dec. 20	7	5
Dec. 27	6	4
Jan. 3	4	3
Jan. 10	7	6
Jan. 17	11	10

both a win over SU and a loss at Villanova, added seven points vs. No. 16 Connecticut and came back with a season-best 18 points and nine rebounds in Sunday's win over 20th-ranked Purdue. She is averaging 14.8 points per game in those four outings, shooting a combined 74.2 percent from the floor (23-for-31).

During the early part of BIG EAST Conference play, Borton has been a big factor for Notre Dame, ranking second on the team in scoring (11.3 ppg.) and posting a .708 field goal percentage (17-for-24) that would be leading the conference if she had three more made field goals to her credit (minimum five FG per game to qualify).

DUFFY LENDS A HAND

During the past four games (starting with the first matchup vs. Syracuse), junior guard **Megan Duffy** is averaging 7.0 assists per game, with at least six handouts in each contest. In that time, she also has posted a sharp 1.87 assist/turnover ratio (28 assists, 15 turnovers).

NO SOPHOMORE JINX HERE

Bucking the traditional "sophomore jinx," second-year forward **Crystal Erwin** and guard **Breona Gray** both have emerged as important contributors to Notre Dame's success this season. Erwin ranks fourth on the team in scoring (7.0 ppg.) and rebounding (3.9 rpg.), along with the second-best field goal percentage (.495) on the squad. Her biggest games have come at home, where she is logging 8.6 ppg. and 4.4 rpg. with a .543 field goal percentage and five double-digit scoring games (she had one in her career prior to this season).

Meanwhile, Gray has started every game and averages nearly 26 minutes per night at the off-guard spot for the Irish this season, collecting 6.2 points and 3.9 rebounds per game. Those are a far cry from her numbers as a freshman, when she played only 11.4 minutes per contest while posting 2.2 points and 1.6 rebounds a game.

ROAD WARRIORS

The Irish are off to a 5-1 start on the road this season, a far cry from last year's struggles away from the Joyce Center, when they lost their first four and six of their first seven true road contests. In fact, Notre Dame won its first five road games this year, marking only the second time in school history the Irish opened with five or more road victories (they won 10 in a row to begin the 2000-01 campaign).

Accenting Notre Dame's play on the road has been its defensive prowess. The Irish are holding opponents to 51.5 ppg., a .328 field goal percentage (111-for-338) and a .176 three-point percentage (18-for-102) away from home and have not allowed more than 59 points in any of their six road games this year.

THREE-FENSE

In the past 14 games, Notre Dame has limited its opponents to a .226 three-point percentage (55-for-243), after Irish foes were shooting .333 from beyond the arc (17-for-51) in the first three games of the season. On Dec. 9, Notre Dame held Dayton to an opponent season-low .071 three-point percentage (1-for-14), with the Flyers missing their final 13 three-point attempts.

For the season, Notre Dame leads the BIG EAST in three-point percentage defense, holding opponents to a .245 mark (72-for-297) from long range.

THE FIVE-FINGER DISCOUNT

Notre Dame ranks fourth in the BIG EAST Conference in steals this season, averaging 9.47 thefts per game (161 total). The Irish have come up with at least 10 steals in seven games and had a season-best 20 thefts on Nov. 22 vs. Colorado State, the most by a BIG EAST team this season.

Individually, junior guard **Megan Duffy** is tops in the conference in steals (2.71 spg., 46 total), while her backcourt mate, sophomore **Breona Gray** is second on the team with 1.41 steals per game (24 total). Five other Notre Dame players have at least 10 steals this year — senior All-America forward **Jacqueline Batteast** (22), freshman guard **Charel Allen** (15), senior center **Teresa Borton** (14), sophomore forward **Crystal Erwin** (13) and freshman guard **Tulyah Gaines** (12).

THE SEASON FOR SHARING

One of the key elements in Notre Dame's success this season has been its penchant for distributing the ball well. In fact, the Irish have 286 assists (16.82 apg.; third in the BIG EAST) on 420 field goals made (24.7 per game), including a Preseason WNIT-record 29 handouts in the season opener vs. Illinois State. Junior guard **Megan Duffy** leads the way at 5.0 assists per game (third in the BIG EAST), with at least five dimes in 10 contests this year, including a career-high 10 assists vs. Washington on Dec. 11.

LOTS OF FREE STUFF

When given the opportunity, Notre Dame has taken advantage of its trips to the free throw line this season. The Irish lead the BIG EAST Conference and are 18th nationally (as of Jan. 10), shooting 75.5 percent from the charity stripe. In fact, they set a school record by going a perfect 18-for-18 on Nov. 30 at Valparaiso, which also matches the best mark by any team in the country this season.

Notre Dame has been led at the gift line by junior guard **Megan Duffy** (.914, 64-70), freshman guard **Charel Allen** (.825, 33-40) and senior All-America forward **Jacqueline Batteast** (.818, 72-88). Duffy currently ranks first in the BIG EAST and ninth in the nation in free throw percentage, while Batteast is third in the conference and has shown the greatest improvement among all Irish players this season with more than a 19-percent jump from last year's career low .627 mark.

One side note about Duffy's free throw prowess — the Irish junior struggled at the line early in her freshman season, shooting just 59.3 percent (16-27) during her first 15 collegiate games. However, in the 65 games since then (Jan. 20, 2003 to present), Duffy is connecting at an .865 clip (179-207) on her foul shots. She also has made 72 of her last 79 free throws (.911) in the past 23 Irish games, dating back to Feb. 28, 2004.

McGRAW'S MILESTONES

Entering this season, Notre Dame head coach **Muffet McGraw** had the opportunity to reach three career coaching milestones. Here's a look at her progress toward each landmark:

- <u>Winningest basketball coach at Notre Dame</u> picked up 394th victory with the Irish on Dec. 19 at Marquette, passing longtime men's coach Digger Phelps (393 wins from 1971-91).
- 400th victory at Notre Dame needs two wins (current record: 398-152, .724)
- <u>500th victory overall</u> needs 14 wins (current record: 486-193, .716)



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NOTRE DAME LEADS IN USSA DIRECTORS' CUP STANDINGS

The University of Notre Dame remains in first place in the final set of fall sports standings released in the 2004-05 United States Sports Academy Division I Directors' Cup all-sports competition sponsored by the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics (formerly known as Sears Directors' Cup).

This marks the first season in the 12-year history of the program that Notre Dame has ranked number one. The previous highest ranking for the Irish was second in the 2004-05 second set of fall standings.

Fall NCAA competition earned the Irish 337 points based on their NCAA title in women's soccer (100 points), their fourth-place finish in women's cross country (80 points), their 11th-place finish in men's cross country (57 points) and their second-round NCAA appearances in both men's soccer and volleyball (50 points each).

Michigan (333 points) is second, highlighted by a quarterfinal appearance in field hockey and a sixth-place finish in women's cross country. Stanford (332 points) stands third, thanks to its NCAA title in volleyball. Duke (327) is fourth after runner-up NCAA finishes in women's cross country and field hockey.

The current standings include results from NCAA fall competition in football, volleyball, field hockey, water polo, men's and women's cross country, and men's and women's soccer.

The first set of winter standings will be available March 24.

In previous years in which the Directors' Cup competition has been held, Notre Dame has finished 11th in 1993-94, 30th in 1994-95, 11th in 1995-96, 14th in 1996-97, tied for 31st in 1997-98, 25th in 1998-99, 21st in 1999-2000, 11th in 2000-01, 13th in 2001-02, tied for 13th in 2002-03 and 19th in 2003-04.

Here are the current standings:

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1.	NOTRE DAME	337			
2.	Michigan	333			
3.	Stanford	332			
4.	Duke	327			
5.	UCLA	297			
6.	Maryland	280			
7.	Ohio State	276			
8.	Colorado	275			
9.	Texas	262			
10.	Wisconsin	251			



2004-05 IRISH HONORS

Jacqueline Batteast (Sr., South Bend, Ind.)
Basketball News Preseason Player of the Year
State Farm/WBCA Wade Trophy Watch List
Naismith Trophy Watch List

John R. Wooden Women's Award Watch List Preseason All-American:

- first team (Associated Press)
- first team (Lindy's Annual)
- first team (Basketball News)
- second team (Gballmag.com)
- "Terrific 10" (Street & Smith's)
- John R. Wooden Women's Award (top 30)

ESPN.com top five wings in country
BIG EAST Preseason Player of the Year
Preseason first-team all-BIG EAST (unanimous)
Bayer Advantage® Senior CLASS Award nominee
Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT MVP
BIG EAST Player of the Week (Nov. 22, Dec. 20)

Megan Duffy (Jr., Dayton, Ohio)

Preseason second-team all-BIG EAST Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT All-Tournament Team

TOP JOYCE CENTER CROWDS

	Date	Opponent	Result	Atten.				
T1.	1/15/01	#1 Connecticut	W, 92-76	11,418*				
T1.	2/24/01	Georgetown	W, 65-53	11,418*				
3.	2/10/02	#16 Boston Coll.	W, 60-44	9,676				
4.	3/19/01	Michigan (NCAA)	W, 88-54	9,597				
5.	1/4/03	#7 Purdue	L, 54-71	9,483				
6.	1/26/02	#16 Virginia Tech	W, 64-57	8,878				
7.	2/14/04	Providence	W, 81-51	8,760				
8.	1/13/04	#4 Connecticut	W, 66-51	8,574				
9.	1/29/02	Syracuse	W, 71-46	8,571				
10.	3/17/01	Alcorn St. (NCAA)	W, 98-49	8,553				
11.	1/20/03	#3 Connecticut	L, 53-72	8,265				
12.	1/12/92	#2 Tennessee	L, 82-85	8,134				
13.	11/18/01	Valparaiso	W, 42-35	7,960				
14.	1/5/02	Providence	W, 72-66	7,804				
15.	2/26/02	Villanova	L, 45-48	7,785				
16.	2/19/02	West Virginia	W, 72-63	7,709				
17.	1/18/03	Rutgers	L, 61-64	7,697				
18.	2/13/02	St. John's	W, 66-31	7,677				
19.	12/9/01	USC	W, 62-49	7,595				
20.	2/12/00	St. John's	W, 94-51	7,530				
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^{*} indicates capacity crowd // rankings are from AP poll Boldface indicates game played this season

THE PURDUE RECAP

Notre Dame found the answers to its problems. Purdue simply found more questions.

Junior guard **Megan Duffy** sparked seventh-ranked Notre Dame by scoring 17 of her 19 points in the first half and senior All-America forward **Jacqueline Batteast** finished with 21 points and 11 rebounds, leading the Irish past No. 20 Purdue 86-69 Sunday.

"It's been these two who have gotten us to where we are now, and I think the team thought it was time for them to step up," Notre Dame coach **Muffet McGraw** said.

Batteast was held to eight points and Duffy six in Notre Dame's 17-point loss to No. 16 Connecticut last Wednesday. But they surpassed those numbers in the first 15 minutes against the Boilermakers.

"Coming off two losses, we were angry more than anything," Duffy said. "Whatever it takes to get a win, we did it tonight."

The Irish (14-3) beat the Boilermakers for the first time since the 2001 NCAA championship game, ending a four-game losing streak to Purdue. Meanwhile, the Boilermakers (10-6), beaten at home by 20 points three nights earlier by No. 11 Minnesota, lost consecutive games for the first time since December 2001, when they lost to the Irish and LSU.

Purdue coach Kristy Curry said her team didn't play well enough to win.

"You lose by 17, but you have to understand when you're playing someone as good as Notre Dame you can't have lapses defensively or offensively," Curry said.

It was the 36th career double-double for Batteast, tying her with Ruth Riley for second place on Notre Dame's career list. Senior center **Teresa Borton** added a season-high 18 points, and Notre Dame outscored the Boilermakers 38-24 in the paint.

McGraw said Duffy's play in the first half was the key.

"Once Megan got started, that opened up everything for everyone else," she said.

Erin Lawless led Purdue with 16 points, Katie Gearlds had 14 and Lindsay Wisdom-Hylton, Emily Heikes and Tyeisha Jackson had 10 points each.

The Irish led 54-38 at halftime, scoring four more points than they had in the entire game against UConn. Duffy shot 4-for-4 in the first half, including three from three-point range, and 6-for-6 from the foul line.

"It felt good out there," Duffy said. "It's been a little tough for me to find my shot and I've been working on that."

The Irish made seven free throws in the final 63 seconds to take a 16-point halftime lead — matching their biggest mid-game margin of the season.

Purdue cut the lead to 62-51 when Heikes stole the ball and hit a fast-break layup with 14:32 left. But Duffy answered with a pair of free throws, Borton scored inside and freshman guard **Tulyah Gaines** scored on a 15-foot jumper as the Irish regained control, leading by 21 points late in the game.

The six losses for the Boilermakers are the most at this point in the season since they had six by Jan. 5, 1997, and finished 17-11.

NOTING THE PURDUE WIN

- Notre Dame snaps a four-game series losing streak vs. Purdue, defeating the Boilermakers for the first time since the 2001 NCAA championship game (68-66).
- It's also the first regular-season win for the Irish over Purdue since Dec. 9, 2000 (72-61 at the Joyce Center).
- Notre Dame's 86 points are the most it has ever scored against the Boilermakers, and are one shy
 of the most by either team in the 18-game series (both marks set in an 87-83 Purdue win on Nov. 30,
 1994 at Notre Dame).
- The 17-point margin of victory also is the largest by Notre Dame in the series (previously: 73-60 on March 15, 1996 in the first round of the NCAA Tournament at Lubbock, Texas).
- Sunday's win is the third of the season for Notre Dame vs. a top 25 opponent and the 33rd victory over a ranked opponent for the Irish in the past seven seasons (1998-99 to present).
- The Irish posted their second-highest point total of the season (92 vs. Illinois State on Nov. 12).
- Notre Dame's 54 first-half points were a season high for markers in either half, and were the most in the opening period since a school-record 61 points vs. Cleveland State on Nov. 26, 2002 at the Joyce Center.
- The Irish tallied a season-high six three-point field goals, all in the first half, to top the mark of five set against both Illinois State (Nov. 12) and No. 6 Duke (Nov. 17).
- The Irish are 35-5 (.875) in "bounce back" games the first contest after a double-digit loss and 22-1 (.957) in home "bounce back" games since joining the BIG EAST Conference in 1995-96.

- Notre Dame finishes the regular season with a winning record (2-1) vs. the Big Ten Conference for the first time since the 2000-01 campaign, when it would up going 4-0 against Big Ten teams (1-0 vs. Georgia and Michigan, 2-0 vs. Purdue) en route to the national championship.
- Senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast collected her fourth double-double of the season and 36th of her career, tying her with Ruth Riley (1997-2001) for second place on the Irish career double-doubles list; Katryna Gaither holds the record with 40 double-dips from 1993-97.
- Batteast also notched the 28th 20-point game of her career, pulling her within one of Trena Keys (1982-86) for fourth place on the Notre Dame all-time 20-point game list.
- Junior guard **Megan Duffy** scored 19 points, one off her season high (20 at Valparaiso on Nov. 30).
- Duffy also dished out a team-high six assists, giving her 28 handouts (7.0 apg.) in her last four games.
- Senior center Teresa Borton narrowly missed her second double-double of the season, finishing
 with a season-high 18 points and nine rebounds; in her last four games, Borton is averaging 14.8
 ppg. with a .742 field goal percentage (23-for-31).
- · Sophomore guard Breona Gray delivered a career-high five assists.

SPORTSVIEW.TV PRESEASON WNIT REWIND

Punctuated by emotional second-half rallies in the semifinal and final, Notre Dame won four consecutive games to claim the 2004 Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT championship. The Irish capped off their season-opening charge with a 66-62 victory over No. 10/9 Ohio State in the title game, scoring the final 12 points of the contest to erase an eight-point Buckeye lead with a little more than five minutes remaining. That win came on the heels of a 76-65 semifinal conquest of No. 6 Duke, a victory that also saw Notre Dame come back from an eight-point deficit late in the second half.

Senior All-America forward **Jacqueline Batteast** was named the tournament Most Valuable Player after averaging 21.5 points, 5.0 rebounds and 4.3 assists with a .507 field goal percentage in the fourgame series. Batteast was at her best in the final two games, scoring a game-high 17 points vs. Duke (including a personal 10-0 run that put the Irish ahead for good) and then rolling up a career-best 32 points in the championship game against Ohio State. In that latter contest, she had another 10-point run in the first half and later scored seven of her team's last 12 points, including the go-ahead jumper with 2:45 to play. However, her biggest contribution came with two seconds remaining, when she raced from beyond the top of the key all the way to the deep corner, blocking OSU's potential game-tying three-pointer to cement Notre Dame's title.

Not to be overlooked, junior guard **Megan Duffy** earned a place on the Preseason WNIT all-tournament team after recording 15.0 points and 6.0 assists per game with a .500 field goal percentage (.600 from beyond the arc). She was the catalyst for an Irish offense that averaged nearly 77 points per game and dished out better than 20 assists per night in the tournament, including a Preseason WNIT-record 29 assists in the first round vs. Illinois State.

HALF AND HALF

Over the past five seasons, Notre Dame has been nearly unbeatable when it has the lead at halftime. The Irish are 89-7 (.927) since the start of the 2000-01 campaign when they go into the dressing room with the lead. Notre Dame has added 12 wins to that count this season (Illinois State, Nebraska, Ohio State, Colorado State, USC, Valparaiso, Dayton, Washington, Northern Illinois, Seton Hall, Syracuse and Purdue).

THE BEST OFFENSE IS A GOOD DEFENSE ...

During the past decade, Notre Dame has discovered that a solid defensive effort can almost certainly guarantee a victory. In fact, since the beginning of the 1995-96 season (Notre Dame's first in the BIG EAST Conference), the Irish have an amazing 139-7 (.952) record when they hold their opponents to less than 60 points in a game, including a 10-1 mark this season.

... BUT SOMETIMES YOU HAVE TO SCORE IF YOU WANT TO WIN

Not resting solely on its defensive laurels, Notre Dame also seemingly has found the magic mark when it comes to outscoring its opponents. Over the past decade (1995-96 to present), the Irish are 90-3 (.968) when they score at least 80 points in a game. The only blemishes on that record are a pair of overtime losses to Texas A&M (88-84) and Michigan State (87-83) in 1995 and a 106-81 loss to Connecticut in 1998. Notre Dame has tacked two more wins onto that ledger with its victories this season over Illinois State and Purdue.



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2004-05 IRISH TRENDS

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2004-05 IRISH INSIGHTS

- Several members of the Irish women's basketball team have attached a tiny medallion to their shoestrings with an engraving of the Guardian Angel on one side, while the other features an etching of St. Michael (a saint believed to protect warriors and guide them to victory in battle). The medallion was presented to them by a campus priest just before the start of the season.
- For the first time in the 28-year history of the Notre Dame women's basketball program, a player will wear jersey No. 1 (Tulyah Gaines) and No. 2 (Charel Allen) this season. The only remaining NCAA-approved jersey numbers an Irish player has never worn are No. 51. No. 53 and No. 54.
- Junior guard Megan Duffy does most things in her life right-handed, including eating, writing and swinging a golf club (she was a fourtime all-city selection in high school). About the only thing she does left-handed? Shoot a basketball, which she's done quite well for the Irish for the past two seasons.
- Two Irish players senior Jacqueline Batteast and junior Courtney LaVere have designs on entering the broadcasting industry when their playing days are over. In fact, LaVere spent this past summer as an intern in the sports department at WNDU-TV, the NBC affiliate in South Bend.
- A close look at the shoes of sophomore guard Breona Gray reveals the words "Big Granny." Gray has dedicated this season to the memory of her late grandmother, Viola Johnson, whom she and her family affectionately knew as "Big Granny."
- Senior center Teresa Borton has developed into an accomplished amateur photographer during her stay at Notre Dame. In fact, on more than one occasion, Borton has been spotted among the crowd of shutterbugs on the baseline at Irish men's basketball games.

NOTRE DAME AMONG RECENT WINS LEADERS

Notre Dame has won 216 games over the past nine seasons, which is tied for the seventh-most wins of any school in the country during that time. Here's where the Irish rank in terms of their wins since the start of the 1996-97 campaign (totals through games of Jan. 17):

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	TEAM	<u>'96-'97</u>	<u>'97-'98</u>	<u>'98-'99</u>	<u>'99-'00</u>	<u>'00-01</u>	<u>'01-'02</u>	<u>'02-03</u>	<u>'03-04</u>	<u>'04-05</u>	<u>Total</u>
1.	Connecticut	33	34	29	36	32	39	37	31	11	282
2.	Tennessee	29	39	31	33	31	30	33	31	12	269
3.	Louisiana Tech	31	31	30	31	31	25	31	29	10	248
4.	Duke	19	24	29	28	30	31	35	30	17	243
5.	Purdue	17	23	34	23	31	24	29	29	10	221
6.	Old Dominion	34	29	28	29	21	28	21	25	7	222
7.	(tie) NOTRE DAME	31	22	26	27	34	20	21	21	14	216
	(tie) Santa Barbara	24	27	26	30	22	26	27	27	7	216
	(tie) Texas Tech	20	26	30	28	25	20	29	25	13	216

SWEET SUCCESS

Notre Dame is one of only five schools in the country to have appeared in the NCAA Sweet Sixteen six times in the past eight seasons (1997-2004). The others are Connecticut (eight times), Tennessee (eight times), Duke (seven times) and Louisiana Tech (seven times).

THE GOLD STANDARD

The Irish are one of just six teams nationwide to have an active streak of 11 consecutive 20-win seasons. The others in these elite club are Tennessee (28), Texas Tech (15), Louisiana Tech (13), Old Dominion (13) and Connecticut (11).

NOW THAT'S A HOME COURT ADVANTAGE

One of the hallmarks of Notre Dame's success has been its stellar play at home. In fact, the Irish have been virtually untouchable at home in recent years, winning 122 of their last 133 games (.917) at the 11,418-seat Joyce Center. Notre Dame also has a 71-8 (.899) home record in BIG EAST play.

The Irish have been particularly strong when it comes to non-conference games at home, winning 54 of their last 57 non-BIG EAST contests (.947) at the Joyce Center, dating back to the 1994-95 season. The only three losses in that span all came against Big Ten Conference teams — Wisconsin in 1996 (81-69), Purdue in 2003 (71-54) and Michigan State in 2004 (82-73 in OT).

Since its inaugural season in 1977-78, Notre Dame has played all of its games at the Joyce Center, posting a 272-72 (.791) record at the venerable facility. In three of the past five seasons (1999-2000, 2000-01 and 2003-04), the Irish were a perfect 15-0 at home, setting a school record for home wins in a season.

JAMMIN' THE JOYCE

Beginning with its national championship season of 2000-01, Notre Dame has ranked in the top 15 in the nation in attendance each of the past four years, and early returns indicate this season will be no different. According to the Jan. 17 unofficial national attendance rankings (as compiled by the University of Wisconsin Sports Information Office), Notre Dame is 14th in the nation with an average of 5,457 fans per game.

All of the top 20 crowds in the Irish record book have occurred during the 18-year tenure of head coach **Muffet McGraw** (1987-present). And, as more evidence of Notre Dame's rapid elevation to "hot ticket" status in South Bend, 19 of the top 20 crowds in school history have been recorded in the past six seasons (1999-2000 to present), including 12 audiences of 8,000 or more fans, and 60 of the past 62 home games with at least 5,000 fans filing into the Joyce Center.

NOTRE DAME ON THE SMALL SCREEN

The Irish are scheduled to make at least 13 appearances on regional or national television during the 2004-05 season (additional broadcasts may be announced at a later date).

Notre Dame made its TV debut this season on Nov. 20 when it defeated No. 10/9 Ohio State, 66-62 in the championship game of the Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT. That contest was shown globally via broadband Internet connection at *www.sportsview.tv*, as well either live or delayed on several Comcast SportsNet outlets nationwide. The American Forces Network, which broadcasts to more than one million U.S. service men and women in 176 countries, also aired the game.

The Irish returned to the airwaves Dec. 2 when they dropped an 82-73 overtime decision to No. 15

Michigan State on College Sports Television (CSTV). That was the first of three Notre Dame games that will air nationally on the fledgling cable network, which has signed an agreement with the BIG EAST Conference to carry a national women's basketball Game of the Week eight times in 2004-05. The Irish also faced Connecticut Jan. 12 at the Joyce Center and will visit Boston College on Feb. 15 in front of the CSTV cameras.

In addition, Notre Dame is scheduled to play twice on ESPN2 this season. Last Sunday, the Irish battled Purdue in the second annual BIG EAST/Big Ten Challenge at the Joyce Center. In less than two weeks on Jan. 30, Notre Dame is back on ESPN2 when it travels to Storrs, Conn., to meet Connecticut at Gampel Pavilion.

The BIG EAST also added two Irish games to its regional television package this season. Notre Dame already visited Villanova on Jan. 9 and will play host to Rutgers next Sunday, both on BIG EAST Television. Among those affiliates carrying the BETV package are Comcast SportsNet outlets in Chicago, Philadelphia and the Mid-Atlantic region, as well as Fox Sports Net outlets in New York, New England and Pittsburgh.

Detroit-based Comcast Local (Channel 3 on Comcast cable systems in South Bend) is the latest television outlet to select Notre Dame women's basketball games for broadcast. The newly-formed network will air five Irish games this season — at USC (Nov. 26), and home games vs. Washington (Dec. 11), St. John's (Jan. 26), Georgetown (Feb. 12) and West Virginia (Feb. 26) — with former Irish All-America center and 2004 Olympic gold medalist Ruth Riley slated to provide color commentary on the final three broadcasts. Comcast Local can be seen in South Bend on Comcast Cable channel 3.

NOTRE DAME ON THE AIRWAVES

Once again this season, every Irish women's basketball game (home and away) airs on the flagship stations of the Artistic Media Partners (AMP) Network — WDND-AM (ESPN Radio 1580) and WNDV-AM (1490) in South Bend. Veteran broadcaster and AMP sports director Sean Stires is now in his fifth season handling the play-by-play for Notre Dame. The Irish also can be heard on the Internet at Notre Dame's official athletics web site (www.und.com) by subscribing to College Sports Pass, which gives listeners full multimedia access to a variety of Irish athletics events for only \$6.95 per month.

OH CAPTAIN, MY CAPTAIN

For the fourth time in school history (all during the **Muffet McGraw** era), Notre Dame will have three players sharing the captain's duties this year. Senior forward **Jacqueline Batteast**, senior center **Teresa Borton** and junior guard **Megan Duffy** all were accorded the honor based upon a vote of their teammates prior to the season. All three are serving as captains for the first time in their respective careers.

IRISH ADD TWO PLAYERS DURING EARLY SIGNING PERIOD

Notre Dame head coach **Muffet McGraw** has announced that **Lindsay Schrader**, a 6-0 guard from Bartlett, Ill., and **Chandrica Smith**, a 6-1 forward from Stone Mountain, Ga., have chosen to continue their careers with the Irish, signing National Letters of Intent to attend Notre Dame beginning in the fall of 2005.

With the additions of Schrader and Smith, Notre Dame's newest recruiting class is ranked 16th in the nation by *Blue Star Index*. That marks the ninth consecutive year the Irish have had a top-20 class, according to that publication, which makes Notre Dame one of only three schools in the nation that can claim that distinction (Connecticut and Tennessee are the others).

Schrader has been widely regarded as one of the top all-around players in the state of Illinois while attending Bartlett High School the past three seasons. She is a three-time all-state selection, a two-time Illinois Miss Basketball finalist, and a two-time *Street & Smith's* All-America selection who has averaged 20.1 points, 9.8 rebounds, 3.1 steals and 1.8 blocks per game in her prep career. Her finest all-around season came as a junior in 2003-04, when she averaged 20.8 ppg., 10.8 rpg. and 2.0 bpg. while earning first-team all-state honors from the Associated Press, *Chicago Tribune* and *Champaign News-Gazette*. She also was a sixth-team All-America selection by *Street & Smith's* and was a finalist for Illinois Miss Basketball honors, an award she will likely contend for once again this season.

On the summer camp circuit, Schrader was an Underclass All-Star at the 2002 adidas Top Ten Camp, before attending the Nike All-America Camp in both 2003 and 2004. She is ranked among the top 30 high school seniors in the nation by three separate recruiting services — *Blue Star Index* (14th), *All-Game Sports* (21st) and *All-Star Girls Report* (26th overall — eighth among shooting guards).

In addition, Schrader made a significant impact at the 2004 USA Basketball Youth Development Festival in Colorado Springs. Playing for the North Team that won the silver medal, she ranked third at



GRADUATION RATES

The University of Notre Dame ranks second among Division I-A institutions in five major student-athlete graduate rate categories — overall, football, men, women and African-American — according to the latest statistics released in October by the NCAA.

The federally mandated 2004 NCAA Graduation Rates Report, the 14th such survey issued by the association, covers students who enrolled between 1994 and 1997 at Division I institutions, including 117 in Division I-A. The NCAA bases graduation rates on the raw percentage of student-athletes who entered an institution and graduated within six years. Students who leave or transfer, regardless of academic standing, are considered non-graduates.

Among student-athletes who completed all four years of athletic eligibility at Notre Dame, 99 percent earned their degrees. The national average was 84 percent.

Using the NCAA formula, Notre Dame graduated a four-year average of 87 percent of its student-athletes, second only to Duke University at 90 percent, and tied with Northwestern and Stanford Universities. The national average for Division I-A schools is 61 percent.

In August 2003, the NCAA presented an Academic Achievement Award to Notre Dame for its best-in-the-nation one-year graduation rate of 92 percent for all student-athletes who enrolled in 1996.

Notre Dame also graduated 71 percent of its African-American student-athletes, ranking ninth nationally, and Irish football players graduated at a 77 percent rate, to rank eighth.

All Student-Athletes

1.	Duke	90%
2.	(tie) Notre Dame	87
	(tie) Northwestern	87
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Northwestern

Notre Dame

Male Student-Athletes

Duke

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3.	Notre Dame	82
2.	Stanford	84
1.	Duke	88%

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95



IRISH CAREER RECORDS

Total Points	0.400
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4. Alicia Ratay (1997-2001)	2,072 1,763
5. Jacqueline Batteast (2001-present)	1,703
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4. Jacqueline Batteast (2001-present)	15.2 14.5
5. Heidi Bunek (1985-89)	14.5
Three-Point Field Goals Made	
7. Jeneka Joyce (2000-04)	92
8. Sherri Orlosky (1990-94)	85
9. Coquese Washington (1989-93)	82
10. Megan Duffy (2002-present)	78
Three-Point Field Goals Attempted	
7. Jeneka Joyce (2000-04)	241
8. Coquese Washington (1989-93)	231
9. Sherri Orlosky (1990-94)	216
10. Megan Duffy (2002-present)	211
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6. Carrie Bates (1981-85)	.553
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8. Shari Matvey (1979-83)	.533
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Boldface indicates current players

the Festival in scoring (14.8 ppg.) and rebounding (8.6 rpg.), as well as second in field goal percentage (.542). All three figures were team highs, as were her 2.2 steals per game. For her efforts, Schrader was invited to attend the 2004 USA Women's Junior World Championship Qualifying Team Trials, where she was one of 17 finalists for the 12-player team that won the gold medal this past August.

Smith currently attends Oak Hill Academy in Mouth of Wilson, Va., where she transferred prior to her senior season. Previously, she was a standout at Stephenson High School in Stone Mountain, Ga., where she averaged 12.5 points, 8.1 rebounds, 3.5 steals and 2.4 blocks per game with a .620 field goal percentage. She also was a key component in the Jaguars' run to a 32-1 record and the Georgia 5A state championship last year. In fact, during her first three prep seasons, her teams posted a combined 89-7 (.927) record with three trips to the Georgia state championship and one state title.

Smith herself has received numerous accolades during her high school career. She is a two-time honorable mention All-America selection by *Street & Smith's* and was a *Student Sports* All-American in 2004. In addition, she attended the adidas Top Ten Camp three consecutive years and was named to its prestigious all-star team all three years (Underclass All-Star in 2002 & 2003; Upperclass All-Star in 2004). Last season, she was an honorable mention 5A all-state selection and a first-team all-county choice. She is ranked as high as 29th in the nation among high school seniors by *All-Star Girls Report*.

Like Schrader, Smith also attended the 2004 USA Basketball Youth Development Festival in Colorado Springs. Playing for the South Team, she averaged 5.4 points and 2.6 rebounds per game, scoring a personal-best 13 points in the bronze-medal game victory over the East squad.

MUFFET McGRAW SIGNS CONTRACT EXTENSION THROUGH 2010-11 SEASON

On Nov. 6, Notre Dame announced that **Muffet McGraw** has signed a two-year extension to continue as head coach of the Notre Dame women's basketball program through the 2010-11 season.

McGraw, who is now in her 18th season with the Irish, most recently signed a four-year contract extension in July 2002 that took her through the 2008-09 season. Her first 17 seasons at Notre Dame have been highlighted by 15 20-win campaigns (including a current string of 11 straight), 11 NCAA tournament appearances (including a current streak of nine straight) and the 2001 NCAA title. Entering the 2004-05 season, she had a 384-149 (.720) record at Notre Dame.

In 2003-04, McGraw skillfully guided her team to a 21-11 record and a second consecutive berth in the NCAA Sweet Sixteen (the fourth for the Irish in five years). McGraw's charges placed second in the BIG EAST Conference, their eighth top-two finish since joining the league nine years ago. In addition, the Irish went 15-0 at home, their third perfect record at the Joyce Center in the past five seasons, and extended their overall home win streak to 20 games, the second-longest in school history and eighthlongest active string in the nation heading into the 2004-05 campaign.

McGraw has continued to enhance her reputation as one of the nation's outstanding big-game coaches and tacticians, piloting Notre Dame to a school-record seven wins over top 25 teams during the 2003-04 regular season. During her 17-year tenure with the Irish, McGraw has compiled 40 victories over nationally-ranked opponents, including 30 in the past six seasons (an average of five per year).

Under McGraw's guidance, the past nine years have been the most successful in Notre Dame's history as the Irish have compiled an impressive 225-69 (.765) record, including a sparkling 124-28 (.816) regular-season mark in BIG EAST play, the best winning percentage in league history. Notre Dame also has averaged 25 victories per campaign during that span, with two 30-win seasons to its credit. The Irish have won at least one NCAA tournament game every season over that time, advancing to the Sweet Sixteen six times (1997, 1998, 2000, 2001, 2003, 2004) and the Final Four twice (1997 and 2001).

PROMOTIONAL CORNER

Here's a rundown of some upcoming promotions and giveaways at future Notre Dame women's basketball games this season (additional promotions and giveaways may be added at a later date):

- Jan. 23 vs. Rutgers Notre Dame women's basketball nesting dolls (first 500 fans)
- Jan. 26 vs. St. John's Notre Dame women's basketball foam fingers (first 1,500 fans)

NEXT GAME: RUTGERS

Notre Dame returns home Sunday for a 2 p.m. (ET) contest against BIG EAST Conference rival Rutgers at the Joyce Center. The game will be broadcast as part of the BIG EAST syndicated television package with the following outlets airing the game live or on a same-day delayed basis: Comcast SportsNet Chicago, Fox Sports New England, Fox College Sports, Madison Square Garden Network and Comcast Charter Sports Southeast.

No. 6/7 Rutgers (12-3, 3-0) has emerged as one of the top stories in women's college basketball this season, reeling off three consecutive blockbuster wins over top-10 opponents (No. 8 Tennessee, No. 4 Texas and No. 1 LSU) in an eight-day span that ended earlier this month. The Scarlet Knights had won seven games in a row prior to last Sunday, when they dropped a 52-50 decision at No. 5 Ohio State, despite Matee Ajavon's 20 points off the bench. Ajavon is averaging a team-high 13.7 points per game, while Michelle Campbell is logging 13.1 ppg., taking much of the pressure off All-America guard Cappie Pondexter, who missed the first eight games of the season for personal reasons.

Rutgers leads the all-time series with Notre Dame, 11-8, including a 4-2 mark at the Joyce Center. The Scarlet Knights also have won the last three games in the series, claiming a pair of victories last season (69-55 in the regular season at Piscataway, N.J.; 51-45 in the BIG EAST Championship quarterfinals at Hartford, Conn.). In the latter contest, the Irish held a 17-2 lead midway through the first half before Rutgers rallied to eliminate Notre Dame from the conference tournament.

NCAA AND BIG EAST STATISTICAL LEADERS

Here's where the Irish players and team stand in the most recent NCAA statistics report (through games of January 10) and BIG EAST Conference statistics report (through games of January 18) — **bold** indicates league/national leaders:

Team Rankings NCAA	BIG EAST (all games)	BIG EAST games only
Scoring Offense	5th at 68.1	6th at 58.2
Scoring Defense	8th at 57.6	4th at 54.2
Scoring Margin	5th at +10.5	4th at +4.0
FT Percentage 18th at .753	1st at .755	5th at .675
FG Percentage		
FG Percentage Defense 14th at .343		
3-Point FG Percentage	3rd at .374	7th at .304
3-Point FG Pct. Defense not kept		
Rebounding		
Rebounding Defense not kept		
Rebounding Margin		
Blocked Shots		
Assists		
Steals		
Turnover Margin not kept	3rd at +2.12	7th at (-1.00)
Assist/Turnover Ratio not kept		
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Individual Rankings NCAA	RIG FAST (all games)	RIG FAST games only
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Scoring	Batteast, 3rd at 18.5 Batteast, 9th at 7.0 Borton, 20th at 5.7 Batteast, 10th at .448	Batteast, 5th at 15.8 Borton, 17th at 11.2 Batteast, 9th at 6.2
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Scoring	Batteast, 3rd at 18.5 Batteast, 9th at 7.0 Borton, 20th at 5.7 Batteast, 10th at .448 Duffy, 3rd at 5.00 Batteast, 12th at 3.24 Duffy, 1st at .914 Batteast, 3rd at .818	Batteast, 5th at 15.8 Borton, 17th at 11.2 Batteast, 9th at 6.2 Duffy, 4th at 6.25 Erwin, 8th at .722 Batteast, 9th at .700 Borton, 10th at .647
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NEXT BIG EAST COACHES TELECONFERENCE SLATED FOR FEB. 7

The BIG EAST Conference women's basket-ball coaches will hold three media teleconferences during the 2004-05 season, the second of which is scheduled for Monday, Feb. 7. The other will be held March 3, prior to the BIG EAST Championship. Each of the 12 league head coaches will be available for 5-10 minutes in a pre-arranged format.

Media representatives wishing to participate in the teleconference should contact Notre Dame assistant SID **Chris Masters** (574-631-8032) or BIG EAST director of communications/women's basketball contact **Rachel Margolis** (401-453-0660) for the teleconference phone number.

Here is a complete listing of the times when each BIG EAST coach will be available (all times Eastern and subject to change):

11:00 a.m. - Mike Carey, West Virginia 11:07 a.m. - Phyllis Mangina, Seton Hall

11:14 a.m. - Cathy Inglese, Boston College

11:21 a.m. - Susan Yow, Providence

11:28 a.m. - Terri Williams-Flournoy, Georgetown

11:35 a.m. - Muffet McGraw, Notre Dame

11:42 a.m. - Agnus Berenato, Pittsburgh

11:49 a.m. - Harry Perretta, Villanova

11:56 a.m. - Kim Barnes-Arico, St. John's

12:03 p.m. - Keith Cieplicki, Syracuse

12:10 p.m. - Geno Auriemma, Connecticut

12:20 p.m. - C. Vivian Stringer, Rutgers

2004-05 University of Notre Dame Women's Basketball Results

Overall Record: 14-3 (Home: 9-2, Away: 5-1, Neutral: 0-0); BIG EAST Conference Record: 2-2

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Date	ND NR	Opp NR	Opponent	Time/	Result	Streak	Record	BEC	Scorer	Rebounder	Assists	Attendance
Nov. 12	10/11		(1) ILLINOIS STATE	W	92-73	W1	1-0		LaVere-18	three with 6	Duffy-8	6,190
Nov. 14	10/11		(1) NEBRASKA	W	73-57	W2	2-0		Batteast-24	Borton-11	Batteast-7	5,370
Nov. 17	11/10	6/6	(1) DUKE	W	76-65	W3	3-0		Batteast-17	LaVere-11	two with 7	3,094
Nov. 20	11/10	10/9	(1) OHIO STATE (ITV)	W	66-62	W4	4-0		Batteast-32	Gray-6	Duffy-6	3,925
Nov. 22	6/6		COLORADO STATE	W	69-47	W5	5-0		Duffy-15	Batteast-9	Batteast-7	5,115
Nov. 26	6/6		at USC (COM)	W	60-56	W6	6-0		Batteast-18	three with 5	Batteast-4	3,085
Nov. 30	3/3		at Valparaiso	W	69-59	W7	7-0		Batteast-25	Batteast-10	Duffy-4	2,214
Dec. 2	3/3	15/15	MICHIGAN STATE (CSTV)	L (ot)	73-82	L1	7-1		Erwin-20	two with 9	two with 4	5,544
Dec. 9	7/5		at Dayton	W	65-39	W1	8-1		Allen-14	Batteast-7	Duffy-5	2,517
Dec. 11	7/5		WASHINGTON (COM)	W	72-58	W2	9-1		Erwin-24	Batteast-10	Duffy-10	5,407
Dec. 19	7/5		at Marquette	W	50-47	W3	10-1		Batteast-27	Batteast-10	two with 3	2,573
Dec. 30	6/4		at Northern Illinois	W	73-49	W4	11-1		Batteast-21	Gaines-7	Borton-4	2,149
Jan. 2	6/4		SETON HALL*	W	54-33	W5	12-1	1-0	Batteast-18	Erwin-8	Duffy-3	6,188
Jan. 5	4/3		SYRACUSE*	W	75-58	W6	13-1	2-0	three with 17	three with 7	Duffy-6	5,173
Jan. 9	4/3		at Villanova* (BETV)	L	54-59	L1	13-2	2-1	Batteast-22	Batteast-6	Duffy-7	1,759
Jan. 12	7/6	16/16	CONNECTICUT* (CSTV)	L	50-67	L2	13-3	2-2	Erwin-11	Borton-9	Duffy-9	6,744
Jan. 16	7/6	20/20	(2) PURDUE (ESPN2)	W	86-69	W1	14-3		Batteast-21	Batteast-11	Duffy-6	7,282
Jan. 19			at Syracuse*	7 p	o.m. ET							
Jan. 23			RUTGERS* (BETV)	2 p	o.m. ET							
Jan. 26			ST. JOHN'S* (COM)	7 p	o.m. ET							
Jan. 30			at Connecticut* (ESPN2)	7 p	o.m. ET							
Feb. 2			BOSTON COLLEGE*	7 p	o.m. ET							
Feb. 5			at Pittsburgh*	2 p	o.m. ET							
Feb. 9			at Providence*	7:30 բ	o.m. ET							
Feb. 12			GEORGETOWN* (COM)	2 p	o.m. ET							
Feb. 15			at Boston College* (CSTV)	7 p	o.m. ET							
Feb. 19			at Rutgers*	N	oon ET							
Feb. 26			WEST VIRGINIA* (COM)	2 p	o.m. ET							
March 1			at Seton Hall*	7 p	o.m. ET							

BIG EAST Championship (Hartford Civic Center - Hartford, Conn.)

March 5 First Round TBA TBA March 6 Quarterfinals (CSTV) March 7 Semifinals (CSTV) 6/8 p.m. ET March 8 Championship (ESPN) 7 p.m. ET

NCAA Tournament - First & Second Rounds (Campus sites TBA)

March 19-20 First Round (ESPN/ESPN2) March 21-22 Second Round (ESPN/ESPN2)

NCAA Regionals (East - Philadelphia, Pa.; Mideast - Chattanooga, Tenn.; Midwest - Kansas City, Mo.; West - Tempe, Ariz.)

March 26-27 Semifinals (ESPN) March 28-29 Finals (ESPN) NCAA Final Four (RCA Dome - Indianapolis, Ind.) April 3 National Semifinals (ESPN) April 5 National Championship Game (ESPN)

* BIG EAST Conference game

(1) Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT (held at campus sites) (2) BIG EAST/Big Ten Challenge (Notre Dame, Ind.) (ITV) Game televised live on Internet at www.sportsview.tv (COM) Game to be televised live on Comcast Local (Detroit)

(CSTV) Game to be televised live on College Sports Television

(ESPN/ESPN2) Game to be televised live on ESPN or ESPN2

(BETV) Game to be televised live on BIG EAST Conference television package

NR - Indicates Notre Dame and opponent national rankings in the Associated Press/ESPN-USA Today polls at tipoff

CAPS indicates home game played at Joyce Center (capacity 11,418)

2004-05 ATTENDANCE

	<u>Totals</u>	<u>Avg.</u>	<u>High</u>
All Games:	74,329	4,372	7,282 (PUR - 1/16)
Home:	60,032	5,457	7,282 (PUR - 1/16)
Away:	14,297	2,383	3,085 (USC - 11/26)
Neutral:	0	0	0

2004-05 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Statistics — All Games

Overall Record: 14-3 (Home: 9-2, Away: 5-1, Neutral: 0-0)

Player	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	OR	DR	Tot.	Avg.	PF-DQ	Α	T	В	S	Pts.	Avg.
Batteast, Jacqueline	17-17	568-33.4	117-261	.448	9-21	.391	72-88	.818	38	81	119	7.0	37-1	55	36	21	22	315	18.5
Duffy, Megan	17-17	627-36.9	54-133	.406	25-62	.403	64-70	.914	4	47	51	3.0	26-0	85	50	0	46	197	11.6
Borton, Teresa	17-17	424-24.9	58-98	.592	0-0	.000	35-50	.700	44	53	97	5.7	51-0	21	27	28	14	151	8.9
Erwin, Crystal	17-11	326-19.2	47-95	.495	0-0	.000	25-41	.610	28	38	66	3.9	50-3	15	25	7	13	119	7.0
Allen, Charel	17-0	398-23.4	39-98	.398	3-8	.375	33-40	.825	26	48	74	4.4	35-1	29	31	7	15	114	6.7
LaVere, Courtney	12-6	208-17.3	32-68	.471	0-1	.000	12-22	.545	12	32	44	3.7	23-0	12	19	9	8	76	6.3
Gray, Breona	17-17	438-25.8	43-112	.384	2-3	.667	17-25	.680	18	48	66	3.9	18-0	36	34	1	24	105	6.2
D'Amico, Melissa	15-0	117-7.8	16-40	.400	0-0	.000	5-12	.417	12	18	30	2.0	25-0	3	10	9	3	37	2.5
Gaines, Tulyah	13-0	174-13.4	9-30	.300	0-0	.000	12-17	.706	5	15	20	1.5	14-0	18	31	0	12	30	2.3
Powers, Susie	14-0	123-8.8	4-21	.190	1-10	.100	0-0	.000	5	13	18	1.3	3-0	11	4	1	4	9	0.6
Tsipis, Amanda	8-0	22-2.8	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	1	0	0	0	4	0.5
Team									29	38	67	3.9			5				
Notre Dame	17	3425	420-959	.438	40-107	.374	277-367	.755	221	431	652	38.4	282-5	286	272	83	161	1157	68.1
Opponents	17	3425	353-1001	.353	72-294	.245	202-285	.709	257	368	625	36.8	301-7	227	308	59	141	980	57.6

<u>Deadball Rebounds</u>: Notre Dame 40, Opponents 43

 Score by Periods
 1st
 2nd
 OT
 Total

 Notre Dame
 552
 602
 3
 - 1157

 Opponents
 441
 527
 12
 - 980

2004-05 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Statistics — BIG EAST Games

Overall Record: 2-2 (Home: 2-1, Away: 0-1)

Player	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	OR	DR	Tot.	Avg.	PF-DQ	Α	T	В	S	Pts.	Avg.
Batteast, Jacqueline	4-4	134-33.5	23-56	.411	3-7	.429	14-20	.700	9	16	25	6.3	8-1	8	12	5	6	63	15.8
Borton, Teresa	4-4	114-28.5	17-24	.708	0-0	.000	11-17	.647	8	13	21	5.3	11-0	4	4	5	4	45	11.3
Duffy, Megan	4-4	151-37.8	12-33	.364	4-13	.308	7-8	.875	1	11	12	3.0	6-0	25	15	0	10	35	8.8
Erwin, Crystal	4-4	72-18.0	6-15	.400	0-0	.000	13-18	.722	8	12	20	5.0	11-1	3	6	2	3	25	6.3
Gray, Breona	4-4	103-25.8	10-31	.323	0-0	.000	5-9	.556	6	11	17	4.3	1-0	7	4	0	5	25	6.3
Allen, Charel	4-0	82-20.5	6-16	.375	0-1	.000	6-8	.750	5	11	16	4.0	4-0	5	6	0	0	18	4.5
LaVere, Courtney	4-0	61-15.3	8-16	.500	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	5	6	11	2.8	8-0	3	6	2	0	16	4.0
D'Amico, Melissa	3-0	16-5.3	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	4	4	1.3	3-0	1	1	0	0	6	2.0
Tsipis, Amanda	2-0	3-1.5	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Powers, Susie	3-0	14-4.7	0-2	.000	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	0.7	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Gaines, Tulyah	4-0	50-12.5	0-6	.000	0-0	.000	0-2	.000	0	5	5	1.3	4-0	6	7	0	4	0	0.0
Team									7	11	18	4.5			1				
Notre Dame	4	800	85-206	.413	7-23	.304	56-83	.675	49	102	151	37.8	56-2	62	62	14	32	233	58.2
Opponents	4	800	80-239	.335	21-78	.269	36-54	.667	66	85	151	37.8	63-2	52	58	18	35	217	54.2

<u>Deadball Rebounds</u>: Notre Dame 14, Opponents 9

 Score by Periods
 1st
 2nd
 Total

 Notre Dame
 119
 114
 - 233

 Opponents
 95
 122
 - 217

2004-05 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Statistics — Home Games

Overall Record: 9-2 (BIG EAST: 2-1)

Player	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	OR	DR	Tot.	Avg.	PF-DQ	Α	Т	В	S	Pts.	Avg.
Batteast, Jacqueline	11-11	355-32.3	73-172	.424	4-14	.286	45-58	.776	29	49	78	7.1	22-0	43	23	16	16	195	17.7
Duffy, Megan	11-11	418-38.0	40-91	.440	20-44	.455	44-47	.936	1	32	33	3.0	15-0	63	42	0	29	144	13.1
Borton, Teresa	11-11	278-25.3	44-76	.579	0-0	.000	21-30	.700	38	30	68	6.2	31-0	14	15	20	8	109	9.9
Erwin, Crystal	11-6	221-20.1	38-70	.543	0-0	.000	19-32	.594	22	26	48	4.4	31-3	10	19	4	9	95	8.6
LaVere, Courtney	9-5	162-18.0	29-56	.510	0-1	.000	12-21	.571	9	27	36	4.0	17-0	12	16	8	6	70	7.8
Allen, Charel	11-0	280-25.5	25-68	.368	3-7	.429	24-29	.828	19	29	48	4.4	21-1	21	15	6	14	77	7.0
Gray, Breona	11-11	290-26.4	27-70	.386	2-3	.667	10-17	.588	15	33	48	4.4	13-0	27	21	0	17	66	6.0
D'Amico, Melissa	9-0	60-6.7	7-24	.292	0-0	.000	2-6	.333	9	10	19	2.1	11-0	2	6	4	2	16	1.8
Gaines, Tulyah	7-0	86-12.3	3-15	.200	0-0	.000	3-6	.500	0	7	7	1.0	8-0	14	10	0	6	9	1.3
Powers, Susie	8-0	61-7.6	1-10	.100	1-7	.143	0-0	.000	1	7	8	1.0	2-0	6	2	0	1	3	0.4
Tsipis, Amanda	6-0	14-2.3	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	0	0	0	0	2	0.3
Team									22	23	45	4.1			3				
Notre Dame	11	2225	288-654	.440	30-76	.395	180-246	.732	165	273	438	39.8	171-4	212	172	58	108	786	71.5
Opponents	11	2225	242-663	.365	54-192	.281	133-180	.739	169	242	411	37.4	202-5	163	203	40	93	671	61.0

2004-05 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Statistics — Road Games

Overall Record: 5-1 (BIG EAST 0-1; Away: 5-1, Neutral: 0-0)

Player	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	OR	DR	Tot.	Avg.	PF-DQ	Α	Т	В	S	Pts.	Avg.
Batteast, Jacqueline	6-6	213-35.5	44-89	.494	5-9	.556	27-30	.900	9	32	41	6.8	15-1	12	13	5	6	120	20.0
Duffy, Megan	6-6	209-34.8	14-42	.333	5-18	.278	20-23	.870	3	15	18	3.0	11-0	22	8	0	17	53	8.8
Borton, Teresa	6-6	146-24.3	14-22	.636	0-0	.000	14-20	.700	6	23	29	4.8	20-0	7	12	8	6	42	7.0
Gray, Breona	6-6	148-24.7	16-42	.381	0-0	.000	7-8	.875	3	15	18	3.0	5-0	9	13	1	7	39	6.5
Allen, Charel	6-0	118-19.7	14-30	.467	0-1	.000	9-11	.818	7	19	26	4.3	14-0	8	16	1	1	37	6.2
Erwin, Crystal	6-5	105-17.5	9-25	.360	0-0	.000	6-9	.667	6	12	18	3.0	19-0	5	6	3	4	24	4.0
D'Amico, Melissa	6-0	57-9.5	9-16	.563	0-0	.000	3-6	.500	3	8	11	1.8	14-0	1	4	5	1	21	3.5
Gaines, Tulyah	6-0	88-14.7	6-15	.400	0-0	.000	9-11	.818	5	8	13	2.2	6-0	4	21	0	6	21	3.5
LaVere, Courtney	3-1	46-15.3	3-12	.250	0-0	.000	0-1	.000	3	5	8	2.7	6-0	0	3	1	2	6	2.0
Tsipis, Amanda	2-0	8-4.0	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	1	0	0	0	2	1.0
Powers, Susie	6-0	62-10.3	3-11	.273	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	4	6	10	1.7	1-0	5	2	1	3	6	1.0
Team									7	15	22	3.7			2				
Notre Dame	6	1200	132-305	.433	10-31	.323	97-121	.802	56	158	214	35.7	111-1	74	100	25	53	371	61.8
Opponents	6	1200	111-338	.328	18-102	.176	69-105	.657	88	126	214	35.7	99-2	64	105	19	48	309	51.5

Current Notre Dame Players — Career Statistics vs. Syracuse

Player	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-A	Pct.	3FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	OR	DR	Tot.	Avg.	PF-DQ	Α	Т	В	S	Pts.	Avg.
Batteast, Jacquelin	e 6-5	168-28.0	24-66	.364	3-8	.375	14-24	.583	15	42	57	9.5	6-0	20	16	7	8	65	10.8
Gray, Breona	3-0	63-21.0	10-18	.556	0-0	.000	8-12	.667	5	5	10	3.3	6-0	4	1	1	2	28	9.3
Borton, Teresa	6-3	103-17.2	17-28	.607	0-0	.000	12-18	.667	13	6	19	3.2	7-0	7	4	5	3	46	7.7
Duffy, Megan	4-2	120-30.0	9-19	.474	5-11	.455	4-4	1.000	1	16	17	4.3	8-0	13	9	0	5	27	6.8
LaVere, Courtney	4-0	56-14.0	10-24	.417	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	3	4	7	1.8	2-0	3	9	5	4	22	5.5
Erwin, Crystal	3-1	38-12.7	5-8	.625	0-0	.000	4-8	.500	2	9	11	3.7	4-0	0	8	3	1	14	4.7
D'Amico, Melissa	1-0	11-11.0	2-5	.400	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	2	2	2.0	2-0	1	0	0	0	4	4.0
Powers, Susie	3-0	22-7.3	2-5	.400	0-3	.000	0-0	.000	2	3	5	1.7	0-0	0	0	0	0	4	1.3
Allen, Charel	1-0	16-16.0	0-4	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	3.0	0-0	1	3	0	0	0	0.0
Gaines, Tulyah	1-0	15-15.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	3	3	3.0	0-0	2	1	0	0	0	0.0
Tsipis, Amanda	1-0	1-1.0	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0

2004-05 Single Game Highs & Lows

Team Superlatives

Notre Dame High	Notre Dame Low	Category	Opponent High	Opponent Low
92 vs. Illinois State (11/12/04)	50, twice (MR: vs. Connecticut, 1/12/05)	Points/Game	82 by Michigan State (12/2/04)	33 by Seton Hall (1/2/05)
54 (1st) vs. Purdue (1/16/05)	22 (1st) at Dayton (12/9/04)	Points/Half	41, twice (MR: 1st by Michigan State, 12/2/04	14, twice (MR: 1st by SHU, 1/2/05)
37 vs. Illinois State (11/12/04)	16 at Marquette (12/19/04)	Field Goals Made	26 by Purdue (1/16/05)	12 by Seton Hall (1/2/05)
72 vs. Michigan State (12/2/04)	43 at Villanova (1/9/05)	Field Goal Attempts	70 by Syracuse (1/5/05)	49 by Colorado State (11/22/04)
.604 vs. Washington (12/11/04)	.347 vs. Michigan State (12/2/04)	FG Percentage	.448 by Purdue (1/16/05)	.222 by Seton Hall (1/2/05)
6 vs. Purdue (1/16/05)	0, three times (MR: vs. Connecticut, 1/12/05)	3-Point FG Made	9 by Syracuse (1/5/05)	1 by Dayton (12/9/04)
10, twice (MR: vs. Syracuse, 1/5/05)	2 at Villanova (1/9/05)	3-Point FG Attempts	29 by Syracuse (1/5/05)	12 by Ohio State (11/20/04)
1.000, twice (MR: at Villanova, 1/9/05)	.000, three times (MR: vs. Connecticut, 1/12/05)	3-Point FG Percentage	.368 by Nebraska (11/14/04)	.071 by Dayton (12/9/04)
20, three times (MR: vs. Purdue, 1/16/05)	10, twice (MR: vs. Connecticut, 1/12/05)	Free Throws Made	29 by Michigan State (12/2/04)	5 by Syracuse (1/5/05)
27 vs. Michigan State (12/2/04)	15, twice (MR: vs. Connecticut, 1/12/05)	Free Throw Attempts	33 by Michigan State (12/2/04)	8, twice (MR: by Syracuse, 1/5/05)
1.000* at Valparaiso (11/30/04)	.542 vs. Seton Hall (1/2/05)	FT Percentage	.879 by Michigan State (12/2/04)	.412 by USC (11/26/04)
49 vs. Nebraska (11/14/04)	31 at Marquette (12/19/04)	Rebounds	54*** by Michigan State (12/2/04)	27, twice (MR: by Villanova, 1/9/05)
29** vs. Illinois State (11/12/04)	11, three times (MR: at Villanova, 1/9/05)	Assists	19 by Purdue (1/16/05)	6 by USC (11/26/04)
20 vs. Colorado State (11/22/04)	4 vs. Connecticut (1/12/05)	Steals	13 by Ohio State (11/20/04)	3 by Nebraska (11/14/04)
12 vs. Michigan State (12/2/04)	1 vs. Washington (12/11/04)	Blocked Shots	11*** by Duke (11/17/04)	0, twice (MR: by USC, 11/26/04)
23 at USC (11/26/04)	8 vs. Seton Hall (1/2/05)	Turnovers	29 by Colorado State (11/22/04)	7 by Valparaiso (11/30/04)
23 vs. Illinois State (11/12/04)	10, twice (MR: vs. Syracuse, 1/5/05)		21, three times (MR: by Michigan State, 12/2/0-	4) 12 by Dayton (12/9/04)

^{* -} school record // ** - Preseason WNIT record // *** - Joyce Center opponent record

Individual Superlatives

	Notre Dame	Opponent
Points Scored	32 by Jacqueline Batteast vs. Ohio State (11/20/04)	25, twice (MR: by Jackie Adamshick of Villanova, 1/9/05)
Field Goals Made	11 by Jacqueline Batteast vs. Ohio State (11/20/04)	11 by Jackie Adamshick of Villanova (1/9/05)
Field Goal Attempts	25 by Jacqueline Batteast vs. Michigan State (12/2/04)	23 by Jackie Adamshick of Villanova (1/9/05)
Highest FG Percentage (min. 5 made)	1.000 (9-9*) by Crystal Erwin vs. Washington (12/11/04)	.750 (6-8), twice (MR: by Erin Lawless of Purdue, 1/16/05)
3-Point Field Goals Made	3, five times (MR: by Megan Duffy vs. Purdue, 1/16/05)	5 by Jessica Richter of Syracuse (1/5/05)
3-Point Field Goal Attempts	6, four times (MR: by Megan Duffy vs. Syracuse, 1/5/05)	12, twice (MR: by Ann Strother of Connecticut, 1/12/05)
3-Point FG Percentage (min. 2 made)	1.000 (2-2), three times (MR: by Jacqueline Batteast at Villanova, 1/9/05)	1.000 (3-3) by Erin Lawless of Purdue (1/16/05)
Free Throws Made	10 by Jacqueline Batteast vs. Ohio State (11/20/04)	10, three times (MR: by Stephanie Raymond of NIU, 12/30/04)
Free Throw Attempts	12 by Jacqueline Batteast vs. Ohio State (11/20/04)	15 by Katie Donovan of Illinois State (11/12/04)
Free Throw Percentage (min. 3 made)	1.000 (8-8), three times (MR: by Megan Duffy vs. Purdue, 1/16/05)	1.000 (9-9) by Jessica Davenport of Ohio State (11/20/04)
Rebounds	11, three times (MR: by Jacqueline Batteast vs. Purdue, 1/16/05)	13 by Liz Shimek of Michigan State (12/2/04)
Assists	10 by Megan Duffy vs. Washington (12/11/04)	7, four times (MR: by Brina Pollack of Purdue, 1/16/05)
Steals	7, twice (MR: by Megan Duffy at Marquette, 12/19/04)	4, seven times (MR: by Jessica Richter of Syracuse, 1/5/05)
Blocked Shots	6 by Teresa Borton vs. Michigan State (12/2/04)	7** by Alison Bales of Duke (11/17/04)
Turnovers	9 by Megan Duffy vs. Ohio State (11/20/04)	7, twice (MR: by Camille LeNoir of USC, 11/26/04)
Minutes Played * - Joyce Center record // ** - opponent record	45 by Megan Duffy vs. Michigan State (12/2/04)	45 by Lindsay Bowen of Michigan State (12/2/04)

2004-05 Notre Dame Game-by-Game Statistics

0	verall	3-	Point			Rebs.						
FG-A	Pct.	FG-A	Pct.	FT-A	Pct.	Off-Def-Tot	PF	Α	TO	В	S	Pts
37-70	.529	5-10	.500	13-21	.619	20-20-40	23	29	18	4	15	92
25-56	.446	4-15	.267	19-29	.655	15-19-34	20	18	25	0	7	73
28-65	.431	1-7	.143	16-21	.762	16-33-49	14	19	11	5	5	73
21-65	.323	7-19	.368	8-15	.533	14-23-37	17	12	9	1	3	57
26-63	.413	5-5	1.000	19-22	.864	17-25-42	13	21	16	6	9	76
25-68	.368	6-17	.353	9-12	.750	18-21-39	21	15	21	11	5	65
23-53	.434	3-6	.500	17-21	.810	14-22-36	16	12	18	8	8	66
23-52	.442	2-12	.167	14-17	.824	9-19-28	20	15	16	4	13	62
24-58	.414	2-8	.250	19-26	.731	14-22-36	13	18	16	8	20	69
18-49	.367	2-13	.154	9-12	.750	10-26-36	19	12	29	2	9	47
21-51	.412	0-3	.000	18-24	.750	7-29-36	20	12	23	5	10	60
23-66	.348	3-19	.158	7-17	.412	18-24-42	21	6	25	0	10	56
24-58	.414	3-8	.375	18-18	1.000	18-25-43	16	11	10	3	6	69
23-56	.411	2-16	.125	11-15	.733	11-16-27	15	12	7	2	7	59
25-72	.347	3-8	.375	20-27	.741	18-25-43	22	15	16	12	9	73
24-67	.358	5-17	.294	29-33	.879	20-34-54	21	14	20	2	12	82
27-58	.466	1-6	.167	10-15	.667	11-25-36	15	14	16	2	8	65
15-52	.288	1-14	.071	8-10	.800	13-22-35	12	12	26	5	5	39
29-48	.604	0-3	.000	14-20	.700	11-27-38	19	25	20	1	10	72
21-62	.339	5-20	.250	11-14	.786	16-12-28	16	17	14	3	10	58
16-46	.348	1-6	.167	17-20	.850	6-25-31	20	11	13	6	11	50
16-56	.286	4-15	.267	11-19	.579	20-27-47	17	13	19	3	5	47
25-49	.510	3-6	.500	20-25	.800	6-29-35	22	15	18	5	12	73
13-55	.236	4-22	.182	19-25	.760	16-20-36	20	10	18	4	12	49
20-55	.364	1-8	.125	13-24		12-23-35			8		14	54
		3-13	.231								8	33
26-56	.464	4-10	.400		.760		10	22	17	3	8	75
22-70	.314	9-29	.310	5-8	.625	19-18-37	18		15	5	9	58
19-43	.442	2-2	1.000	14-19	.737	8-25-33	18		20	4	6	54
21-53	.396	4-16	.250	13-19	.684	10-17-27	14	11	10	5	9	59
20-52	.385	0-3	.000	10-15	.667	14-24-38	18		17	5	4	50
25-62	.403	5-20	.250	12-19	.632	17-20-37	13	17	9	6	9	67
	.484	6-8	.750	20-24	.833	14-22-36				4	6	86
26-58	.448	6-17	.353	11-13	.846	11-20-31	19	19	21	4	8	69
	FG-A 37-70 25-56 28-65 21-65 26-63 25-68 23-53 23-52 24-58 18-49 21-51 23-66 24-58 23-56 25-72 24-67 27-58 15-52 29-48 21-62 16-46 16-56 25-49 13-55 20-55 12-54 26-56 22-70 19-43 21-53 20-52 25-62 30-62	37-70 .529 25-56 .446 28-65 .431 21-65 .323 26-63 .413 25-68 .368 23-53 .434 23-52 .442 24-58 .414 18-49 .367 21-51 .412 23-66 .348 24-58 .414 23-56 .411 25-72 .347 24-67 .358 27-58 .466 15-52 .288 29-48 .604 21-62 .339 16-46 .348 16-56 .286 25-49 .510 13-55 .236 20-55 .364 12-54 .222 26-56 .464 22-70 .314 19-43 .442 21-53 .396 20-52 .385 20-52 .385 20-52 .385 20-52 .484	FG-A Pct. FG-A 37-70 .529 5-10 25-56 .446 4-15 28-65 .431 1-7 21-65 .323 7-19 26-63 .413 5-5 25-68 .368 6-17 23-53 .434 3-6 23-52 .442 2-12 24-58 .414 2-8 18-49 .367 2-13 21-51 .412 0-3 23-66 .348 3-19 24-58 .414 3-8 23-56 .411 2-16 25-72 .347 3-8 24-67 .358 5-17 27-58 .466 1-6 15-52 .288 1-14 29-48 .604 0-3 21-62 .339 5-20 16-46 .348 1-6 16-56 .286 4-15 25-49 .510 3-6	FG-A Pct. 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Winners listed in ALL CAPS // Attendance listed in parentheses next to home team (where applicable)

^{* -} BIG EAST Conference game

⁽¹⁾ Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT (campus sites)

⁽²⁾ BIG EAST/Big Ten Challenge (Notre Dame, Ind.)
(3) BIG EAST Conference Championship (Hartford, Conn.)

2004-05 Notre Dame Points-Rebounds-Assists

Opponent	Gaines	Allen	Powers	Tsipis	Borton	Duffy	Batteast	Gray	D'Amico	Erwin	LaVere
(1) ILLINOIS STATE	0-0-0	14-6-3	3-2-4	2-0-0	11-5-2	15-1-8	13-5-3	4-6-2	2-5-0	10-6-2	18-2-5
(1) NEBRASKA	DNP	2-8-3	0-2-0	0-0-0	13-11-1	7-5-3	24-6-7	12-7-2	3-5-0	1-2-1	11-2-2
(1) DUKE	DNP	16-3-3	DNP	DNP	7-6-1	15-3-7	17-5-7	6-2-2	DNP	2-4-1	13-11-0
(1) OHIO STATE	DNP	6-5-1	DNP	DNP	4-4-1	15-3-6	32-4-0	4-6-3	2-2-0	0-1-0	3-5-1
COLORADO STATE	DNP	6-4-1	0-2-2	0-0-0	9-5-0	15-1-5	14-9-7	3-2-0	3-0-1	12-2-1	7-6-1
at USC	2-1-2	6-4-1	0-0-0	DNP	2-5-1	12-4-2	18-5-4	4-2-2	5-3-0	9-3-0	2-5-0
at Valparaiso	0-2-0	6-9-2	0-1-0	DNP	6-9-1	20-5-4	25-10-1	6-3-3	2-0-0	4-2-0	DNP
MICHIGAN STATE	0-0-2	7-5-3	0-0-0	DNP	9-9-2	19-5-0	16-9-4	2-4-4	0-2-0	20-5-0	DNP
at Dayton	5-1-0	14-2-2	2-6-3	0-0-1	8-4-0	5-2-5	7-7-0	12-1-2	12-4-0	0-6-1	DNP
WASHINGTON	2-0-4	2-3-1	0-0-0	DNP	10-3-2	6-4-10	17-10-4	11-5-2	0-1-0	24-7-2	DNP
at Marquette	2-2-0	4-2-0	2-2-1	DNP	3-2-1	5-2-3	27-10-3	5-3-2	0-0-0	2-3-1	DNP
at Northern Illinois	12-7-2	5-5-2	2-1-1	2-0-0	6-4-4	9-2-1	21-3-2	6-5-0	2-3-1	6-3-2	2-1-0
*SETON HALL	0-1-2	8-3-2	0-1-0	0-0-0	4-1-1	10-4-3	18-7-2	0-4-2	2-1-0	6-8-1	6-3-2
*SYRACUSE	0-3-2	0-3-1	0-1-0	0-0-0	17-6-3	17-3-6	15-7-4	17-7-4	4-2-1	5-7-0	0-2-1
*at Villanova	0-0-0	2-4-1	0-0-0	DNP	17-5-0	2-3-7	22-6-2	6-4-0	0-1-0	3-1-1	2-2-0
*CONNECTICUT	0-1-2	8-6-1	DNP	DNP	7-9-0	6-2-9	8-5-0	2-2-1	DNP	11-4-1	8-4-0
(2) PURDUE	7-2-2	8-2-2	0-0-0	0-0-0	18-9-1	19-2-6	21-11-5	5-3-5	0-1-0	4-2-1	4-1-0

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2004-05 Miscellaneous Statistics

Most First Half Points Scored Most First Half Points Allowed

All Games 54 vs. Purdue (1/16) 41 by Michigan State (12/2)

BIG EAST Games 39 vs. Syracuse (1/5) 31 by Connecticut (1/12)

Most Second Half Points Scored Most Second Half Points Allowed 50 vs. Duke (11/17) 41 by Illinois State (11/12)

36 vs. Syracuse (1/5) 36 by Connecticut (1/12)

Fewest First Half Points Scored Fewest First Half Points Allowed 22 at Dayton (12/9) 14, twice (MR: by Seton Hall, 1/2)

24 at Villanova (1/9) 14 by Seton Hall (1/2)

Fewest Second Half Points Scored

Fewest Second Half Points Allowed

24, twice (MR: vs. Connecticut, 1/12)

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19 by Seton Hall (1/2)

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Largest Leads

ND: 29, three times — 86-57 (5:19, 2nd) and 88-59 (4:35, 2nd) vs. Illinois State (ND 92-73), 11/12; 71-42 (3:23, 2nd) at Northern Illinois (ND 73-49), 12/30 Opponent: 17, twice — 65-48 (1:27, 2nd) and 67-50 (0:00, 2nd) by Connecticut (UC 67-50), 1/12

Biggest Deficit Overcome in a Win: 8, twice — 41-33 (15:30, 2nd) vs. Duke (ND 76-65), 11/17; 62-54 (5:18, 2nd) vs. Ohio State (ND 66-62), 11/20

Biggest Halftime Deficit Overcome in a Win: 2 — 28-26 by Duke (ND 76-65), 11/17 **<u>Biggest Lead Surrendered in a Loss</u>**: 9 — 13-4 (13:35, 1st) at Villanova (VU 59-54), 1/9

Biggest Halftime Lead Surrendered in a Loss: None

Halftime Leads: ND: 12 (ND Record — 12-0; 2-0 vs. BIG EAST) // Opponents: 5 (ND Record — 2-3; 0-2 vs. BIG EAST) // Ties: 0 (ND Record — 0-0; 0-0 vs. BIG EAST) Rebound Advantage: ND: 11 (ND Record — 9-2; 1-2 vs. BIG EAST) // Opponents: 5 (ND Record — 4-1; 1-0 vs. BIG EAST) // Ties: 1 (ND Record — 1-0; 0-0 vs. BIG EAST) Bench Scoring Advantage: ND: 10 (ND Record — 10-0; 1-0 vs. BIG EAST) // Opponents: 7 (ND Record — 4-3; 1-2 vs. BIG EAST) // Ties: 0 (ND Record — 0-0; 0-0 vs. BIG EAST) ND Margin: +15 points, +0.9 ppg. (ND — 250 pts., 14.7 ppg.; Opponents — 235 pts., 13.8 ppg.)

Point Differential	3	4	<u>5</u>	9	<u>10</u>	11	14	<u>16</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>19</u>	21	22	24	26
ND Wins	1	2	0	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1
ND Losses	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0

Starting Lineups (F-F-C-G-G) & W-L	<u>All Games</u>	BIG EAST Games
Batteast, Erwin, Borton, Duffy, Gray	8-3	2-2
Batteast, LaVere, Borton, Duffy, Gray		

Complete Games Played: 6 // Opponents: 6

Most Minutes (overtime): 45 (Megan Duffy vs. Michigan State, 12/2)

Most Minutes (regulation): 40, five times (Megan Duffy vs. Duke, 11/17; Duffy vs. Ohio State, 11/20; Jacqueline Batteast at Marquette, 12/19; Duffy at Villanova, 1/9; Duffy vs. Connecticut, 1/12)

Double-Figure Games: 48 (Batteast 14, Duffy 10, Borton 6, Erwin 5, Gray 4, Allen 3, LaVere 3, D'Amico 1, Gaines 1) // Opponents: 39

20-29-Point Games: 9 (Batteast 6, Erwin 2, Duffy 1) // Opponents: 6

30-39-Point Games: 1 (Batteast 1) // Opponents: 0

Game-High Honors*: 14 (Batteast 9, Duffy 2, Borton 1, Erwin 1, Gray 1)

Team-High Honors*: 19 (Batteast 10, Erwin 3, Duffy 2, Allen 1, Borton 1, Gray 1, LaVere 1)

Rebounding

Double-Figure Games: 6 (Batteast 4, Borton 1, LaVere 1) // Opponents: 4 Game-High Honors*: 12 (Batteast 7, Borton 2, Erwin 1, Gray 1, LaVere 1)

Team-High Honors*: 24 (Batteast 10, Borton 4, Erwin 3, Gray 3, LaVere 2, Allen 1, Gaines 1)

<u>Assists</u>

Double-Figure Games: 1 (Duffy 1) // Opponents: 0 Game-High Honors*: 12 (Duffy 7, Batteast 4, Borton 1) Team-High Honors*: 20 (Duffy 12, Batteast 6, Borton 1, Gray 1)

Double-Doubles

Points/Rebounds: 6 (Batteast 4 - VALPO, UW, MARQ, PUR; Borton 1 - NEB; LaVere 1 - DUKE) // Opponents: 3

^{* -} totals may not add up to games played due to ties

The Last Time It Happened ...

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Notre Dame recorded a .....
30-point win ..... was on 2/25/04 — ND 93, Miami 58 (35 points)*
40-point win ..... was on 11/26/02 - ND 107, Cleveland State 65 (42 points)*
50-point win ..... was on 3/4/01 — ND 89, Georgetown 33 (56 points) (BIG EAST Championship Quarterfinal at Storrs, Conn.)
30-point loss ..... was on 3/17/02 — Tennessee 89, ND 50 (39 points) (NCAA Mideast Region Second Round at Knoxville, Tenn.)
Notre Dame shot .....
60% on FGs ..... was on 12/11/04 — 60.4% (29-48) vs. Washington (ND 72-58)*
65% on FGs ..... was on 2/12/97 — 68.0% (34-50) vs. Boston College (ND 91-64)*
90% on FTs ..... was on 11/30/04 — 100.0% (18-18) at Valparaiso (ND 69-59) (school record)
Notre Dame .....
won 10 games in a row ..... was from 11/17/00 thru 2/14/01 — 23 straight
won 15 games in a row ..... was from 11/17/00 thru 2/14/01 — 23 straight
won 20 games in a row ..... was from 11/17/00 thru 2/14/01 — 23 straight
lost 5 games in a row ..... was from 3/21/91 thru 11/24/91 — 5 straight (across two seasons)
    • lost 5 games in a row (one season) ..... was from 2/16/82 thru 3/6/82 — 5 straight
scored 100 points ..... was on 11/26/02 (ND 107, Cleveland State 65)*
    • scored 100 points on the road ..... never
    • scored 100 points at a neutral site ..... was on 11/24/89 vs. Liberty (ND 113-35) (Rotary Classic at Orlando, Fla.)
    · scored 100 points & lost ..... never
allowed 100 points ..... was on 12/8/98 (Connecticut 106, ND 81)*
scored less than 50 points ..... was on 3/27/04 (Penn State 55, ND 49) (NCAA East Regional Semifinal at Hartford, Conn.)
allowed less than 50 points ..... was on 1/2/05 (ND 54, Seton Hall 33)*
played an overtime game ..... was on 12/2/04 (Michigan State 82, ND 73 - ot)*
    • played a multiple-overtime game ..... was on 11/30/97 (ND 93, UCLA 91 - 2ot)
rallied from a double-digit deficit to win ..... was on 3/1/03 — 12 points (5-17, 8:56, 1st; 7-19, 6:44, 1st) vs. Seton Hall (ND 62-60)*
won on a "last second" shot ..... was on 12/19/04 (ND 50, Marquette 47 — Jacqueline Batteast three-pointer at 0:00)
lost on a "last second" shot ..... was on 1/12/02 (Villanova 60, ND 59 — Mimi Riley jumper at 0:00.4)
had five double-figure scorers ..... was on 11/12/04 (ND 92, Illinois State 73) — Courtney LaVere 18, Megan Duffy 15, Charel Allen 14, Jacqueline Batteast 13, Teresa Borton 11, Crystal Erwin 10*
had six double-figure scorers ..... was on 11/12/04 (ND 92, Illinois State 73) — Courtney LaVere 18, Megan Duffy 15, Charel Allen 14, Jacqueline Batteast 13, Teresa Borton 11, Crystal Erwin 10*
had seven double-figure scorers ..... was on 2/6/97 (ND 90, Syracuse 73) — Rosanne Bohman 16, Mollie Peirick 15, Katryna Gaither 14, Kari Hutchinson 11, Sheila McMillen 11, Beth Morgan 11,
    Jeannine Augustin 10
had \underline{no} double-figure scorers ..... was on 2/8/04 (Seton Hall 51, ND 45)
had two double-figure rebounders ..... was on 3/21/04 (ND 69, SMS 65 - ot) — Courtney LaVere 13, Jacqueline Batteast 11* (NCAA East Region First Round at Notre Dame, Ind.)
had two players with "double-doubles" ..... was on 3/21/04 — Jacqueline Batteast (17 pts., 11 reb.) & Courtney LaVere (11 pts., 13 reb.) vs. SMS (ND 69-65 - ot)* (NCAA East Region First Round at
    Notre Dame, Ind.)
had three players with "double-doubles" ..... was on 12/21/95 — Beth Morgan (28 pts., 11 reb.), Katryna Gaither (27 pts., 14 reb.) & Carey Poor (10 pts., 10 reb.) at Michigan State (MSU 87-83 - ot)
had two 20-point scorers ..... was on 11/30/04 (ND 69, Valparaiso 59) — Jacqueline Batteast 25, Megan Duffy 20
had three 20-point scorers ..... was on 1/7/99 (ND 111, West Virginia 90) — Danielle Green 28, Sheila McMillen 26, Ruth Riley 23*
made 10 three-point field goals ..... was on 3/3/02 (Syracuse 84, ND 79) — 10-26 (38.5%) on threes (BIG EAST Championship Quarterfinal at Piscataway, N.J.)
committed 10 turnovers or less ..... was on 1/2/05 (ND 54, Seton Hall 33) — 8 turnovers*
committed 25 turnovers or more ..... was on 1/28/04 (ND 59, Miami 50) — 26 turnovers
forced 25 turnovers or more ..... was on 12/9/04 (ND 65, Dayton 39) — 26 turnovers
An Irish player had .....
25 points ..... was on 12/19/04 — Jacqueline Batteast (27) at Marquette (ND 50-47)
30 points ..... was on 11/20/04 — Jacqueline Batteast (32) vs. Ohio State (ND 66-62)*
35 points ..... was on 2/22/00 — Ruth Riley (36) vs. Miami (ND 83-68)*
40 points ..... was on 1/30/99 — Ruth Riley (41) at Providence (ND 97-59) (school record)
15 rebounds ..... was on 2/23/03 — Jacqueline Batteast (18) at Connecticut (UC 77-59)
20 rebounds ..... was on 1/20/88 — Heidi Bunek (20) at DePaul (DPU 80-77)
10 assists ..... was on 12/11/04 — Megan Duffy (10) vs. Washington (ND 72-58)*
5 blocks ..... was on 12/2/04 — Teresa Borton (6) vs. Michigan State (MSU 82-73 - ot)*
5 steals ..... was on 1/2/05 — Megan Duffy (6) vs. Seton Hall (ND 54-33)*
a "double-double" ..... was on 1/16/05 — Jacqueline Batteast (21 pts., 11 reb.) vs. Purdue (ND 86-69)*
a "triple-double" ..... was on 2/15/90 — Sara Liebscher (17 pts., 12 reb., 10 asst.) vs. Detroit (ND 99-58)*
20 pts & 10 rebs ..... was on 1/16/05 — Jacqueline Batteast (21 pts., 11 reb.) vs. Purdue (ND 86-69)*
20 pts & 20 rebs ..... was on 1/20/88 — Heidi Bunek (25 pts., 20 reb.) at DePaul (DPU 80-77)
An opposing player had .....
25 points ..... was on 1/9/05 — Jackie Adamshick (25), Villanova (VU 59-54)
30 points ..... was on 1/28/98 — Jen Beisel (30), Villanova (VU 70-54)*
35 points ..... was on 1/16/95 — Angela Simpson (37), Northwestern State (La.) (NSU 103-93) (NWIT Semifinal at Amarillo, Texas)
10 rebounds ..... was on 12/2/04 — Liz Shimek (13) and Kristin Haynie (10), Michigan State (MSU 82-73 - ot)*
15 rebounds ..... was on 12/22/03 — Ebony Hoffman (16), USC (ND 73-62)*
20 rebounds ..... was on 1/8/89 — Wendy Scholtens (20), Vanderbilt (VU 86-64)
10 assists ..... was on 12/4/03 — Stephanie Rich (12), Wisconsin (ND 82-64)*
5 blocks ..... was on 11/17/04 — Alison Bales (7), Duke (ND 76-65)*
5 steals ..... was on 3/23/04 — Keisha McClinic (6), Middle Tennessee (ND 59-46)* (NCAA East Region Second Round at Notre Dame, Ind.)
a "double-double" ..... was on 12/2/04 — Kristin Haynie (17 pts., 10 reb.), Michigan State (MSU 82-73 - ot)*
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a "triple-double" was on 1/24/89 — Diana Vines (23 pts., 11 reb., 12 stl.), DePaul (DPU 83-62)

^{* -} Notre Dame home game

2004-05 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Box Scores

Illinois State (73)

#10/11 Notre Dame 92, Illinois State 73 Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT — First Round November 12, 2004 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

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<u>Player</u>	<u>min</u>	fg-a	<u>3fg-a</u>	ft-a	<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u>	<u>tp</u> 2	
Harakas	19	1-4	0-0	0-0	0	0	1		
Donovan	37	7-14	1-5	10-15	6	6	4	25	
Hallstrom	24	8-13	0-0	7-10	8	0	4	23	
Sandstead	29	4-6	1-1	2-4	4	2	4	11	
McCormack	33	2-7	1-5	0-0	1	2 2 2 2	4	5	
Tirtiaux	12	0-2	0-1	0-0	4	2	0	0	
Hudson	5	0-1	0-1	0-0	0		1	0	
Shelton	18	2-6	0-0	0-0	4	4	1	4	
Ward	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	
Stevenson	13	1-2	1-2	0-0	2	0	0	3	
Johnson	6	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	
Team					4				
Totals	200	25-56	4-15	19-29	34	18	20	73	
Totals Notre Dam		25-56	4-15	19-29	34	18	20	73	
Notre Dam									
	e (92)	25-56 <u>fg-a</u> 6-11	4-15 <u>3fg-a</u> 1-2	19-29 <u>ft-a</u> 0-0	<u>reb</u> 5	<u>ast</u> 3	<u>pf</u> 3	<u>tp</u> 13	
Notre Dam <u>Player</u>	e (92) <u>min</u>	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	<u>reb</u> 5 2	<u>ast</u> 3 5	<u>pf</u> 3 1	<u>tp</u> 13 18	
Notre Dam <u>Player</u> Batteast	e (92) min 17	<u>fg-a</u> 6-11	<u>3fg-a</u> 1-2	<u>ft-a</u> 0-0	<u>reb</u> 5 2 5	<u>ast</u> 3 5	<u>pf</u> 3 1 2	<u>tp</u> 13	
Notre Dam Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy	e (92) min 17 28 16 36	<u>fg-a</u> 6-11 8-11	3fg-a 1-2 0-0	<u>ft-a</u> 0-0 2-5	<u>reb</u> 5 2 5 1	<u>ast</u> 3 5 2	<u>pf</u> 3 1 2	tp 13 18 11 15	
Notre Dam Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray	e (92) min 17 28 16 36 23	<u>fg-a</u> 6-11 8-11 4-7	3fg-a 1-2 0-0 0-0	<u>ft-a</u> 0-0 2-5 3-4	<u>reb</u> 5 2 5	ast 3 5 2 8	<u>pf</u> 3 1 2 1 4	<u>tp</u> 13 18 11 15 4	
Notre Dam Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Gaines	e (92) min 17 28 16 36 23 5	fg-a 6-11 8-11 4-7 5-8 2-5 0-0	3fg-a 1-2 0-0 0-0 3-4 0-0 0-0	ft-a 0-0 2-5 3-4 2-2 0-1 0-0	reb 5 2 5 1 6 0	ast 3 5 2 8 2	<u>pf</u> 3 1 2 1 4 1	<u>tp</u> 13 18 11 15 4	
Notre Dam Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Gaines Allen	e (92) min 17 28 16 36 23 5 27	fg-a 6-11 8-11 4-7 5-8 2-5 0-0 4-9	3fg-a 1-2 0-0 0-0 3-4 0-0 0-0 0-1	ft-a 0-0 2-5 3-4 2-2 0-1 0-0 6-7	reb 5 2 5 1 6 0 6	ast 3 5 2 8 2 0 3	<u>pf</u> 3 1 2 1 4 1 3	<u>tp</u> 13 18 11 15 4 0	
Notre Dam Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Gaines Allen Powers	e (92) min 17 28 16 36 23 5 27 19	fg-a 6-11 8-11 4-7 5-8 2-5 0-0 4-9 1-5	3fg-a 1-2 0-0 0-0 3-4 0-0 0-0 0-1 1-3	ft-a 0-0 2-5 3-4 2-2 0-1 0-0 6-7 0-0	reb 5 2 5 1 6 0 6 2	ast 3 5 2 8 2 0 3	<u>pf</u> 3 1 2 1 4 1 3 1	tp 13 18 11 15 4 0 14 3	
Notre Dam Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Gaines Allen	e (92) min 17 28 16 36 23 5 27	fg-a 6-11 8-11 4-7 5-8 2-5 0-0 4-9	3fg-a 1-2 0-0 0-0 3-4 0-0 0-0 0-1	ft-a 0-0 2-5 3-4 2-2 0-1 0-0 6-7	reb 5 2 5 1 6 0 6	ast 3 5 2 8 2 0 3	<u>pf</u> 3 1 2 1 4 1 3	<u>tp</u> 13 18 11 15 4 0	

Illinois State **Notre Dame** 48

Erwin

Team

Totals

FG Pct: Illinois State 44.6, Notre Dame 52.9. 3-PT FG Pct: Illinois State 26.7, Notre Dame 50.0. FT Pct: Illinois State 65.5, Notre Dame 61.9. Turnovers: Illinois State 25, Notre Dame 18. Blocked Shots: Illinois State 0, Notre Dame 4. <u>Steals</u>: Illinois State 7 (Sandstead 4), Notre Dame 15 (Gray, Erwin 3). <u>Attendance</u>: 6,190.

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NOTES: Notre Dame had six players score in double figures for the first time since Jan. 23, 1999 (a 99-60 win vs. St. John's at the Joyce Center) ... the Irish set a new Preseason WNIT record with 29 assists, breaking the old mark of 28 set by both Connecticut and Vanderbilt on Nov. 9, 2001 .. Notre Dame scored 48 points in the first half, its highest output in the opening 20 minutes of a game since Nov. 26, 2002, when the Irish rang up a school-record 61 points to tip off a 107-65 win over Cleveland State in junior guard Megan Duffy's eight assists were one shy of her career, set last season on Dec. 7 at Washington ... junior forward Courtney LaVere's five assists tied her career high, previously set in that 2002 win over Cleveland State ... sophomore forward Crystal Erwin picked up her second career double-figure scoring game, complementing the careerhigh 13-point effort she had last season on Dec. 13 vs. Dayton; she also had a career-high six rebounds, one more than her previous best that she set four times last year ... freshman guard Charel Allen's 14 points are the most by an Irish freshman in her debut game since LaVere had 18 against Cleveland State in 2002 ... sophomore guard Breona Gray made her first career start and tied her career high with six rebounds (vs. Marquette on Jan. 1, 2004) ... the Irish won their ninth consecutive season opener and are 15-3 in season openers during the 18-year Muffet McGraw era . Notre Dame has now won 10 consecutive games over current Missouri Valley Conference (MVC) teams and is 24-2 all-time against that league (11-1 at home).

#10/11 Notre Dame 73, Nebraska 57 Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT — Quarterfinal November 14, 2004 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Nebraska (57)							
<u>Player</u>	<u>min</u>	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	<u>reb</u>	ast	<u>pf</u>	<u>tp</u>
Diaz	12	0-2	0-0	0-0	2 6	0	1	0
Gerhart	25 30	5-13 5-13	3-5	0-0 4-6	6 4	1	2	13 16
Aubry Johansen	36	1-3	2-2 0-0	4-6 2-2	7	5	1	4
Hardy	28	2-16	0-0	0-0	3	2	5	4
Spiric	13	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	2 5 2 1	3	2
Samardziska	6	1-4	0-0	1-4	2	0	1	4 2 3 6
White	12	2-3	1-2	1-2	1	0	0	6
Kephart	10	1-3	1-2	0-0	2	1	0	3
Drmanac	5	0-1	0-1	0-0		0	1	0
Page Team	23	3-5	0-0	0-1	5 3	0	2	6
Totals	200	21-65	7-19	8-15	37	12	17	57
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Notre Dame	731/ د							
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<u>Player</u>	<u>min</u>	fg-a	<u>3fg-a</u>	ft-a	<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u>	<u>tp</u>
<u>Player</u> Batteast	<u>min</u> 36	10-18	0-0	4-5	6	7	1	24
<u>Player</u> Batteast LaVere	min 36 12	10-18 3-4	0-0 0-0	4-5 5-7	6	7	1 4	24 11
<u>Player</u> Batteast LaVere Borton	min 36 12 24	10-18 3-4 6-10	0-0 0-0 0-0	4-5 5-7 1-1	6 2 11	7 2 1	1 4 3	24 11 13
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy	min 36 12 24 34	10-18 3-4 6-10 1-8	0-0 0-0	4-5 5-7 1-1 4-4	6 2 11 5	7 2 1	1 4 3 1	24 11 13 7
<u>Player</u> Batteast LaVere Borton	min 36 12 24	10-18 3-4 6-10	0-0 0-0 0-0 1-5	4-5 5-7 1-1	6 2 11 5 7 8	7 2 1 3 2 3	1 4 3	24 11 13 7 12 2
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen Powers	min 36 12 24 34 31 28 10	10-18 3-4 6-10 1-8 6-13 1-6 0-2	0-0 0-0 0-0 1-5 0-1 0-0 0-1	4-5 5-7 1-1 4-4 0-0 0-0 0-0	6 2 11 5 7 8 2	7 2 1 3 2 3 0	1 4 3 1 2 0 1	24 11 13 7 12 2 0
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen Powers Tsipis	min 36 12 24 34 31 28 10 2	10-18 3-4 6-10 1-8 6-13 1-6 0-2 0-0	0-0 0-0 0-0 1-5 0-1 0-0 0-1 0-0	4-5 5-7 1-1 4-4 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0	6 2 11 5 7 8 2	7 2 1 3 2 3 0	1 4 3 1 2 0 1 0	24 11 13 7 12 2 0
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen Powers Tsipis D'Amico	min 36 12 24 34 31 28 10 2	10-18 3-4 6-10 1-8 6-13 1-6 0-2 0-0 1-3	0-0 0-0 0-0 1-5 0-1 0-0 0-1 0-0	4-5 5-7 1-1 4-4 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 1-2	6 2 11 5 7 8 2 0 5	7 2 1 3 2 3 0 0	1 4 3 1 2 0 1 0 0	24 11 13 7 12 2 0 0 3
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen Powers Tsipis D'Amico Erwin	min 36 12 24 34 31 28 10 2	10-18 3-4 6-10 1-8 6-13 1-6 0-2 0-0	0-0 0-0 0-0 1-5 0-1 0-0 0-1 0-0	4-5 5-7 1-1 4-4 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0	6 2 11 5 7 8 2 0 5 2	7 2 1 3 2 3 0	1 4 3 1 2 0 1 0	24 11 13 7 12 2 0
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen Powers Tsipis D'Amico	min 36 12 24 34 31 28 10 2	10-18 3-4 6-10 1-8 6-13 1-6 0-2 0-0 1-3	0-0 0-0 0-0 1-5 0-1 0-0 0-1 0-0	4-5 5-7 1-1 4-4 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 1-2	6 2 11 5 7 8 2 0 5	7 2 1 3 2 3 0 0	1 4 3 1 2 0 1 0 0	24 11 13 7 12 2 0 0 3
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen Powers Tsipis D'Amico Erwin Team	min 36 12 24 34 31 28 10 2 12 11	10-18 3-4 6-10 1-8 6-13 1-6 0-2 0-0 1-3 0-1	0-0 0-0 0-0 1-5 0-1 0-0 0-1 0-0 0-0 0-0	4-5 5-7 1-1 4-4 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 1-2 1-2	6 2 11 5 7 8 2 0 5 2	7 2 1 3 2 3 0 0 0	1 4 3 1 2 0 1 0 0 2	24 11 13 7 12 2 0 0 3 1

FG Pct: Nebraska 32.3, Notre Dame 43.1. 3-PT FG Pct: Nebraska 36.8, Notre Dame 14.3. FT Pct: Nebraska 53.3, Notre Dame 76.2. Turnovers: Nebraska 9, Notre Dame 11. Blocked Shots: Nebraska 1, Notre Dame 5 (Batteast, Borton 2). Steals: Nebraska 3, Notre Dame 5 (Duffy 3). Attendance: 5.370.

NOTES: For the second consecutive game, four of Notre Dame's five starters scored in double figures ... senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast's 24 points marked the 22nd time in her career she has scored 20 or more points in a game ... she now has 1,352 career points, putting her just 22 points away from passing Shari Matvey for 10th place on the Irish career scoring list ... Batteast's seven assists tied her career high (Cleveland State on Nov. 26, 2002) ... senior center Teresa Borton's double-double was the third of her career and first since Feb. 5, 2002 at Pittsburgh (10 points, 10 rebounds) ... Borton's 11 rebounds also tied her career high, set twice before (last time was at St. John's on Feb. 17, 2004) .. sophomore guard Breona Gray's 12 points and seven rebounds both were career highs — she had 11 points on March 2, 2004 vs. Syracuse and twice had six rebounds in a game, most recently two nights earlier vs. Illinois State ... Notre Dame improves to 6-9 all-time against the present Big 12 Conference alignment, including a 2-1 mark at home ... with the victory, the Irish advanced to the Preseason WNIT semifinals for the second time in as many appearances in the tournament (they finished third in 1996) ... the Notre Dame victory also assures the BIG EAST Conference of having a representative in the Preseason WNIT semifinals for the seventh time in the 11-year history of the event.

#11/10 Notre Dame 76, #6/6 Duke 65 Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT — Semifinal November 17, 2004 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Duke (65)								
<u>Player</u>	<u>min</u>	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u>	<u>tp</u>
Williams	34	5-14	0-0	0-0	8	4	4	10
Currie	40	6-19	1-4	1-2	11	3	3	14
Bales	27	4-7	0-0	3-3	2	1	0	11
Smith	37	4-10	0-1	0-0	2	2	4	8
Foley Kurz	24 8	3-8 1-2	2-6 1-1	0-0 0-0	2 2 3 1	2 3 1	5 1	8
Whitley	o 15	0-1	0-0	3-4	7	1	3	3
Howe	15	2-7	2-5	2-3	0	0	1	8
Team	15	2-1	2-0	2-3	5	U	ı	0
Totals	200	25-68	6-17	9-12	39	15	21	65
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Notre Dame	(76)	1						
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<u>Player</u>	<u>min</u>	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u>	<u>tp</u>
<u>Player</u> Batteast	<u>min</u> 28	<i>fg-a</i> 7-15	<u>3fg-a</u> 1-1	2-2	5	7	<u>pf</u> 3	<u>tp</u> 17
<u>Player</u> Batteast LaVere	min 28 29	<u>fg-a</u> 7-15 5-13	1-1 0-0	2-2 3-4	5 11	7	0	13
<u>Player</u> Batteast LaVere Borton	min 28 29 29	<u>fg-a</u> 7-15 5-13 3-7	1-1 0-0 0-0	2-2 3-4 1-2	5 11 6	7 0 1	0	13 7
<u>Player</u> Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy	min 28 29 29 40	fg-a 7-15 5-13 3-7 2-3	1-1 0-0 0-0 2-2	2-2 3-4 1-2 9-10	5 11 6 3	7 0 1 7	0 3 1	13 7 15
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray	min 28 29 29 40 23	fg-a 7-15 5-13 3-7 2-3 2-7	1-1 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0	2-2 3-4 1-2 9-10 2-2	5 11 6 3	7 0 1 7	0 3 1 1	13 7 15 6
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen	min 28 29 29 40 23 32	fg-a 7-15 5-13 3-7 2-3 2-7 6-13	1-1 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0 2-2	2-2 3-4 1-2 9-10 2-2 2-2	5 11 6 3 2 3	7 0 1 7 2 3	0 3 1 1 2	13 7 15 6 16
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen Erwin	min 28 29 29 40 23	fg-a 7-15 5-13 3-7 2-3 2-7	1-1 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0	2-2 3-4 1-2 9-10 2-2	5 11 6 3 2 3 4	7 0 1 7	0 3 1 1	13 7 15 6
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen Erwin Team	min 28 29 29 40 23 32 19	fg-a 7-15 5-13 3-7 2-3 2-7 6-13 1-5	1-1 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0 2-2 0-0	2-2 3-4 1-2 9-10 2-2 2-2 0-0	5 11 6 3 2 3 4 8	7 0 1 7 2 3 1	0 3 1 1 2 3	13 7 15 6 16 2
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen Erwin	min 28 29 29 40 23 32	fg-a 7-15 5-13 3-7 2-3 2-7 6-13	1-1 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0 2-2	2-2 3-4 1-2 9-10 2-2 2-2	5 11 6 3 2 3 4	7 0 1 7 2 3	0 3 1 1 2	13 7 15 6 16
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen Erwin Team	min 28 29 29 40 23 32 19	fg-a 7-15 5-13 3-7 2-3 2-7 6-13 1-5	1-1 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0 2-2 0-0 5-5	2-2 3-4 1-2 9-10 2-2 2-2 0-0	5 11 6 3 2 3 4 8	7 0 1 7 2 3 1	0 3 1 1 2 3	13 7 15 6 16 2

FG Pct: Duke 36.8, Notre Dame 41.3. 3-PT FG Pct: Duke 35.3, Notre Dame 100.0. FTPct: Duke 75.0, Notre Dame 86.4. Turnovers: Duke 21, Notre Dame 16. Blocked Shots: Duke 11 (Bales 7), Notre Dame 6 (Borton 3). Steals: Duke 5 (Currie 4), Notre Dame 9 (Allen 3). Technical Foul: Erwin (ND). Attendance: 3,094.

NOTES: The Irish are now 4-1 all-time against Duke, including a 2-0 mark at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame is now 9-4 (.692) all-time when it is ranked and hosting another ranked team at the Joyce Center ... Duke represents the 19th top-10 opponent Notre Dame has defeated in its history and the first since the Irish downed fourth-ranked Connecticut, 66-51 on Jan. 13, 2004, also at the Joyce Center ... in the past five-plus seasons (1998-99 to present), Notre Dame has defeated 31 ranked opponents ... for the third time in as many games, the Irish had at least four players score in double figures ... junior forward Courtney LaVere chalked up her seventh career double-double (first this season) with 13 points and 11 rebounds ... senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast tied her career high with seven assists for the second consecutive game

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2004-05 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Box Scores

GAME

Notre Dame

#11/10 Notre Dame 66, #10/9 Ohio State 62 Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT — Championship November 20, 2004 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Ohio State	(62)							
<u>Player</u>	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u> 3	<u>tp</u> 6
Munoz	21	3-4	0-0	0-2	2	1		
Davenport	34	7-10	0-0	9-9	7	2	4	23
Hoskins	25	3-6	0-1	0-0	5	3	2	6
Wilburn	32	3-6	1-2	0-1	5	6	2	7
Matter	35	5-15	0-6	3-3	1	2	0	13
Howe	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Battle	7	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Packer	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Dark	2	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	0	1	0
Allen	13	2-5	1-2	0-0	0	1	2	5
Blanton	9	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	4	0
Riley	16	0-3	0-0	2-2	4	0	4	2
Team					2			
Totals	200	23-52	2-12	14-17	28	15	20	62
Totals Notre Dame		23-52	2-12	14-17	28	15	20	62
			2-12 3fg-a	14-17 <u>ft-a</u>	28 <u>reb</u>	15 <u>ast</u>		
Notre Dame	e (66) min 38	<u>fg-a</u> 11-23	<u>3fg-a</u> 0-2	<u>ft-a</u> 10-12	<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u> 0	<u>pf</u> 3	<u>tp</u> 32
Notre Dam	e (66) min 38 22	fg-a	3fg-a 0-2 0-0	<u>ft-a</u> 10-12 1-2	<u>reb</u> 4 5	<u>ast</u> 0 1	<u>pf</u> 3	<u>tp</u> 32 3
Notre Dame Player Batteast LaVere Borton	e (66) min 38 22 23	<u>fg-a</u> 11-23 1-7 1-4	3fg-a 0-2 0-0 0-0	<u>ft-a</u> 10-12 1-2 2-2	<u>reb</u> 4 5 4	<u>ast</u> 0 1	<u>pf</u> 3 3 3	tp 32 3 4
Notre Dame Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy	e (66) min 38 22 23 40	fg-a 11-23 1-7 1-4 5-7	3fg-a 0-2 0-0 0-0 3-4	<u>ft-a</u> 10-12 1-2 2-2 2-2	<u>reb</u> 4 5 4 3	<u>ast</u> 0 1 1	<u>pf</u> 3 3 3 2	<u>tp</u> 32 3 4 15
Notre Dame Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray	e (66) min 38 22 23 40 33	fg-a 11-23 1-7 1-4 5-7 1-2	3fg-a 0-2 0-0 0-0 3-4 0-0	ft-a 10-12 1-2 2-2 2-2 2-3	reb 4 5 4 3 6	ast 0 1 1 6 3	<u>pf</u> 3 3 3 2 0	<u>tp</u> 32 3 4 15 4
Notre Dame Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen	e (66) min 38 22 23 40 33 22	fg-a 11-23 1-7 1-4 5-7 1-2 3-3	3fg-a 0-2 0-0 0-0 3-4 0-0 0-0	ft-a 10-12 1-2 2-2 2-2 2-3 0-0	reb 4 5 4 3 6 5	ast 0 1 1 6 3	pf 3 3 3 2 0 2	tp 32 3 4 15 4
Notre Dame Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen D'Amico	e (66) min 38 22 23 40 33 22 9	fg-a 11-23 1-7 1-4 5-7 1-2 3-3 1-2	3fg-a 0-2 0-0 0-0 3-4 0-0 0-0 0-0	ft-a 10-12 1-2 2-2 2-2 2-3 0-0 0-0	reb 4 5 4 5 6 5 2	ast 0 1 1 6 3 1	<u>pf</u> 3 3 3 2 0 2 3	tp 32 3 4 15 4 6 2
Notre Dame Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen D'Amico Erwin	e (66) min 38 22 23 40 33 22	fg-a 11-23 1-7 1-4 5-7 1-2 3-3	3fg-a 0-2 0-0 0-0 3-4 0-0 0-0	ft-a 10-12 1-2 2-2 2-2 2-3 0-0	reb 4 5 4 3 6 5 2 1	ast 0 1 1 6 3	pf 3 3 3 2 0 2	tp 32 3 4 15 4
Notre Dame Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen D'Amico Erwin Team	e (66) min 38 22 23 40 33 22 9 13	fg-a 11-23 1-7 1-4 5-7 1-2 3-3 1-2 0-5	3fg-a 0-2 0-0 0-0 3-4 0-0 0-0 0-0	ft-a 10-12 1-2 2-2 2-2 2-3 0-0 0-0 0-0	reb 4 5 4 3 6 5 2 1 6	ast 0 1 1 6 3 1 0	<u>pf</u> 3 3 3 2 0 2 3 0	32 32 3 4 15 4 6 2
Notre Dame Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen D'Amico Erwin	e (66) min 38 22 23 40 33 22 9	fg-a 11-23 1-7 1-4 5-7 1-2 3-3 1-2	3fg-a 0-2 0-0 0-0 3-4 0-0 0-0 0-0	ft-a 10-12 1-2 2-2 2-2 2-3 0-0 0-0	reb 4 5 4 3 6 5 2 1	ast 0 1 1 6 3 1	<u>pf</u> 3 3 3 2 0 2 3	tp 32 3 4 15 4 6 2

FG Pct: Ohio State 44.2, Notre Dame 43.4. 3-PTFG Pct: Ohio State 16.7, Notre Dame 50.0. FT Pct: Ohio State 82.4, Notre Dame 81.0. Turnovers: Ohio State 16, Notre Dame 18. Blocked Shots: Ohio State 4 (Davenport 4), Notre Dame 8 (Batteast, LaVere 3). Steals: Ohio State 13 (Wilburn, Matter 3), Notre Dame 8. Attendance: 3,925.

NOTES: With the victory, Notre Dame wins its first regular-season tournament title since the 2001 Coaches vs. Cancer Challenge ... Notre Dame also earns the third Preseason WNIT title for a BIG EAST Conference team in the event's 11-year history, joining Connecticut's crowns in 1997 and 2001 ... the Irish have won 10 of their last 11 inseason tournament games, only losing at 20th-ranked Colorado, 67-63 in the title game of the 2003 WBCA Classic ... senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast was named the Most Valuable Player of the Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT, while junior guard Megan Duffy earned a spot on the all-tournament team ... the Irish have now played back-to-back top-10 opponents twice in their history and have won all four games in that scenario (vs. #1 Connecticut and #9 Purdue at the 2001 NCAA Final Four; vs. #6 Duke and #10 Ohio State in the 2004 Sportsview.tv Preseason WNIT) ... Notre Dame recorded its third victory over a top-10 opponent in its last 23 games, after also besting #4 Connecticut, 66-51 last January at the Joyce Center ... The Ohio State contest also marked the 800th game in Notre Dame women's basketball history, and the win improved the program's all-time record to 552-248 (690) in less than 28 seasons of varsity action ... Batteast's 32 points were not only a career high, but the most by an Irish player since March 26, 2001, when Ruth Riley had 32 points vs. Vanderbilt in the NCAA Midwest Regional final ... Batteast also moved into 10th place on Notre Dame's career scoring list with 1,401 points, passing Shari Matvey (1,373 from 1979-83) ... Duffy had six assists, giving her six-or-more assists in three of her first four games ... Teresa Borton recorded her 100th career block, becoming the seventh player in school history to reach that milestone.

GAME 5

#6/6 Notre Dame 69, Colorado State 47 November 22, 2004 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Colorado State (47)

Colorado S	tate (4	47)						
Player Dennett Thomas Hunter Espinoza Walseth Kramer Nohr O'Dwyer Tor-Agbidye Moulton	min 23 25 28 28 23 16 6 22 14	fg-a 0-3 6-11 3-10 3-9 1-5 0-3 0-0 1-2 4-4 0-2	3fg-a 0-0 0-0 1-4 0-2 1-5 0-1 0-0 0-1 0-0 0-0	ft-a 1-2 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 6-8	reb 5 10 2 2 3 0 0 1 6 6	ast 0 1 2 3 4 1 0 0 1	<u>pf</u> 1 2 2 3 1 1 0 4 2 3	<u>tp</u> 1 12 7 8 3 0 0 2 8 6
Team Totals	200	18-49	2-13	9-12	1 36	12	19	47
Notre Dame	e (69)							
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Allen Powers Tsipis D'Amico	min 30 20 19 36 21 31 12 3 8	fg-a 4-12 3-8 3-6 4-9 1-4 2-7 0-1 0-0 1-2	3fg-a 0-0 0-1 0-0 1-4 1-1 0-1 0-1 0-0 0-0	<u>ft-a</u> 6-9 1-2 3-3 6-6 0-0 2-2 0-0 0-0 1-2	reb 9 6 5 1 2 4 2 0 0	ast 7 1 0 5 0 1 2 0	<u>pf</u> 0 2 4 1 2 0 0 0	<u>tp</u> 14 7 9 15 3 6 0 0 3

Colorado State 23 24 -- 47 Notre Dame 31 38 -- 69

200 24-58

Erwin Team

Totals

FG Pct: Colorado State 36.7, Notre Dame 41.4. 3-PT FG Pct: Colorado State 15.4, Notre Dame 25.0. FT Pct: Colorado State 75.0, Notre Dame 73.1. Turnovers: Colorado State 29, Notre Dame 16. Blocked Shots: Colorado State 2, Notre Dame 8. Steals: Colorado State 9, Notre Dame 20 (Duffy 7). Attendance: 5,115.

2-8 19-26 36 18 13 69

NOTES: Notre Dame was playing its fifth game in 11 days, the most compressed early-season schedule for the Irish since 2000-01, when Notre Dame also went 5-0 ... the Irish improve to 3-1 all-time against Colorado State, winning their third in a row against the Rams since losing the initial matchup in November 2001 ... for the fourth time in five games, Notre Dame had at least three players scoring in double figures ... also for the fourth time this season, the Irish finished on the plus side of the assist/turnover ratio ... the Irish forced 29 turnovers, their best defensive production since they caused 37 Miami turnovers on Feb. 25, 2004 at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame came up with 20 steals against Colorado State, the most thefts the Irish have recorded in a single game since Nov. 26, 2002, when they also had 20 steals in a victory over Cleveland State at the Joyce Center ... Notre Dame held CSU to an opponent season-low 47 points ... junior guard Megan Duffy swiped a career-high seven steals, while freshman guard Charel Allen added five thefts ... for the third time in four games, senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast tied her career high with seven assists ... sophomore forward Crystal Erwin had her second double-figure scoring game of the year after having only one all of last season; she also set new career highs with six field goals made and nine attempts.

GAME

#6/6 Notre Dame 60, USC 56 November 26, 2004 Los Angeles Sports Arena (Los Angeles, Calif.)

Notre Dame	e (60)							
Player Batteast LaVere Borton Duffy Gray Gaines Allen Powers D'Amico Erwin Team	min 39 19 21 33 21 14 23 4 7	fg-a 7-20 1-5 1-3 2-6 1-5 1-2 2-3 0-0 2-2 4-5	3fg-a 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-3 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0	ft-a 4-4 0-1 0-2 8-8 2-2 0-0 2-4 0-0 1-1	reb 5 5 5 4 2 1 4 0 3 3 4	ast 4 0 1 2 2 2 1 0 0 0	2 3 4	<u>tp</u> 18 2 12 4 2 6 0 5 9
Totals	200	21-51	0-3	18-24	36	12	20	60
USC (56) <i>Player</i>	min	fg-a	<u>3fg-a</u>	ft-a	reb	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u>	fn
Woodward Funn Gipson Hagiya Gnekow LeNoir Cameron Murphy Jaskowiak Kerr Team Totals	31 25 26 19 32 23 2 20 6 16	4-12 6-9 4-8 0-4 1-10 2-8 0-0 5-12 0-2 1-1	0-1 0-0 0-0 0-3 0-5 1-3 0-0 2-6 0-1 0-0	0-0 1-5 4-5 0-0 0-0 0-1 0-0 0-1 0-0 2-5	3 7 9 2 7 3 1 4 0 2 4 42	1 0 0 0 2 2 0 0 1 0	2 2 3 2 2 3 0 2 0 5	<u>tp</u> 8 13 12 0 2 5 0 12 0 4
Notre Dame USC		29 31 20 36		60 56				
USU		20 30		J0				

FG Pct: Notre Dame 41.2, USC 34.8. 3-PT FG Pct: Notre Dame 0.0, USC 15.8. FT Pct: Notre Dame 75.0, USC 41.2. Turnovers: Notre Dame 23, USC 25. Blocked Shots: Notre Dame 5, USC 0. Steals: Notre Dame 10 (Batteast 3), USC 10. Attendance: 3,085.

NOTES: Notre Dame improves to 6-0 for the third time in school history (6-0 in 1988-99; 23-0 in 2000-01)... last season, the Irish did not win their first true road game until Dec. 29 at Colorado State (their fifth such game of the season) ... Notre Dame is now 6-1 all-time vs. USC, winning its last six games against the Trojans (3-0 in Los Angeles) ... for the third time in the past four meetings, the Irish held the Women of Troy to less than 60 points ... after yielding 73 points to Illinois State in the season opener, Notre Dame has held its last five opponents to 65 points or less (including three with less than 60 points) ... the last three Irish opponents all have been held to less than 20 percent on three-point shooting (.158, 3-of-19 by USC, counting a half-court shot by the Trojans at the final horn) ... the Irish have won 12 of their last 14 games against Pac-10 Conference opponents ... the USC game was the sixth in the first 14 days of the season for Notre Dame ... Notre Dame forced 25 or more turnovers for the third time this season and the Irish have 54 takeaways in their last two games (30 steals) ... the Irish are 5-0 this season when their bench outsocres the opposition's reserves (22-21 vs. USC) ... senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast moved into ninth place on the school's career scoring list with 1,433 points, passing Niele Ivey (1,430 from 1996-2001); next up is Sheila McMillen, who scored 1,439 points from 1995-99 ... Batteast also had two blocks, tying her with Shari Mavey for fourth place on the Irish career blocks list with 133 rejections ... junior quard Megan Duffy continues to be nearly automatic at the free throw line this season, making 31 of 32 charities (.969); she also has converted 39 of her last 41 free throws (.951) in the past 12 Irish games, dating back to Feb. 28, 2004 at Rutgers.

2004-05 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Box Scores

GAME

Valparaiso

#3/3 Notre Dame 69, Valparaiso 59 November 30, 2004 Athletics-Recreation Center (Valparaiso, Ind.)

Notre Dame	e (69)							
<u>Player</u>	<u>min</u>	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	<u>pf</u> 2	<u>tp</u>
Batteast	36	9-19	1-2	6-6	10	1		25
Erwin	13	2-5	0-0	0-0	2	0	1	4
Borton	23	2-4	0-0	2-2	9	1	4	6
Duffy	39	6-13	2-6	6-6	5	4	2	20
Gray	26	3-8	0-0	0-0	3	3	1	6
Gaines	12	0-2	0-0	0-0	2 9	0	0	0
Allen	31	1-4	0-0	4-4		2	3	6
Powers	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
D'Amico	13	1-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	3	2
Team	200	04.50	2.0	40.40	2	44	40	00
Totals	200	24-58	3-8	18-18	43	11	16	69
Valparaiso	(59)							
Valparaiso <u>Player</u>	(59) <u>min</u>	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u>	<u>tp</u>
	min 40	6-10	0-0	2-2	5	1	<u>pf</u> 3	14
<u>Player</u> Stangler Braun	min 40 36	6-10 4-7	0-0 0-0	2-2 3-4	5	1	2	14 11
<u>Player</u> Stangler Braun Rietema	min 40 36 27	6-10 4-7 6-12	0-0 0-0 0-1	2-2 3-4 4-6	5 5 3	1 0 1	2	14 11 16
Player Stangler Braun Rietema Gutowski	min 40 36 27 39	6-10 4-7 6-12 2-11	0-0 0-0 0-1 1-8	2-2 3-4 4-6 2-2	5 5 3 5	1 0 1	2	14 11 16 7
Player Stangler Braun Rietema Gutowski Boone	min 40 36 27 39 39	6-10 4-7 6-12 2-11 3-10	0-0 0-0 0-1 1-8 1-5	2-2 3-4 4-6 2-2 0-0	5 5 3 5 2	1 0 1 2 7	2 3 2 4	14 11 16 7 7
Player Stangler Braun Rietema Gutowski Boone Bechtold	min 40 36 27 39 39 2	6-10 4-7 6-12 2-11 3-10 0-0	0-0 0-0 0-1 1-8 1-5 0-0	2-2 3-4 4-6 2-2 0-0 0-0	5 5 3 5 2 0	1 0 1 2 7 0	2 3 2 4 1	14 11 16 7 7 0
Player Stangler Braun Rietema Gutowski Boone Bechtold Myers	min 40 36 27 39 39 2 13	6-10 4-7 6-12 2-11 3-10 0-0 1-3	0-0 0-0 0-1 1-8 1-5 0-0 0-2	2-2 3-4 4-6 2-2 0-0 0-0 0-0	5 5 3 5 2 0	1 0 1 2 7 0 1	2 3 2 4 1 0	14 11 16 7 7 0 2
Player Stangler Braun Rietema Gutowski Boone Bechtold Myers Baugher	min 40 36 27 39 39 2	6-10 4-7 6-12 2-11 3-10 0-0	0-0 0-0 0-1 1-8 1-5 0-0	2-2 3-4 4-6 2-2 0-0 0-0	5 5 3 5 2 0 0 3	1 0 1 2 7 0	2 3 2 4 1	14 11 16 7 7 0
Player Stangler Braun Rietema Gutowski Boone Bechtold Myers Baugher Team	min 40 36 27 39 39 2 13 4	6-10 4-7 6-12 2-11 3-10 0-0 1-3 1-3	0-0 0-0 0-1 1-8 1-5 0-0 0-2 0-0	2-2 3-4 4-6 2-2 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-1	5 5 3 5 2 0 0 3 4	1 0 1 2 7 0 1 0	2 3 2 4 1 0	14 11 16 7 7 0 2
Player Stangler Braun Rietema Gutowski Boone Bechtold Myers Baugher	min 40 36 27 39 39 2 13	6-10 4-7 6-12 2-11 3-10 0-0 1-3	0-0 0-0 0-1 1-8 1-5 0-0 0-2	2-2 3-4 4-6 2-2 0-0 0-0 0-0	5 5 3 5 2 0 0 3	1 0 1 2 7 0 1	2 3 2 4 1 0	14 11 16 7 7 0 2

FG Pct: Notre Dame 41.4, Valparaiso 41.1. <u>3-PT FG Pct</u>: Notre Dame 37.5, Valparaiso 12.5. <u>FT Pct</u>: Notre Dame 100.0, Valparaiso 73.3. <u>Turnovers</u>: Notre Dame 10, Valparaiso 7. <u>Blocked Shots</u>: Notre Dame 3, Valparaiso 7. <u>Attendance</u>: 2,214.

NOTES: Notre Dame is now off to the second-best start in school history (7-0), surpassing the 6-0 debut the Irish made in 1998-99; the school record remains the 23-0 start by the 2000-01 national championship squad ... the Irish are 18-0 all-time against Valparaiso, including an 8-0 mark on the road (5-0 at the Athletics-Recreation Center) ... Notre Dame also is 21-0 all-time against the current Mid-Continent Conference membership ... the Irish are 101-31 (.765) in their history against other Indiana schools ... the Irish set a new school record for free throw percentage (min. 15 attempts), going a perfect 18-for-18 at the free throw line; the old record was .960 (24-for-25) against Marquette on Dec. 1, 1993 ... the Irish committed a season-low 10 turnovers, their fewest give aways since a 10turnover day vs. No. 5 Penn State in last year's NCAA East Regional Semifinal in Hartford, Conn. ... Notre Dame has held its last six opponents to 65 points or less, and its last three foes have not cracked 60 points. the Valparaiso game was the seventh in the first 18 days of the season for Notre Dame (averaging one game every 2.6 days) ... senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast recorded her first double-double of the year and the 33rd of her career: she breaks a tie with Mary Beth Schueth for third place on Notre Dame's career double-doubles list (Ruth Riley is next with 36, while Katryna Gaither had a school-record 40 from 1993-97) ... Batteast also moved into eighth place on the Irish career scoring list with 1,458 points, passing Sheila McMillen (1,439 from 1995-99); up next is Sandy Botham, who had 1,460 points from 1984-88 ... Batteast's 25 points give her 24 career 20-point games, pushing her into sixth place on the school's all-time chart ahead of both Shari Matvey (1979-83) and Heidi Bunek (1985-89), who each had 23; Alicia Ratay is next on the list Heidi Bunek (1965-89), who each nad 23; Alicia Ratay is next on the list with 26 from 1999-2003 ... Batteast's double-digit scoring outing was the 79th of her career, lifting her into sixth place in that category at Notre Dame, ahead of Trena Keys (78 from 1982-86); up ahead is Karen Robinson's mark of 82 from 1987-91 ... junior guard Megan Duffy scored a season-high 20 points, the third 20-point game of her career (first since a 22-point night at Georgetown on Jan. 7, 2004) ... Notre Dame had two 20-point scorers for the first time since Dec. 4, 2003, when Duffy had a career high 25 points and Courtney Jaken added 29 points in a 93.64 career-high 25 points and Courtney LaVere added 22 points in an 82-64 win over Wisconsin at the Joyce Center.



#15/15 Michigan St. 82, #3/3 Notre Dame 73 (OT) December 2, 2004 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

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<u>min</u>	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u>	<u>tp</u>	
43	3-11	1-3	2-2	13			9	
34	4-12	0-0	6-7	9	3	4	14	
40	6-10	2-2	3-3	10	5	5	17	
45	6-15	1-4	10-11	5	2	2	23	
1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	
31	2-11	0-4	3-4	5	2	4	7	
13	1-5	1-3	0-0	1	0	3	3	
3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	
				9				
225	24-67	5-17	29-33	54	14	21	82	
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		0-0	3-4					
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Batteast	44	6-25	0-2	4-4	9	4	3	16	
Erwin	28	9-15	0-0	2-5	5	0	5	20	
Borton	33	3-8	0-0	3-4	9	2	2	9	
Duffy	45	5-13	3-6	6-8	5	0	3	19	
Grav	35	1-5	0-0	0-0	4	4	2	2	
Gaines	10	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	2	1	0	
Allen	23	1-2	0-0	5-6	5	3	5	7	
Powers	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	
D'Amico	3	0-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	1	0	
Team					4				
Totals	225	25-72	3-8	20-27	43	15	22	73	

Michigan State 41 29 12 -- 82 Notre Dame 30 40 3 -- 73

FG Pct: Michigan State 35.8, Notre Dame 34.7. 3-PT FG Pct: Michigan State 29.4, Notre Dame 37.5. FT Pct: Michigan State 87.9, Notre Dame 74.1. Turnovers: Michigan State 20, Notre Dame 16. Blocked Shots: Michigan State 2, Notre Dame 12 (Borton 6). Steals: Michigan State 12 (Haynie, Bowen 4), Notre Dame 9 (Erwin 3). Attendance: 5,544.

<u>NOTES</u>: With the loss, Notre Dame saw two long winning streaks come to an end — 25 consecutive home victories, as well as 41 consecutive home wins as a top-10 team ... in the latter category, the Irish are now 45-3 all-time at home when ranked in the Associated Press top 10, with their last loss prior to the MSU game coming on Dec. 8, 1998 vs. No. 1 Connecticut (106-81) ... during the past 11 seasons, Notre Dame has lost just three non-conference home games, with all three losses coming at the hands of Big Ten Conference teams (Wisconsin in 1996, Purdue in 2003 and Michigan State in 2004) ... the Irish drop to 5-3 all-time in overtime games at the Joyce Center, although this was their first home OT loss since Feb. 25, 1982 (89-88 in double overtime vs. Nebraska) ... the Michigan State game capped off a rugged stretch for the Irish of eight games in 20 days to begin the season, averaging out to one game every 2.5 days ... Notre Dame narrowly missed wiping out a 13-point secondhalf deficit to win, which would have been its first double-digit comeback win since March 1, 2003, when the Irish climbed out of an early 12-point hole to defeat Seton Hall, 62-60 at the Joyce Center ... sophomore forward Crystal Erwin made her second consecutive start (first of her career) and set new career highs with 20 points, nine field goals, 15 field goal aftempts and 28 minutes played ... senior center Teresa Borton blocked a career-best six shots vs. MSU, the fifth-highest single-game mark in Joyce Center history and the most by an Irish player since Amanda Barksdale's school-record 11 swats vs. Boston College on Feb. 10, 2002 ... junior guard Megan Duffy and senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast turned in career-best ironman performances vs Michigan State — Duffy played all 45 minutes, while Batteast logged 44 minutes of action ... Batteast moved into seventh place on the Notre Dame career scoring list with 1,474 points, passing Sandy Botham (1,460 from 1984-88); next up in Trena Keys, who had 1,589 points from 1982-86 ... Batteast also grabbed her 800th career rebound, becoming only the sixth Irish player ever to reach that milestone.



Notre Dame

Davton

#7/5 Notre Dame 65, Dayton 39 December 9, 2004 University of Dayton Arena (Dayton, Ohio)

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Notre Dame	(65)							
<u>Player</u>	<u>min</u>	fg-a	<u>3fg-a</u>	ft-a	<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u>	<u>tp</u> 7
Batteast	32	3-4	0-1	1-2	7	0	1	
Erwin	21	0-4	0-0	0-0	6	1	4	0
Borton	20	3-4	0-0	2-4	4	0	2	8
Duffy	33	2-6	1-2	0-0	2	5	2	5
Gray	19	4-10	0-0	4-4	1	2	0	12
Gaines	16	1-3	0-0	3-4	1	0	2	5
Allen	16	7-12	0-1	0-0	2	2	2	14
Powers	20	1-7	0-2	0-0	6		0	2
Tsipis	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0
D'Amico	19	6-8	0-0	0-1	4	0	2	12
Team					3			
Totals	200	27-58	1-6	10-15	36	14	15	65
Dayton (39)								
Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp
<u>Player</u> Wright	<u>min</u> 32	fg-a 8-17	<u>3fg-a</u> 0-0	<u>ft-a</u> 3-4	<u>reb</u> 6	<u>ast</u> 0	<u>pf</u> 2	<u>tp</u> 19
<u>Player</u> Wright Strong					6 4	0	2	19 1
Wright	32 22 9	8-17	0-0	3-4	6 4 1	0 1 2	2 2 1	19
Wright Strong	32 22 9 9	8-17 0-2 0-1 0-2	0-0 0-2	3-4 1-2 0-0 0-0	6 4 1 3	0 1 2 0	2 2 1 1	19 1 0 0
Wright Strong Cape	32 22 9 9	8-17 0-2 0-1 0-2 3-9	0-0 0-2 0-0 0-1 1-4	3-4 1-2 0-0 0-0 2-2	6 4 1 3 4	0 1 2 0 0	2 2 1 1 0	19 1 0 0 9
Wright Strong Cape Ramsey	32 22 9 9 30 3	8-17 0-2 0-1 0-2 3-9 0-3	0-0 0-2 0-0 0-1 1-4 0-1	3-4 1-2 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0	6 4 1 3 4 0	0 1 2 0 0 0	2 1 1 0 0	19 1 0 0 9
Wright Strong Cape Ramsey Williams Lund Holterman	32 22 9 9 30 3 21	8-17 0-2 0-1 0-2 3-9 0-3 1-1	0-0 0-2 0-0 0-1 1-4 0-1 0-0	3-4 1-2 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0 2-2	6 4 1 3 4 0 2	0 1 2 0 0 0	2 2 1 1 0 0 2	19 1 0 0 9 0 4
Wright Strong Cape Ramsey Williams Lund Holterman Armstrong	32 22 9 9 30 3 21 13	8-17 0-2 0-1 0-2 3-9 0-3 1-1 0-0	0-0 0-2 0-0 0-1 1-4 0-1 0-0 0-0	3-4 1-2 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0 2-2 0-0	6 4 1 3 4 0 2	0 1 2 0 0 0 1 4	2 2 1 1 0 0 2 0	19 1 0 0 9 0 4 0
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Wright Strong Cape Ramsey Williams Lund Holterman Armstrong Cloxton DeWitt Butler	32 22 9 9 30 3 21 13 25 1	8-17 0-2 0-1 0-2 3-9 0-3 1-1 0-0 0-9 0-1 2-4	0-0 0-2 0-0 0-1 1-4 0-1 0-0 0-5 0-1 0-0	3-4 1-2 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0 2-2 0-0 0-0 0-0	6 4 1 3 4 0 2 0 4 1 2	0 1 2 0 0 0 1 4 4 0 0	2 1 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 2	19 1 0 0 9 0 4 0 0 4
Wright Strong Cape Ramsey Williams Lund Holterman Armstrong Cloxton DeWitt Butler Burns	32 22 9 9 30 3 21 13 25 1	8-17 0-2 0-1 0-2 3-9 0-3 1-1 0-0 0-9 0-1 2-4 0-0	0-0 0-2 0-0 0-1 1-4 0-1 0-0 0-0 0-5 0-1 0-0	3-4 1-2 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0 2-2 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0	6 4 1 3 4 0 2 0 4 1 2 2	0 1 2 0 0 0 1 4 4 0 0	2 1 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 0	19 1 0 0 9 0 4 0 0 4 0
Wright Strong Cape Ramsey Williams Lund Holterman Armstrong Cloxton DeWitt Butler Burns Peterink	32 22 9 9 30 3 21 13 25 1 11 6 2	8-17 0-2 0-1 0-2 3-9 0-3 1-1 0-0 0-9 0-1 2-4 0-0 0-0	0-0 0-2 0-0 0-1 1-4 0-1 0-0 0-5 0-1 0-0 0-0	3-4 1-2 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0 2-2 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0	6 4 1 3 4 0 2 0 4 1 2 2 0	0 1 2 0 0 0 0 1 4 4 4 0 0	2 2 1 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 0 0	19 1 0 0 9 0 4 0 0 0 4 0 0
Wright Strong Cape Ramsey Williams Lund Holterman Armstrong Cloxton DeWitt Butler Burns Peterink Oakland	32 22 9 9 30 3 21 13 25 1	8-17 0-2 0-1 0-2 3-9 0-3 1-1 0-0 0-9 0-1 2-4 0-0	0-0 0-2 0-0 0-1 1-4 0-1 0-0 0-0 0-5 0-1 0-0	3-4 1-2 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0 2-2 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0	6 4 1 3 4 0 2 0 4 1 2 2 0 2	0 1 2 0 0 0 1 4 4 0 0	2 1 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 0	19 1 0 0 9 0 4 0 0 4 0
Wright Strong Cape Ramsey Williams Lund Holterman Armstrong Cloxton DeWitt Butler Burns Peterink	32 22 9 9 30 3 21 13 25 1 11 6 2	8-17 0-2 0-1 0-2 3-9 0-3 1-1 0-0 0-9 0-1 2-4 0-0 0-0	0-0 0-2 0-0 0-1 1-4 0-1 0-0 0-5 0-1 0-0 0-0	3-4 1-2 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0 2-2 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0	6 4 1 3 4 0 2 0 4 1 2 2 0	0 1 2 0 0 0 0 1 4 4 4 0 0	2 2 1 1 0 0 2 0 0 0 2 0 0	19 1 0 0 9 0 4 0 0 0 4 0 0

FG Pct: Notre Dame 46.6, Dayton 28.8. 3-PT FG Pct: Notre Dame 16.7, Dayton 7.1. FT Pct: Notre Dame 66.7, Dayton 80.0. Turnovers: Notre Dame 16, Dayton 26. Blocked Shots: Notre Dame 2, Dayton 5 (Wright 3). Steals: Notre Dame 8 (Duffy 4), Dayton 5. Attendance: 2,517.

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NOTES: Notre Dame improves to 22-6 all-time against Dayton, tying for the second-highest win total against one opponent in school history (Marquette - 25; Detroit - 22)... the Irish have now won four in a row and seven of their last eight games against the Flyers ... Notre Dame is 56-17 (.767) all-time against current Atlantic 10 Conference members, but defeats an A-10 institution on its home floor for the first time since Jan. 5, 1995, when the Irish ousted Xavier, 72-63 in Cincinnati ... a former member of the North Star Conference, Notre Dame is now 109-23 (.826) all-time against other former NSC members, having won 21 of its last 22 games against North Star alums ... the Irish held Dayton to an opponent season-low 39 points, the fewest Notre Dame has allowed in a game since March 2, 2004, in a 54-33 win over Syracuse at the Joyce Center ... the 26-point margin of victory also is the widest for Notre Dame since a 93-58 win over #21/19 Miami (Fla.) on Feb. 25, 2004, also at the Joyce a 193-58 win over #21/19 Miami (Fla.) on Feb. 25, 2004, also at the Joyce conter ... the Irish forced 26 turnovers Thursday night, the sixth time in nine games this year Notre Dame has come with 20-or-more takeaways

... Notre Dame also held UD to an opponent season-low .288 field goal percentage ... in their first three games of the season, Irish opponents were shooting .333 from the three-point line (17-for-51); in the past six games, Notre Dame is holding the opposition to a .165 three-point percentage (15-for-91), including a 1-for-14 effort by Dayton ... Notre Dame is 3-0 on the road this season, after opening last year with 0-4 and 1-7 marks in true road contests ... Notre Dame is bench accounted for 33 points in the win over Dayton ... the Irish freshmen class also made an impact, scoring 31 points and shooting .609 from the floor (14-for-23) ... freshman center Melissa D'Amico set a season high with 12 points on 6-for-8 shooting, while freshman guard Tulyah Gaines added a personal-best five points ... sophomore guard Breona Gray tied her career high with 12 points, matching the total she set earlier this season on Nov. 14 vs. Nebraska ... sophomore guard Susie Powers collected a career-high six rebounds and added three assists (she has nine assists and two turnovers this year) ... junior guard Megan Duffy logged a game-high five assists, the fifth time this season she has had a five-assist night ... Duffy also had four steals, giving her a team-high 23 thefts this season (2.56 per game).

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10 game

Notre Dame

#7/5 Notre Dame 72, Washington 58 December 11, 2004 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Washington	n (58)							
Player Bell Watson Hicks Burt O'Neill Craddock Florence Banks Castro Clark O'Hara Plouffe	min 26 25 21 33 28 10 12 16 5 2 17 5	fg-a 4-10 4-11 2-6 5-10 2-5 0-3 0-1 2-7 0-2 0-0 2-6 0-1	3fg-a 0-0 0-2 0-1 3-7 2-5 0-2 0-0 0-2 0-1 0-0 0-0	ft-a 0-0 0-1 2-2 3-3 0-0 0-0 0-1 2-3 0-0 0-0 4-4 0-0	reb 6 1 4 3 4 1 0 2 2 0 2	ast 1 3 3 1 3 0 2 1 2 1 0 0	<u>pf</u> 4 0 0 1 3 2 1 2 0 0 3 0	tp 8 8 6 16 6 0 0 6 0 0 8 0
Team Totals	200	21-62	5-20	11-14	3 28	17	16	58
Notre Dame Player Batteast Erwin	<u>min</u> 32 34	fg-a 7-13 9-9	3fg-a 0-0 0-0	<u>ft-a</u> 3-5 6-9	<u>reb</u> 10 7	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u> 4 3	<u>tp</u> 17 24
Borton Duffy Gray Gaines Allen Powers D'Amico Team	26 39 31 15 17 2 4	5-7 2-5 5-6 0-3 1-4 0-0 0-1	0-0 0-2 0-0 0-0 0-1 0-0 0-0	0-0 2-2 1-2 2-2 0-0 0-0 0-0	3 4 5 0 3 0 1 5	2 10 2 4 1 0	4 1 0 2 4 0 1	10 6 11 2 2 0 0
Duffy Gray Gaines Allen Powers D'Amico	39 31 15 17 2 4 200	2-5 5-6 0-3 1-4 0-0	0-0 0-2 0-0 0-0 0-1 0-0 0-0	0-0 2-2 1-2 2-2 0-0 0-0	3 4 5 0 3 0	10 2 4 1 0	4 1 0 2 4 0	6 11 2 2 0

FG Pct: Washington 33.9, Notre Dame 60.4. 3-PT FG Pct: Washington 25.0, Notre Dame 0.0. FT Pct: Washington 78.6, Notre Dame 70.0. Turnovers: Washington 14, Notre Dame 20. Blocked Shots: Washington 3, Notre Dame 1. Steals: Washington 10 (Burt 4), Notre Dame 10 (Duffy 3). Attendance: 5,407.

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NOTES: Notre Dame takes a 2-1 series lead over Washington, in what NOTES: Notre Dame takes a 2-1 series lead over Washington, in what was the Huskies' first-ever visit to South Bend ... the Irish also continue their recent success against Pac-10 opponents, winning for the 13th time in the past 15 games against teams from that league (2-0 this year with a Nov. 26 win at USC) ... Notre Dame shot a season-best 604 from the floor (29-for-48), the best single-game shooting percentage by an Irish team since Feb. 27, 2001 (.635 at Pittsburgh) ... Notre Dame's first five baskets came from five different starters and the Irish starting linear combined to shoot 700 (28 for 40) from the field. Notre Dame's 25 combined to shoot .700 (28-for-40) from the field ... Notre Dame's 25 assists on 29 field goals (.862) is the best assist percentage in a game for the Irish since Jan. 2, 2000, when Notre Dame had 26 assists on 29 baskets (.897) in a 75-60 win over Marquette ... The Irish are 9-1 after 10 games for the third time in school history – the others were 1998-99 (9-1) and 2000-01 (10-0) ... Notre Dame had four double-figure scorers for the fourth time this season, but first since they did so in each of their first three games (vs. Illinois State, Nebraska and #6 Duke) ... with her 9-for-9 shooting performance, sophomore forward Crystal Erwin tied an 18year-old Joyce Center record previously set by Sandy Botham vs. Evansville on Feb. 28, 1986; the only Irish player with a better shooting night than Erwin and Botham was Karen Robinson, who went 12-for-12 on the road at Saint Louis on Jan. 14, 1989 ... Erwin finished with a career-high 24 points, breaking the freshly-minted mark of 20 points she set nine days earlier on Dec. 2 in an overtime loss to then-#15 Michigan State Erwin also plucked a career-best seven rebounds, one more than her previous high which she had done twice before (most recently two nights earlier at Dayton) ... junior guard Megan Duffy dished out a career-high 10 assists, breaking her personal standard of nine assists which she set in last year's game at Washington (Dec. 7, 2003) ... Duffy also is the first lrish player to record 10 assists in a game since Niele lvey also had 10 handouts vs. Connecticut on Jan. 15, 2001 at the Joyce Center ... senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast notched her second doubledouble of the season (34th of her career) with 17 points and a game-high 10 rebounds

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#7/5 Notre Dame 50, Marquette 47 December 19, 2004 Al McGuire Center (Milwaukee, Wis.)

Notre Dam	e (50)						
<u>Player</u>	<u>min</u>	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u> <u>tp</u> 2 27
Batteast	40	9-16	1-3	8-8	10	3	
Erwin	26	1-5	0-0	0-0	3	1	4 2 4 3
Borton	22	1-1	0-0	1-2	2	1	4 3
Duffy	39	1-7	0-2	3-4	2	3	0 5
Gray	22	2-5	0-0	1-2	3	2	1 5
Gaines	12	0-2	0-0	2-2	2	0	1 2 3 4
Allen Powers	15 17	1-5 1-3	0-0 0-1	2-2 0-0	2 3 2 2 2	1	1 2
D'Amico	7	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	4 0
Team	1	0-2	0-0	0-0	5	U	4 0
Totals	200	16-46	1-6	17-20	31	11	20 50
Marquette	(47)						
Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf tp
Osagie	26	0-2	0-0	0-2	7	0	2 0
McCullough	29	1-4	0-1	0-0	3	1	3 2
Quaye	29	6-20	4 0				
			1-3	7-11	8	2	4 20
Kieger	40	2-9	1-3	2-2	4	6	1 7
Kamm	26	2-9 3-6	1-3 1-3	2-2 0-0	4	6 0	1 7 4 7
Kamm Shirley	26 6	2-9 3-6 0-0	1-3 1-3 0-0	2-2 0-0 0-0	4 2 1	6 0 0	1 7 4 7 1 0
Kamm Shirley Kovalenko	26 6 19	2-9 3-6 0-0 2-8	1-3 1-3 0-0 0-0	2-2 0-0 0-0 2-4	4 2 1 6	6 0 0 1	1 7 4 7 1 0 1 6
Kamm Shirley Kovalenko Juedes	26 6	2-9 3-6 0-0	1-3 1-3 0-0	2-2 0-0 0-0	4 2 1 6 6	6 0 0	1 7 4 7 1 0
Kamm Shirley Kovalenko	26 6 19	2-9 3-6 0-0 2-8	1-3 1-3 0-0 0-0	2-2 0-0 0-0 2-4	4 2 1 6	6 0 0 1	1 7 4 7 1 0 1 6

FG Pct: Notre Dame 34.8, Marquette 28.6. 3-PT FG Pct: Notre Dame 16.7, Marquette 26.7. FT Pct: Notre Dame 85.0, Marquette 57.9. Turnovers: Notre Dame 13, Marquette 19. Blocked Shots: Notre Dame 6 (Borton 3), Marquette 3. Steals: Notre Dame 11 (Duffy 7), Marquette 5 (Osaqie 3). Attendance: 2,573.

NOTES: Notre Dame picks up its 10th win of the season, the earliest the Irish have ever reached double-digit victories (in terms of the calendar); in 2000-01, Notre Dame got its 10th win on Dec. 21, ironically also at Marquette ... the Irish are now 4-0 on the road, marking just the fourth time in school history they have won their first four true road games in a season (also 1982-83, 1998-99 and 2000-01) ... Notre Dame jumps to 26-4 all-time against Marquette, the most victories against one opponent in school history ... the Irish also have won 25 of their last 26 matchups with the Golden Eagles, although the past three encounters have been decided by an average of only 6.0 ppg. ... Notre Dame is 110-23 (.827) all-time against former members of the North Star Conference (which included ND from 1983-88), including wins in 22 of their last 23 such matchups ... Notre Dame has won 12 of its last 13 games against Conference USA squads and is 49-21 (.700) all-time against that league, although the majority of those games came vs. Marquette, which will join the BIG EAST next season ... the Irish have held six of their last seven opponents to less than 60 points, including three games of under 50 points ... with the win over Marquette, Irish head coach Muffet McGraw registered her 394th victory at Notre Dame, passing former ND men's coach Digger Phelps for the most victories ever by a Notre Dame basketball coach (Phelps posted a 393-197 mark from 1971-91) ... the last-second three-pointer by senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast was unusual for Notre Dame, which had not had a buzzer-beating victory since Jan. 14, 1995, when Letitia Bowen hit a putback at the hom to win at Detroit, 67-65 ... Batteast notched her third double-double of the season and 35th ofher career with game highs of 27 points and 10 rebounds ... in addition, she moved into fifth place on Notre Dame's career rebounding list with 827 caroms, one more than Margaret Nowlin (826 from 1988-92) ... Batteast also scored her 1,500th career point on

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#6/4 Notre Dame 73, No. Illinois 49 December 30, 2004 Convocation Center (DeKalb, III.)

Notre Dame	e (73)							
<u>Player</u>	<u>min</u>	fg-a	<u>3fg-a</u>	ft-a	<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u> 3	<u>tp</u> 21
Batteast	30	8-12	1-1	4-4	3	2 2 4	3	21
Erwin Borton	17 23	2-6 1-2	0-0 0-0	2-3 4-4	3	2	4	6
Duffy	25	3-8	2-5	1-2		1	3	9
Gray	25	3-6	0-0	0-0	2 5	Ó	0	6
Gaines	27	4-6	0-0	4-5	7			12
Allen	19	2-4	0-0	1-1	5	2	2	5
Powers	12	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	2
Tsipis	4	0-1	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	2
D'Amico LaVere	9	0-1 1-2	0-0 0-0	2-4 0-0	3 1	1	4	2 2 2 2
Team	9	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	U	U	2
Totals	200	25-49	3-6	20-25	35	15	22	73
Northern III	inois	(49)						
<u>Player</u>	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u>	<u>tp</u>
Wilson	11	0-3	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	Ò
Wiener	33	4-9	0-0	6-9	3	3	5	14
Williamson	18	0-5 2-14	0-2 1-9	0-0 10-12	6 8	0	2	0 15
Raymond Basic	39 37	3-12	3-7	0-0	4	1	2	9
Uptmor	22	2-3	0-0	1-2	3	Ó	2 4	5
Sillar	15	0-2	0-1	0-0	Õ	ĭ	1	Ö
Lowe	40					•		
	13	1-3	0-0	2-2	4	0	1	4
Verdegan	13	1-3 1-4	0-0 0-3	0-0	3	2	1	2
Verdegan Team	12	1-4	0-3	0-0	3 4	2	1	2
Verdegan					3			4 2 49

FG Pct: Notre Dame 51.0, Northern Illinois 23.6. 3-PT FG Pct: Notre Dame 50.0, Northern Illinois 18.2. FT Pct: Notre Dame 80.0, Northern Illinois 76.1 Turnovers: Notre Dame 18, Northern Illinois 78.0 Blocked Shots: Notre Dame 5 (D'Amico 3), Northern Illinois 4. Steals: Notre Dame 12 (Borton 3), Northern Illinois 12 (Williamson 4). Attendance: 2149.

NOTES: Notre Dame moves to 11-1 this season, marking only the second time in school history the Irish have won 11 of their first 12 games (they went 23-0 to start the 2000-01 season) ... This year's club also joins the '00-01 squad as the only Notre Dame teams ever to win their first five true road games of the season (the 2000-01 team won its first 10 road contests) ... the Irish now are 8-5 all-time against Northern Illinois, including a 4-3 mark in DeKalb ... Notre Dame held the Huskies to their lowest point total in series history while also recording the largest margin of victory in the rivalry — there had previously been three 23-point wins in the series ... Notre Dame has won its last eight games against current Mid-American Conference teams, dating back to 1995 when NIU beat the Irish, 87-64, in DeKalb ... Thursday's game also was the last of four for Notre Dame this season against teams it used to play in the old North Star Conference; the Irish also have defeated Valparaiso, Dayton and Marquette Conterence; the insh also nave defeated Valparaiso, Dayton and Marquette and are now 111-23 (828) all-time against former NSC schools, including wins in 23 of their last 24 matchups ... Notre Dame held NIU to opponent season lows of 13 field goals and a .236 field goal percentage ... conversely, the Irish shot better than 50 percent from the field for the third time this season (.510, 25-for-49) ... for the first time this season, all 11 Irish players cracked the scoring column, with freshman walk-on guard Amanda Tsipis completing the feat on two free throws in the final five seconds ... senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast collected her fifth 20-point game of the season and 26th of her career, tying her with former teammate Alicia Ratay (1999-2003) for fifth place in school history ... Batteast also registered her 83rd double-figure scoring game, pushing her into sole possession of fifth place in that category, ahead of Karen Robinson (82 from 1987-91); Ratay is next in that department with 95 ... freshman guard Tulyah Gaines set new career highs with 12 points (previously had five at Dayton on Dec. 9) and seven rebounds (previously grabbed two on two occasions) ... senior center Teresa Borton reached a personal milestone vs. NIU, grabbing her 500th career rebound; she also tied her career bests with a game-high four assists and three steals.

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Notre Dame

#6/4 Notre Dame 54, Seton Hall 33 January 2, 2005 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Seton Hall	(33)							
Player Blake Costello Carroll Korpivaara Bush Ellis Labadie Sullivan Harris Shutz Phillip Team	min 22 23 25 35 33 13 3 19 11	fg-a 0-4 1-3 1-13 3-9 3-9 1-6 0-0 1-3 1-3	3fg-a 0-0 0-0 1-7 1-2 0-0 1-3 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-1 0-0	ft-a 2-4 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 2-2 0-0 2-2	reb 9 3 5 7 6 2 1 0 6 1 3 7	ast 1 0 1 1 4 0 0 0 0 2 0	<u>pf</u> 4 1 2 1 3 2 0 1 2 1 1	<u>tp</u> 2 2 3 7 6 3 0 4 2 4
Totals	200	12-54	3-13	6-8	50	9	18	33
Notre Dam	e (54)							
<u>Player</u>	min	fg-a	25	£4 -				
Batteast Erwin Borton Duffy Gray Gaines Allen Powers Tsipis D'Amico LaVere Team	36 23 26 32 15 17 24 3 2 3	8-13 2-7 2-4 3-11 0-6 0-4 1-4 0-0 0-1 1-1 3-4	3fg-a 0-1 0-0 0-0 1-6 0-0 0-0 0-1 0-0 0-0 0-0	<u>ft-a</u> 2-6 2-2 0-2 3-3 0-2 0-0 6-8 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-1	reb 7 8 1 4 4 1 3 1 0 1 3 2	2 1 1 3 2 2 2 0 0 0 2	<u>pf</u> 1 0 2 0 0 3 0 0 1 3	18 6 4 10 0 8 0 0 2 6
Batteast Erwin Borton Duffy Gray Gaines Allen Powers Tsipis D'Amico LaVere	36 23 26 32 15 17 24 3 2	8-13 2-7 2-4 3-11 0-6 0-4 1-4 0-0 0-1 1-1	0-1 0-0 0-0 1-6 0-0 0-0 0-1 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0	2-6 2-2 0-2 3-3 0-2 0-0 6-8 0-0 0-0 0-0	7 8 1 4 4 1 3 1 0 1 3	2 1 1 3 2 2 2 0 0	1 0 2 0 0 3 0 0 0	18 6 4 10 0 8 0 0 2

FG Pct: Seton Hall 22.2, Notre Dame 36.4.3-PTFG Pct: Seton Hall 23.1, Notre Dame 12.5. FTPct: Seton Hall 75.0, Notre Dame 54.2. Turnovers: Seton Hall 24, Notre Dame 8. Blocked Shots: Seton Hall 2, Notre Dame 2. Steals: Seton Hall 8 (Bush, Ellis 3), Notre Dame 14 (Duffy 6). Attendance: 6,188.

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NOTES: Notre Dame improves to 13-3 all-time against Seton Hall, including a 7-1 mark at the Joyce Center ... the Irish are now 7-3 in BIG EAST Conference openers and have won five of their last six BIG EAST lidlifters since joining the league prior to the 1995-96 season ... Notre Dame is now 21-7 (.750) all-time in its first game of the new year, including wins in 10 of its last 11 such contests ... Notre Dame held Seton Hall to an opponent season-low 33 points, the fewest by an Irish foe since last year's regular season finale (54-33 vs. Syracuse on March 2, 2004 at the Joyce Center) ... the 33 points also represented the fewest by either team in the 16-game series history ... in an ironic twist, the Pirates had no player score in double figures, after Notre Dame found itself in a similar predicament in last year's 51-45 loss at Seton Hall ... Notre Dame limited SHU to an opponent season-low .222 field goal percentage, the third consecutive game the Irish defense has come through with its best field goal percentage defense mark of the season ... the SHU game marked the eighth time in the past nine games Notre Dame has held an opponent under 60 points ... the Irish committed a season-low eight turnovers, the fewest giveaways by Notre Dame since a school-record seven turnovers vs. Virginia Tech on Jan. 26, 2002 at the Joyce Center ... conversely, Notre Dame caused 24 Seton Hall turnovers, marking the seventh time this season the Irish have come up with at least 20 takeaways ... Fourteen of those SHU turnovers came via Notre Dame steals, the seventh time this year and fourth game in a row that the Irish have had double-digit steals is ... junior guard Megan Duffy swiped six steals for her third six-steal game of the season ... sophomore forward Crystal Erwin grabbed a career-high eight rebounds, one more than her previous best set on Dec. 1 vs. Washington ... the Joyce Center crowd of 6,188 for the Seton Hall game was the second-largest of the season for the Irish, a scant two persons behind the Nov. 12 attendanc

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#4/3 Notre Dame 75, Syracuse 58 January 5, 2005 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Syracuse (5	58)							
<u>Player</u>	<u>min</u>	fg-a	3fg-a		<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u>	<u>pf</u>	<u>tp</u>
Adamson	40 17	5-21 1-1	0-4 0-0	0-0 2-4	6 7	2	3	10
Nwagbo Ellerbe	12	0-4	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	0
Richter	34	6-16	5-12	0-0	3	2	4	17
Kohn	36	4-10	3-8	0-0	1	0		11
Sipaviciute	23	4-8	0-0	1-2	4	0	2 5	9
Coleman	31	2-8	1-5	2-2	4	7	3	7
Harbut	3	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	0	0
Riley Team	4	0-1	0-0	0-0	2 9	1	0	0
Totals	200	22-70	9-29	5-8	37	15	18	58
Notre Dame	(75)							
Player	min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	<u>tp</u>
Batteast	28	5-13	1-2	4-4	7	4	1	15
Erwin	21	1-2	0-0	3-6	7	0	2	5
Borton	22	6-7	0-0	5-6	6	3	3	17
Duffy	39 32	6-11 6-12	3-6 0-0	2-2 5-7	3 7	6 4	2	17 17
Gray Gaines	15	0-12	0-0	0-0	3	2	0	0
Allen	16	0-4	0-0	0-0		1	0	0
Powers	9	0-2	0-2	0-0	3 1	Ö	Õ	Ö
Tsipis	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
D'Amico	11	2-5	0-0	0-0	2	1	2	4
LaVere	6	0-0	0-0	0-0		1	0	0
Team Totals	200	26-56	4-10	19-25	4 45	22	10	75
Iotais			7-10		73		10	13
Syracuse Notre Dame		25 33 39 36		58 75				

FG Pct: Syracuse 31.4, Notre Dame 46.4. 3-PT FG Pct: Syracuse 31.0, Notre Dame 40.0. FT Pct: Syracuse 62.5, Notre Dame 76.0. Turnovers: Syracuse 15, Notre Dame 17. Blocked Shots: Syracuse 5 (Sipaviciute 4), Notre Dame 3. Steals: Syracuse 9 (Richter 4), Notre Dame 8. Attendance: 5.173.

NOTES: Notre Dame improves to 17-2 all-time against Syracuse, including a 9-0 record at home ... the Irish also have won all 13 regular-season BIG EAST Conference games against the Orange and 14 of their last 15 overall vs. SU ... Notre Dame topped the 70-point mark against Syracuse for the 15th time in the 19-game series ... Notre Dame is 33-2 (.943) all-time against teams from the state of New York, including a 17-0 record at the Joyce Center ... the Irish grabbed 45 rebounds vs. Syracuse, their second-highest total of the season (49 vs. Nebraska on Nov. 14) ... Notre Dame had four double-figure scorers for the fifth time this season and first since Dec. 11 vs. Washington ... the Irish had 22 assists on 26 field goals against the Orange, their fourth 20-assist game of the year ... sophomore guard Breona Gray set new career highs with 17 points, five free throws and seven free throw attempts, while tying personal bests with six field goals, seven rebounds and four assists — ironically, Gray had a (then) career-high 11 points when Syracuse visited the Joyce Center last season ... senior center Teresa Borton scored a season-high 17 points ... senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast started for the 100th time in her career.

15 GAME

Villanova 59, #4/3 Notre Dame 54 January 9, 2005 The Pavilion (Villanova, Pa.)

Notre Dame	(54)								
Player Batteast Erwin Borton Duffy Gray Gaines Allen Powers D'Amico LaVere Team	min 36 9 37 40 35 7 14 2 2 18	8. 0 6 0 3 0 1	2-a -18 -0 -8 -2 -8 -0 -2 -0 -5	2-2 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0	### 4-6 4-6 3-4 5-6 2-3 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0 0-0	reb 6 1 5 3 4 0 4 0 1 2 7	2 1 0 7 0 0 1 0 0	pf 5 4 3 2 1 0 0 0 0 3	<u>tp</u> 22 3 17 2 6 0 2 0 2	
Totals	200	19	-43	2-2	14-19		11	18	54	
Villanova (5	9)									
Player Suez Adamshick Rediger Hilgenberg Viani McManus Witman Dessart Mager Levitsky Team Totals	min 33 40 18 8 35 32 8 22 4	2 11 1 0 1 1 0 5	9-a -8 -23 -4 -0 -4 -4 -3 -7 -0	3fg-a 1-3 2-8 0-0 0-0 0-2 1-3 0-0 0-0 0-0	<u>ft-a</u> 0-0 1-5 4-6 0-0 0-0 4-4 0-0 4-4 0-0	reb 5 5 2 0 1 3 2 0 6 27	ast 3 1 1 0 4 2 0 0 0	<u>pf</u> 3 3 4 0 0 1 0 3 0	<u>tp</u> 5 25 6 0 2 7 0 14 0	
TOTALS	200									
Notre Dame Villanova	200	24 25	30 34		54 59				00	

FG Pct: Notre Dame 44.2, Villanova 39.6. 3-PT FG Pct: Notre Dame 100.0, Villanova 25.0. FT Pct: Notre Dame 73.7, Villanova 68.4. Turnovers: Notre Dame 20, Villanova 10. Blocked Shots: Notre Dame 4, Villanova 5. Steals: Notre Dame 6, Villanova 9 (McManus 3). Attendance 1.759

NOTES: Villanova continues its recent hex over Notre Dame, defeating the Irish for fourth time in their last six meetings ... the past five regularseason games between Notre Dame and Villanova have been decided by season games between route Daine and vinianova have been declared as a total of 13 points (2.6 ppg.), with the outcome of all five games still in doubt inside the final minute ... the Irish had their five-game road winning streak snapped; however, Notre Dame still continues to play strong defense on the road in spite of the loss (allowing 51.5 ppg., .328 FG% .176 3FG%) ... the Irish have held seven consecutive opponents and 10 of their last 11 foes to less than 60 points ... the loss marked a rarity for Notre Dame — it's only the seventh time in the past decade the Irish have lost when allowing less than 60 points and three of those setbacks have come against Villanova (139-7, '952 overall; 10-1 this season) ... Notre Dame has held 10 of its last 11 opponents under 40 percent shooting; in fact, only three teams have shot 40 percent vs. the Irish all year (Illinois State - .446, Ohio State - .442 and Valparaiso - .411) ... Notre Dame also trailed at the half for only the fourth time this season (2-2 in those games) ... the Irish attempted a season-low 43 shots ... Notre Dame made both of its three-point attempts, the second time this year it's been perfect beyond the arc (5-5 vs. #6 Duke) ... the Irish tied their season low with 11 assists, although junior guard Megan Duffy had seven of those assists without a turnover while playing all 40 minutes ... Villanova tied a Notre Dame opponent season low with 27 rebounds ... senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast moved into fifth place on Notre Dame's career scoring list with 1,601 points, passing both Trena Keys (1,589 from 1982-86) and Karen Robinson (1,590 from 1987-91) ... Batteast also jumped into third place on the Notre Dame career blocked shots chart with 142 rejections, supplanting Katryna Gaither's 141 blocks from 1993-97 ... in addition, Batteast registered the 27th 20-point game of her career, moving past former teammate Alicia Ratay (26 from 1999-2003) into fifth place in school history for career 20-point games ... Batteast made the 101st start of her career (and 79th in a row), tying Sandy Botham (1984-88) for ninth place on the Irish career starts list ... senior center Teresa Borton tied her season high with 17 points for the second consecutive game (12-15 FG in those contests).

2004-05 Notre Dame Women's Basketball Box Scores

16 game

#16/16 Connecticut 67, #7/6 Notre Dame 50 January 12, 2005 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Connecticut (67

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Gaines Allen

LaVere

Team

ut (67)								
min	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	pf	tp	
31	8-15	0-0	3-7	5	0	2	19	
37	4-17	3-12	2-2	3	7	2	13	
37	4-9	0-0	0-0	9	3	2	8	
8	0-3	0-3	0-0	1	2	0	0	
15	0-1	0-1	2-2	2	2	0	2	
9	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	
1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	
23	6-8	0-0	3-6	6	2	0	15	
8	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	0	5	0	
31	3-7	2-4	2-2	3	1	1	10	
				5				
200	25-62	5-20	12-19	37	17	13	67	
e (50)								
min	fa-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	рf	tp	
			4-4	5		1	8	
19		0-0	5-6			5	11	
							7	
40	3-9	0-1	0-0	2	9	2	6	
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Connecticut 31 36 -- 67 Notre Dame 26 24 -- 50

20-52

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FG Pct: Connecticut 40.3, Notre Dame 38.5. 3-PT FG Pct: Connecticut 25.0, Notre Dame 0.0. FT Pct: Connecticut 63.2, Notre Dame 66.7. Turnovers: Connecticut 9, Notre Dame 17. Blocked Shots: Connecticut 6 (Houston 3), Notre Dame 5 (Borton 3), Steals: Connecticut 9 (Houston 3), Notre Dame 4. Attendance: 6,744.

NOTES: Notre Dame suffers its second consecutive loss after opening the season at 13-1 ... the 17-point margin of defeat was the largest by the Irish at home since a 72-53 setback vs. Connecticut on Jan. 20, 2003 ... UConn now leads the series, 16-3, including a 5-2 mark at the Joyce Center ... twice in the series, 16-3, including a 5-2 mark at the Joyce Center ... twice in the series, the Huskies have been ranked lower than Notre Dame, and both times they have won (also 78-76 on March 6, 2001 in the BIG EAST Championship final) ... Notre Dame loses consecutive conference games for the first time since Jan. 18 & 20, 2003, when it fell to Rutgers (64-61) and Connecticut (72-53) ... the loss was just the fourth all-time for Notre Dame when it's playing at home as a top-10 team (now 48-4) ... the Irish matched their season-low point production with 50 points (also at Marquette on Dec. 19) ... UConn's 67 points are the most allowed by Notre Dame since an 82-73 overtime loss to (then) No. 15 Michigan State on Dec. 2 ... Connecticut is only the fourth Notre Dame opponent to shoot 40 percent from the floor this year, and the first in nine games, joining Illinios State (446), Ohio State (442) and Valparaiso (.411) ... senior All-America forward Jacqueline Batteast was held to single-digit scoring for only the second time all season (seven points a Dayton on Dec. 9) ... Batteast did move into fourth place on Notre Dame's career rebounding list with 855 caroms, passing Mary Beth Schueth (853 from 1981-85) ... Batteast also made her 80th consecutive start and 102nd of her career, tying Letitia Bowen (1991-95) for eighth place on the Irish all-time starts list ... junior guard Megan Duffy posted her ninth five-assist game of the season, finishing one away from her career reingh (10 assists vs. Washington on Dec. 11); in her last three games, Duffy is averaging 7.3 assists per contest (22 total) ... sophomore forward Crystal Erwin led the Irish in scoring for the third time this year and cracked double figures for the fifth

17 game

#7/6 Notre Dame 86, #20/20 Purdue 69 BIG EAST/Big Ten Challenge January 16, 2005 Joyce Center (Notre Dame, Ind.)

Purdue (69)

i didde (00)									
Player	<u>min</u>	fg-a	3fg-a	ft-a	reb	ast	<u>pf</u>	<u>tp</u>	
Wisdom-Hylton	28	4-7	1-2	1-1	1	3	3	10	
Lawless	32	6-8	3-3	1-2	3	2	2	16	
Heikes	26	4-8	0-0	2-2	9	3	3	10	
Gearlds	35	5-15	0-5	4-4	1	0	1	14	
Pollack	27	2-4	0-0	0-0	1	7	2	4	
Bogdanova	3	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	2	
Traore	11	0-1	0-1	1-2	1	0	3	1	
Mays	4	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	0	
Jackson	23	4-11	2-6	0-0	5	2	3	10	
Duncan	11	0-1	0-0	2-2	3	1	1	2	
Team					5				
Totals	200	26-58	6-17	11-13	31	19	19	69	

Notre Dame (86)

<u>Player</u>	<u>min</u>	fg-a	<u>3fg-a</u>	<u>ft-a</u>	<u>reb</u>	<u>ast</u>	pf	<u>tp</u>	
Batteast	32	7-17	1-2	6-7	11	5	2	21	
Erwin	16	2-4	0-0	0-0	2	1	3	4	
Borton	31	8-11	0-0	2-3	9	1	2	18	
Duffy	37	4-7	3-4	8-8	2	6	1	19	
Gray	25	2-5	1-1	0-0	3	5	2	5	
Gaines	13	3-4	0-0	1-2	2	2	0	7	
Allen	32	2-10	1-1	3-4	2	2	1	8	
Powers	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	
Tsipis	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	
D'Amico	2	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	
LaVere	8	2-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	2	4	
Team					3				
Totals	200	30-62	6-8	20-24	36	22	13	86	

Purdue 38 31 -- 69 Notre Dame 54 32 -- 86

FG Pct: Purdue 44.8, Notre Dame 48.4. 3-PTFG Pct: Purdue 35.3, Notre Dame 75.0. FT Pct: Purdue 84.6, Notre Dame 83.3. Turnovers: Purdue 21, Notre Dame 15. Blocked Shots: Purdue 4, Notre Dame 4 (Batteast 3). Steals: Purdue 8, Notre Dame 6. Attendance: 7,282.

NOTES: Notre Dame snaps a four-game series losing streak vs. Purdue, defeating the Boilermakers for the first time since the 2001 NCAA championship game (68-66) ... it's also the first regular-season win for the Irish over Purdue since Dec. 9, 2000 (72-61 at the Joyce Center) ... Notre Dame's 86 points are the most it has ever scored against the Boilermakers, and are one shy of the most by either team in the 18-game series (both marks set in an 87-83 Purdue win on Nov. 30, 1994 at Notre Dame in the series (previously: 73-60 on March 15, 1996 in the first round of the NCAA Tournament at Lubbock, Texas) ... Sunday's win is the third of the season for Notre Dame vs. a top 25 opponent and the 33rd victory over a ranked opponent for the Irish in the past seven seasons (1998-99 to present) ... the Irish posted their second-highest point total of the season (92 vs. Illinois State on Nov. 12) ... Notre Dame's 54 first-half points were a season high for markers in either half, and were the most in the opening period since a school-record 61 points vs. Cleveland State on Nov. 26, 2002 at the Joyce Center ... the Irish tallied a season-high six three-point field goals, all in the first half, to top the mark of five set against both Illinois State (Nov. 12) and No. 6 Duke (Nov. 17) ... the Irish are 35-5 (.875) in "bounce back" games — the first contest after a double-digit loss — and 22-1 (.957) in home "bounce back" games since joining the BG EAST Conference in 1995-96 ... Notre Dame finishes the regular season with a winning record (2-1) vs. the Big Ten Conference for the first time since the 2000-01 campaign, when it would up going 4-0 against Big Ten teams (1-0 vs. Georgia and Michigan, 2-0 vs. Purdue) en route to the national championship ... senior All-America forward Jacquelline Batteast collected her fourth double-double of the season and 36th of her career, tying her with Ruth Riley (1997-2001) for second place on the Irish career double-doubles list; Kaltyna Gaither holds the record with 40 double-dips from 1993

#1 Tulyah Gaines

Guard • 5-6 • Fr.-HS • North Las Vegas, Nev. (Cheyenne HS)

2004-05 Highlights

- Played five minutes in season opener vs. Illinois State before leaving with neck injury.
- Returned after four-game absence to log two points, two rebounds and two steals at USC.
- Grabbed two rebounds in victory at Valparaiso.
- · Dished out two assists against Michigan State.
- · Scored five points in 16 minutes at Dayton.
- Distributed a season-best four assists against Washington.
- Had two points and two rebounds at Marquette.
- Turned in best outing of young career with personal bests of 12 points (4-6 FG, 4-5 FT) and seven rebounds in 27 minutes at Northern Illinois.
- Came up with career-high three steals in win over Seton Hall.
- · Picked up two assists and a steal against Connecticut.
- Tallied seven points (3-4 FG), two assists and two rebounds in 13 minutes against Purdue.

2004-05 Game-By-Game Statistics

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	Α	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N12	Illinois State	5	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
N14	Nebraska	Dic	d not play - I	NJ										
N17	#6/6 Duke	Dic	d not play - I	NJ										
N20	#10/9 Ohio State	Dic	d not play - I	NJ										
N22	Colorado State	Dic	d not play - I	NJ										
N26	at USC	14	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	2	3	0	2	2
N30	at Valparaiso	12	0-2	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	0	0	3	0	1	0
D2	#15/15 Michigan St.	10	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	2	2	0	0	0
D9	at Dayton	16	1-3	0-0	3-4	1	0	1	2	0	5	0	0	5
D11	Washington	15	0-3	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	2	4	3	0	1	2
D19	at Marquette	12	0-2	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	1	0	2	0	1	2
D30	at Northern Illinois	27	4-6	0-0	4-5	0	7	7	2	2	4	0	2	12
J2	Seton Hall*	17	0-4	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	3	2	0	0	3	0
J5	Syracuse*	15	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	0	2	1	0	0	0
J9	at Villanova*	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0
J12	#16/16 Connecticut*	11	0-2	0-0	0-2	0	1	1	1	2	2	0	1	0
J16	#20/20 Purdue	13	3-4	0-0	1-2	0	2	2	0	2	2	0	1	7
J19	at Syracuse*													
J23	Rutgers*													
J26	St. John's*													
J30	at Connecticut*													
F2	Boston College*													
F5	at Pittsburgh*													
F9	at Providence*													
F12	Georgetown*													
F15	at Boston College*													
F19	at Rutgers*													
F26	West Virginia*													
M2	at Seton Hall*													
* - indic	cates BIG EAST Conference game // ^ - indicates game started													

Gaines' Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	OR	DR	Tot	Avg	PF-DQ	Α	Т	В	S	Pts	Avg
2004-05	13-0	174-13.4	9-30	.300	0-0	.000	12-17	.706	5	15	20	1.5	14-0	18	31	0	12	30	2.3
TOTALS	13-0	174-13.4	9-30	.300	0-0	.000	12-17	.706	5	15	20	1.5	14-0	18	31	0	12	30	2.3



Career Highs

Free Throw Attempts

Blocked Shots

Minutes Played

Miscellaneous

(noted in season/career format)

Career 5 at Northern Illinois (12/30/04)

Career 3 vs. Seton Hall (1/2/05)

Career None

Career ... 27 at Northern Illinois (12/30/04)

 Double-doubles
 0/0

 Double-figure scoring games
 1/1

 20-point games
 0/0

 Double-figure rebound games
 0/0

 5-assist games
 0/0

 Double-figure assist games
 0/0

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Points Career 12 at Northern Illinois (12/30/04)
Rebounds Career 7 at Northern Illinois (12/30/04)
Assists Career 4 vs. Washington (12/11/04)
Field Goals Career 4 at Northern Illinois (12/30/04)
Field Goal Attempts Career 6 at Northern Illinois (12/30/04)
Three-Point Field Goals CareerNone
Three-Point Field Goal Attempts CareerNone
Free Throws Career 4 at Northern Illinois (12/30/04)

#2 Charel Allen

Guard • 5-11 • Fr.-HS • Monessen, Pa. (Monessen HS)

2004-05 Highlights

- Scored 14 points and grabbed team-high six rebounds in collegiate debut vs. Illinois State.
- Plucked eight rebounds (second on team) in victory over Nebraska.
- Came off bench to score 16 points (14 in the second half), including two critical three-pointers in win vs. Duke.
- Made all three of her shots, finishing with six points and five rebounds in Preseason WNIT title game vs. Ohio State.
- Pinched season-high five steals against Colorado State.
- Had six points (including go-ahead bucket with 5:48 left) in victory at USC.
- Scored six points for fourth consecutive game and added season-high nine rebounds at Valparaiso.
- Tallied seven points, five rebounds and three assists before fouling out against Michigan State.
- Rang up team-high 14 points (7-12 FG) in only 16 minutes at Dayton.
- Collected five points and five rebounds at Northern Illinois.
- Logged eight points and three rebounds in conference debut vs. Seton Hall.
- Knocked down first four shots vs. Connecticut, finishing with eight points and six rebounds in 28 minutes.
- Piled up eight points and matched season high with 32 minutes played against Purdue.

2004-05 Game-By-Game Statistics

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	Α	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N12	Illinois State	27	4-9	0-1	6-7	4	2	6	3	3	2	1	2	14
N14	Nebraska	28	1-6	0-0	0-0	3	5	8	0	3	1	0	1	2
N17	#6/6 Duke	32	6-13	2-2	2-2	2	1	3	2	3	2	2	3	16
N20	#10/9 Ohio State	22	3-3	0-0	0-0	1	4	5	2	1	1	0	1	6
N22	Colorado State	31	2-7	0-1	2-2	2	2	4	0	1	2	2	5	6
N26	at USC	23	2-3	0-0	2-4	0	4	4	3	1	3	0	0	6
N30	at Valparaiso	31	1-4	0-0	4-4	4	5	9	3	2	3	0	0	6
D2	#15/15 Michigan St.	23	1-2	0-0	5-6	3	2	5	5	3	2	1	2	7
D9	at Dayton	16	7-12	0-1	0-0	1	1	2	2	2	2	0	1	14
D11	Washington	17	1-4	0-1	0-0	0	3	3	4	1	1	0	0	2
D19	at Marquette	15	1-5	0-0	2-2	0	2	2	3	0	5	0	0	4
D30	at Northern Illinois	19	2-4	0-0	1-1	0	5	5	3	2	0	1	0	5
J2	Seton Hall*	24	1-4	0-1	6-8	1	2	3	0	2	0	0	0	8
J5	Syracuse*	16	0-4	0-0	0-0	0	3	3	0	1	3	0	0	0
J9	at Villanova*	14	1-2	0-0	0-0	2	2	4	0	1	3	0	0	2
J12	#16/16 Connecticut*	28	4-6	0-0	0-0	2	4	6	4	1	0	0	0	8
J16	#20/20 Purdue	32	2-10	1-1	3-4	1	1	2	1	2	1	0	0	8
J19	at Syracuse*													
J23	Rutgers*													
J26	St. John's*													
J30	at Connecticut*													
F2	Boston College*													
F5	at Pittsburgh*													
F9	at Providence*													
F12	Georgetown*													
F15	at Boston College*													
F19	at Rutgers*													
F26	West Virginia*													
M2	at Seton Hall*													
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Allen's Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF-DQ	Α	Т	В	S	Pts	Avg
2004-05	17-0	398-23.4	39-98	.398	3-8	.375	33-40	.825	26	48	74	4.4	35-1	29	31	7	15	114	6.7
TOTALS	17-0	398-23.4	39-98	.398	3-8	.375	33-40	.825	26	48	74	4.4	35-1	29	31	7	15	114	6.7



Career Highs

Points Career 16 vs. Duke (11/17/04)
Rebounds Career 9 at Valparaiso (11/30/04)
Assists Career 3, four times (MR: vs. MSU, 12/2/04)
Field Goals Career 7 at Dayton (12/9/04)
Field Goal Attempts Career
Three-Point Field Goals Career 2 vs. Duke (11/17/04)
Three-Point Field Goal Attempts Career 2 vs. Duke (11/17/04)
Free Throws
Career 6, twice (MR: vs. Seton Hall, 1/2/05)
Career 6, twice (MR: vs. Seton Hall, 1/2/05) Free Throw Attempts
Career 6, twice (MR: vs. Seton Hall, 1/2/05) Free Throw Attempts Career 8 vs. Seton Hall (1/2/05) Steals
Career 6, twice (MR: vs. Seton Hall, 1/2/05) Free Throw Attempts Career 8 vs. Seton Hall (1/2/05) Steals Career 5 vs. Colorado State (11/22/04) Blocked Shots

Miscellaneous

(noted in season/career format)

Double-doubles 0/0 Double-figure scoring games 3/3 20-point games 0/0 Double-figure rebound games 0/0 5-assist games 0/0 5-steal games 1/1

*3 Susie Powers

Guard • 5-10 • So.-1V • Centennial, Colo. (Highlands Ranch HS)

2004-05 Highlights

- · Set new career highs with six points, four assists and two three-pointers in season-opening victory over Illinois State.
- · Had two rebounds against Nebraska.
- · Collected two rebounds and two assists in win over Colorado State.
- Picked up a steal in four minutes at USC.
- Had one rebound in seven minutes at Valparaiso.
- · Played four minutes against Michigan State.
- · Snared career-high six rebounds and dished out three assists in season-best 20 minutes at Dayton.
- · Logged two points and two rebounds at Marquette.
- Carded two points and a rebound at Northern Illinois.



Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	Α	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N12	Illinois State	19	2-6	2-4	0-0	0	2	2	1	4	0	0	1	6
N14	Nebraska	10	0-2	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
N17	#6/6 Duke		Did not play											
N20	#10/9 Ohio State		Did not play											
N22	Colorado State	12	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	1	2	0	2	1	0	0	0
N26	at USC	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
N30	at Valparaiso	7	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
D2	#15/15 Michigan St.	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D9	at Dayton	20	1-7	0-2	0-0	3	3	6	0	3	1	1	1	2
D11	Washington	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
D19	at Marquette	17	1-3	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	1	1	0	0	1	2
D30	at Northern Illinois	12	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	2
J2	Seton Hall*	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
J5	Syracuse*	9	0-2	0-2	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
J9	at Villanova*	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J12	#16/16 Connecticut*		Did not play											
J16	#20/20 Purdue	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J19	at Syracuse*													
J23	Rutgers*													
J26	St. John's*													
J30	at Connecticut*													
F2	Boston College*													
F5	at Pittsburgh*													
F9	at Providence*													
F12	Georgetown*													
F15	at Boston College*													
F19	at Rutgers*													
F26	West Virginia*													
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Powers' Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF-DQ	Α	Т	В	s	Pts	Avg
2003-04	21-0	123-5.9	4-18	.222	2-13	.154	3-7	.429	4	15	19	0.9	5-0	10	14	0	5	13	0.6
2004-05	14-0	123-8.8	4-21	.190	1-10	.100	0-0	.000	5	13	18	1.3	3-0	11	4	1	4	9	0.6
TOTALS	35-0	246-7.0	8-39	.205	3-23	.130	3-7	.429	9	28	37	1.1	8-0	21	18	1	9	22	0.6



Career Highs

Points Career 6 vs. Illinois State (11/12/04)
Rebounds Career 6 at Dayton (12/9/04)
Assists Career 4 vs. Illinois State (11/12/04)
Field Goals Career 2, twice (MR: vs. III. St., 11/12/04)
Field Goal Attempts Career 7 at Dayton (12/9/04)
Three-Point Field Goals Career 2 vs. Illinois State (11/12/04)
Three-Point Field Goal Attempts Career 4, twice (MR: vs. III. St., 11/12/04)
Free Throws Career 2 at Michigan State (11/26/03)
Free Throw Attempts Career 2, three times (MR: vs. Prov., 2/14/04)
Steals Career 3 vs. Dayton (12/13/03)
Blocked Shots Career 1 at Dayton (12/9/04)
Minutes Played Career 22 vs. Dayton (12/13/03)

Miscellaneous

(noted in season/career format)

 Double-doubles
 0/0

 Double-figure scoring games
 0/0

 20-point games
 0/0

 Double-figure rebound games
 0/0

 5-assist games
 0/0

 Double-figure assist games
 0/0

#11 Amanda Tsipis

Guard • 5-10 • Fr.-HS • Perry, Ohio (Perry HS)

2004-05 Highlights

- Scored first collegiate basket on baseline jumper late in season-opening victory vs. Illinois State.
- · Tallied her first career assist in win at Dayton.
- · Converted both of her free throw attempts (first of her career) at Northern Illinois.

2004-05 Game-By-Game Statistics

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	Α	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N12	Illinois State	4	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
N14	Nebraska	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N17	#6/6 Duke		Did not play											
N20	#10/9 Ohio State		Did not play											
N22	Colorado State	3	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N26	at USC		Did not play											
N30	at Valparaiso		Did not play											
D2	#15/15 Michigan St.		Did not play											
D9	at Dayton	4	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
D11	Washington		Did not play											
D19	at Marquette		Did not play											
D30	at Northern Illinois	4	0-1	0-0	2-2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
J2	Seton Hall*	2	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J5	Syracuse*	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J9	at Villanova*		Did not play											
J12	#16/16 Connecticut*		Did not play											
J16	#20/20 Purdue	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
J19	at Syracuse*													
J23	Rutgers*													
J26	St. John's*													
J30	at Connecticut*													
F2	Boston College*													
F5	at Pittsburgh*													
F9	at Providence*													
F12	Georgetown*													
F15	at Boston College*													
F19	at Rutgers*													
F26	West Virginia*													
M2	at Seton Hall*													
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Tsipis' Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF-DQ	Α	Т	В	S	Pts	Avg
2004-05	8-0	22-2.8	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	1	0	0	0	4	0.5
TOTALS	8-0	22-2.8	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	2-2	1.000	0	0	0	0.0	0-0	1	0	0	0	4	0.5



Career Highs

Points Career 2, twice (MR: at NIU, 12/30/04)
Rebounds Career None
Assists Career 1 at Dayton (12/9/04)
Field Goals Career 1 vs. Illinois State (11/12/04)
Field Goal Attempts Career 1, three times (MR: vs. SHU, 1/2/05)
Three-Point Field Goals CareerNone
Three-Point Field Goal Attempts Career None
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Career None Free Throws
Career None Free Throws Career 2 at Northern Illinois (12/30/04) Free Throw Attempts
Career None Free Throws Career 2 at Northern Illinois (12/30/04) Free Throw Attempts Career 2 at Northern Illinois (12/30/04) Steals

Miscellaneous

(noted in season/career format)

 Double-doubles
 0/0

 Double-figure scoring games
 0/0

 20-point games
 0/0

 Double-figure rebound games
 0/0

 5-assist games
 0/0

 Double-figure assist games
 0/0

#12 Teresa Borton

Center • 6-3 • Sr.-3V • Yakima, Wash. (West Valley HS)

2004-05 Highlights

- Scored 11 points (4-7 FG) and added five rebounds in season opener against Illinois State.
- Notched third career double-double (first since Feb. 5, 2002 at Pittsburgh) with 13 points and career-high tying 11 rebounds in victory over Nebraska.
- Had three blocks and limited Duke's Mistie Williams to 10 points (with six turnovers) in victory over Blue Devils.
- Became seventh player in school history with 100 career blocks after swatting two shots vs. Ohio State.
- Tallied nine points and five rebounds against Colorado State.
- · Game at USC was 100th of her career (has not missed a game at Notre Dame); had two points and five rebounds.
- Recorded six points and nine rebounds in victory at Valparaiso.
- · Just missed double-double vs. Michigan State, finishing with nine points, nine rebounds and career-high six blocks.
- Scored eight points (3-4 FG) in 20 minutes at Dayton.
- Returned to double figures with 10 ponts (5-7 FG) and added two steals vs. Washington.
- Blocked three shots in win at Marguette.
- · Tied career highs with game-best four assists and three steals at Northern Illinois; also grabbed 500th career rebound.
- Collected 17 points (6-7 FG) in only 22 minutes against Syracuse.

Min FG-FGA

- Added 17 points (6-8 FG) for second consecutive game in career-high tying 37 minutes at Villanova.
- Posted game highs of nine rebounds and three blocks while hitting 3-of-5 shots against Connecticut.

3FG-FGA FT-FTA

• Scored season-high 18 points (8-11 FG) and grabbed nine rebounds vs. Purdue.

2004-05 Game-By-Game Statistics

Date Opponent

Date	Орропені	IVIIII	ru-rua	3FG-FGA	ri-ria	OII	Dei	101	rr	А	10	DIK	่อแ	ris
N12	Illinois State [^]	16	4-7	0-0	3-4	4	1	5	2	2	1	1	0	11
N14	Nebraska^	24	6-10	0-0	1-1	5	6	11	3	1	0	2	0	13
N17	#6/6 Duke^	29	3-7	0-0	1-2	3	3	6	3	1	0	3	0	7
N20	#10/9 Ohio State^	23	1-4	0-0	2-2	2	2	4	3	1	0	2	1	4
N22	Colorado State [^]	19	3-6	0-0	3-3	4	1	5	4	0	4	1	0	9
N26	at USC [^]	21	1-3	0-0	0-2	0	5	5	4	1	3	1	0	2
N30	at Valparaiso^	23	2-4	0-0	2-2	3	6	9	4	1	2	1	0	6
D2	#15/15 Michigan St./	^ 33	3-8	0-0	3-4	6	3	9	2	2	2	6	2	9
D9	at Dayton^	20	3-4	0-0	2-4	1	3	4	2	0	1	0	0	8
D11	Washington [^]	26	5-7	0-0	0-0	2	1	3	4	2	4	1	2	10
D19	at Marquette [^]	22	1-1	0-0	1-2	0	2	2	4	1	0	3	1	3
D30	at Northern Illinois [^]	23	1-2	0-0	4-4	1	3	4	3	4	4	1	3	6
J2	Seton Hall* [^]	26	2-4	0-0	0-2	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	4
J5	Syracuse* [^]	22	6-7	0-0	5-6	5	1	6	3	3	2	0	2	17
J9	at Villanova*^	37	6-8	0-0	5-6	1	4	5	3	0	2	2	2	17
J12	#16/16 Connecticut*	^ 29	3-5	0-0	1-3	2	7	9	3	0	0	3	0	7
J16	#20/20 Purdue^	31	8-11	0-0	2-3	5	4	9	2	1	2	1	1	18
J19	at Syracuse*													
J23	Rutgers*													
J26	St. John's*													
J30	at Connecticut*													
F2	Boston College*													
F5	at Pittsburgh*													
F9	at Providence*													
F12	Georgetown*													
F15	at Boston College*													
F19	at Rutgers*													
F26	West Virginia*													
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Borton's Career Statistics

Season 2001-02	GP-GS 30-6	MinAvg. 609-20.3	FG-FGA 76-153	Pct. .497	3FG-3FGA 0-0	Pct. .000	FT-FTA 27-57	Pct. .474	Off 79	Def 66	Tot 145	Avg 4.8	PF-DQ 62-2	A 31	T 31	B 19	S 13	Pts 179	Avg 6.0
2002-03	32-32	778-24.3	108-188	.574	0-0	.000	41-59	.695	66	94	160	5.0	69-2	28	41	42	24	257	8.0
2003-04	32-20	633-19.8	74-140	.529	0-0	.000	37-52	.712	58	71	129	4.0	64-2	32	33	32	18	185	5.8
2004-05	17-17	424-24.9	58-98	.592	0-0	.000	35-50	.700	44	53	97	5.7	51-0	21	27	28	14	151	8.9
TOTALS	111-75	2444-22.0	316-579	.546	0-0	.000	140-218	.642	247	284	531	4.8	246-6	112	132	121	69	772	7.0



Career Highs

Points Career 21 at Connecticut (2/23/03)
Rehounds

Career 11, three times (MR: vs. Neb., 11/14/04)

Assists

Career 4, four times (MR: at NIU, 12/30/04)

Field Goals

Pts

Blk Stl

Career ... 9, twice (MR: vs. Clev. St., 11/26/03)

Field Goal Attempts

Career .. 13 vs. Cleveland State (11/26/03)

Free Throws
Career 7, twice (MR: vs. Pitt., 2/26/03)

Free Throw Attempts

Career 7, four times (MR: vs. VT, 1/10/04)

Steals

Career 3, twice (MR: at NIU, 12/30/04)

Blocked Shots

Career 6 vs. Michigan State (12/2/04)

Minutes Played

Career ... 37, three times (MR: at Villanova, 1/9/05)

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles	1/3
Double-figure scoring games	6/30
20-point games	0/2
Double-figure rebound games	1/6
5-block games	1/3
(noted in season/career format)	

13 Megan Duffy

Guard • 5-7 • Jr.-2V • Dayton, Ohio (Chaminade-Julienne HS)

2004-05 Highlights

- Had 12 points (4-7 FG, 2-3 3FG) and dished out eight assists with only two turnovers in win over Illinois State.
- Contributed seven points, five rebounds and game-high three steals against Nebraska.
- Tallied 15 points and seven assists vs. Duke; also made 9-10 FT, including 7-8 in final 3:10.
- Scored 15 points (5-7 FG, 3-4 3FG) and handed out six assists in Preseason WNIT title game vs. Ohio State.
- · Picked up game-high 15 points (6-6 FT), five assists and career-best seven steals against Colorado State.
- Scored 12 points (8-8 FT), including four key free throws in final half-minute of victory at USC.
- Poured in season-high 20 points (including 500th of her career) with no turnovers in 39 minutes at Valparaiso.
- Registered 19 points while playing all 45 minutes in overtime loss vs. Michigan State.
- Had five assists and four steals in homecoming victory at Dayton.
- Dealt out a career-high 10 assists and added three steals against Washington.
- Matched career high with seven steals at Marguette.
- Opened each half at Northern Illinois with three-pointer, but wound up playing season-low 25 minutes.
- · Returned to double figures with 10 points and a game-high six steals against Seton Hall.
- · Shared game-high scoring honors vs. Syracuse with 17 points (6-11 FG, 3-6 3FG), while adding six assists.
- Distributed seven assists without a turnover while playing all 40 minutes at Villanova.
- · Recorded game-high nine assists vs. Connecticut in her fifth 40-minute game of year.

Min FG-FGA 3FG-FGA FT-FTA

• Poured in 19 points (17 in first half), including 3-4 3FG, and added six assists in victory over Purdue.

2004-05 Game-By-Game Statistics

Date	Орропені	IVIIII	FG-FGA	JEG-EGA	FIFTIA	OII	Dei	101	FF	А	10	DIK	Su	ris
N12	Illinois State [^]	36	5-8	3-4	2-2	0	1	1	1	8	2	0	2	15
N14	Nebraska^	34	1-8	1-5	4-4	0	5	5	1	3	1	0	3	7
N17	#6/6 Duke^	40	2-3	2-2	9-10	0	3	3	1	7	3	0	0	15
N20	#10/9 Ohio State^	40	5-7	3-4	2-2	0	3	3	2	6	9	0	2	15
N22	Colorado State [^]	36	4-9	1-4	6-6	0	1	1	1	5	1	0	7	15
N26	at USC [^]	33	2-6	0-3	8-8	0	4	4	2	2	5	0	2	12
N30	at Valparaiso [^]	39	6-13	2-6	6-6	1	4	5	2	4	0	0	2	20
D2	#15/15 Michigan St.	^ 45	5-13	3-6	6-8	0	5	5	3	0	2	0	1	19
D9	at Dayton^	33	2-6	1-2	0-0	1	1	2	2	5	2	0	4	5
D11	Washington [^]	39	2-5	0-2	2-2	0	4	4	1	10	6	0	3	6
D19	at Marquette [^]	39	1-7	0-2	3-4	1	1	2	0	3	1	0	7	5
D30	at Northern Illinois [^]	25	3-8	2-5	1-2	0	2	2	3	1	0	0	1	9
J2	Seton Hall* [^]	32	3-11	1-6	3-3	1	3	4	0	3	3	0	6	10
J5	Syracuse*^	39	6-11	3-6	2-2	0	3	3	2	6	5	0	2	17
J9	at Villanova*^	40	0-2	0-0	2-3	0	3	3	2	7	0	0	1	2
J12	#16/16 Connecticut*	^ 40	3-9	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	2	9	7	0	1	6
J16	#20/20 Purdue^	37	4-7	3-4	8-8	0	2	2	1	6	3	0	2	19
J19	at Syracuse*													
J23	Rutgers*													
J26	St. John's*													
J30	at Connecticut*													
F2	Boston College*													
F5	at Pittsburgh*													
F9	at Providence*													
F12	Georgetown*													
F15	at Boston College*													
F19	at Rutgers*													
F26	West Virginia*													
M2	at Seton Hall*													
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Duffy's Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF-DQ	Α	Т	В	s	Pts	Avg
2002-03	32-5	748-23.4	22-91	.242	7-35	.200	45-59	.763	9	51	60	1.9	59-1	73	78	1	26	96	3.0
2003-04	32-31	1066-33.3	93-231	.403	46-114	.404	86-105	.819	11	82	93	2.9	56-0	125	92	1	45	318	9.9
2004-05	17-17	627-36.9	54-133	.406	25-62	.403	64-70	.914	4	47	51	3.0	26-0	85	50	0	46	197	11.6
TOTALS	81-53	2441-30.1	169-455	.371	78-211	.370	195-234	.833	24	180	204	2.5	141-1	283	220	2	117	611	7.5



Career Highs

Points Career 25 vs. Wisconsin (12/4/03)
Rebounds Career 8 vs. Villanova (3/9/03)
Assists Career 10 vs. Washington (12/11/04)
Field Goals Career 8 vs. Wisconsin (12/4/03)
Field Goal Attempts Career 13, twice (MR: vs. MSU, 12/2/04)
Three-Point Field Goals Career 6 vs. Wisconsin (12/4/03)
Three-Point Field Goal Attempts Career 10 vs. Wisconsin (12/4/03)
Free Throws Career
Free Throw Attempts Career
Steals Career 7, twice (MR: at Marquette, 12/19/04)
Blocked Shots Career 1, twice (MR: at Colo., 11/15/04)

Minutes Played

Career 45 vs. Michigan State (12/2/04)

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles	0/0
Double-figure scoring games .	10/29
20-point games	1/3
Double-figure assist games	1/1
5-assist games	10/27
5-steal games	3/3
(noted in season/career format)	

*21 Jacqueline Batteast

Forward • 6-2 • Sr.-3V • South Bend, Ind. (Washington HS)

** NATIONAL PLAYER OF THE YEAR CANDIDATE **

2004-05 Highlights

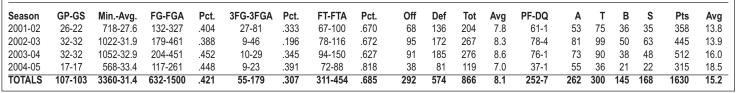
- · Had strong all-around game vs. Nebraska, tallying 24 points, six rebounds and a career-high tying seven assists.
- Scored game-high 17 points against Duke, including 10 in row during a game-changing 12-2 run in the second half; also tied career high with seven assists for second consecutive game.
- Named Preseason WNIT MVP and BIG EAST Player of the Week after pouring in career-best 32 points in WNIT title game vs. Ohio State; scored seven points in game-ending 12-0 run (go-ahead basket with 2:45 left) and blocked potential game-tying 3FG with two ticks remaining.
- Tallied game-high 18 points while adding four assists and three steals in victory at USC.
- Registered game highs of 25 points and 10 rebounds at Valparaiso for first double-double of the season.
- · Picked up second double-double of season with 17 points and game-high 10 rebounds vs. Washington.
- Logged second consecutive double-double (third of year) with game highs of 27 points and 10 rebounds at Marquette;
 also buried game-winning three-pointer as time expired ... named BIG EAST Player of the Week for second time.
- Scored game-high 21 points (8-12 FG) in victory at Northern Illinois.
- Led all scorers with 18 points (8-13 FG) in conference opener vs. Seton Hall.
- Collected team-high 22 points at Villanova.
- Piled up fourth double-double of season with game highs of 21 points and 11 rebounds against Purdue.

2004-05 Game-By-Game Statistics

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	Α	ТО	Blk	Stl	Pts
N12	Illinois State [^]	17	6-11	1-2	0-0	2	3	5	3	3	0	0	1	13
N14	Nebraska^	36	10-18	0-0	4-5	1	5	6	1	7	0	2	0	24
N17	#6/6 Duke^	28	7-15	1-1	2-2	1	4	5	3	7	3	0	2	17
N20	#10/9 Ohio State^	38	11-23	0-2	10-12	3	1	4	3	0	3	3	2	32
N22	Colorado State [^]	30	4-12	0-0	6-9	3	6	9	0	7	1	2	4	14
N26	at USC [^]	39	7-20	0-0	4-4	1	4	5	2	4	4	2	3	18
N30	at Valparaiso^	36	9-19	1-2	6-6	4	6	10	2	1	0	0	1	25
D2	#15/15 Michigan St./	^ 44	6-25	0-2	4-4	4	5	9	3	4	4	3	0	16
D9	at Dayton^	32	3-4	0-1	1-2	0	7	7	1	0	3	0	0	7
D11	Washington [^]	32	7-13	0-0	3-5	2	8	10	4	4	1	0	2	17
D19	at Marquette [^]	40	9-16	1-3	8-8	2	8	10	2	3	1	1	0	27
D30	at Northern Illinois [^]	30	8-12	1-1	4-4	1	2	3	3	2	1	0	1	21
J2	Seton Hall* [^]	36	8-13	0-1	2-6	3	4	7	1	2	2	1	1	18
J5	Syracuse* [^]	28	5-13	1-2	4-4	4	3	7	1	4	3	2	2	15
J9	at Villanova*^	36	8-18	2-2	4-6	1	5	6	5	2	4	2	1	22
J12	#16/16 Connecticut*	^ 34	2-12	0-2	4-4	1	4	5	1	0	3	0	2	8
J16	#20/20 Purdue^	32	7-17	1-2	6-7	5	6	11	2	5	3	3	0	21
J19	at Syracuse*													
J23	Rutgers*													
J26	St. John's*													
J30	at Connecticut*													
F2	Boston College*													
F5	at Pittsburgh*													
F9	at Providence*													
F12	Georgetown*													
F15	at Boston College*													
F19	at Rutgers*			•	•									
F26	West Virginia*													
M2	at Seton Hall*													

* - indicates BIG EAST Conference game // ^ - indicates game started

Batteast's Career Statistics





Career Highs

Points Career 32 vs. Ohio State (11/20/04)
Rebounds Career 18 at Connecticut (2/23/03)
Assists Career 7, four times (MR: vs. CSU, 11/22/04)
Field Goals Career 13 vs. Middle Tenn. (3/23/04)
Field Goal Attempts Career 25 vs. Michigan State (12/2/04)
Three-Point Field Goals Career 3 vs. Michigan (12/2/01)
Three-Point Field Goal Attempts Career 8 vs. Michigan (12/2/01)
Free Throws Career 11 vs. Providence (1/5/02)
Free Throw Attempts Career 12, three times (MR: vs. OSU, 11/20/04)
Steals Career 6 vs. Miami (2/25/04)
Blocked Shots Career 5 at Virginia Tech (2/9/03)
Minutes Played

Miscellaneous

Double-doubles4/36
Double-figure scoring games 15/87
20-point games 7*/28*
Double-figure rebound games 4/39
5-assist games 4/13
(noted in season/career format; * - one 30-pt. game)

Career 44 vs. Michigan State (12/2/04)

#32 Breona Gray

Guard • 5-7 • So.-1V • Las Vegas, Nev. (Bishop Gorman HS)

2004-05 Highlights

- · Came up with four points, six rebounds and career-high three steals in victory over Illinois State.
- Piled up 12 points and career-high tying seven rebounds vs. Nebraska.
- · Had six points and (then) career-high tying two assists vs. Duke.
- · Career-high three assists and added six rebounds vs. Ohio State (third six-rebound game in four outings).
- · Canned first career three-point field goal in win over Colorado State.
- Buried clutch jumper with shot clock winding down in final minute to help seal win at USC.
- Collected six points and three rebounds in victory at Valparaiso.
- Distributed four assists in career-best 35 minutes against Michigan State.
- Rolled up 12 points (all in second half) in win at Dayton.
- Scored 11 points (5-6 FG) and grabbed five rebounds in 31 minutes vs. Washington.

Min FG-FGA 3FG-FGA FT-FTA

- Tallied six points and five rebounds in victory at Northern Illinois.
- Erupted for career-high 17 points (6-12 FG) and tied personal best with seven rebounds vs. Syracuse.
- Dished out career-best five assists and knocked down second career three-pointer against Purdue.

2004-05 Game-By-Game Statistics

Date	Opponent	141111	10-104	31 O-1 OA	1 1-1 1/1	OII	Dei	101			10	DIN	Oti	1 13
N12	Illinois State [^]	23	2-5	0-0	0-1	3	3	6	4	2	6	0	3	4
N14	Nebraska^	31	6-13	0-1	0-0	3	4	7	2	2	2	0	1	12
N17	#6/6 Duke^	23	2-7	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	1	2	1	0	2	6
N20	#10/9 Ohio State^	33	1-2	0-0	2-3	1	5	6	0	3	1	0	1	4
N22	Colorado State [^]	21	1-4	1-1	0-0	0	2	2	2	0	5	0	2	3
N26	at USC [^]	21	1-5	0-0	2-2	1	1	2	2	2	2	0	1	4
N30	at Valparaiso^	26	3-8	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	1	3	2	1	1	6
D2	#15/15 Michigan St.	^ 35	1-5	0-0	0-0	1	3	4	2	4	2	0	1	2
D9	at Dayton^	19	4-10	0-0	4-4	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	2	12
D11	Washington [^]	31	5-6	0-0	1-2	0	5	5	0	2	2	0	1	11
D19	at Marquette [^]	22	2-5	0-0	1-2	0	3	3	1	2	3	0	0	5
D30	at Northern Illinois [^]	25	3-6	0-0	0-0	1	4	5	0	0	3	0	2	6
J2	Seton Hall* [^]	15	0-6	0-0	0-2	1	3	4	0	2	0	0	3	0
J5	Syracuse*^	32	6-12	0-0	5-7	5	2	7	0	4	1	0	1	17
J9	at Villanova*^	35	3-8	0-0	0-0	0	4	4	1	0	3	0	1	6
J12	#16/16 Connecticut*	^ 21	1-5	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	2
J16	#20/20 Purdue^	25	2-5	1-1	0-0	0	3	3	2	5	1	0	2	5
J19	at Syracuse*													
J23	Rutgers*													
J26	St. John's*													
J30	at Connecticut*													
F2	Boston College*													
F5	at Pittsburgh*													
F9	at Providence*													
F12	Georgetown*													
F15	at Boston College*													
F19	at Rutgers*													
F26	West Virginia*													
M2	at Seton Hall*													
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Gray's Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF-DQ	Α	Т	В	s	Pts	Avg
2003-04	29-0	330-11.4	24-58	.414	0-10	.000	17-27	.630	13	32	45	1.6	25-0	8	25	2	13	65	2.2
2004-05	17-17	438-25.8	43-112	.384	2-3	.667	17-25	.680	18	48	66	3.9	18-0	36	34	1	24	105	6.2
TOTALS	46-17	768-16.7	67-170	.394	2-13	.154	34-52	.654	31	80	111	2.4	43-0	44	59	3	37	170	3.7



Career Highs

Points Career 17 vs. Syracuse (1/5/05)
Rebounds Career 7, twice (MR: vs. Syracuse, 1/5/05)
Assists Career 5 vs. Purdue (1/16/05)
Field Goals Career 6, twice (MR: vs. Syracuse, 1/5/05)
Field Goal Attempts Career 13 vs. Nebraska (11/14/04)
Three-Point Field Goals Career 1, twice (MR: vs. Purdue, 1/16/05)
Three-Point Field Goal Attempts Career 3 at Purdue (1/4/04)
Free Throws Career 5 vs. Syracuse (1/5/05)
Free Throw Attempts Career
Steals Career 3, twice (MR: vs. Seton Hall, 1/2/05)
Blocked Shots Career 1, three times (MR: at Valpo., 11/30/04)
Minutes Played Career 35, twice (MR: at Villanova, 1/9/05)

Miscellaneous

(noted in season/career format)

 Double-doubles
 0/0

 Double-figure scoring games
 4/5

 20-point games
 0/0

 Double-figure rebound games
 0/0

 5-assist games
 1/1

#33 Melissa D'Amico

Forward/Center • 6-5 • Fr.-HS • Manorville, N.Y. (William Floyd HS)

2004-05 Highlights

- · Scored first collegiate basket on putback and grabbed five rebounds against Illinois State.
- Had three points and five rebounds in victory over Nebraska.
- · Notched two points and two rebounds, while playing strong post defense in Preseason WNIT title game vs. Ohio State.
- Tallied three points and blocked a shot against Colorado State.
- Registered five points (including old-fashioned three-point play) in win at USC.

Min FG-FGA 3FG-FGA FT-FTA

- Played 13 minutes (two points) at Valparaiso.
- · Had a blocked shot and two rebounds in three minutes vs. Michigan State.
- Turned in best night of young career at Dayton with season highs of 12 points, 6-8 FG and 19 minutes played.
- · Rang up season-high three blocked shots at Northern Illinois.
- · Had two points and a rebound in conference debut vs. Seton Hall.
- Scored four points and grabbed two rebounds against Syracuse.

2004-05 Game-By-Game Statistics

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N12	Illinois State	8	1-6	0-0	0-2	4	1	5	2	0	2	1	1	2
N14	Nebraska	12	1-3	0-0	1-2	3	2	5	0	0	1	1	0	3
N17	#6/6 Duke		Did not play											
N20	#10/9 Ohio State	9	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	3	0	1	0	1	2
N22	Colorado State	8	1-2	0-0	1-2	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	3
N26	at USC	7	2-2	0-0	1-1	0	3	3	1	0	0	1	0	5
N30	at Valparaiso	13	1-3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	2
D2	#15/15 Michigan St.	3	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	1	0	1	1	0	0
D9	at Dayton	19	6-8	0-0	0-1	2	2	4	2	0	1	0	0	12
D11	Washington	4	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
D19	at Marquette	7	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0
D30	at Northern Illinois	9	0-1	0-0	2-4	1	2	3	4	1	3	3	0	2
J2	Seton Hall*	3	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	2
J5	Syracuse*	11	2-5	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	2	1	0	0	0	4
J9	at Villanova*	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
J12	#16/16 Connecticut*	t	Did not play											
J16	#20/20 Purdue	2	0-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
J19	at Syracuse*													
J23	Rutgers*													
J26	St. John's*													
J30	at Connecticut*													
F2	Boston College*													
F5	at Pittsburgh*													
F9	at Providence*													
F12	Georgetown*													
F15	at Boston College*													
F19	at Rutgers*													
F26	West Virginia*													
M2	at Seton Hall*													
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D'Amico's Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF-DQ	Α	Т	В	s	Pts	Avg
2004-05	15-0	117-7.8	16-40	.400	0-0	.000	5-12	.417	12	18	30	2.0	25-0	3	10	9	3	37	2.5
TOTALS	15-0	117-7.8	16-40	.400	0-0	.000	5-12	.417	12	18	30	2.0	25-0	3	10	9	3	37	2.5



Career Highs

Points Career 12 at Dayton (12/9/04)
Rebounds Career 5, twice (MR: vs. Neb., 11/14/04)
Assists Career 1, three times (MR: vs. Syracuse, 1/5/05)
Field Goals Career 6 at Dayton (12/9/04)
Field Goal Attempts Career 8 at Dayton (12/9/04)
Three-Point Field Goals Career
Three-Point Field Goal Attempts
Career None
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Career None Free Throws
Career None Free Throws Career 2 at Northern Illinois (12/30/04) Free Throw Attempts
Career None Free Throws Career 2 at Northern Illinois (12/30/04) Free Throw Attempts Career 4 at Northern Illinois (12/30/04) Steals

Miscellaneous

(noted in season/career format)

 Double-doubles
 0/0

 Double-figure scoring games
 1/1

 20-point games
 0/0

 Double-figure rebound games
 0/0

 5-block games
 0/0

#34 Crystal Erwin

Forward • 6-1 • So.-1V • Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. (St. Paul HS)

2004-05 Highlights

- Chalked up 10 points (5-7 FG) and added career-high six rebounds in season opener vs. Illinois State.
- · Grabbed four rebounds and turned momentum in team's favor with physical post play vs. Duke.
- Rang up 12 points on a career-high 6-of-9 shooting in victory over Colorado State.
- Had successful return to home area of southern California with nine points (4-5 FG) in 19 minutes at USC.
- Made first career start at Valparaiso, scoring four points in 13 minutes.
- Erupted for 20 points (9-15 FG) and team-high three steals vs. Michigan State.
- · Snared six rebounds in victory at Dayton.
- Set new career high with 24 points (9-9 FG) and added seven rebounds in 34 minutes vs. Washington, her field goal
 percentage also tied 18-year-old Joyce Center record and matched second-best performance in school history.
- Posted six points at Northern Illinois.
- · Collected career-high eight rebounds in conference opener vs. Seton Hall.

Min FG-FGA 3FG-FGA FT-FTA

- Pulled down seven rebounds against Syracuse.
- Scored team-high 11 points (3-6 FG, 5-6 FT) before fouling out in second half against Connecticut.

2004-05 Game-By-Game Statistics

Date Opponent

N12	Illinois State	17	5-7	0-0	0-0	1	5	6	5	2	4	1	3	10
N14	Nebraska	11	0-1	0-0	1-2	1	1	2	2	1	3	0	0	1
N17	#6/6 Duke	19	1-5	0-0	0-0	2	2	4	3	1	2	0	0	2
N20	#10/9 Ohio State	13	0-5	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
N22	Colorado State	20	6-9	0-0	0-2	0	2	2	3	1	1	0	0	12
N26	at USC	19	4-5	0-0	1-2	2	1	3	2	0	2	0	0	9
N30	at Valparaiso^	13	2-5	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	4
D2	#15/15 Michigan St.^	28	9-15	0-0	2-5	4	1	5	5	0	1	1	3	20
D9	at Dayton^	21	0-4	0-0	0-0	0	6	6	4	1	1	1	0	0
D11	Washington [^]	34	9-9	0-0	6-9	4	3	7	3	2	2	0	1	24
D19	at Marquette [^]	26	1-5	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	4	1	0	1	1	2
D30	at Northern Illinois [^]	17	2-6	0-0	2-3	1	2	3	4	2	2	0	2	6
J2	Seton Hall* [^]	23	2-7	0-0	2-2	4	4	8	0	1	1	0	1	6
J5	Syracuse*^	21	1-2	0-0	3-6	0	7	7	2	0	2	1	1	5
J9	at Villanova*^	9	0-0	0-0	3-4	0	1	1	4	1	1	0	1	3
J12	#16/16 Connecticut*/	19	3-6	0-0	5-6	4	0	4	5	1	2	1	0	11
J16	#20/20 Purdue^	16	2-4	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	3	1	1	0	0	4
J19	at Syracuse*													
J23	Rutgers*													
J26	St. John's*													
J30	at Connecticut*													
F2	Boston College*													
F5	at Pittsburgh*													
F9	at Providence*													
F12	Georgetown*													
F15	at Boston College*													
F19	at Rutgers*													
F26	West Virginia*													
M2	at Seton Hall*													
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Erwin's Career Statistics

Season	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF-DQ	Α	Т	В	S	Pts	Avg
2003-04	32-0	353-11.0	42-94	.447	0-0	.000	22-42	.524	26	41	67	2.1	72-2	15	45	7	23	106	3.3
2004-05	17-11	326-19.2	47-95	.495	0-0	.000	25-41	.610	28	38	66	3.9	50-3	15	25	7	13	119	7.0
TOTALS	49-11	679-13.9	89-189	.471	0-0	.000	47-83	.566	54	79	133	2.7	122-5	30	70	14	36	225	4.6



Career Highs

Points

Career 24 vs. Washington (12/11/04)
Rebounds Career 8 vs. Seton Hall (1/2/05)
Assists Career 3 vs. Penn State (3/27/04)
Field Goals Career 9, twice (MR: vs. Wash., 12/11/04)
Field Goal Attempts Career 15 vs. Michigan State (12/2/04)
Three-Point Field Goals CareerNone
Three-Point Field Goal Attempts CareerNone
Free Throws Career 7 vs. Dayton (12/13/03)
Free Throw Attempts Career 9 vs. Washington (12/11/04)
Steals Career 4 vs. Middle Tenn. (3/23/04)
Blocked Shots Career 1, 14 times (MR: vs. UConn, 1/12/05)
Minutes Played Career 34 vs. Washington (12/11/04)

Miscellaneous

(noted in season/career format)

 Double-doubles
 0/0

 Double-figure scoring games
 5/6

 20-point games
 2/2

 Double-figure rebound games
 0/0

 5-steal games
 0/0

5-assist games 0/0

#41 Courtney La Vere

Forward • 6-3 • Jr.-2V • Ventura, Calif. (Buena HS)

2004-05 Highlights

- Led six players in double figures with 18 points (8-11 FG) and career-high tying five assists against Illinois State.
- Scored 11 points against Nebraska despite playing just 12 minutes with foul trouble.
- · Chalked up first double-double of season (seventh of career) with 13 points and game-high 11 rebounds vs. Duke.
- Had five rebounds and three blocks in Preseason WNIT title game against Ohio State.
- Picked up seven points and six rebounds in win over Colorado State.
- Logged two points and five rebounds before leaving with sprained ankle late in victory at USC.
- Underwent arthroscopic knee surgery Nov. 30 to repair torn meniscus in her left knee (missed five games).
- · Returned to action Dec. 30 at Northern Illinois, scoring two points in nine minutes.
- Had six points and three rebounds in 19 minutes off the bench against Seton Hall.
- Turned in best outing since knee surgery with eight points and four rebounds vs. Connecticut.

2004-05 Game-By-Game Statistics

Date	Opponent	Min	FG-FGA	3FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	Α	TO	Blk	Stl	Pts
N12	Illinois State [^]	28	8-11	0-0	2-5	0	2	2	1	5	1	0	2	18
N14	Nebraska^	12	3-4	0-0	5-7	0	2	2	4	2	3	0	0	11
N17	#6/6 Duke^	29	5-13	0-0	3-4	2	9	11	0	0	3	1	2	13
N20	#10/9 Ohio State^	22	1-7	0-0	1-2	1	4	5	3	1	3	3	0	3
N22	Colorado State [^]	20	3-8	0-1	1-2	3	3	6	2	1	1	2	2	7
N26	at USC [^]	19	1-5	0-0	0-1	1	4	5	3	0	1	1	1	2
N30	at Valparaiso	Dio	d not play -	INJ										
D2	#15/15 Michigan St.	Dio	d not play -	INJ										
D9	at Dayton	Dio	d not play -	INJ										
D11	Washington	Dio	d not play -	INJ										
D19	at Marquette	Dio	d not play -	INJ										
D30	at Northern Illinois	9	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
J2	Seton Hall*	19	3-4	0-0	0-1	1	2	3	3	2	1	1	0	6
J5	Syracuse*	6	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
J9	at Villanova*	18	1-5	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	3	0	2	0	0	2
J12	#16/16 Connecticut*	18	4-7	0-0	0-0	2	2	4	2	0	3	1	0	8
J16	#20/20 Purdue	8	2-2	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	2	0	1	0	0	4
J19	at Syracuse*													
J23	Rutgers*													
J26	St. John's*													
J30	at Connecticut*													
F2	Boston College*													
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F19	at Rutgers*													
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LaVere's Career Statistics

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Season	GP-GS	MinAvg.	FG-FGA	Pct.	3FG-3FGA	Pct.	FT-FTA	Pct.	Off	Def	Tot	Avg	PF-DQ	Α	Т	В	S	Pts	Avg
2002-03	32-10	723-22.6	151-311	.486	1-3	.333	95-136	.699	81	99	180	5.6	88-5	21	80	27	19	398	12.4
2003-04	32-17	709-22.2	113-274	.412	3-10	.300	47-85	.553	61	84	145	4.5	87-1	30	75	41	36	276	8.6
2004-05	12-6	208-17.3	32-68	.471	0-1	.000	12-22	.545	12	32	44	3.7	23-0	12	19	9	8	76	6.3
TOTALS	76-33	1640-21.6	296-653	.453	4-14	.286	154-243	.634	154	215	369	4.9	198-6	63	174	77	63	750	9.9



Career Highs

Points Career 23, twice (MR: vs. Rutgers, 1/18/03)
Rebounds Career 13 vs. SMS (3/21/04)
Assists Career . 5, twice (MR: vs. III. St., 11/12/04)
Field Goals Career . 9, three times (MR: vs. Wis., 12/4/03)
Field Goal Attempts Career 16, three times (MR: vs. Wis., 12/4/03)
Three-Point Field Goals Career 1, four times (MR: vs. SMS, 3/21/04)
Three-Point Field Goal Attempts Career 2 vs. Penn State (3/27/04)
Free Throws Career 12 at Villanova (1/25/03)
Career 12 at Villanova (1/25/03) Free Throw Attempts
Career

Miscellaneous

(noted in season/career format)

5-block games 0/1