



## 2014 NCAA DIVISION I WOMEN'S BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Semifinals · Game Day · Notre Dame vs. Oklahoma State  
Purcell Pavilion at the Joyce Center · Notre Dame, Ind.  
Saturday, March 29

### GAME NOTES

- This was the first ever meeting between Notre Dame and Oklahoma State.

### Notre Dame

- With the victory, the Irish remained perfect on season (35-0). It is the best start in program history and also is the longest winning streak in school history.
- Notre Dame has advanced to its fourth straight Elite Eight and sixth overall in program history.
- The Irish blocked 10 shots in the game, which is a season-high for Notre Dame. It is the second most shots blocked by Notre Dame in an NCAA Tournament game. The Irish had 11 blocked shots against Purdue on April 1, 2001 in the National Championship game. The 10 blocked shots are also the most by an Oklahoma State opponent this season.
- **Jewell Loyd** registered her sixth career double-double (20 points, 12 rebounds).
- Loyd moved into sixth place on the all-time single-season points scoring list in team history with 628 points. **Skylar Diggins** (2012-13) is fifth on the list with 631 points. **Loyd** is also tied for fifth place with **Ruth Riley** (2000-01) for the most field goals made in a single season with 245.
- **Natalie Achonwa** blocked five shots for Notre Dame, a career high and a season high for any Notre Dame player. The total is also tied for the third most blocked shots in an NCAA Tournament game in Irish program history. **Devereaux Peters** (3/20/2012) and **Ruth Riley** (4/1/2001) both recorded seven block shots in an NCAA Tournament game.

### Oklahoma State

- Oklahoma State falls to 25-9 with the loss.
- **Tiffany Bias** recorded her second double-double of the season as she scored 17 points and collected 11 assists. Her other double-double came against UMass Lowell (11/26/13) when she scored 11 points and registered 12 assists.
- **Bias** started her 111th consecutive game for Oklahoma State, a streak that dates back to her freshman year.