

2019 PHILLIPS 66 BIG 12 MEN'S BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Game 4 | March 14
Sprint Center | Kansas City



No. 1 Kansas State

70

No. 8 TCU

61

Official Basketball Box Score -- Game Totals -- Final Statistics
 TCU vs Kansas State
 03/14/19 1:59 p.m. at Kansas City, Mo. (Sprint Center)

TCU 61 • 20-13, 7-11

##	Player		Total		3-Ptr	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot							
12	NOI, Kouat	f	2-8	0-5	4-4	4	3	7	4	8	0	5	0	1	36
15	MILLER, JD	f	3-7	1-2	1-3	3	4	7	2	8	2	1	0	1	28
21	SAMUEL, Kevin	c	4-5	0-0	3-5	0	5	5	3	11	1	2	1	1	28
01	BANE, Desmond	g	7-11	2-3	0-0	1	3	4	3	16	1	1	0	1	27
25	ROBINSON, Alex	g	5-14	2-5	0-0	0	7	7	2	12	7	6	1	0	40
05	DAVIS, Kendric		1-4	0-1	2-3	0	1	1	3	4	2	1	0	2	22
22	NEMBARD, RJ		1-3	0-1	0-0	0	4	4	1	2	0	1	2	0	19
Team						1	0	1			1				
Totals			23-52	5-17	10-15	9	27	36	18	61	13	18	4	6	200

FG % 1st Half: 11-24 45.8% 2nd half: 12-28 42.9% Game: 23-52 44.2% Deadball Rebounds 2
 3FG % 1st Half: 3-8 37.5% 2nd half: 2-9 22.2% Game: 5-17 29.4%
 FT % 1st Half: 9-13 69.2% 2nd half: 1-2 50.0% Game: 10-15 66.7%

Kansas State 70 • 25-7, 14-4

##	Player		Total		3-Ptr	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot							
14	Mawien, Makol	f	4-7	0-0	2-3	3	5	8	3	10	0	4	2	2	29
23	Trice, Austin	f	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	6
03	Stokes, Kamau	g	4-13	2-7	1-2	0	3	3	2	11	2	0	1	2	36
05	Brown, Barry	g	5-16	2-7	0-0	0	4	4	3	12	6	3	0	1	39
20	Sneed, Xavier	g	6-12	4-8	3-4	4	3	7	2	19	5	1	0	1	33
00	McGuirl, Mike		1-2	0-1	0-0	0	1	1	4	2	1	0	0	2	16
01	Neal-Williams, Shaun		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
02	Diarra, Cartier		2-7	0-2	4-6	1	4	5	0	8	3	0	0	0	29
21	Love, James		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
24	McAtee, Pierson		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0+
34	Stockard, Levi		4-5	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	1	8	0	0	0	0	11
35	Muldoon, Patrick		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
45	Shadd, Nigel		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
Team						2	1	3							
Totals			26-62	8-25	10-15	13	23	36	16	70	17	9	4	9	200

FG % 1st Half: 14-35 40.0% 2nd half: 12-27 44.4% Game: 26-62 41.9% Deadball Rebounds 1
 3FG % 1st Half: 4-11 36.4% 2nd half: 4-14 28.6% Game: 8-25 32.0%
 FT % 1st Half: 0-2 0.0% 2nd half: 10-13 76.9% Game: 10-15 66.7%

Officials: John Higgins, Ray Natili, Jeb Hartness
 Technical fouls: TCU-None. Kansas State-None.
 Attendance: 18930
 2019 Phillips 66 Big 12 Men's Basketball Championship Quarterfinal

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
TCU	34	27	61
Kansas State	32	38	70

Points	In Paint	Off T/O	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
TCU	34	4	6	12	6
KS	32	22	12	18	18

Last FG - TCU 2nd-01:28, KS 2nd-00:56.
 Largest lead - TCU by 12 1st-09:04, KS by 10 2nd-11:00.
 TCU led for 24:55. KS led for 14:48. Game was tied for 00:17.

Score tied - 1 time.
 Lead changed - 1 time.

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1st PERIOD Play-by-Play (Page 1)

Time	Score	Margin	HOME/VISITOR	Time	Score	Margin	HOME/VISITOR
19:47	0-3	V 3	GOOD! 3 PTR by BANE, Desmond	13:32			REBOUND (OFF) by MILLER, JD
19:47			ASSIST by ROBINSON, Alex	13:29			MISSED 3 PTR by ROBINSON, Alex
19:26			MISSED 3 PTR by Stokes, Kamau	13:29			REBOUND (DEF) by Diarra, Cartier
19:26			REBOUND (OFF) by Sneed, Xavier	13:21			FOUL by ROBINSON, Alex (P1T6)
19:20			TURNOVR by Sneed, Xavier	13:20			MISSED JUMPER by Mawien, Makol
19:19			STEAL by BANE, Desmond	13:20			REBOUND (DEF) by NEMBHARD, RJ
19:12			MISSED JUMPER by MILLER, JD	13:08			TURNOVR by NOI, Kouat
19:12			REBOUND (DEF) by Trice, Austin	13:08			SUB IN : Stokes, Kamau
19:02	2-3	V 1	GOOD! LAYUP by Mawien, Makol [PNT]	13:08			SUB OUT: Brown, Barry
19:02			ASSIST by Stokes, Kamau	12:59			MISSED 3 PTR by Stokes, Kamau
18:43			TURNOVR by ROBINSON, Alex	12:59			REBOUND (DEF) by ROBINSON, Alex
18:43			STEAL by Mawien, Makol	12:51	5-13	V 8	GOOD! LAYUP by ROBINSON, Alex [FB/PNT]
18:31			MISSED JUMPER by Sneed, Xavier	12:49			TIMEOUT 30sec
18:31			REBOUND (OFF) by Sneed, Xavier	12:33			MISSED 3 PTR by Sneed, Xavier
18:18			MISSED JUMPER by Stokes, Kamau	12:33			REBOUND (DEF) by ROBINSON, Alex
18:18			REBOUND (DEF) by ROBINSON, Alex	12:20			MISSED 3 PTR by ROBINSON, Alex
17:52	2-6	V 4	GOOD! 3 PTR by MILLER, JD	12:20			REBOUND (DEF) by Mawien, Makol
17:52			ASSIST by ROBINSON, Alex	12:15			FOUL by BANE, Desmond (P2T7)
17:30			MISSED JUMPER by Brown, Barry	12:15			MISSED FT SHOT by Mawien, Makol
17:30			REBOUND (OFF) by Trice, Austin	12:15			REBOUND (DEF) by NEMBHARD, RJ
17:19			TURNOVR by Brown, Barry	12:15			SUB IN : DAVIS, Kendric
17:19			STEAL by MILLER, JD	12:15			SUB OUT: BANE, Desmond
17:15			MISSED LAYUP by BANE, Desmond	12:15			SUB IN : Brown, Barry
17:15			REBOUND (OFF) by NOI, Kouat	12:15			SUB OUT: Sneed, Xavier
17:14			FOUL by Stokes, Kamau (P1T1)	12:09	5-15	V 10	GOOD! LAYUP by MILLER, JD [FB/PNT]
17:00			MISSED JUMPER by ROBINSON, Alex	11:52	7-15	V 8	GOOD! JUMPER by Brown, Barry [PNT]
17:00			REBOUND (DEF) by Mawien, Makol	11:49			TIMEOUT MEDIA
16:43	5-6	V 1	GOOD! 3 PTR by Stokes, Kamau	11:49			SUB IN : SAMUEL, Kevin
16:43			ASSIST by Brown, Barry	11:49			SUB OUT: MILLER, JD
16:17	5-9	V 4	GOOD! 3 PTR by ROBINSON, Alex	11:49			SUB IN : Trice, Austin
16:17			ASSIST by BANE, Desmond	11:49			SUB IN : Stockard, Levi
16:02			FOUL by BANE, Desmond (P1T1)	11:49			SUB OUT: Diarra, Cartier
16:02			SUB IN : NEMBHARD, RJ	11:49			SUB OUT: Mawien, Makol
16:02			SUB IN : DAVIS, Kendric	11:28	7-17	V 10	GOOD! JUMPER by SAMUEL, Kevin [PNT]
16:02			SUB OUT: NOI, Kouat	11:28			FOUL by Trice, Austin (P1T3)
16:02			SUB OUT: BANE, Desmond	11:28	7-18	V 11	GOOD! FT SHOT by SAMUEL, Kevin
15:52			FOUL by DAVIS, Kendric (P1T2)	11:28			SUB IN : Sneed, Xavier
15:52			TIMEOUT MEDIA	11:28			SUB OUT: Trice, Austin
15:33			MISSED JUMPER by Brown, Barry	11:04			MISSED JUMPER by Stockard, Levi
15:33			BLOCK by ROBINSON, Alex	11:04			REBOUND (OFF) by Sneed, Xavier
15:30			REBOUND (DEF) by MILLER, JD	10:50	9-18	V 9	GOOD! JUMPER by Brown, Barry
15:22	5-11	V 6	GOOD! JUMPER by SAMUEL, Kevin [PNT]	10:17	9-20	V 11	GOOD! LAYUP by ROBINSON, Alex [PNT]
15:22			ASSIST by ROBINSON, Alex	10:05	11-20	V 9	GOOD! JUMPER by Stockard, Levi [PNT]
14:58			MISSED 3 PTR by Stokes, Kamau	10:05			ASSIST by Brown, Barry
14:58			REBOUND (DEF) by NEMBHARD, RJ	09:46			FOUL by Stockard, Levi (P1T4)
14:47			TURNOVR by ROBINSON, Alex	09:46			MISSED FT SHOT by SAMUEL, Kevin
14:46			STEAL by Trice, Austin	09:46			REBOUND (OFF) by (DEADBALL)
14:43			FOUL by DAVIS, Kendric (P2T3)	09:46	11-21	V 10	GOOD! FT SHOT by SAMUEL, Kevin
14:43			SUB IN : NOI, Kouat	09:22			MISSED JUMPER by Stokes, Kamau
14:43			SUB IN : BANE, Desmond	09:22			REBOUND (DEF) by ROBINSON, Alex
14:43			SUB OUT: MILLER, JD	09:04			FOUL by McGuirl, Mike (P1T5)
14:43			SUB OUT: DAVIS, Kendric	09:04	11-22	V 11	GOOD! FT SHOT by DAVIS, Kendric
14:43			SUB IN : McGuirl, Mike	09:04			MISSED FT SHOT by DAVIS, Kendric
14:43			SUB OUT: Stokes, Kamau	09:04			REBOUND (OFF) by (DEADBALL)
14:33			FOUL by NOI, Kouat (P1T4)	09:04	11-23	V 12	GOOD! FT SHOT by DAVIS, Kendric
14:33			SUB IN : Diarra, Cartier	09:04			SUB IN : Diarra, Cartier
14:33			SUB OUT: Trice, Austin	09:04			SUB IN : Mawien, Makol
14:27			MISSED 3 PTR by Sneed, Xavier	09:04			SUB OUT: Stockard, Levi
14:27			REBOUND (OFF) by (TEAM)	09:04			SUB OUT: McGuirl, Mike
14:15			MISSED JUMPER by Diarra, Cartier	08:52			MISSED LAYUP by Diarra, Cartier
14:15			BLOCK by NEMBHARD, RJ	08:52			BLOCK by NEMBHARD, RJ
14:13			REBOUND (DEF) by SAMUEL, Kevin	08:51			REBOUND (OFF) by (TEAM)
14:09			FOUL by SAMUEL, Kevin (P1T5)	08:49			MISSED JUMPER by Brown, Barry
14:09			TURNOVR by SAMUEL, Kevin	08:49			REBOUND (DEF) by NOI, Kouat
14:09			SUB IN : MILLER, JD	08:17			MISSED LAYUP by DAVIS, Kendric
14:09			SUB OUT: SAMUEL, Kevin	08:17			REBOUND (DEF) by Sneed, Xavier
13:57			FOUL by Mawien, Makol (P1T2)	08:12	14-23	V 9	GOOD! 3 PTR by Brown, Barry [FB]
13:57			TURNOVR by Mawien, Makol	08:12			ASSIST by Sneed, Xavier
13:32			MISSED LAYUP by BANE, Desmond	08:06			TIMEOUT TEAM

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Time	Score	Margin	HOME/VISITOR	Time	Score	Margin	HOME/VISITOR
08:06			TIMEOUT MEDIA	01:33			REBOUND (OFF) by BANE, Desmond
08:06			SUB IN : MILLER, JD	01:21			MISSED JUMPER by NEMBHARD, RJ
08:06			SUB OUT: SAMUEL, Kevin	01:21			REBOUND (OFF) by NOI, Kouat
07:45			MISSED 3 PTR by NEMBHARD, RJ	01:19			FOUL by McGuirl, Mike (P2T9)
07:45			REBOUND (DEF) by Brown, Barry	01:19	27-29	V 2	GOOD! FT SHOT by NOI, Kouat
07:36			MISSED JUMPER by Brown, Barry	01:19	27-30	V 3	GOOD! FT SHOT by NOI, Kouat
07:36			REBOUND (OFF) by Mawien, Makol	01:19			SUB IN : DAVIS, Kendric
07:28			TURNOVR by Mawien, Makol	01:19			SUB OUT: BANE, Desmond
07:28			STEAL by NOI, Kouat	01:19			SUB IN : Sneed, Xavier
07:17			MISSED LAYUP by DAVIS, Kendric	01:19			SUB OUT: McGuirl, Mike
07:17			REBOUND (DEF) by Sneed, Xavier	01:08	29-30	V 1	GOOD! LAYUP by Diarra, Cartier [PNT]
06:59			MISSED JUMPER by Sneed, Xavier	00:44	29-32	V 3	GOOD! LAYUP by ROBINSON, Alex [PNT]
06:59			REBOUND (DEF) by ROBINSON, Alex	00:17			MISSED 3 PTR by Brown, Barry
06:48	14-25	V 11	GOOD! JUMPER by MILLER, JD [PNT]	00:17			REBOUND (DEF) by DAVIS, Kendric
06:48			ASSIST by ROBINSON, Alex	00:10	29-34	V 5	GOOD! LAYUP by NEMBHARD, RJ [FB/PNT]
06:48			FOUL by Sneed, Xavier (P1T6)	00:03	32-34	V 2	GOOD! 3 PTR by Sneed, Xavier [FB]
06:48			MISSED FT SHOT by MILLER, JD	00:03			ASSIST by Brown, Barry
06:48			REBOUND (DEF) by Brown, Barry				
06:48			SUB IN : SAMUEL, Kevin				
06:48			SUB OUT: NOI, Kouat				
06:29			FOUL by MILLER, JD (P1T8)				
06:29			MISSED FT SHOT by Sneed, Xavier				
06:29			REBOUND (DEF) by SAMUEL, Kevin				
06:05			TURNOVR by NEMBHARD, RJ				
06:05			SUB IN : NOI, Kouat				
06:05			SUB OUT: NEMBHARD, RJ				
06:05			SUB IN : McGuirl, Mike				
06:05			SUB OUT: Sneed, Xavier				
05:54	17-25	V 8	GOOD! 3 PTR by Brown, Barry				
05:54			ASSIST by Diarra, Cartier				
05:36			FOUL by Mawien, Makol (P2T7)				
05:36	17-26	V 9	GOOD! FT SHOT by SAMUEL, Kevin				
05:36			MISSED FT SHOT by SAMUEL, Kevin				
05:36			REBOUND (DEF) by Brown, Barry				
05:36			SUB IN : NEMBHARD, RJ				
05:36			SUB OUT: DAVIS, Kendric				
05:36			SUB IN : Stockard, Levi				
05:36			SUB OUT: Mawien, Makol				
05:28			MISSED JUMPER by Brown, Barry				
05:28			BLOCK by SAMUEL, Kevin				
05:26			REBOUND (OFF) by Stockard, Levi				
05:24	19-26	V 7	GOOD! JUMPER by Stockard, Levi [PNT]				
05:01			TURNOVR by ROBINSON, Alex				
05:00			STEAL by McGuirl, Mike				
04:53	21-26	V 5	GOOD! LAYUP by Stockard, Levi [PNT]				
04:12			MISSED JUMPER by ROBINSON, Alex				
04:12			REBOUND (OFF) by NOI, Kouat				
04:09			FOUL by Brown, Barry (P1T8)				
04:09	21-27	V 6	GOOD! FT SHOT by NOI, Kouat				
04:09	21-28	V 7	GOOD! FT SHOT by NOI, Kouat				
03:57	23-28	V 5	GOOD! DUNK by Diarra, Cartier [PNT]				
03:57			ASSIST by Stokes, Kamau				
03:34			TURNOVR by NOI, Kouat				
03:34			TIMEOUT MEDIA				
03:15	25-28	V 3	GOOD! LAYUP by Stockard, Levi [PNT]				
02:59			TURNOVR by SAMUEL, Kevin				
02:39			MISSED 3 PTR by Brown, Barry				
02:39			REBOUND (DEF) by MILLER, JD				
02:30			TIMEOUT 30sec				
02:30			SUB IN : BANE, Desmond				
02:30			SUB OUT: SAMUEL, Kevin				
02:07			TURNOVR by ROBINSON, Alex				
02:06			STEAL by Brown, Barry				
02:04	27-28	V 1	GOOD! DUNK by McGuirl, Mike [FB/PNT]				
02:04			ASSIST by Diarra, Cartier				
01:49			MISSED 3 PTR by NOI, Kouat				
01:49			REBOUND (DEF) by Stokes, Kamau				
01:40			MISSED LAYUP by Stokes, Kamau				
01:40			REBOUND (DEF) by NEMBHARD, RJ				
01:33			MISSED 3 PTR by NOI, Kouat				

	In	Off	2nd	Fast	
1st period-only	Paint	T/O	Chance	Break	Bench
TCU	16	0	4	6	4
Kansas State	18	9	4	8	14

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2nd PERIOD Play-by-Play (Page 1)

Time	Score	Margin	HOME/VISITOR	Time	Score	Margin	HOME/VISITOR
20:00			SUB IN : Diarra, Cartier	13:19			REBOUND (DEF) by Brown, Barry
20:00			SUB OUT: Trice, Austin	13:11	46-41	H 5	GOOD! DUNK by Mawien, Makol [FB/PNT]
19:36	32-37	V 5	GOOD! 3 PTR by ROBINSON, Alex	13:11			ASSIST by Brown, Barry
19:36			ASSIST by MILLER, JD	12:53			MISSED 3 PTR by NOI, Kouat
19:17	34-37	V 3	GOOD! LAYUP by Mawien, Makol [PNT]	12:53			REBOUND (DEF) by McGuirl, Mike
19:17			ASSIST by Sneed, Xavier	12:45	48-41	H 7	GOOD! LAYUP by Sneed, Xavier [FB/PNT]
18:53			FOUL by NOI, Kouat (P2T1)	12:45			ASSIST by McGuirl, Mike
18:52			TURNOVR by NOI, Kouat	12:44			TIMEOUT 30sec
18:35			FOUL by BANE, Desmond (P3T2)	12:44			TIMEOUT MEDIA
18:35			MISSED FT SHOT by Diarra, Cartier	12:44			SUB IN : DAVIS, Kendric
18:35			REBOUND (OFF) by (DEADBALL)	12:44			SUB IN : MILLER, JD
18:35			MISSED FT SHOT by Diarra, Cartier	12:44			SUB OUT: NOI, Kouat
18:35			REBOUND (DEF) by MILLER, JD	12:44			SUB OUT: NEMBHARD, RJ
18:26			MISSED 3 PTR by NOI, Kouat	12:44			SUB IN : Stokes, Kamau
18:26			REBOUND (OFF) by MILLER, JD	12:44			SUB IN : Stockard, Levi
18:22			MISSED LAYUP by MILLER, JD	12:44			SUB OUT: Mawien, Makol
18:22			REBOUND (OFF) by NOI, Kouat	12:44			SUB OUT: McGuirl, Mike
18:20	34-39	V 5	GOOD! TIP-IN by NOI, Kouat [PNT]	12:14			TURNOVR by (TEAM)
17:54			MISSED 3 PTR by Sneed, Xavier	11:54			TIMEOUT MEDIA
17:54			REBOUND (DEF) by SAMUEL, Kevin	11:48			MISSED 3 PTR by Brown, Barry
17:23			MISSED LAYUP by ROBINSON, Alex	11:48			REBOUND (OFF) by Diarra, Cartier
17:23			BLOCK by Mawien, Makol	11:25			MISSED JUMPER by Diarra, Cartier
17:22			REBOUND (DEF) by Diarra, Cartier	11:25			REBOUND (OFF) by Stockard, Levi
17:18	36-39	V 3	GOOD! LAYUP by Brown, Barry [FB/PNT]	11:00	51-41	H 10	GOOD! 3 PTR by Sneed, Xavier
17:18			ASSIST by Diarra, Cartier	11:00			ASSIST by Brown, Barry
16:56			MISSED DUNK by SAMUEL, Kevin	10:26			FOUL by Brown, Barry (P2T2)
16:56			REBOUND (DEF) by Stokes, Kamau	10:11			TURNOVR by MILLER, JD
16:45			MISSED 3 PTR by Diarra, Cartier	10:11			SUB IN : NOI, Kouat
16:45			REBOUND (DEF) by SAMUEL, Kevin	10:11			SUB OUT: MILLER, JD
16:17			MISSED 3 PTR by MILLER, JD	10:11			SUB IN : Mawien, Makol
16:17			REBOUND (DEF) by Diarra, Cartier	10:11			SUB OUT: Stockard, Levi
16:07			TURNOVR by Brown, Barry	09:59			MISSED 3 PTR by Stokes, Kamau
16:07			SUB IN : NEMBHARD, RJ	09:59			REBOUND (DEF) by BANE, Desmond
16:07			SUB OUT: SAMUEL, Kevin	09:41			MISSED LAYUP by ROBINSON, Alex
15:47			MISSED JUMPER by BANE, Desmond	09:41			BLOCK by Mawien, Makol
15:47			REBOUND (DEF) by Diarra, Cartier	09:39			REBOUND (DEF) by Mawien, Makol
15:29	38-39	V 1	GOOD! JUMPER by Mawien, Makol	09:34			TURNOVR by Mawien, Makol
15:29			ASSIST by Sneed, Xavier	09:33			STEAL by DAVIS, Kendric
15:17			MISSED JUMPER by ROBINSON, Alex	09:27	51-43	H 8	GOOD! LAYUP by BANE, Desmond [FB/PNT]
15:17			REBOUND (DEF) by Sneed, Xavier	08:53			MISSED JUMPER by Mawien, Makol
15:09			TURNOVR by Mawien, Makol	08:53			REBOUND (DEF) by NOI, Kouat
15:09			TIMEOUT MEDIA	08:44			MISSED LAYUP by NOI, Kouat
15:09			SUB IN : SAMUEL, Kevin	08:44			REBOUND (DEF) by Mawien, Makol
15:09			SUB OUT: MILLER, JD	08:37	53-43	H 10	GOOD! LAYUP by Sneed, Xavier [FB/PNT]
15:09			SUB IN : McGuirl, Mike	08:37			ASSIST by Brown, Barry
15:09			SUB OUT: Diarra, Cartier	08:06	53-45	H 8	GOOD! DUNK by SAMUEL, Kevin [PNT]
14:55			TURNOVR by NOI, Kouat	08:06			ASSIST by DAVIS, Kendric
14:55			STEAL by Stokes, Kamau	07:43			MISSED 3 PTR by Brown, Barry
14:52			FOUL by NEMBHARD, RJ (P1T3)	07:43			REBOUND (DEF) by SAMUEL, Kevin
14:52	39-39	T 1	GOOD! FT SHOT by Stokes, Kamau	07:35			FOUL by Sneed, Xavier (P2T3)
14:52			MISSED FT SHOT by Stokes, Kamau	07:35			TIMEOUT MEDIA
14:52			REBOUND (OFF) by Sneed, Xavier	07:35			SUB IN : MILLER, JD
14:48	42-39	H 3	GOOD! 3 PTR by Stokes, Kamau	07:35			SUB OUT: SAMUEL, Kevin
14:48			ASSIST by Sneed, Xavier	07:35			SUB IN : McGuirl, Mike
14:34			TURNOVR by BANE, Desmond	07:35			SUB IN : Neal-Williams, Shaun
14:34			SUB IN : Diarra, Cartier	07:35			SUB OUT: Sneed, Xavier
14:34			SUB OUT: Stokes, Kamau	07:35			SUB OUT: Diarra, Cartier
14:15			MISSED JUMPER by Mawien, Makol	07:23			MISSED JUMPER by MILLER, JD
14:15			REBOUND (OFF) by Mawien, Makol	07:23			REBOUND (DEF) by (TEAM)
14:11			FOUL by SAMUEL, Kevin (P2T4)	07:00			MISSED 3 PTR by Stokes, Kamau
14:11	43-39	H 4	GOOD! FT SHOT by Mawien, Makol	07:00			REBOUND (DEF) by BANE, Desmond
14:11	44-39	H 5	GOOD! FT SHOT by Mawien, Makol	06:42	53-48	H 5	GOOD! 3 PTR by BANE, Desmond
14:02			FOUL by McGuirl, Mike (P3T1)	06:42			ASSIST by ROBINSON, Alex
14:01	44-41	H 3	GOOD! JUMPER by BANE, Desmond	06:25			TURNOVR by Neal-Williams, Shaun
14:01			ASSIST by ROBINSON, Alex	06:23			STEAL by DAVIS, Kendric
13:40			FOUL by SAMUEL, Kevin (P3T5)	06:21			TURNOVR by DAVIS, Kendric
13:28			MISSED 3 PTR by McGuirl, Mike	06:21			STEAL by Stokes, Kamau
13:28			REBOUND (DEF) by ROBINSON, Alex	06:19			MISSED 3 PTR by Brown, Barry
13:19			MISSED 3 PTR by ROBINSON, Alex	06:19			REBOUND (OFF) by Mawien, Makol

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Time	Score	Margin	HOME/VISITOR	Time	Score	Margin	HOME/VISITOR						
06:18			FOUL by ROBINSON, Alex (P2T6)	00:06			REBOUND (OFF) by MILLER, JD						
06:18			SUB IN : SAMUEL, Kevin	00:02			MISSED JUMPER by ROBINSON, Alex						
06:18			SUB OUT: MILLER, JD	00:01			BLOCK by McAtee, Pierson						
06:18			SUB IN : Sneed, Xavier	00:01			REBOUND (DEF) by Muldoon, Patrick						
06:18			SUB OUT: Neal-Williams, Shaun										
06:14			TURNOVR by Brown, Barry										
06:13			STEAL by SAMUEL, Kevin										
06:09	53-50	H 3	GOOD! LAYUP by BANE, Desmond [FB/PNT]										
05:53	55-50	H 5	GOOD! LAYUP by Stokes, Kamau [PNT]										
05:47			FOUL by McGuirl, Mike (P4T4)										
05:47			SUB IN : Diarra, Cartier										
05:47			SUB OUT: McGuirl, Mike										
05:43	55-52	H 3	GOOD! LAYUP by BANE, Desmond [PNT]										
05:43			ASSIST by DAVIS, Kendric										
05:29	58-52	H 6	GOOD! 3 PTR by Sneed, Xavier										
05:27			FOUL by NOI, Kouat (P3T7)										
05:27	59-52	H 7	GOOD! FT SHOT by Sneed, Xavier										
05:17			TURNOVR by ROBINSON, Alex										
05:16			STEAL by Sneed, Xavier										
05:13	61-52	H 9	GOOD! LAYUP by Stokes, Kamau [FB/PNT]										
05:13			ASSIST by Sneed, Xavier										
04:49	61-54	H 7	GOOD! LAYUP by NOI, Kouat [PNT]										
04:49			ASSIST by SAMUEL, Kevin										
04:32			FOUL by DAVIS, Kendric (P3T8)										
04:32	62-54	H 8	GOOD! FT SHOT by Diarra, Cartier										
04:32	63-54	H 9	GOOD! FT SHOT by Diarra, Cartier										
04:32			TIMEOUT 30sec										
04:27	63-56	H 7	GOOD! DUNK by SAMUEL, Kevin [PNT]										
04:27			ASSIST by ROBINSON, Alex										
04:00			MISSED 3 PTR by Sneed, Xavier										
04:00			REBOUND (DEF) by ROBINSON, Alex										
03:51			TURNOVR by NOI, Kouat										
03:47			STEAL by Mawien, Makol										
03:47			TIMEOUT MEDIA										
03:46			SUB IN : MILLER, JD										
03:46			SUB OUT: SAMUEL, Kevin										
03:18			MISSED 3 PTR by Diarra, Cartier										
03:18			REBOUND (DEF) by BANE, Desmond										
02:53			MISSED 3 PTR by NOI, Kouat										
02:53			REBOUND (DEF) by Stokes, Kamau										
02:21			MISSED JUMPER by Stokes, Kamau										
02:21			REBOUND (DEF) by MILLER, JD										
02:14	63-58	H 5	GOOD! LAYUP by DAVIS, Kendric [FB/PNT]										
01:43			MISSED JUMPER by Brown, Barry										
01:43			REBOUND (DEF) by NOI, Kouat										
01:33			FOUL by Stokes, Kamau (P2T5)										
01:28	63-60	H 3	GOOD! LAYUP by BANE, Desmond [PNT]										
01:28			ASSIST by MILLER, JD										
00:56	66-60	H 6	GOOD! 3 PTR by Sneed, Xavier										
00:42			FOUL by Brown, Barry (P3T6)										
00:42			SUB IN : McGuirl, Mike										
00:42			SUB OUT: Diarra, Cartier										
00:35			MISSED 3 PTR by DAVIS, Kendric										
00:35			BLOCK by Stokes, Kamau										
00:32			REBOUND (OFF) by (TEAM)										
00:28			TURNOVR by ROBINSON, Alex										
00:27			STEAL by McGuirl, Mike										
00:22			FOUL by NOI, Kouat (P4T9)										
00:22	67-60	H 7	GOOD! FT SHOT by Sneed, Xavier										
00:22	68-60	H 8	GOOD! FT SHOT by Sneed, Xavier										
00:15			FOUL by Mawien, Makol (P3T7)										
00:15	68-61	H 7	GOOD! FT SHOT by MILLER, JD										
00:15			MISSED FT SHOT by MILLER, JD										
00:15			REBOUND (DEF) by Mawien, Makol										
00:15			SUB IN : Diarra, Cartier										
00:15			SUB OUT: McGuirl, Mike										
00:12			FOUL by MILLER, JD (P2T10)										
00:12	69-61	H 8	GOOD! FT SHOT by Diarra, Cartier										
00:12	70-61	H 9	GOOD! FT SHOT by Diarra, Cartier										
00:12			SUB IN : Neal-Williams, Shaun										
00:12			SUB IN : Love, James										
00:12			SUB IN : McAtee, Pierson										
00:12			SUB IN : Muldoon, Patrick										

	In	Off	2nd	Fast	Bench
2nd period-only	Paint	T/O	Chance	Break	
TCU	18	4	2	6	2
Kansas State	14	13	8	10	4

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TCU

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			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot								
12	NOI, Kouat	f	0-2	0-2	4-4	3	1	4	1	4	0	2	0	1			18	
15	MILLER, JD	f	3-4	1-1	0-1	1	2	3	1	7	0	0	0	1			16	
21	SAMUEL, Kevin	c	2-2	0-0	3-5	0	2	2	1	7	0	2	1	0			14	
01	BANE, Desmond	g	1-3	1-1	0-0	1	0	1	2	3	1	0	0	1			7	
25	ROBINSON, Alex	g	4-8	1-3	0-0	0	5	5	1	9	4	4	1	0			20	
05	DAVIS, Kendric		0-2	0-0	2-3	0	1	1	2	2	0	0	0	0			9	
22	NEMBHARD, RJ		1-3	0-1	0-0	0	4	4	0	2	0	1	2	0			16	
Team						0	0	0										
Totals			11-24	3-8	9-13	5	15	20	8	34	5	9	4	3			100	

FG % 1st Half: 11-24 45.8%
 3FG % 1st Half: 3-8 37.5%
 FT % 1st Half: 9-13 69.2%

Kansas State

#	Player		Total			3-Ptr			Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot								
14	Mawien, Makol	f	1-2	0-0	0-1	1	2	3	2	2	0	2	0	1			12	
23	Trice, Austin	f	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	1			6	
03	Stokes, Kamau	g	1-7	1-4	0-0	0	1	1	1	3	2	0	0	0			18	
05	Brown, Barry	g	4-11	2-4	0-0	0	3	3	1	10	3	1	0	1			19	
20	Sneed, Xavier	g	1-5	1-3	0-1	3	2	5	1	3	1	1	0	0			14	
00	McGuirl, Mike		1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1			11	
01	Neal-Williams, Shaun		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	
02	Diarra, Cartier		2-4	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	4	2	0	0	0			12	
21	Love, James		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	
24	McAtee, Pierson		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	
34	Stockard, Levi		4-5	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	8	0	0	0	0			8	
35	Muldoon, Patrick		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	
45	Shadd, Nigel		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	
Team						2	0	2										
Totals			14-35	4-11	0-2	8	10	18	9	32	8	4	0	4			100	

FG % 1st Half: 14-35 40.0%
 3FG % 1st Half: 4-11 36.4%
 FT % 1st Half: 0-2 0.0%

Officials: John Higgins, Ray Natili, Jeb Hartness
 Technical fouls: TCU-None. Kansas State-None.
 Attendance: 18930
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Score by periods	1st	Total
TCU	34	34
Kansas State	32	32

Points	In Paint	Off T/O	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
TCU	16	0	4	6	4
KS	18	9	4	8	14

Last FG - TCU 2nd-01:28, KS 2nd-00:56.
 Largest lead - TCU by 12 1st-09:04, KS by 10 2nd-11:00.
 TCU led for 24:55. KS led for 14:48. Game was tied for 00:17.

Score tied - 0 times.
 Lead changed - 0 times.

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TCU

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12	NOI, Kouat	f	2-6	0-3	0-0				1	2	3	3	4	0	3	0	0	18
15	MILLER, JD	f	0-3	0-1	1-2				2	2	4	1	1	2	1	0	0	12
21	SAMUEL, Kevin	c	2-3	0-0	0-0				0	3	3	2	4	1	0	0	1	14
01	BANE, Desmond	g	6-8	1-2	0-0				0	3	3	1	13	0	1	0	0	20
25	ROBINSON, Alex	g	1-6	1-2	0-0				0	2	2	1	3	3	2	0	0	20
05	DAVIS, Kendric		1-2	0-1	0-0				0	0	0	1	2	2	1	0	2	13
22	NEMBHARD, RJ		0-0	0-0	0-0				0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Team									1	0	1			1				
Totals			12-28	2-9	1-2				4	12	16	10	27	8	9	0	3	100

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 3FG % 1st Half: 3-8 37.5% 2nd half: 2-9 22.2%
 FT % 1st Half: 9-13 69.2% 2nd half: 1-2 50.0%

Kansas State

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03	Stokes, Kamau	g	3-6	1-3	1-2				0	2	2	1	8	0	0	1	2	18
05	Brown, Barry	g	1-5	0-3	0-0				0	1	1	2	2	3	2	0	0	20
20	Sneed, Xavier	g	5-7	3-5	3-3				1	1	2	1	16	4	0	0	1	19
00	McGuirl, Mike		0-1	0-1	0-0				0	1	1	2	0	1	0	0	1	5
01	Neal-Williams, Shaun		0-0	0-0	0-0				0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
02	Diarra, Cartier		0-3	0-2	4-6				1	3	4	0	4	1	0	0	0	17
21	Love, James		0-0	0-0	0-0				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
24	McAtee, Pierson		0-0	0-0	0-0				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0+
34	Stockard, Levi		0-0	0-0	0-0				1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
35	Muldoon, Patrick		0-0	0-0	0-0				0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
45	Shadd, Nigel		0-0	0-0	0-0				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
Team									0	1	1							
Totals			12-27	4-14	10-13				5	13	18	7	38	9	5	4	5	100

FG % 1st Half: 14-35 40.0% 2nd half: 12-27 44.4%
 3FG % 1st Half: 4-11 36.4% 2nd half: 4-14 28.6%
 FT % 1st Half: 0-2 0.0% 2nd half: 10-13 76.9%

Officials: John Higgins, Ray Natili, Jeb Hartness

Technical fouls: TCU-None. Kansas State-None.

Attendance: 18930

2019 Phillips 66 Big 12 Men's Basketball Championship Quarterfinal

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
TCU	34	27	61
Kansas State	32	38	70

Points	In Paint	Off T/O	2nd Chance	Fast Break	Bench
TCU	18	4	2	6	2
KS	14	13	8	10	4

Last FG - TCU 2nd-01:28, KS 2nd-00:56.

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Score tied - 1 time.

Lead changed - 1 time.

Play Analysis [2nd -- 00:00]
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<u>POINTS OFF TURNOVERS</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Total</u>
TCU	0	4	4
Kansas State	9	13	22

<u>POINTS IN PAINT</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Total</u>
TCU	16	18	34
Kansas State	18	14	32

<u>2ND CHANCE POINTS</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Total</u>
TCU	4	2	6
Kansas State	4	8	12

<u>FAST BREAK POINTS</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Total</u>
TCU	6	6	12
Kansas State	8	10	18

<u>BENCH POINTS</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Total</u>
TCU	4	2	6
Kansas State	14	4	18

<u>SCORE TIED BY</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Total</u>
TCU	0	0	0
Kansas State	0	1	1

<u>LEAD GAINED BY</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Total</u>
TCU	0	0	0
Kansas State	0	1	1



Phillips 66 Big 12 Men's Basketball Championship

GAME NOTES

SPRINT CENTER: March 14, 2019

No. 1 Kansas State 70, No. 8 TCU 61

Big 12 Championship Notes

- This is the third time that Kansas State and TCU have faced off in Big 12 Men's Basketball Championship play and the second-straight year that the Wildcats have opened against the Horned Frogs. KSU holds a 2-1 edge in championship games.
- Kansas State makes its first appearance as the No. 1 seed in the Big 12 Men's Basketball Championship, and their 24th overall. The last time the Wildcats entered a conference tournament as the top seed was in 1977, the debut season of the Big 8 Men's Basketball Championship. The Wildcats are 15-22 in championship play, and 7-10 in quarterfinal contests.
- This is the sixth appearance for TCU, their second as the No. 8 seed. The Horned Frogs have a 5-7 record in Big 12 Men's Basketball Championship play and a 3-2 mark as the 8 seed. TCU is 1-4 in the quarterfinals.
- Top seeds are 20-3 all-time vs. the winner of the 8/9 game. Kansas was the last No. 1 seed to lose, dropping an 85-82 result to TCU on March 9, 2017.

Individual & Team Notes

- Kansas State sweeps the season series against TCU, holding the Horned Frogs to their three lowest-scoring outputs against Big 12 opponents.
- KSU junior Xavier Sneed moved into sole possession of ninth all-time with 155 3 FGM, passing Lance Harris (154) and led the team in scoring for the seventh time this season.
- Senior Kamau Stokes picked up two steals, passing Will Spradling (128) for sixth all-time in school history and also tied Spradling for eighth all-time with 105 starts.
- Senior Barry Brown, Jr. has scored in double-digits in 22 of 24 games this season (90 career) and moved into fifth all-time on the Wildcats career list with 626 field goals, passing Chuckie Williams (621).
- After trailing by as many as 12 in the first half, the Wildcats closed with a 21-11 run over 9:01 to pull within two at the break.
- Kansas State took its first lead of the contest with 14:48 to play, capitalizing on a 4:18 TCU scoring drought with a 12-2 run. The Wildcats never trailed again in the contest.
- With 136 career appearances for TCU, senior J.D. Miller matches a program high, equaling Brandon Parrish.
- Senior Alex Robinson has the second-best single-season assist total for TCU, with 230 on the 2018-19 season. He finished four back of Tony Edmond's 1989-90 pace.
- TCU held Kansas State below 30-percent shooting until the under eight media timeout.
- TCU went 8-of-14 (.571) from the floor through the first 10 minutes of the game, but hit at an abysmal 7-of-24 (.280) pace over the next 22 minutes (10:17-8:44) before recovering to a 8-of-13 (.615) pace.
- The Horned Frogs turned the ball over 18 times, a new championship high for TCU. Twice previously they surrendered 15 – both against Kansas – with the previous coming on March 9, 2017. KSU's 17 assists were also a new tournament high allowed by TCU.

Big 12 Conference Men's Basketball Championship

Thursday, March 14, 2019

Bruce Weber

Barry Brown, Jr.

Kamau Stokes

Kansas State Wildcats

Kansas State 70, TCU 61

THE MODERATOR: We are joined on stage by the Kansas State Wildcats, our head coach Bruce Weber and student-athletes Kamau Stokes and Barry Brown, Jr. Coach, congratulations. Your thoughts?

BRUCE WEBER: Just proud of the continuing to be resilient and fight. It's human nature after Saturday night to win a championship, to celebrate like that. To come back, I didn't think we had great emotion to start the game, not very good energy. I warned them, I kind of talked to them about it. But I thought the bench was really key, other people. Obviously Cartier coming in, getting us going. Levi did a nice job. Mike McGuirl, we got some stops, turned them over, got a lot of transition points.

That with the fast break points were really key and Xavier in the second half really stepped up. I thought a big offensive rebound after Kam missed the free throw, got it back to Kam, hit the three, broke their spirit a little bit and got to 10 and then we had to find a way to finish it out. So proud of these guys, the whole team. They've continued to fight and be resilient and get 25 not wins and move closer to getting a Big 12 Championship.

Q. Kam and Barry, Levi lost minutes in the last month or two and gets put on the spot today and has a big game. How important was he in the win?

KAMAU STOKES: He was very important. Coach talks about guys stepping up and Levi stepped up today and he gave us post presence, and defensively he did a pretty good job.

Q. Kamau, you guys have been trailing all game and you hit one free throw and then you had the 3-pointer. It seemed like you guys just took over. Can you describe that run of taking the lead and just what you guys were able to do down the stretch to maintain that lead?

KAMAU STOKES: Like Coach said, the plays we made



toward the end of game pretty much broke their spirit and those were momentum plays as well and we kept going for the rest of the game and got stops like we did and fast break points were a big thing, too.

Q. And Barry, you guys have had tight games in the past. Does this team have championship DNA?

BARRY BROWN, JR.: I think we do. We've shown that time and time again. We've shown that no matter what the score is we're down late, up late, down early, doesn't matter we're going to continue to compete, continue to fight and just try to find a way to win.

Q. Kamau, that run we were talking about where you guys took the lead started with you going down pretty hard. What did you hurt there? How many things do you have going on right now with injuries? Is it true Coach Weber might have been yelling at you to make your free throws while you were lying down?

KAMAU STOKES: I don't know if he was yelling at me to make my free throws, but Coach Weber always talks about toughness and I'm pretty sure he wanted me to get up. Everybody wanted me to get up. So just had to let the pain wear off a little bit. Fell on my side. Other than that I feel fine.

Q. When you are going through that, how hard is it to lock in on, I gotta shoot a free throw now? You got a few things going on, you're wiggling your hand and limping.

KAMAU STOKES: It's not hard. You gotta focus on the things that are important and those free throws are important, and I missed the second one. He did a great job kicking it out to me and I was opening for the 3.

Q. Barry, about halfway through the first half you guys are in single digits scoring and I can hear Coach imploring you guys to play with more energy. What were your thoughts at that time? TCU was slowly pulling away. Did you think you were getting in trouble there?

BARRY BROWN, JR.: We came out draw and lethargic, didn't have the right energy and mindset to compete for forty minutes. I feel like the first maybe 10, 12 minutes of the first half we kinda just coasted and thought that we just won a Big 12 championship maybe

are we were going to come in and win a game. I tried to express to the guys that it wasn't going to be easy. I had never swept TCU throughout my entire career. Last year we went 2-1, sophomore year went 1-1, and did we sweep my freshman year?

BRUCE WEBER: No, they beat us at home. Then we came back and beat 'em there.

BARRY BROWN, JR.: There you go. So I knew it wasn't to be an easy game. They're trying to get that bid into the NCAA Tournament, and they're playing with a chip on their shoulder. So they came out and punched us in the mouth. We needed to be the aggressor and we weren't. But I feel like, I don't know, we got the wet feet from out of us and just played with confidence down the stretch and end of the first half.

Q. Both of you, what are your thoughts on playing Iowa State on Friday?

KAMAU STOKES: You know, they're a good team. We gotta prepare for them the same way we prepare for anybody else. They gonna come out, play hard. They're fighting for a tournament championship as well, so we know they're going to come out and we gotta be ready to compete.

BARRY BROWN, JR.: I mean, like he said, they're a good team. We're really going to have to lock it into what they do and their personnel, they came into, last time and got a win. So we kinda got that sick taste in our mouth and we have to do everything possible and everything necessary in order for us to come out with a victory.

Q. Barry, I was wondering if you could walk me through that 3-point shot by X-man when the clock was running down, gave you guys a 6 lead? What did he say? Talk about that setup?

BARRY BROWN, JR.: Top of the key? I don't know what happened, honestly, from my point of view I was on the right wing and I saw the clock dwindling down, and I was yelling at him to shoot and I didn't know if he saw the shot clock. He pumped fake and stayed with his fundamentals and principles in his shot and he was able to make it.

Q. For both you guys, you guys scored 22 points off turnovers. What were you able to do to make TCU make poor decisions offensively?

BARRY BROWN, JR.: I thought we had hand pressure, being in the gap trying to make them make the extra pass. It worked for the most part. I feel like early we win the have that hand pressure and that toughness, but for about 30 minutes of the game I felt like we came out and played Kansas State defense. We pressured the ball, deflected passes, got rebounds also and got

out in transition.

KAMAU STOKES: Like Barry said, I feel like our defense intensity picked up. We were lethargic in the beginning of the game, and second half Coach Weber challenged us to defend those guys. You know, wanted to hold them under what we held them before which I think was fifty five. Fifty two. We didn't do that today because of the early start they had, but second half I felt like we were locked in defensively.

THE MODERATOR: Thank you, guys. Congratulations. Questions for Coach?

Q. Bruce, obviously toughness means a lot to you and when Kamau is down, you're assuming he's going to get up. How much does all the stuff he's been going through speak to what you're looking for and I hope I wasn't unfair?

BRUCE WEBER: I kinda did it in jest trying to get him to smile and laugh, I got the official to laugh. He begins to laugh probably more than anybody, but I just said get your butt up and make your free throws. He's been unbelievable, the last six games, all season, his whole career. That little guy that keeps getting knocked down and keeps getting up and you gotta give him a lot of credit for sticking with it, and I don't think he had a great start. But he had that little stretch there, got fouled made the free throw, made the three, made some plays. Again, he's just doing a lot of little things. His defense is better. But he is truly played inspired basketball and he showed a lot, a lot of toughness.

Q. Bruce, how impressive was Xavier's second half and can you walk me through the 3-pointer at the buzzer?

BRUCE WEBER: Well, you know, we all got after Xavier. He struggled early and he didn't have great body language. One time he said he wanted to come out and I said heck with you, stay in there. I ended up taking him out; but, you know, I got after him a couple of times and the coaches got after him and he responded.

You know, the shot clock is going down. We wanted the ball in Barry's hands. I don't know what happened, but somehow it didn't get there. Xavier got it, and, you know, the thing we all say if you're going to shoot it, shoot it to make it and follow through. Barry talked about it. He stuck with it and it looked like he shoots those all the time. Really good effort. I thought his offensive rebound was huge, 19-7, 5 assists. Good game for anybody and a lot of that was in the second half, and he had the big 3 at the end of the half after we gave up the layup. The other unsung hero is Mak, 10-8 offensive rebounds, defending energy, you gotta run every time. They put you in so many binds, and I

thought him and Levi, you get 18 points from those two guys and 10 rebounds, that's pretty efficient for a big guy. We gotta find ways to make up for Dean and that means a little from different people you get Carti, Mak, Levi, and Xavier steps up and that's allowed us to win the game.

Q. You're down 13, 10 minutes into the game, you go to that lineup at the end of the game last time, Barry, Kam, X, Carti and Mak, and how big of an impact did Carti have?

BRUCE WEBER: He gave us energy and he is fresh. He hasn't played. He got tired. You could see him huffing and puffing. He didn't want to come out. The only thing I screwed up, they told him to not dunk and I ran that lob play. Luckily he caught it because we didn't want to take a chance. He definitely gave us a great boost of energy, 8 points, 5 rebounds, 3 assists, just got to the hoop, made some plays that helped us kinda penetrate their defense which was really key.

Q. Coach, that same segment, you guys were down quite a bit, I think it was 12 points or 13 points and you were imploring your team to play with energy. How concerned were you that this was one of those games where you just couldn't wake 'em up at that point?

BRUCE WEBER: I was concerned. I sat down a couple of times and you know I don't like to sit down. But I was frustrated, not only, I didn't think we had energy. We took some tough shots, some quick shots, and, you know, you gotta give 'em credit. They have been resilient. They fought back today. We talked about wearing TCU down, and I know TCU had a lot to play for. But they did play last night at 6:00 and they didn't get back to their hotel room until 9:30. I thought they played with great energy and right before half we remember able to take advantage and wear them down, made some plays, shut them down. I didn't know what the score was, but they only got 27 second half, they were up 27. You think about 54 the rest of the game. We did a much better job defensively, turned 'em over 18 times. We did that at home, the same thing, active hands, like Barry talked about, that has allowed us to get is some transition, get some easy baskets and probably got us going more than anything.

THE MODERATOR: Coach, thank you so much. Congratulations.

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Jamie Dixon

Desmond Bane

Alex Robinson

TCU Horned Frogs

Kansas State 70, TCU 61

THE MODERATOR: We are joined by the TCU Horned Frogs, head coach, Jamie Dixon, student-athletes today are Desmond Bane and Alex Robinson. Coach, we will call on you first for an opening statement.

JAMIE DIXON: Well, obviously a disappointing result for us. I mean, obviously we had the lead, played well early. Just seemed to be the more physical team, Kansas State. We weren't able to get it done, so congratulate them. We've been playing good basketball. Played well for the first half and did some good things, but eventually the turnovers got to us. Certainly proud of our guys. Proud of how we responded, how we played good basketball down the stretch, proud of 20 wins in a really tough conference, the toughest in the country. We've proved that we're a very good team. However, we've come up short against the top-10 teams, top-12 teams in the country in our league, Kansas State specifically and Texas Tech and Kansas. But otherwise we have played well. Disappointed to lose this game because I thought we had the opportunity to win it.

Q. For both of you, Coach mentioned the turnovers. What was K-State able to do defensively to get you guys out of rhythm?

ALEX ROBINSON: They do a really good job of rotating and playing the passing lane. I felt like they did a pretty good job of that.

Q. Do you have anything to add?

DESMOND BANE: Pretty much that's it.

Q. For both you guys, what allowed you to get back after I think they pushed it back out to 9, but you cut it back down to 5 or 3 with a couple minutes left to go?

DESMOND BANE: Just our resilience and fight. We got a lot of fight in us. I knew there was nobody quitting when they went on that run. We have been preaching stick together and stay together and that's



what we did. We were able to get some stops and make a few plays on the offensive end to cut down on the lead.

Q. How stressful is the next three days going to be, whether or not you guys make the NCAA Tournament, and do you guys feel like you've done enough?

DESMOND BANE: I mean, it is what it is. But I feel like we've definitely done enough. We got 20 wins in the best league in the country. That's really hard to do. Like Coach said, 7 of our 11 losses came to top-12 teams in the country, others on the road. So I feel like we have no real bad losses. So playing in this league and winning 20 games I feel like we should be, we're deserving of a tournament bid.

ALEX ROBINSON: Just going off what Desmond said, we have 20 wins. We're playing in the best conference in the country. We don't have any bad losses. I definitely think we deserve to be in the Big Dance.

THE MODERATOR: Okay, guys, we will let you go back to the locker room. Thank you. We will go to questions for Coach Dixon now.

Q. Coach, when they were making that 17-2 run in the second half to take the lead and you know, the free throw bounces their way, they kick it out for a three. At that point, how do you try and slow down their momentum?

JAMIE DIXON: We were trying to slow it down before, we played well, did some good things. Eventually the turnovers got to us and they got some transition baskets, but we were emphasizing the rebounding and the numbers were gradually going back their way. Those two things were the obvious statistics that stood out.

They just seemed to get more physical, more aggressive on our drives, on our penetration, and, you know, they were able to keep us from getting direct line to the basket. Then they hit a couple of shots and obviously that can kill you. A 3 after a missed free throw can really hurt. So, you know, but the turnovers by and large are eventually going to catch up to you and that's where we got a lot of their baskets. In the half-court I thought we defended well, but live ball turnovers can be baskets the other way in most

situations. They certainly got us in that area.

Q. Coach, you, Desmond and Alex all mentioned this is the toughest league in the conference. Is it the double Round Robin. What is it about this Big 12, you obviously used to coach in the Big East. What makes this conference tough?

JAMIE DIXON: I think the bottom teams are as tough as the other bottom teams, top to bottom and that's what it gets down to when you talk about the NCAA Tournament, you get no easy wins. And then you play everybody twice. We have seven losses versus Kansas State, Texas Tech and Kansas, games we were in and had chances and opportunities. You don't get the unbalanced schedule. You get maybe one of those teams once and maybe get 'em four total and we've got seven losses against those teams and this is a neutral game. You lose on the road to them, you feel like you could get a home win out of it. But we didn't.

That's the challenge. Those are very good teams and we had some situations where we weren't playing with obviously some number situations. But you've got to find the way. But we did a lot of other good things too, obviously Iowa State is highly ranked and we got two wins against them. But those seven losses, pretty much everybody in the country is going to lose to those teams.

Q. Coach, how much does the fatigue in a seven-man rotation factor into this second half decline?

JAMIE DIXON: Again, you knew they were going to make a run. They got more physical and more aggressive. I don't know that fatigue was it. Desmond not playing a lot in the first half, but then playing with three in the second half. You don't want those things to happen and against them we've been in foul trouble pretty much every game, and it amazes me. But, you know, we've got to figure that out. They're a physical team, but yet they play very good defense at the same time. Very good at guarding the dribble. Very strong at the end of finishes, but I felt like we were fine with that.

We were able to play guys 20 minutes or so, everybody. I thought that would balance it out, but again, I don't think it was a fatigue thing. I just think they just got more physical at the end and we get Desmond with three right away in the second half and it changes a lot of things.

Q. Jamie, you guys have won 2 of your last 3. If you get in, do you feel like you can make some noise?

JAMIE DIXON: I do feel like we've been playing well. I went through the game last night and watched it and I thought we played, and I told our players that we played really 74 minutes, I said 70 after the game, of

really good basketball. Then I switched it to about 74 because we had a 6-minute spell against Oklahoma State where they seemed to be getting some second shots and that was a turning point. I guess you could say we played 20 good minutes here. They made the big plays. At Texas, seemed like we made those shots at the end of the clock, you know. They get et three at the end of the half after we score. That's momentum even though we've got the lead. Obviously they get the three at the end and it's a 3-point game, shot fake shot. So they kinda made some big shots. They got the guys scramble play at the end of the first of half. The guy steps out-of-bounds, gets a layup, you know what I mean? They made some plays at the end of the clock. But give 'em credit. The guys that made it, the shots, were Sneed and he's an experienced guy along with those other seniors. I know he's a junior, but he's been playing all the way through, and to me he's a big factor of the team. He seems to be the toughest, most physical guy they have among a bunch of tough, physical guys. He made those big shots. I thought those two threes were the ones that got us, down a 3-point game. He shot fake shots and gets a three on it, and the end of the half was a devastating three. You know, those are plays where you think you're playing pretty good defense and you end up giving those up for 6 points. That's really the difference when you can get it, get down to it.

THE MODERATOR: Coach, we'll let you go. Thank you for coming.