



# POSTGAME NOTES

// 2018-19 KANSAS MEN'S BASKETBALL

## #1/1 Kansas 74, #17/16 Villanova 71

Saturday, December 15, 2018  
Allen Fieldhouse // Lawrence, Kan.

### KU STARTERS (SEASON/CAREER)

Devon Dotson (9/9)  
Quentin Grimes (9/9)  
Lagerald Vick (7/48)  
Marcus Garrett (3/9)  
Dedric Lawson (9/73\*) *Includes 64 starts at Memphis*

**SERIES INFO:** Series tied 4-4

**ATTENDANCE:** 16,300 (280th-consecutive sellout)

### KANSAS' WIN...

- Made Kansas 9-0 for the first time since the 2010-11 season
- Gave Kansas its 39th-straight win in Allen Fieldhouse when ranked No. 1 by Associated Press and is now 47-3 overall.
- Gave Kansas its ninth-straight win in Allen Fieldhouse
- Made Kansas 3-0 against Top-25 foes this season. The Jayhawks are 93-45 against ranked opponents under Bill Self
- Made Kansas 2-1 against the defending national champion in Allen Fieldhouse. Kansas last defeated defending champion UCLA on December 1, 1995 Made KU 777-113 all-time in Allen Fieldhouse, including 239-13 under head coach Bill Self
- Made Kansas 4-0 in the month of December for the ninth time in Bill Self's 16 seasons at KU
- Made Self 456-96 while at Kansas and 663-201 overall
- Made Kansas 2,257-849 all-time.

### TEAM NOTES

- Despite a season low 35 rebounds, Kansas outrebounded Villanova by 9, as the Wildcats tallied just 26 rebounds, the fewest by a Kansas opponent this season.
- A Dedric Lawson layup with 5:01 remaining gave Kansas a 57-56 lead, Kansas is now 418-15 under Bill Self when leading at the 5:00 mark.
- Kansas forced Villanova to go cold in the remaining minutes of the game, the Wildcats finished one for its final 10 shots behind the arc
- The Jayhawks were clutch at the line down the stretch, combining to go 11-12 in the final 1:10 of the game.
- Vick and Lawson's combined 57-points were the most by a KU duo since February 15, 2013 when Elijah Johnson (39) and Travis Releford (19) combined for 58-points in an overtime win at Iowa State.
- Vick and Lawson combined for a 19-30 (63.3%) clip from the field while the rest of the Jayhawks were 4-of-16 (25%)
- Kansas posted a season best 76.7% free throw percentage while making a season high 23 from the line. The Jayhawks entered the day with the Big 12's worst free throw percentage at 64.2%
- Kansas recorded season lows in field goals (23), field goal attempts (46), rebounds (35) and assists (9).
- The Jayhawks held Villanova scoreless off the bench marking the first time a KU opponent has had zero points off the bench since Kansas defeated Oklahoma State 81-66 on February 11, 2012.

### OPPONENT NOTES

- Kansas held Villanova's leading scorer Eric Paschall to four field goals on the day
- Phillip Booth's 29-point performance marked the most points and field goals by a KU opponent on the season.
- Five Villanova players scored marking the fewest amount of players to score in a game against Kansas since Oklahoma State had four players score on February 27, 2012.
- Villanova's 28.6 percent shooting from beyond the arc was a season low in games they've posted 20 or more attempts
- Villanova was held without a bench point for the first time this season

### INDIVIDUAL NOTES

#### RS-Junior forward Dedric Lawson

- Has eclipsed 20 points in all but two games this season
- Recorded his league-leading sixth double-double of the season, and the 42nd of his career
- Led the Jayhawks in rebounding for the sixth time this season
- Lawson's 6-straight 20-point outing is the second-longest in the Bill Self era behind Frank Mason III's streak of seven straight 20-point games from February 27-March 25, 2017. In fact, those are Kansas' only two streaks of six games or more since Raef LaFrentz had nine straight 20-point games from January 26-February 22, 1997
- His season high 28 point, 12 rebound performance marked the 26th game of his career he has posted 20+ points and 10+ rebounds.
- His 14-points marked a season high for Lawson in the opening stanza

#### Senior guard Lagerald Vick

- Vick snapped his cold streak, the senior scored 29 points on the day marking his fourth game with 20+ points. Vick attempted just 15 shots while adding 7 rebounds and one assists
- Vick tied his career high in free throws made with 8, and free throws attempted at 10
- In his five outings at Allen Fieldhouse this season, Vick has shot 42-of (67) from the field (63.7 percent), including a 21-of-41 mark from 3-point range (51.2 percent), and is averaging 24.2 points per game on James Naismith Court this season.

#### Freshman guard Devon Dotson

- Dotson finished with 11 points while going a perfect 4-4 from the free throw line. The Freshman dished one assists while adding two rebounds.

#### Sophomore guard Marcus Garrett

- Despite scoring just one-point Garrett had a big impact for KU finishing with 4 rebounds, 3 assists, 4 steals and one block in 37 minutes played
- Garrett tied his career high in steals, swiping four on the day