

# 2007 GAME RECAPS

**Unlv 23 UTAH ST 16** - USU fmbld on its 2nd poss and LV got a 48 yd FG. Two poss later USU drove 48 for a TD, 7-3. USU got a 49 yd PR by Robinson w/:01 left 1H setting up a 38 yd FG, 10-3 at half. LV opened the 3Q with a 50/7pl drive for a 30 yd FG. USU was SOD at the LV30. LV went 65/12pl and had a 1st & goal but settled for a 22 yd FG, 10-9. LV got an 80/5pl TD (12:46 4Q). LV fmbld at its 34 and USU needed 6pl to drive for a TD, 16-16 (xpng, 8:23). After an exchange of P's, LV got a 36/5pl TD w/1:02 for the final.

**Wisconsin 20 UNLV 13** - 98' and UW fans were 1/2 the crowd. LV took its 2nd drive for an 80/14pl TD, 7-0 (3:13). UW got a 67/7pl TD, 7-6 (xpng). After an exchange of P's, LV went 42 yds but was SOD at the 19 (8:08). After 2 P's, UW went 71/14pl for a 27 yd FG on the final play of the half, 9-7. At half, UW had a 199-163 yd edge. UW went 60/12pl but was SOD at the 30 to open the 3Q. LV went 61 yd and settled for a 25 yd FG, 10-9. The next 3 poss were P's and LV was int'd and ret'd 32 yd to the LV39. UW got a 51 yd FG 4pl later, 12-10 (12:22). LV drove 49/11pl and after a FD at the 16 settled for a 35 yd FG and led w/7:43 left. UW conv on 3rd & 2 and on 4th & 1 to the LV35. Two plays later they got a 25 yd TD run by Donovan, 20-13 (2pt, 1:53). LV was SOD at its 19.

**Hawaii 49 UNLV 14** - UH was in its 2nd straight AG and stayed on the mainland during the wk. UH P on its 1st drive and LV went 79/13pl to stunningly lead 7-0. UH then went 67/11pl, 82/5pl and 34/4pl (after 14 yd P) for TD's, 21-7 (9:25 2Q). LV missed a 38 yd FG (4:49) and got to the UH34 on their final drive of the half but ran out of time. UH opened the 3Q with a 73/7pl TD drive but then was SOD at the LV32. UH went 88/10pl for a TD and then got a 40 yd IR TD, 42-7 after 3Q's. LV was SOD at the UH20 and UH (10pl drive) was SOD at the LV22. LV with bkup QB Clayton went 77/10pl for a TD (4:25) and Graunke, who QB'd the 3Q, hit an 81 yd TD pass, 49-14 (2:38). LV was sk'd at its 29 w/1:00 left on 4th down.

**UNLV 27 Utah 0** - UT was shutout for the 1st time S/'93. UT fmbld on the LV32 on its 2nd poss and then fmbld a P at its 23. LV got a 28 yd FG. UT faked a P at its 40 and was SOD but LV fmbld it back at the 20. UT P and after a 40 yd PR, LV drove 36/3pl for a TD, 10-0 (14:51 2Q). LV went 83/18pl but settled for a 20 yd FG. UT (10pl) was SOD at the LV39 (:44). LV missed a 57 yd FG but led 13-0 at half. On the 1st poss of the 3Q UT drove 65/14pl and on 4th & goal from the 1 was SOD. They took over at the LV39 after a P but were SOD at the 30. Two poss later UT fmbld and LV drove 30 yds for a TD, 20-0. LV added a 74 yd TD drive w/1:52 left and UT was int'd in the EZ from the LV31.

**NEVADA 27 Unlv 20** - LV went 60/9pl but settled for a 22 yd FG. NV got a 56 yd pass setting up a 50 yd FG, 3-3 (3:50). NV pinned at its 10 got a pass to the 35 which McCoy ran the final 65 yds for a 90 yd TD pass, 10-3 (1:02). LV was int'd at the NV3 (11:19) and the final 3 1H poss were P's. NV was int'd at the LV4 to open the 3Q but LV fmbld. After a P, LV got an 80/10pl TD, 10-10 (5:23). After 3 P's, LV got a 42 yd FG, 13-10 (13:24). NV (10pl) got a 30 yd FG (8:54). LV lined up for a 52 yd FG but a bad snap forced a pass for no gain. NV then added a 65/8pl TD, 20-13 (3:02). LV drove 65/11pl and conv 4th & 10 to the 50 then on 4th & 10 got a 30 yd TD pass w/1:02 left, 20-20. NV capped a 65/5pl drive with a 43 yd TD pass w/:27 left. LV ret'd the KO to the 49, got to the 16 but their pass into the EZ was inc.

**AIR FORCE 31 Unlv 14** - LV was SOD on 4th & 1 at the AF26. AF drove 74/12pl for a TD, 7-0 after 1Q. LV went 79/16pl but was SOD on 4th & goal at the 1. AF was SOD at the LV37 (4:27). After an exchange of fmbld's, LV got a 65/12pl TD on the last play, 7-7 at half w/a 249-150 yd edge. AF opened the 3Q with a 52 yd TD run (80 yd drive), 14-7. LV missed a 27 yd FG. AF fmbld and LV punted 72 yds for a TB (5:06). AF got a 71 yd TD run by Carney, 21-7 (3:35). LV added an 80/11pl TD, 21-14 (14:45). AF P to the LV1 and after a 7 yd P, AF started at the LV13 and got a 28 yd FG, 24-14 (7:29). LV only got off a 19 yd P and AF added a 55/10pl TD w/1:40 left, 31-14. LV was SOD at the AF39.

**Byu 24 UNLV 14** - BYU dominated with a 441-146 yd edge before a garbage drive for LV. BYU also blew numerous scoring opps. BYU fmbld at its 27 setting up an LV 37 yd FG and trailed 3-0 mid-1Q. BYU had a 1st & goal at the 10 but was int'd. BYU drove 93/12pl for a TD, 7-3 (6:16). LV (57 yd drive) added a 43 yd FG, 7-6 w/Clayton at QB (2:25). BYU got an IR to the LV46 (:53) and got to the 32 but was int'd at the 18 (:23). BYU dominated the 3Q with a 24-8 play edge. They had a 66 yd TD drive and settled for a 27 yd FG after a 63/14pl drive, 17-6. BYU was int'd at the LV2. BYU then added an 81/15pl TD, 24-6 w/2:53 left. LV got a 71 garbage TD w/:58 left (2pt) for the final.

**Colorado St 48 UNLV 23** - 50 mph winds and 5 LV TO's were the key. LV fmbld on its 28, CSU missed a 42 yd FG. LV fmbld, CSU got a 45 yd run by Johnson, 7-0 (12:08). LV had a 52 yd run by Clayton to set up a 44 yd FG, 7-3 (9:09). CSU started at its 15 and a deep pass was caught but then fmbld at the 2. CSU settled for a 25 yd FG, 10-3 (13:36). They then got a 30 yd IR TD, 17-3 (13:21). CSU's KO went only 30 yds (wind) and they rec'd but 10pl later missed a 45 yd FG. After an int (4:47), CSU drove 76 yds for a TD and led 24-3 at the half with a 282-201 yd edge. CSU (11pl) settled for a 17 yd FG, 27-3. LV got a 56 yd TD pass to Summers, 27-10. CSU was SOD at the LV23 but LV missed a 56 yd FG that hit the upright with the wind at their back (1:15). LV got an 80/7pl TD, 27-17 (11:23) but kicked into the wind and CSU's 33 yd KR set them up at the LV34. On the next play they got a TD pass, 34-17. LV was SOD at the CSU49 and CSU was SOD at the LV30. LV (11pl drive) had a 1st & goal at the 5 but CSU got a 99 yd IR TD w/2:50 left, 41-17. LV got an 80/8pl TD w/:57 left but after rec'ing the onside, CSU got a 22 yd TD run w/:12 left.

**WYOMING 29 Unlv 24** - After an LV P, WY started at its 5 and got a 75 yd run by Marsh but settled for a 37 yd FG, 3-0. Two poss later WY drove 40/7pl and added a 33 yd FG, 6-0. After an int, they went 1 yd for a 44 yd FG (1:25). LV drove 45/8pl and got a 47 yd FG, then 3 poss later a 22 yd TD pass capped an 84/5pl drive, 10-9 (2:47). LV got a 26 yd IR to the 50 but a pers foul pushed them bk to the 35 and they got to the WY21 but on 3rd & 36 were int'd. WY got a 57 yd KR to open the 3Q but was SOD at its 33. LV pinned WY at the 9 and on 3rd & 8 Sween was int'd and ret'd 11 yds for a TD, 17-9 (9:39). WY drove 72/12pl capped by a 21 yd TD pass, 17-15 (5:18, 2ptng). WY went 78/13pl for a TD, 23-17 (2pt, 13:35). LV got a 77/13pl TD w/8:32 left and led, 24-23. WY got a 63/10pl TD, 29-24 w/5:42 (2ptng). LV was SOD at the WY43 (3:42) and was sk'd to the 50 w/:25 left.

**SDSt 38 UNLV 30** - O'Connell hit his 1st 11 passes of the gm. LV opened with a 38/13pl drive incl a 4th & 1 conv at its 43 but P. SDSt went 91/10pl, 49/1pl (after 24 yd PR) and 75/9pl for TD's on their 1st 3 drives to lead 21-0 (9:38 2Q). LV missed a 51 yd FG (6:34) and SDSt had a 226-123 yd edge at half. LV got a 3rd & 23 31 yd TD pass then got a 49 yd run by Summers foll'd by a 17 yd TD run by Trotter, 21-14 (4:39). SDSt was int'd and ret'd 31 yds to the 45. LV nailed a 35 yd FG to pull within 21-17 (13:34). Wesley ret'd the kick 89 yds for a TD, 28-17. LV went 78/12pl for a TD, 28-23 (2ptng, 8:19). SDSt went 74/9pl but settled for a 22 yd FG, 31-23 (4:37). LV on 3rd & 3 was int'd & ret'd 55 yds for a TD (1:15). LV added a garbage 66/6pl TD.

**TCU 34 Unlv 10** - TCU rolled up 181 yd rush in the 1H (272-132 edge) and scored TD's on their 1st 4 poss to lead 28-0 (2:38 2Q). LV got a 32 yd TD pass, 28-7 (2:09). TCU rec'd a fmbld at the LV32 (:36) but was int'd at the 5 (:12). TCU opened the 3Q with a 10pl drive for a 45 yd FG, 31-7 and LV went 74/11pl and had a 1st & goal at the 2, but settled for a 28 yd FG, 31-10. Two poss later TCU went 44/4pl a 32 yd FG, 34-10 (7:53). LV took over with 4:17 left and went 63/10pl to the TCU7 but was int'd in the EZ and ret'd 46 yds (1:46).

**NEW MEXICO 27 Unlv 6** - NM got a 14 yd PR to the LV41 but settled for a 45 yd FG, 3-0. NM got to the LV33 but was int'd at the 27. LV went 35/10pl for a 46 yd FG, 3-3. NM fmbld at its 35 and 2 poss later LV got a 26 yd PR to the NM41 setting up a 37 yd FG, 6-3 (13:57 2Q). Two pl later NM got a 63 yd TD pass. Two poss later LV was SOD on 4th & 1 at the NM45 (6:51). Six pl later NM had a TD, 17-6 (5:08). LV was int'd at the NM47 and ret'd 30 yds but NM, on 3rd & 2 from the 4 was int'd in the EZ (:33). NM got an 82 yd KR to open the 3Q to set up a 17/5pl TD drive, 24-6. NM went 66/7pl but fmbld at the 14. The next 8 poss were P's. LV started at its 4 and QB Ishii was brought in and was int'd at the 20. NM added a 45 yd FG w/:22 left.