

### Scoring Summary

Notre Dame	14	14	7	7	—	42
Stanford	0	7	7	12	—	26

### First Quarter

**ND:** Lake Dawson 27 pass from Rick Mirer (Craig Hentrich kick), 9:37. Drive: 80 yards, 7 plays, 3 first downs, 2:22 elapsed after Stanford's missed field goal. Key play: Tony Smith made a nice catch on a pass from Mirer for a 25-yard gain to the Irish 48. Score: Notre Dame 7, Stanford 0.

**ND:** Jerome Bettis 3 run (Hentrich kick), 5:04. Drive: 59 yards, 7 plays, 3 first downs, 1:49 elapsed after Demetrius DuBose recovered a Jason Palumbis fumble. Key play: Rodney Culver ran 28 yards to the Cardinal 20. Score: Notre Dame 14, Stanford 0.

### Second Quarter

**ND:** Bettis 1 run (Hentrich kick), 13:49. Drive: 40 yards, 3 plays, 2 first downs, :26 elapsed after a Stanford punt. Key play: Bettis ran 28 yards to the Cardinal 1.

Score: Notre Dame 21, Stanford 0.

**ND:** Mirer 1 run (Hentrich kick), 6:47. Drive: 84 yards, 12 plays, 5 first downs, 4:53 elapsed after a Stanford punt. Key plays: Bettis ran 29 yards to the Stanford 36; Tony Brooks ran 13 yards to the Cardinal 1.

Score: Notre Dame 28, Stanford 0.

**Stan.:** Tommy Vardell 27 run (Aaron Mills kick), 2:49. Drive: 40 yards, 3 plays, 2 first downs, 1:09 elapsed after a Tony Brooks fumble. Key play: Jason Palumbus hit Chris Walsh with a 15-yard pass to the Notre Dame 27.

Score: Notre Dame 28, Stanford 7.

### Third Quarter

**Stan.:** Jason Palumbus 2 run (Mills kick), 7:32. Drive: 80 yards, 10 plays, 5 first downs, 4:29 elapsed after a Notre

Dame punt. Key plays: Tommy Vardell had runs of 23 and 22 yards. Score: Notre Dame 28, Stanford 14.

**ND:** Bettis 13 pass from Mirer (Hentrich kick), 0:56. Drive: 62 yards, 8 plays, 5 first downs, 2:59 elapsed after a Stanford punt. Key plays: Tony Brooks ran for 11 yards and Bettis ran for 12. Score: Notre Dame 35, Stanford 14.

### Fourth Quarter

**ND:** Bettis 1 run (Hentrich kick), 14:50. Drive: 19 yards, 3 plays, 1 first down, 0:15 elapsed after Rod Smith intercepted a Jason Palumbis pass. Key play: Tony Brooks hit Rick Mirer with a halfback pass for 16 yards to the Cardinal 1. Score Notre Dame 42, Stanford 14.

**Stan.:** Vardell 1 run (run failed), 12:06. Drive: 69 yards, 8 plays, 3 first downs, 2:44 elapsed after a Notre Dame kickoff. Key play: Chris Walsh caught a 41-yard pass from Steve Stenstrom, after it was tipped by Rod Smith, at the Irish 1.

Score: Notre Dame 42, Stanford 20.

**Stan.:** Vardell 2 run (pass failed), 7:40. Drive: 70 yards, 9 plays, 5 first downs, 2:53 elapsed after a Notre Dame punt. Key play: Tom Carter was called for a pass interference penalty in the end zone. Score: Notre Dame 42, Stanford 26.

### Individual Rushing

**ND:** Jerome Bettis 24 rushes, 179 yards, 3 TDs (long 29); Tony Brooks 17-122-0 (long 15); Rodney Culver 5-44-0 (long 27); Ryan Mihalko 2-8-0; Rick Mirer 6-6-1; Reggie Brooks 1-3-0; Lee Becton 2-1-0; **Stan:** Tommy Vardell 23 rushes, 140 yards, 3 TD's (long 27); Glyn Milburn 12-39-0 (long 19); Jason Palumbis 4-8-1 (long 6); Steve Stenstrom 1-4-0.

### Individual Passing

**ND:** Rick Mirer 9-16-0, 108 yards, 2 TDs (long 27); Tony Brooks 1-1-0, 16 yards, 0 TD; **Stan:** Jason Palumbis 18-27-1, 153 yards, 0 TD (long 22); Steve Stenstrom 8-10-0, 124 yards, 0 TD (long 41).

### Individual Receiving

**ND:** Tony Smith 3 catches, 48 yards, 0 TD (long 25); Lake Dawson 3-48-1 (long 27); Rick Mirer 1-16-0; Jerome Bettis 1-13-1; Rodney Culver 1-6-0; Derek Brown 1-2-0; **Stan:** Chris Walsh 8 catches, 118 yards, 0 TD (long 41); Glyn Milburn 8-70-0 (long 22); Tommy Vardell 5-24-0 (long 9); David Shaw 2-23-0 (long 18); Paul Nickel 1-21-0; David Calomese 1-13-0; Turner Baur 1-8-0.

### Team Statistics

	ND	STAN
First Downs	26	26
Rushing	21	10
Passing	5	15
Penalty	0	1
Rushing Attempts	57	40
Yards Rushing	371	202
Yards Lost Rushing	8	11
Net Yards Rushing	363	191
Net Yards Passing	166	218
Passes Attempted	17	37
Passes Completed	10	26
Had Intercepted	0	1
Total Offensive Plays	74	77
Total Net Yards	487	468
Average Gain Per Play	6.6	6.1
Fumbles: Number-Lost	3-1	1-1
Penalties: Number-Yards	2-11	3-32
Interceptions: Number-Yards	1-0	0
Number of Punts-Yards	5-202	4-140
Average Per Punt	40.4	35.0
Punt Returns: Number-Yards	0	3-4
Kickoff Returns: Number-Yards	4-55	5-84
Third Down Conversions	5-13	4-13