



# POSTGAME NOTES

## // 2018-19 KANSAS MEN'S BASKETBALL

### #1/1 Kansas 89, South Dakota 53

Tuesday, December 18, 2018

Allen Fieldhouse // Lawrence, Kan.

#### KU STARTERS (SEASON/CAREER)

Devon Dotson (10/10)

Quentin Grimes (10/10)

Lagerald Vick (8/49)

Marcus Garrett (4/10)

Dedric Lawson (10/74\*) *Includes 64 starts at Memphis*

**SERIES INFO:** First Meeting

**ATTENDANCE:** 16,300 (281st-consecutive sellout)

#### KANSAS' WIN...

- Made Kansas 10-0 for the first time since the 2010-11 season and gave KU a 10-game winning streak for the first time since the 2016-17 season and the 16th time in the Bill Self era
- Gave Kansas its 40th-straight win in Allen Fieldhouse when ranked No. 1 by Associated Press
- Gave Kansas its 10th-straight win in Allen Fieldhouse
- Made KU 778-113 all-time in Allen Fieldhouse, including 240-13 under head coach Bill Self
- Made Kansas 5-0 in the month of December for the eighth time in Bill Self's 16 seasons at KU
- Made Self 457-96 while at Kansas and 664-201 overall
- Made Kansas 2,258-849 all-time

#### TEAM NOTES

- The Jayhawks 37-27 halftime edge was its largest lead at the break since it led Michigan State by 14 (50-36) at the intermission in the season opener on Nov. 11.
- KU made just one 3-pointer in the first half, marking the third time this season the Jayhawks made one or fewer triples in the opening frame. Kansas is shooting 31 percent (31-of-100) from 3-point range in the first half this season, versus 44.2 percent (38-of-86) in the second half, including Tuesday's 8-of-15 from 3-point range in the final frame.
- Eight different Jayhawks scored in the first half led by Mitch Lightfoot's seven-point, five-rebound performance in the opening frame.
- Nine of the ten Jayhawks that saw action scored, with four recording double-digit performances.
- After hitting only one 3-pointer in the first half, the Jayhawks exploded for eight more in the second half with five coming from redshirt sophomore Charlie Moore. Those eight three-pointers are the most in a half since Kansas drained nine treys against West Virginia (3/10) in the championship game of the Big 12 Tournament.
- The Jayhawks turned in a 77.8 percent performance (35-45) from the free throw line, which is the best output out of the last two contests. In its previous eight outings, Kansas shot 64.2 percent from the free throw line (113-176).
- Kansas set season-highs for points in a half (52, 2nd), field goals (34), free throw percentage (80 percent) and steals (11). The Jayhawks tied season highs for 3-point field goal attempts (23) and defensive rebounds (32).
- In its last two outings, the Jayhawks outrebounded their opponents by a combined 20 board margin. In the four contests prior, Kansas lost the rebounding edge by a total of six.
- The Jayhawks never trailed, marking the first time this season Kansas has not faced a deficit.

#### TEAM NOTES (CONT.)

- In the final 8:30 of regulation, the Jayhawks outscored the Coyotes 30-6.
- After allowing an average of 18 opponent fast break points over its first three outings of the season, the Jayhawks have allowed a total of 14 opponent points off fast breaks over its next seven contests including just two against the Coyotes.
- The Jayhawks 36-point win is the largest margin victory of the season.
- Kansas' 40 bench points are the most since the non-starters scored 45 points against Austin Peay on March 17, 2016 in the first round of the NCAA Tournament.

#### OPPONENT NOTES

- South Dakota's first field goal didn't come until 14:16 remaining in the first half. However, the Coyotes closed the half shooting 11-of-20 (55 percent) after that 5:44 scoreless stretch.
- Both South Dakota's three field goals and 13 field goal attempts are both opponent lows for the season.
- The Coyotes five second chance points were the fewest by a Kansas opponent this season.
- Stanley Umude's 28 points of the bench were the most by a non-starting Kansas opponent since J'Covan Brown of Texas who dropped 28 after coming off the bench on February 8, 2010.

#### INDIVIDUAL NOTES

##### RS-Junior forward Dedric Lawson

- Lawson's 16-point outing snapped his six-game streak of scoring 20 or more points. However, he has scored 16 or more points in all but one of his ten outings this season.
- He also pulled down fourteen rebounds which marked his league-leading seventh double-double of the season, and the 43rd of his career.
- Lawson's 12 defensive rebounds are the most by a Jayhawk this season.
- Led the Jayhawks in rebounding for the seventh time this season
- Lawson has now scored 197 points through his first ten games in a Kansas uniform. Only two other Jayhawks since 1950 have scored more points in their first ten outings at KU. Wilt Chamberlain posted 329 points in the first ten outings of his sophomore season in 1956-57 (first year of eligibility) while Wayne Hightower tallied 200 points over ten contests in the 1959-60 season.

##### RS-Sophomore guard Charlie Moore

- Moore recorded a season high 18 points on only nine shots, including a team-high six 3-pointers. That also marks his career-high in 3-point field goals.
- Moore's 18 points off the bench are most by a Jayhawk since Malik Newman's 27-point performance at Iowa State on January 9th, 2018.

##### Senior guard Lagerald Vick

- Picked up three steals in the first half on his way to 12-point performance including two three-pointers.

##### Freshman forward David McCormack

- McCormack recorded a career high with 10 points and five rebounds points off of the bench including an emphatic block late in the second half