

# 2007 GAME RECAPS

**xxx Kent St 23 IOWA ST 14** - ISU fmbld at its 47 on its 2nd drive and KSU drove to the 6 but fmbld. After an exchange of punts, ISU was int'd at its own 23 but on 3&15 KSU was int'd at the 16. ISU drove 56/9pl and missed a 45 yd FG and KSU went 72/4pl for a TD, 6-0 (xp blk'd). ISU answered with a 56/7pl TD drive, 7-6 (1:12). KSU got a 56 yd KR then a 24 yd FG with :02 left 1H. ISU opened the 3Q with a 52/5pl TD drive and KSU answered with a 52/8pl drive but was int'd in the EZ from 13. KSU went 57/12pl for a TD, ret'd an int 50 yd to the 8 and got a TD 2pl later, 23-14 after 3Q's. ISU missed a 47 yd FG (5:40) and KSU was SOD at the ISU33 (:06).

**KENTUCKY 56 Kent St 20** - Much closer than the final indicates. In fact, KSU dominated the 1H with an 18-6 FD and a 268-96 yd edge, incl a 215-21 rushing yd edge, but 3 KSU TO's and being tackled with no time-outs at the UK13 and not being able to get off a FG hurt, 14-14. UK scored on its first 6 poss of the 2H as KSU's bubble was burst.

**KENT ST 38 Delaware St 7** - KSU dominated and at the half had a 361-104 yd edge. KSU had a 17pl drive ended in a missed 22 yd FG and they were also int'd at midfield. KSU took over with 4:13 left and drove 94/9pl for a TD, 7-0. KSU went 60/5pl (after int) & 68/5pl for TD's on its first two 3Q poss, 21-0 after 3Q's. KSU went 65/7pl for a TD with 14:34 left and added a 40 yd FG on its next drive. DS took over with 7:12 left and went on a 57/12pl drive for a TD with :35 left. KSU ret'd the KO 95 yds for a TD.

**AKRON 27 Kent St 20** - KSU blew many opportunities in the 1H. KSU drove 76/5pl for a TD and led 7-0 after 1Q. KSU went 33/7pl and faked a 27 yd FG but was stopped. UA punted but KSU fmbld and UA rec'd at the 34 and got a gift TD 3 plays later and despite being outgained 186-91 the game was tied 7-7. KSU got a 3 yd drive for a TD after a fmbld and after an int drove 47/6pl for a 22 yd FG and a 17-7 lead. UA drove 70/10pl for a 22 yd FG and then went 58/9pl with a 4&3 26 yd TD pass tying it. KSU was int'd on the next play and UA ret'd it to the 2 to get a TD. KSU nailed a 42 yd FG but UA ret'd the KO to the KSU26 and got a 43 yd FG, 27-20 (8:29). KSU fmbld at the UA29 and then drove to the UA25 but was int'd in the EZ on the final play.

**Kent St 33 OHIO 25** - KSU dominated more than the score showed. KSU took its opening drive 75/8pl for a TD. OU got a 48 yd pass setting up a 28 yd FG, 7-3. KSU went 84/9pl and made a 25 yd FG but took the points off the board and scored a TD 2 plays later. KSU's next drive was a 57/7pl but they settled for a 26 yd FG, 17-3. OU went 77/12pl for a TD, 17-10. KSU missed a 32 yd FG on the last play of the half. KSU opened the 3Q with a 7pl drive for a 26 yd FG, 20-10, then went 62/2pl making it 27-10. After 4 punts, OU went 98/14pl for a TD which came on 3&14, 27-17. KSU went 37/9pl for a 20 yd FG, and after an int, settled for a 38 yd FG, 33-17. On 4&10 OU got a 13 yd TD pass capping a 49/8pl drive, 33-25 (2pt, 2:58) but didn't get past its own 39 on its final drive.

**Miami, Oh 20 KENT ST 13** - KSU opened with an 80/10pl drive for a TD and MU answered with a 68/8pl TD drive, 7-7. MU went 63/5p for a 21 yd FG. KSU went 67/11pl but settled for a 28 yd FG, 10-10. MU fmbld at its own 27 but KSU was int'd in the EZ. It was tied at 10 at half with KSU having a 243-190 yd edge. MU opened the 3Q with a 71/7pl TD drive. KSU went 64/15pl for a 32 yd FG, 17-13. MU got a long pass to the KSU13 but fmbld and KSU went on a 9pl drive across midfield but punted (12:03). MU went on a 12pl drive for a 27 yd FG, 20-13 (5:27). KSU had a 1&gl at the MU7 then after int'l grounding and holding faced a 3&31. They got to a 4&13 but Edelman took off on a run and was stopped at the 1 yd line and MU got a FD and ran out the clock.

**Ohio St 48 Kent St 3** - OSU only had a 206-162 yd edge at the half but got a 90 yd PR TD and TD drives of 50 (after 15 yd punt) and 36 yds (after fmbld) as well as a 72 yd IR TD and led 35-0 at the half. OSU extended it to 48-0 before KSU got a 34 yd FG with 2:31 left.

**Bowling Green 31 KENT ST 20** - BG opened going 70/8pl for a TD and KSU went 72/12pl but after a 1&gl settled for a 20 yd FG, 7-3. KSU drove 33/6pl but settled for a 31 yd FG, 7-6. BG conv'd on 4&2 for a FD to the 12 and got a TD 2pl later, 14-6. KSU went 55/7pl and trailed 14-13 at HT. BG went 80/11pl for a TD, 21-13. KSU went on a 54/10pl drive but was SOD at the 3. BG went 84/6pl for a TD, 28-13. KSU went 60/7pl but was SOD at the 3 again. KSU went 36/2pl incl a 32 yd TD pass, 28-20 (2:03) but BG got a 27 yd run setting up a 49 yd FG, 31-20.

**C Michigan 41 KENT ST 32** - CM scored TD's on its first 4 poss and KSU gave true Fr QB Morgan his first start (Edelman lost yr). KSU got 47 & 52 yd FG's as well as a pair of TD's and trailed 28-19. CM went 63/13pl for a 25 yd FG and after a KSU punt, CM went on a 13pl drive but missed a 44 yd FG. KSU got 3 FD's and missed a 38 yd FG on the half's final play and CM had a 411-262 yd edge at HT. KSU botched a punt and CM got a TD 3pl later, 38-19. KSU drove 55/4pl for a TD, then after an int, drove 27/9pl for a TD but missed a 48 yd FG. After a fumbled snap, KSU went 9 yds for a TD and pulled within 38-32 (3:23). CM missed a 25 yd FG after a 12 pl drive and settled for a 26 yd FG after a 9pl drive, 41-32 (9:13). After an exchange of punts, KSU went 53/10pl but missed a 32 yd FG with 2:00 left and CM ran out the clock.

**N ILLINOIS 27 Kent St 20** - NI fmbld at the KSU34 and KSU was SOD at the NI33. NI was int'd and ret'd 47 yds to its 28. KSU got a TD 4 plays later to lead 7-0. NI went 79/7pl and on a 3&14 got a 16 yd TD pass, 7-7. NI went 78/9pl for a TD, 14-7. NI went 72/11pl for a TD, 21-7. KSt was sk'd and fmbld at the NI33 and starting QB Morgan was lost for the rest. NI was int'd and backup QB Brown led KSU 65/9pl for a TD with :53 left in the half, 21-14. KSU got a 67 yd run by Jarvis on the 2nd play of the 3Q but settled for a 25 yd FG, 21-17. Two poss later NI went 56/13pl for a 25 yd FG, 24-17. NI went 61/10pl for a 29 yd FG but missed it. A 19 yd PR set up NI at the KSU38 and after 1 FD they got a 40 yd FG, 27-17 (9:32). KSU was SOD at its own 45 (8:29). NI went 3&out (6:09). KSU went 75/15pl for a 40 yd FG, 27-20 (3:02). NI rec'd the onside kick but on 4&1 was SOD at the KSU34 (2:39). KSU got 2 FD's to the NI34 but was int'd at the 10 and ret'd 9 yds (1:14).

**TEMPLE 24 Kent St 14** - KSU was down to 4th string QB Brown (1-11, 0-4 in 2H) and blew a 14-6 lead. In the 1H TU had a 136-87 yd edge. KSU had poor punts (10, 37, 33, 29 & 34 yds) and TU started most poss in Kent territory. After a 10 yd punt, TU missed a 37 yd FG. KSU went 65/6pl for a TD, 7-0. TU was SOD at the KSU24 but TU got a 25 yd PR of a 34 yd punt with 2:39 left in the half and gained zero yds for a 27 yd FG with 1:13 left to trail 7-3. TU opened the 3Q with a 59/12pl drive for a 30 yd FG, 7-6. KSU blk'd a punt for a TD, 14-6. TU went 76/4pl for a TD, 14-12 (2ptng). After an 18 yd PR off a 31 yd punt early 4Q, TU, on 3&7, got a 20 yd TD pass, 18-14. TU went 45/9pl but fmbld at the 3. After an int, TU went 29 yds for a 26 yd FG, 21-14 (2:21). After another int was ret'd to the KSU11, TU added a 32 yd FG with :45 left.

**Buffalo 30 KENT ST 23 (OT)** - UB ret'd the opening KO 83 yds but settled for a 23 yd FG. KSU ret'd the KO to the UB42 and 2pl later got a TD, 7-3. KSU went 77/10pl for a TD but missed a crucial xp. UB went 51/9pl for a 21 yd FG, 13-6. UB went 78/11pl and got a 23 yd FG with :53 left in the half, 13-9. UB went 80/8pl for a TD & the lead, 16-13. Two poss later, KSU went 59/10pl and got an 18 yd TD pass, 20-16. KSU went 63/10pl but settled for a 23 yd FG, 23-16 (9:55). UB went 74/11pl for a TD with 4:54 left to tie but KSU went 65/10pl and had the game winning 29 yd FG blk'd with 1:34 left. In OT, UB needed 6pl for a TD and KSU was sk'd on 4&9.