



## POST GAME NOTES

### FINAL SCORE

No. 22/21 Notre Dame 56 (2-2), Arkansas 13 (2-3)

### TEAM NOTES

- Notre Dame captains OL Aamil Wagner, DL Donovan Hinish, WR Will Pauling and S Adon Shuler represented the Irish for the coin toss.
- Arkansas won the toss and elected to receive. Notre Dame kicked off and defended the north end zone.
- Attendance: 75,111
- Saturday marked the first time Notre Dame and Arkansas have met on the gridiron and the first time Notre Dame has played in the state of Arkansas.
- Notre Dame improves to 985-342-42 all-time.
- Notre Dame improves to 326-165-23 all-time on the road.
- Notre Dame improves to 51-27-0 against SEC teams and 21-9-0 against the conference in true road games.
- This is the fourth time ND has faced an SEC team on the road in a first-ever meeting:
  - 2025 - No. 22 Notre Dame defeated Arkansas 56-13.
  - 1977 - No. 3 Notre Dame lost to Mississippi in Jackson, Mississippi (neutral site)
  - 1976 - No. 13 Notre Dame defeated No. 19 South Carolina 13-6
  - 1970 - No. 3 Notre Dame defeated No. 18 Missouri 27-17
  - 1913 - Notre Dame defeated Texas 30-7

### NOTABLE

- WR Malachi Fields has a reception in 31 consecutive games. He entered the weekend with the eighth-best streak of FBS players with consecutive games with at least one catch.
- DL Jordan Botelho made his 54th-career appearance in a Notre Dame uniform this afternoon putting him 12th in program history for most career games played.
- Today is the 21st-consecutive start at running back for RB Jeremiyah Love, fifth all-time in program history for a running back.
- RB Jeremiyah Love scored four touchdowns in the first half (2 rushing, 2 receiving). He became the first player in Notre Dame history to score four in a single half since 1996 and only the eighth player all-time to find the endzone four times in a single game.
- RB Jeremiyah Love scored both a rushing and receiving touchdown in the first quarter. It's the first time Notre Dame has had someone score both a rushing and receiving touchdown in the same quarter since Logan Diggs against Georgia Tech in the third quarter on November 20, 2021

and the first time it's happened in the opening quarter since Kyren Williams at North Carolina on November 27, 2020.

- It's the ninth time that both RBs Jeremiyah Love and Jadarian Price have rushed for a touchdown in the same game, and the first time that the duo has caught and rushed for a score in the same game.
- CJ Carr's 354 passing yards on the day were the most by an Irish quarterback since January 1, 2022 when Jack Coan threw for 509 yards against Oklahoma State in the Fiesta Bowl. It's the first 300-yard passing game since Sam Hartman's 330 yards against Central Michigan on September 16, 2023.
- The 294 passing yards in the first half for QB CJ Carr were the third-most in program history for the first half, and the most since Jimmy Clausen threw for 300 in the opening half against Hawaii on December 24, 2008. His four first half passing touchdowns are tied for the second-most in Notre Dame history, just behind Ian Book's five against Bowling Green on October 5, 2019.
- The 420 total yards in the first half were the most in the first half for Notre Dame since the Irish had 489 in the opening half against Stanford on September 29, 2018.
- The 42 points scored in the first half are tied for the third most in history, matching last year's total from the win at Purdue on September 14, 2024.
- The 641 total yards are the most by Notre Dame since November 4, 2017 when the Irish put up 710 yards on Wake Forest.

#### **FIRSTS**

- Notre Dame touchdown - WR Will Pauling
- Career reception - WR Matt Jeffrey