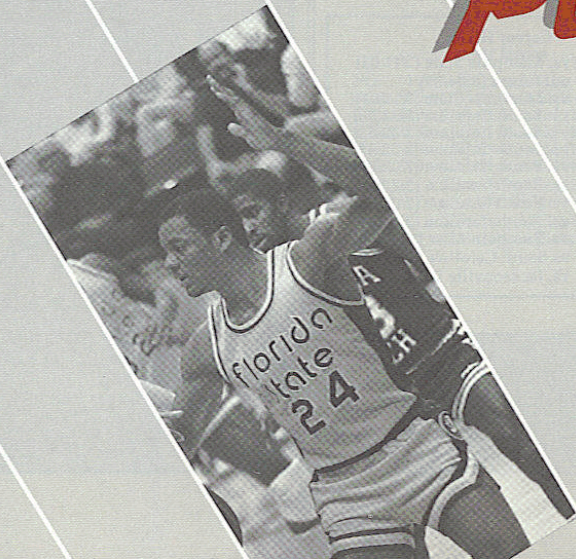


the **Players**



Granville Arnold

Forward
6-6, 195
Sophomore
Kingsport, Tn.

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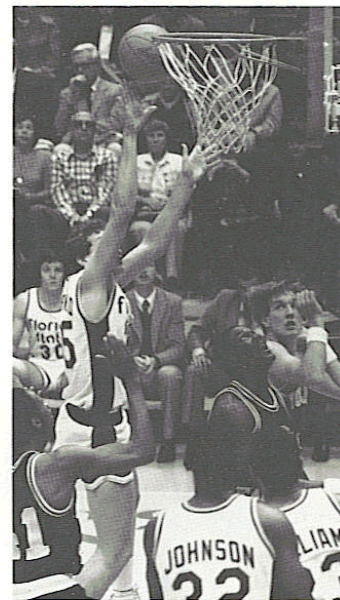
General: plays the wing or high post forward slot . . . good passer and shooter and isn't afraid to get physical underneath . . . jumps well and with control . . . could be one of the best players at FSU before he graduates. . . .

College: 1982-83: became a starter just 12 games into his college career and performed well . . . just missed making the Metro's all-freshman team . . . scored 7.4 points per game and rebounded at 2.6 per contest . . . averaged an even 11 points as a starter . . . best game came against South Carolina when he had 20 points and eight rebounds, both career highs . . . had a good Metro Conference Tournament game with 18 points against Memphis State . . . scored in double figures 10 times . . . hit game winning double-pump layup with 0:02 left to beat Memphis State in Tallahassee during the regular season . . . shot over 50 percent from the field (51.4) and canned 77 percent of his free throw attempts, second on the squad . . . hit 16 of his last 18 free throws of the season . . . Florida State's only freshman . . .

High School: averaged 24.8 points and 11.8 rebounds his senior year at Sullivan North High School . . . totaled over 1,600 points and 1,000

rebounds in his career, leading his team to a 79-20 record . . . shot 70 percent from the field and 83 percent from the line his final year . . . Player of the Year in east Tennessee . . . MVP at the regional tourney where in one game he hit 21 straight free throws and ended with 49 points . . . participated in the Boston Shootout . . .

Personal: College Major: Undecided . . . Hobbies: swimming, fishing . . . Favorite NBA Player: Moses Malone . . . Favorite NBA Team: Philadelphia '76ers . . . Top College Player(s) Faced: Scooter McCray (Louisville '82) and Bobby Parks (Memphis State) . . . Biggest Sports Thrill: making the last second shot to beat Memphis State at home last year . . . Best Trip Taken: San Diego ('82) for the Cabrillo Classic . . . Favorite Musical Group: Alabama . . . Other Notes: brother Rodney was a former Seminole basketball player . . . Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Paul K. Arnold . . . Birthdate: June 29, 1963 . . .



Career Highs

FG: 8 vs. Memphis State (3/11/83)
 vs. Tulane (3/04/83)
 FGA: 14 vs. Memphis State (3/11/83)
 FT: 8 vs. South Carolina (2/02/83)
 FTA: 9 vs. South Carolina (2/02/83)
 PTS: 20 vs. South Carolina (2/02/83)
 REB: 8 vs. South Carolina (2/02/83)
 vs. South Carolina (2/28/83)
 AST: 4 vs. South Carolina (2/02/83)
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 vs. South Carolina (2/02/83)
 vs. Jacksonville (2/12/83)

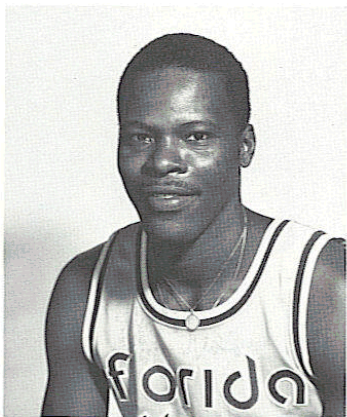
Career Statistics

YEAR	G-GS	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT.	FTM-FTA	PCT.	REB.-AVG.	A	ST	PTS.-AVG.
1982-83	27-16	20.4	72-140	.514	57-74	.770	70-2.6	25	19	201-7.4

Michael Johnson

Forward
6-5, 205
Senior
Pensacola, Fla.

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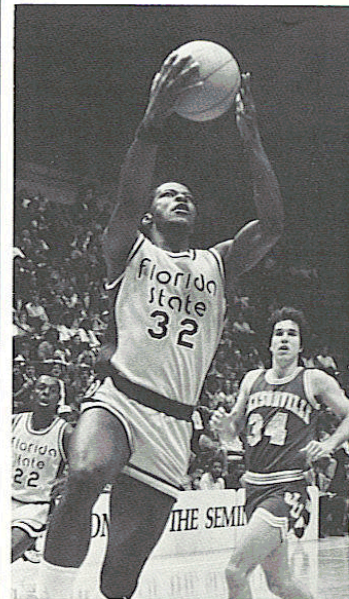


General: valuable defensive player who has also shown ability to score over his two-year career at Florida State . . . is short by forward standards but isn't afraid to mix it up under the boards . . . good shooter . . .

College: 1982-83: had the task of playing center in the Seminoles' last eight games of the season because of injury . . . finished with averages of 8.5 points and 4.4 rebounds . . . keyed Seminoles in a mid-season drive, averaging 11 points during a five-game period . . . top game came against Southern Miss at home with 23 points and seven rebounds . . . played well in FSU's single game at the Metro Tournament, scoring 18 points and hauling down five rebounds . . . started 15 of the 28 games . . . field goal percentage of 53.8 percent was the squad's top mark . . . **1981-82:** started all 28 games at a forward slot . . . first game in an FSU uniform was a 26-point, 10-rebound effort against Florida A&M, both career highs . . . scored in double figures for 16 contests and ended with a 10.1 scoring average and a 4.7 rebounding average . . . second on the team in assists with 74 . . . 74 percent free throw accuracy was second best on the squad . . . named defensive MVP of the team . . . **1979-80:** played in all 27 games as a freshman at North Carolina-Charlotte, averaging 4.8 points per game . . .

High School: led Washington High School in Pensacola to the 1979 state 4A crown . . . high school coach was Steve Williams, now a Seminole assistant coach . . . teammate of Ronnie Watson at Washington . . .

Personal: College Major: Criminology . . . Career Ambition: to graduate and to find a secure job . . . Hobbies: listening to music, going to movies . . . Favorite NBA Player: Moses Malone . . . Favorite NBA Team: Philadelphia '76ers . . . Top College Players Faced: Keith Lee (Memphis State) and Dominique Wilkins (Georgia '82) . . . Biggest Sports Thrill: hitting six crucial free throws in Louisville win in 1982 . . . Best Trip Taken: San Diego ('82) for the Cabrillo Classic . . . Favorite Musical Group: Frankie Beverly & Maze . . . Parent: Mrs. Willie Mae Johnson . . . Birthdate: January 13, 1961 . . .



Career Highs

FG: 10 vs. Southern Miss (1/13/83)
 FGA: 15 vs. Memphis State (3/18/83)
 FT: 10 vs. Florida A&M (11/29/81)
 FTA: 14 vs. Florida A&M (11/29/81)
 PTS: 26 vs. Florida A&M (11/29/81)
 REB: 10 vs. Florida A&M (11/29/81)
 vs. Jacksonville (12/04/81)
 AST: 7 vs. Louisville (1/04/82)
 vs. St. Louis (1/23/82)
 ST: 2 vs. Memphis State (3/03/83)

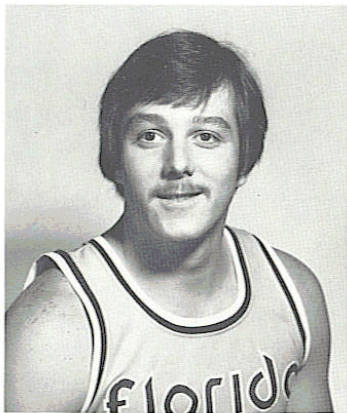
Career Statistics

YEAR	G-GS	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT.	FTM-FTA	PCT.	REB.-AVG.	A	ST	PTS.-AVG.
1981-82	28-28	29.6	98-210	.466	88-118	.745	132-4.7	74	18	284-10.1
1982-83	28-15	26.6	93-173	.538	53-82	.646	122-4.4	25	11	239-8.5
Totals	56-43	28.2	191-383	.499	141-200	.705	254-4.5	99	29	523-9.3

Vince Martello

Forward
6-6, 200
Senior
Baker, Fla.

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General: leading candidate for starting rights at one of the forward slots . . . the two starters at forward will be picked from a group headed by Martello, Michael Johnson, Granville Arnold and freshman Randy Allen . . . has perfect shooting form and a soft touch . . . jumps extremely well and keeps the ball alive on the backboard . . . not afraid to drive down the lane and power it in . . . if playing becomes more consistent he could be a 20-point scorer . . .

College: 1982-83: started every game until tearing ligaments in his ankle vs. Virginia Tech and wasn't around for the final six contests . . . second on the squad in scoring with a 13.9 average . . . also second in rebounding with 5.4 per game . . . high game was 27 points and 13 rebounds in one-point loss to Pitt which overshadowed his performance . . . a 43 point, 17 rebound, six assists effort in two games at the Cabrillo Classic earned positive remarks from Los Angeles Laker General Manager Jerry West who was scouting the tournament . . . scored in double figures in 13 of the 22 games and had at least 20 on six occasions . . . field goal (.500) and foul shooting (.768) percentages reveal he's a good shooter . . . at one point in season missed just one of 23 foul shots in a six game spread . . . made 42 of the last 47 he attempted for the season . . . **1980-81:** averaged 4.9 points and 2.1 rebounds as a freshman at Auburn, playing in 25 games . . . scored in double figures five times . . . best performance was 26 points and 15 rebounds . . .

Career Highs

FG: 13 vs. Pittsburgh (12/22/82)
 FGA: 20 vs. San Diego State (12/29/82)
 FT: 8 vs. Southern Miss (1/13/83)
 FTA: 10 vs. Tulsa (12/30/82)
 PTS: 27 vs. Pittsburgh (12/22/82)
 REB: 13 vs. Pittsburgh (12/22/82)
 AST: 4 vs. South Carolina (2/02/83)
 ST: 4 vs. Virginia Tech (2/19/83)

Junior College: 1981-82: played one season at Gulf Coast Community College where he averaged 19.7 points and 8.2 rebounds in 18 games . . . named all-state and all-region . . . that season was sandwiched in between his attending Auburn and transferring to Florida State . . .

High School: All-American at Baker High School as well as all-state and all-region . . . Player of the Year as a senior . . . a Florida AAU selection following completion of high school . . . held Florida high school high jump record at 6-8 . . .

Personal: College Major: Social Science . . . Hobbies: listening to music, watching soap operas . . . Favorite NBA Player: Larry Bird . . . Favorite NBA Team: Boston Celtics . . . Top College Player(s) Faced: Sam Bowie (Kentucky) and Dominique Wilkins (Georgia '82) . . . Biggest Sports Thrill: playing on the same team as Mitchell Wiggins (Florida State '83) . . . Best Trip Taken: Las Vegas . . . Favorite Musical Group: Def Leppard . . . Wife: Teresa . . . Daughter: Katrina . . . Birthdate: May 17, 1962 . . .



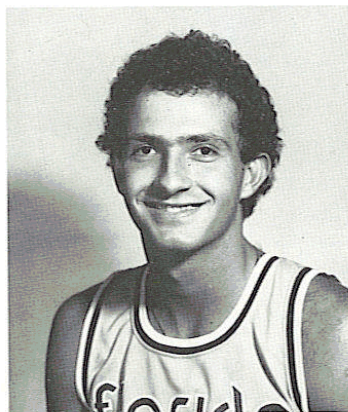
Career Statistics

YEAR	G-GS	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT.	FTM-FTA	PCT.	REB.-AVG.	A	ST	PTS.-AVG.
1982-83	22-22	30.2	122-244	.500	63- 82	.768	120-5.4	35	20	307-13.9

Bobby Miles

Center
6-8, 200
Junior
Tallahassee, Fla.

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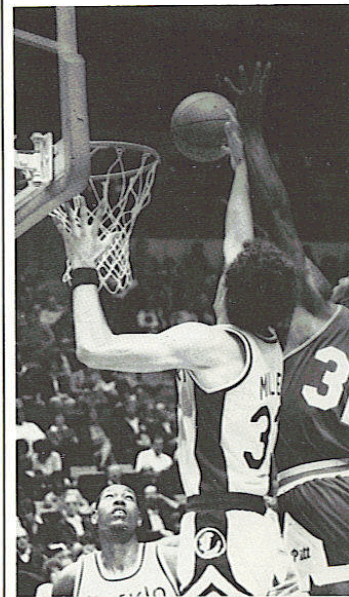


General: plays both the high and low posts in the FSU offense . . . steady player who is not flashy, but can get the job done . . . good outside shot and an excellent passer . . . team man all the way . . . high honor student whose grades have made him a candidate for post-season graduate scholarships . . .

College: 1982-83: started seven games last year and played in every contest but two . . . most of his playing time came earlier in the season; when Seminoles shifted to a short and quick lineup at year's end his playing time decreased . . . had 14 points and four rebounds in early-season upset of then-19th ranked Tulsa . . . that was his only game in double figures . . . averaged 2.6 points and 2.3 rebounds for the entire season . . . hit on 19 of 24 attempts from the foul line for 79.2 percent accuracy . . . **1981-82:** became eligible in seventh game of season after transferring from Georgia . . . top scoring effort was a six-point game against Cincinnati grabbed an individual and team high seven rebounds vs. Louisville . . . shot 72 percent from the foul line for the season . . . played in every game once he became eligible . . . **1979-80:** was in the same recruiting class as Dominique Wilkins . . . played in just 10 games and averaged less than a point a game . . .

High School: played his high school ball locally at Maclay High School . . . led the school to the Florida Class A state crown three consecutive years, averaging 18 points and 13 rebounds as a senior . . .

Personal: College Major: Accounting . . . Career Ambition: accountant with a Big Eight Firm . . . Hobbies: fishing, music, going to the beach . . . Favorite NBA Player: Larry Bird . . . Favorite NBA Team: Boston Celtics . . . Top College Player Faced: Keith Lee (Memphis State) . . . Biggest Sports Thrill: beating Louisville in 1982 . . . Best Trip Taken: Hawaii ('82) and Caribbean Cruise ('83) . . . Favorite Musical Group: Van Halen . . . Other Notes: brother Blake plays for Maclay High School . . . Parents: Dr. and Mrs. Robert Miles . . . Birthdate: September 7, 1961 . . .



Career Highs

FG: 4 vs. Tulsa (12/30/82)
 FGA: 6 vs. Cincinnati (2/20/82)
 vs. Jacksonville (12/11/82)
 vs. South Carolina (2/02/83)
 FT: 6 vs. Tulsa (12/30/82)
 FTA: 8 vs. Tulsa (12/30/82)
 PTS: 14 vs. Tulsa (12/30/82)
 REB: 8 vs. Florida A&M (12/06/82)
 AST: 4 vs. South Carolina (2/02/83)
 ST: 2 vs. Memphis State (1/09/82)

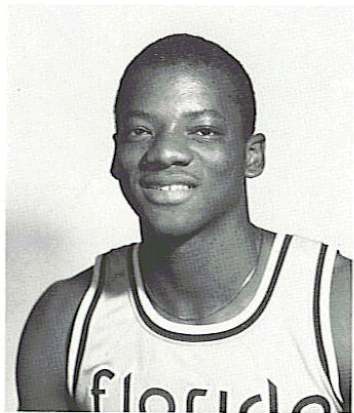
Career Statistics

YEAR	G-GS	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT.	FTM-FTA	PCT.	REB.-AVG.	A	ST	PTS.-AVG.
1981-82	22- 0	12.2	16-39	.410	8-11	.727	34-1.5	5	2	40-1.8
1982-83	26- 7	16.2	24-60	.400	19-24	.792	61-2.3	14	8	67-2.6
Totals	48-7	14.3	40-99	.404	27-35	.771	95-1.9	19	10	107-2.2

Maurice Myrick

Guard
6-5, 200
Junior
Marianna, Fla.

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General: big and strong guard whose forte is his defensive abilities . . . improved his outside shooting last year as well as his ball handling . . . starting to come into his own as a major college guard . . . most versatile player on the squad in terms of ability to play several positions . . . has played wing and big guard and was tried at point guard for the first time last season . . . plays from baseline to baseline . . .

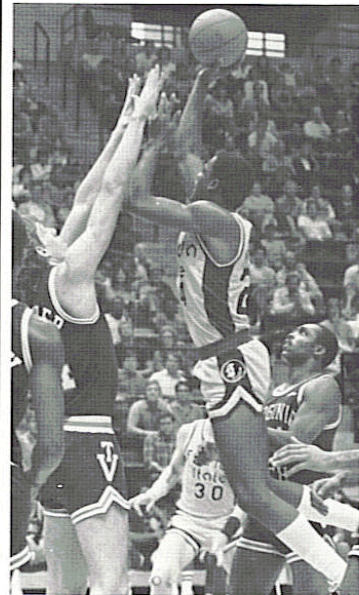
College: 1982-83: came on at season's end and played a big role . . . joined the starting lineup for last seven games after Vince Martello injured his ankle . . . from that point it became a "short and quick" lineup and Myrick engineered the fast break and pressure defense . . . third in steals on the squad with 31 but was first in steals per minute played . . . finished with averages of 5.3 points and 2.7 rebounds . . . team leader in blocks with nine . . . top game was a career high 18 points and four rebounds vs. Virginia Tech in win at home . . . was six of eight from the field and four of four from the line in that game . . . six times in double figures . . . named Defensive MVP of team **1981-82:** appeared in every game as a freshman, averaging 22 minutes per game . . . most of the time held the role of sixth man and started on a few occasions . . . averaged 6.6 points and 3.0 rebounds . . . first game as a collegian was an 11-point, seven rebound effort vs. Florida A&M . . . top scoring game came against Jacksonville (15) . . .

Career Highs

FG: 6 vs. Virginia Tech (2/25/82)
 vs. Virginia Tech (2/19/83)
 FGA: 13 vs. Florida (12/12/81)
 FT: 8 vs. South Carolina (12/22/81)
 FTA: 11 vs. South Carolina (12/22/81)
 PTS: 18 vs. Virginia Tech (2/19/83)
 REB: 9 vs. South Carolina (2/28/83)
 AST: 4 vs. UNCC (12/29/81)
 ST: 4 vs. Tulane (2/14/83)

High School: played with FSU teammate David Speights for state AAA champion Marianna High . . . averaged 13.0 points and seven rebounds and captained the team as a senior . . . named to the Florida district II all-star team . . .

Personal: College Major: Social Work . . . Hobbies: tennis, jogging, meeting people . . . Favorite NBA Player: Julius Erving . . . Favorite NBA Team: Philadelphia '76ers . . . Top College Player Faced: Derek Smith (Louisville '82) . . . Biggest Sports Thrill: beating Memphis State at home last year . . . Best Trip Taken: San Diego ('82) for the Cabrillo Classic . . . Favorite Musical Group: Midnight Star . . . Other Notes: sisters Gail and Esther are freshmen on Florida A&M women's basketball team . . . Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Abner Myrick . . . Birthdate: June 29, 1963 . . .



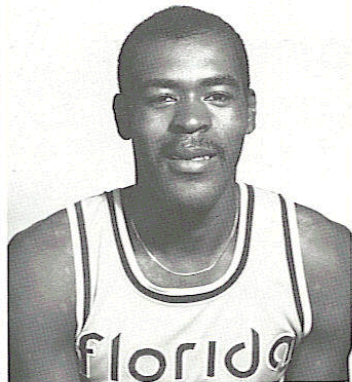
Career Statistics

YEAR	G-GS	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT.	FTM-FTA	PCT.	REB.-AVG.	A	ST	PTS.-AVG.
1981-82	28- 3	22.5	71-159	.440	43- 70	.614	85-3.0	43	30	185-6.6
1982-83	28- 7	17.6	56-119	.471	36- 53	.679	76-2.7	24	31	148-5.3
Totals	56-10	20.1	127-278	.457	79-123	.642	161-2.9	67	61	333-5.9

David Speights

Forward
6-6, 205
Junior
Marianna, Fla.

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General: painful knees have kept this player from realizing his full potential . . . had arthroscopy surgery a year ago and didn't seem fully recovered last season . . . coaches hope that he can play without the pain this season . . . somewhat mechanical player with excellent leaping ability . . . can jump 20 inches over the rim . . . working more on body control around the basket . . .

College: 1982-83: scoring average as a sophomore dipped to 3.7 points per game . . . started the first six games of the season . . . best scoring game was a nine point outing vs. Jacksonville but best game overall was a six-point, eight-rebound performance in upset of Tulsa at the Cabrillo Classic . . . improved his foul shooting 20 percentage points to 68 percent for last season . . . **1981-83:** played in every game and became a starter at mid-season . . . scored 14 points and grabbed six rebounds in his first collegiate game vs. Florida A&M . . . had a season and career high of 20 points twice—against Jacksonville and St. Leo . . . overall season average was 8.0 points per game and 4.7 in the rebounding department . . . career high rebounds is 11 vs. Dayton . . .

High School: teammate of fellow FSU junior Maurice Myrick on state AAA championship team at Marianna High . . . averaged 18.4 points and 11.5 rebounds as a senior and was named team MVP . . . named to state AAA all-tournament team and was a member of the 1980-81 all Big-Bend team . . . Florida AAU Olympic team member of the 1980-81 all Big-Bend

Personal: College Major: Social Work . . . Career Ambition: to work with underprivileged children . . . Hobbies: fishing, hunting, swimming . . . Favorite NBA Player: Julius Erving . . . Favorite NBA Team: Los Angeles Lakers . . . Top College Player Faced: Rodney McCray (Louisville '82) . . . Biggest Sports Thrill: blocking Derek Smith's dunk attempt in Louisville win in 1982 . . . Best Trip Taken: San Diego ('82) for the Cabrillo Classic . . . Favorite Musical Group: Midnight Star . . . Parents: Mr. and Mrs. David Speights . . . Birthdate: May 17, 1963 . . .



Career Highs

FG: 9 vs. Jacksonville (12/04/81)
 FGA: 14 vs. Florida A&M (11/29/81)
 FT: 6 vs. Auburn (12/01/82)
 FTA: 8 vs. Auburn (12/01/82)
 PTS: 20 vs. Jacksonville (12/04/81)
 vs. St. Leo (1/25/82)
 REB: 11 vs. UNCC (12/29/81)
 AST: 2 vs. Memphis State (3/03/83)
 ST: 3 vs. St. Leo (1/25/82)

Career Statistics

YEAR	G-GS	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT.	FTM-FTA	PCT.	REB.-AVG.	A	ST	PTS.-AVG.
1981-82	28-14	27.5	98-200	.490	28- 58	.482	133-4.7	12	16	224-8.0
1982-83	22- 6	13.3	23- 69	.333	35- 51	.686	55-2.5	5	4	81-3.7
Totals	50-20	21.2	121-269	.449	63-109	.578	188-3.8	17	20	305-6.1

Ronnie Watson

Guard
6-0, 160
Senior
Pensacola, Fla.

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General: although he is limited offensively himself, Ronnie is adept at running the FSU offense . . . fastest player on the squad and always plays at full speed . . . good foul shooter . . .

College: 1982-83: played in 22 of the 28 games and started one game—that coming on the road at Cincinnati when starter Tony William was held out with an ankle sprain . . . also played extensively in South Carolina road win . . . scored four points and handed out three assists while quarterbacking FSU to that overtime win . . . hit six of six from the free throw line to seal a win over Jacksonville in last minutes of the Florida Four . . . thus the nickname "Ice" . . . although he only attempted 12 free throws, made good on 11 of them for a team leading 92 percent . . . averaged under two points for the season . . . **1981-82:** his role was Tony William's backup in his first season at FSU . . . top scoring performance was eight points vs. St. Leo . . . helped FSU seal one of its biggest wins of the year by sinking both ends of a one-and-one situation against Virginia Tech on the road as FSU won . . .

Junior College: 1980-81: averaged 11.0 points and 7.6 rebounds in leading Brevard Junior College to the runner-up slot in the Florida Junior College Championships . . .

Career Highs

FG: 3 vs. Florida (12/21/81)
 vs. St. Leo (1/25/82)
 FGA: 9 vs. Florida (12/12/81)
 FT: 6 vs. Jacksonville (12/11/82)
 FTA: 6 vs. Jacksonville (12/11/82)
 PTS: 8 vs. St. Leo (1/25/82)
 REB: 6 vs. Jacksonville (12/11/82)
 AST: 5 vs. Florida (12/12/81)
 ST: 2 vs. St. Leo (1/25/82)
 vs. Cincinnati (2/05/83)

High School: played under FSU assistant coach Steve Williams at Washington High School . . . along with current teammate Michael Johnson, led team to state 4A title in 1979 . . . floor leader for that team . . .

Personal: College Major: Criminology . . . Career Ambition: Law . . . Hobbies: listening to music, meeting people, tennis . . . Favorite NBA Player: Maurice Cheeks . . . Favorite NBA Team: Los Angeles Lakers . . . Top College Player Faced: Jerry Eaves (Louisville '82) . . . Biggest Sports Thrill: winning the state championship in high school . . . Best Trip Taken: Atlanta, Ga. . . Favorite Musical Group: The Time . . . Parent: Mrs. Vera E. Watson . . . Birthdate: August 30, 1962 . . .



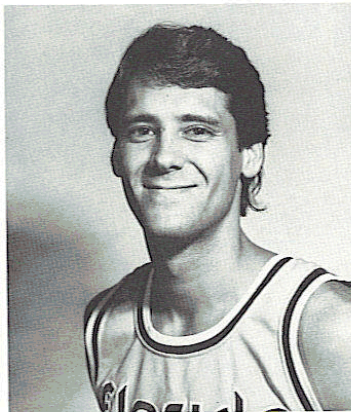
Career Statistics

YEAR	G-GS	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT.	FTM-FTA	PCT.	REB.-AVG.	A	ST	PTS.-AVG.
1981-82	26-0	9.4	12-41	.285	11-13	.846	16-0.6	20	10	35-1.3
1982-83	22-1	8.0	8-29	.276	11-12	.916	12-0.5	17	5	27-1.2
Totals	48-1	8.7	20-70	.286	22-25	.880	28-0.6	37	15	62-1.3

Scott Wilkes

Guard
6-5, 170
Senior
Deland, Fla.

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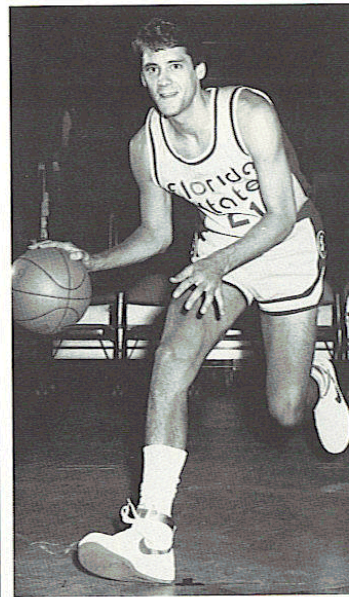
General: good shooter with range out to 20 feet . . . also passes well . . . hasn't had a lot of play time in game situations . . . good understanding of the game . . . plays at the point and second guard slots . . .

College: 1982-83: played in just 10 games all year . . . scored four points in 16 minutes of play . . . missed two games with injury . . . **1981-82:** played sparingly at the guard position . . . scored season-high four points vs. Jacksonville and St. Leo . . . top rebounding performance came against South Florida when he had two . . . **1979-80:** played in four games at Clemson University where he was a teammate of former FSU guard Mitchell Wiggins . . . the two transferred to FSU together . . . averaged 1.3 points at Clemson . . .

Prep School: All-American at Massanutten Academy in Woodstock, Va. . . averaged 22 points while the squad went 15-9 . . . shot 58 percent from the floor and 93 percent from the line . . .

High School: three-year player at Deland High School . . . in his final season the squad was ranked 13th nationally by Basketball Weekly . . .

Personal: College Major: Sociology and Business . . . Career Ambition: to own a business or become a coach . . . Hobbies: reading and art . . . Favorite NBA Player: Pete Maravich . . . Favorite NBA Team: Milwaukee Bucks . . . Top College Player Faced: Larry Nance (Clemson '81) . . . Biggest Sports Thrill: scoring 40 points in Midget League . . . Favorite Musical Group: Return to Forever . . . Other Notes: father is head coach at Stetson University . . . Parents: Dr. and Mrs. Glen Wilkes . . . Birthdate: January 11, 1960 . . .



Career Highs

FG: 1 vs. St. Leo (1/25/82)
vs. Louisville (1/08/83)
vs. Cincinnati (2/06/83)
FGA: 3 vs. Louisville (3/10/82)
FF: 2 vs. St. Leo (1/25/82)
FTA: 2 vs. St. Leo (1/25/82)
PTS: 4 vs. St. Leo (1/25/82)
vs. Jacksonville (12/09/81)
REB: 2 vs. South Florida (12/05/81)
AST: 1 vs. South Florida (12/05/81)
vs. St. Leo (11/29/82)
vs. Memphis State (3/03/83)
ST: 1 vs. St. Leo (1/25/82)
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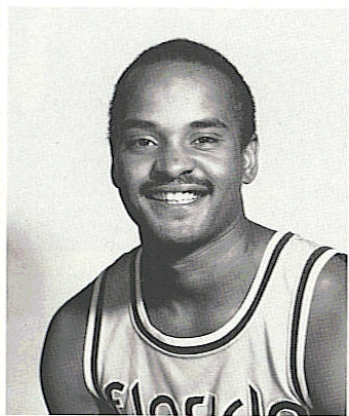
Career Statistics

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1981-82	12-0	3.8	5-14	.357	4-7	.571	3-0.2	4	6	14-1.2
1982-83	10-0	1.6	2-7	.286	0-1	.000	4-0.4	2	1	4-0.4
Totals	22-0	2.7	7-21	.333	4-8	.500	7-0.3	6	7	18-0.8

Tony William

Guard
6-1, 180
Senior
Ft. Wayne, Ind.

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General: quarterback of the Florida State offense . . . should be in line for conference honors if he can repeat his performance of last season . . . excellent ball handler who hits from long range but isn't afraid to penetrate the lane either . . . most of his competition will come from JC transfer Joe Farrar . . . needs to improve shot selection a bit . . .

College: 1982-83: was able to maintain double figure scoring while leading the Metro Conference in assists (5.7 per game) and steals (2.8 per game) . . . named honorable mention All-Metro for second straight year . . . assists total of 15 on the year was the eighth best single season mark in FSU history . . . it also enabled him to move into eighth place on the career list at 267 . . . 16 assists vs. Jacksonville tied Otto Petty's 11-year-old single game record . . . played in same number of games (28) both years at Florida State and scored just one less point his junior year than his sophomore season . . . scored in double figures in 21 of the 28 games . . . best game of the 1982-83 season came in home win against Memphis State where he had 16 points, five rebounds, seven assists and nine steals . . . his performances against New Mexico (23 points, seven assists, seven steals) and Cincinnati (24 points, eight assists, three steals) also deserve mention . . . those 24 points vs. the Bearcats were a career high . . . missed one start due to ankle sprain . . . **1981-82:** second on the team in scoring (13.1 ppg) . . . led the team in assists (111) and steals (66) . . . assist total was 12th best single season

Career Highs

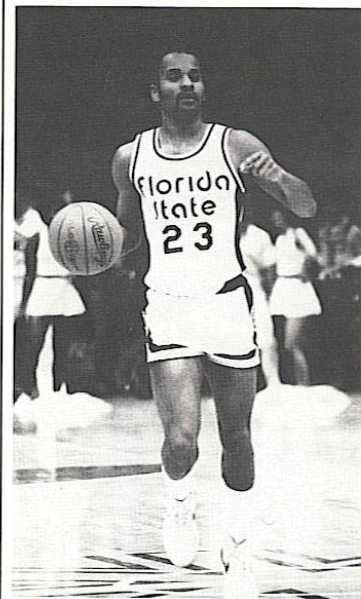
FG: 11 vs. Florida (12/12/81)
 FGA: 20 vs. Cincinnati (2/20/82)
 vs. South Carolina (2/22/82)
 FT: 6 vs. Cincinnati (2/22/83)
 FTA: 10 vs. St. Leo (1/25/82)
 PTS: 24 vs. Cincinnati (1/22/83)
 REB: 6 vs. Florida (12/12/81)
 AST: 16 vs. Jacksonville (2/12/83)
 ST: 9 vs. Memphis State (2/26/83)

mark at FSU . . . fourth in the Metro in assists . . . started every game and led squad in free throw percentage at 82 percent . . . honorable mention All-Metro . . . scored in double figures in 23 of 28 games . . .

Junior College: 1980-81: All-American at Wabash Junior College in Illinois . . . only freshman picked to the juco all-state team that year . . . averaged 18.8 points and 8.5 assists . . . MVP in state tourney . . .

High School: attended Northside High School in Ft. Wayne, Ind., where he was an honorable mention all-state pick as a senior . . . also team MVP . . .

Personal: College Major: Social Work and Welfare . . . Hobbies: swimming and singing . . . Favorite NBA Player: Isiah Thomas . . . Favorite NBA Team: Los Angeles Lakers . . . Top College Player Faced: Jerry Eaves (Louisville '82) . . . Biggest Sports Thrill: beating Memphis State last year at home . . . Best Trip Taken: San Diego ('82) for Cabrillo Classic . . . Favorite Musical Group: Midnight Star . . . Parent: Mrs. Georgia William . . . Birthdate: December 2, 1961 . . .

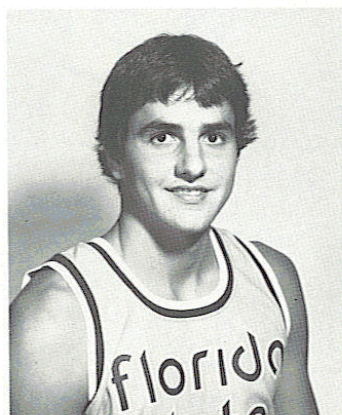


Career Statistics

YEAR	G-GS	MIN	FGM-FGA	PCT.	FTM-FTA	PCT.	REB.-AVG.	A	ST	PTS.-AVG.
1981-82	28-28	33.5	167-365	.457	33-40	.825	61-2.2	111	66	367-13.1
1982-83	28-27	34.6	158-340	.465	50-70	.714	48-1.7	156	75	366-13.1
Totals	56-55	34.1	325-705	.461	83-110	.755	109-1.9	267	141	733-13.1

Forward
6-8, 210
Freshman
Milton, Fla.

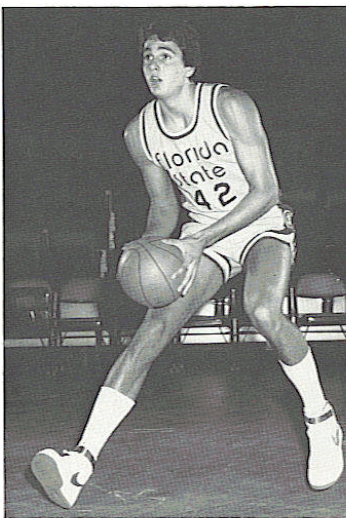
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General: will help Florida State's inside game tremendously . . . could be in line for a starting slot . . . has a soft touch in and around the basket but plays aggressively on the boards . . . perhaps the most outstanding physical attribute about Allen is that he can outjump any player on the team and gets well above 20 inches over the rim . . . will be the only freshman in uniform this year . . .

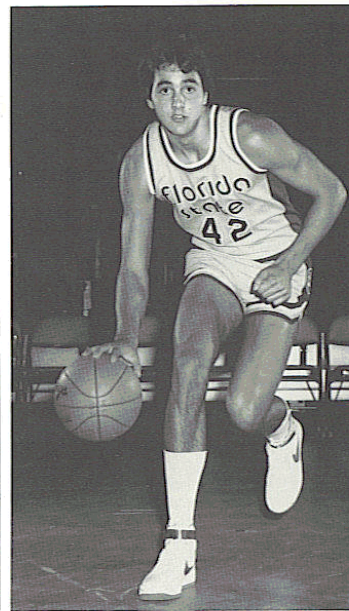
High School: Considered by most to be the number two player in the state as a high school senior . . . averaged 22.3 points and 8.5 rebounds for Milton High School and shot 59.5 percent from the field . . . led his team to a 22-5 record . . . individual honors included first team 2-A all-state, Adidas All-American South squad and honorable mention Converse All-American . . . led his team to the state semi-finals as a junior . . . following his senior year, played on Team Florida AAU squad that won the National Junior Olympic Championship . . . Allen had 19 points and 12 rebounds in that game and scored the winning shot in double overtime . . .

Personal: College Major: Business . . . Hobbies: hunting, fishing and water skiing . . . Favorite NBA Player: Larry Bird . . . Favorite NBA Team: Boston Celtics . . . Biggest Sports Thrill: winning the National Junior Olympic Championship . . . Best Trip Taken: Central America ('83) with the junior Olympic team . . . Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Millard Allen . . . Birthdate: January 26, 1965 . . .



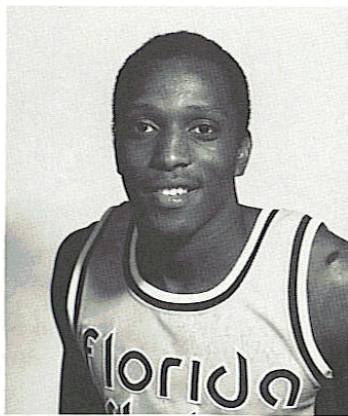
"Randy Allen is a legitimate big time player. He came in here with great potential. By the time our season was done, he had convinced me he can play Division I basketball at any level. He's a solid rebounder; one of the best jumpers off two feet that I've ever seen. He is one of the finest individuals I have been associated with and is a credit to Florida State University."

—Gordon Gibbons
 Head Coach, 1983
 Team Florida
 AAU squad



Guard
6-2, 175
Junior
Gray, Ga.

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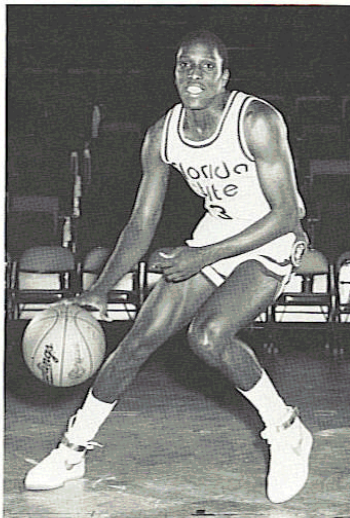


General: his addition to the Florida State roster gives the Seminoles increased outside shooting ability . . . his range extends out to 25 feet . . . also gets off the floor with ease . . . coaches expect him to challenge Tony William at point guard for the starting slot . . . although not highly recruited, FSU staff thinks he's a sleeper and could prove it immediately . . .

Junior College: 1981-83: attended Spartanburg Methodist J.C. where he averaged 18.5 points and three assists per game while the team finished 23-6 . . . team won the region championship and Farrar was MVP of the tournament . . . at the national tournament the school lost in the first round . . . all-conference and all-region pick . . . as a freshman at Spartanburg averaged 12.6 points and 2.8 assists . . .

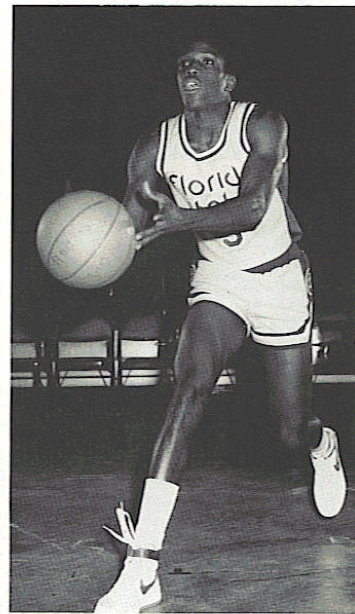
High School: first team Associated Press all-state as a senior . . . averaged 24 points and 12 rebounds for Jones County High School . . . grew up with Al Wood, who later went on to star at North Carolina . . .

Personal: College Major: Undecided . . . Hobbies: tennis, table tennis, listening to music . . . Favorite NBA Player: Kareem Abdul Jabbar . . . Favorite NBA Team: Los Angeles Lakers . . . Biggest Sports Thrill: playing in the NJCAA national tournament ('83) . . . Best Trip Taken: Pittsburgh . . . Favorite Musical Group: The Jacksons . . . Parent: Mrs. Irene Farrar . . . Birthdate: May 4, 1963 . . .



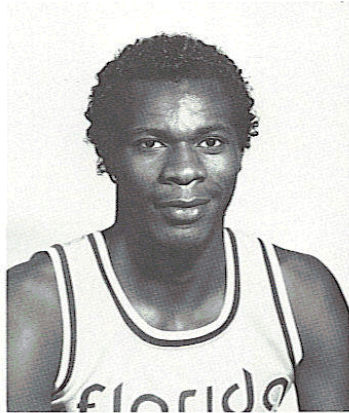
"Joe has an outstanding shot—he can hit the mark from 25 feet. He's also an excellent ball handler and passer and has great jumping ability. I expect him to see a lot of action for Florida State next year."

—Jim Johnson
 Head Coach
 Spartanburg Methodist



Center
6-10, 220
Junior
Dubach, La.

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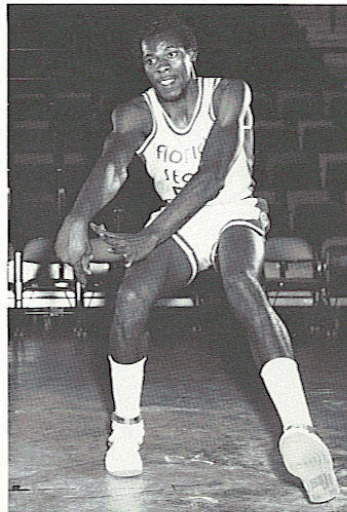


General: Florida State's success this season could rise or fall with this young man's play . . . coaching staff maintains that Gipson must dominate the post area to strengthen what has been a weakness at FSU over the last two years . . . is not intimidated inside and plays a physical game . . . physique is close to that of Memphis State's Keith Lee . . . sought by almost every major school in the country . . .

Junior College: averaged 23 points and 10.1 rebounds last year for Utica (Ms.) Junior College as it posted a 24-9 record . . . career high came as a senior when he had 44 points in one contest . . . scored 21 points and pulled down 12 rebounds in a half of action in the Mississippi all-star game last year . . . averaged 19 points and 12 rebounds as a freshman while the school was 28-6 . . . everybody's JC All-American and rated a 5+ by B.C. Scouting Services . . .

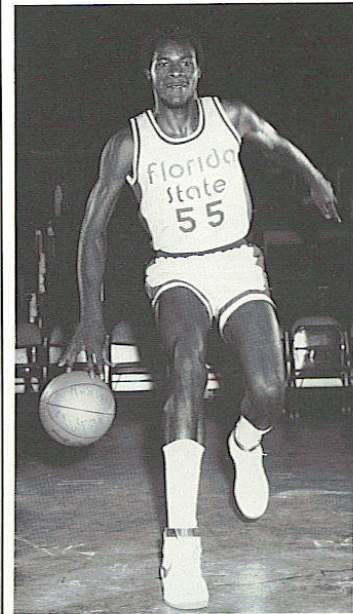
High School: averaged over 20 points a game three years at Dubach High School . . . as a senior hit for 27.6 points a game and 17 rebounds as his team won the state championship . . .

Personal: College Major: Physical Education . . . Hobbies: listening to music, playing basketball . . . Favorite NBA Player: Magic Johnson . . . Favorite NBA Team: Los Angeles Lakers . . . Biggest Sports Thrill: winning the high school state championship . . . Best Trip Taken: Houston, TX . . . Favorite Musical Group: Con Funkcion . . . Parent: Mrs. Martha Sue Gipson . . . Birthdate: February 18, 1962 . . .



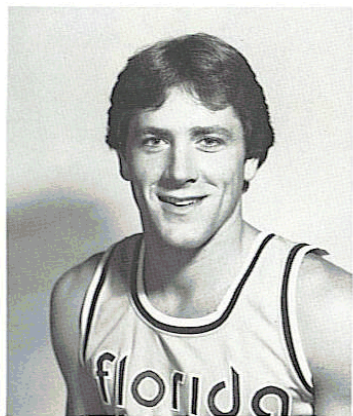
"If there's a better true big man in juco land, who is he??? Fully equipped both offensively and defensively. King-sized body."

—B.C. Scouting Services
 1983 Report



Guard
6-3, 195
Junior
Durham, N.C.

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General: maybe the most distinguishing aspect of his game is his excellent passing skills . . . will compete with Maurice Myrick for the starting nod at the big guard position . . . good shooter out to 20 feet . . . could take on a big scoring role . . .

Junior College: 1982-83: averaged 17 points, six rebounds and six assists for Merced (Ca.) J.C. as the school put together a 28-4 record . . . shot 50 percent from the floor and 72 percent at the foul line . . . team was ranked #1 in the state much of the season but suffered upset in the second round of the state tourney . . . Shaffer was MVP of the Pepsi Cola J.C. Tournament and was named to the 10-man California juco All-American team . . . Los Angeles Times named him the #1 juco player in the state . . .

College: 1981-82: played on national championship team at North Carolina under Dean Smith where he averaged 1.3 points . . . father was a player on the 1958, 1959, 1960 Tarheel Clubs . . .

Prep School: averaged over 20 points for perennially-strong Ft. Union Military Academy . . . teammate of Kentucky's Melvin Turpin there . . .

High School: averaged close to 30 points per game at Jordan High School in Durham, NC . . . named all-state . . .

Personal: College Major: Psychology . . . Hobbies: fishing, hunting, listening to music, being outdoors . . .



Favorite NBA Player: James Worthy . . . **Biggest Sports Thrill:** winning the national championship at North Carolina . . . **Best Trip Taken:** camping and fishing in Montana and Wyoming (summer '83) . . . **Favorite Musical Group:** enjoys all kinds of music . . . **Other Notes:** brother David plays for Clemson . . . **Parents:** Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shaffer . . . **Birthdate:** July 6, 1961 . . .

"Dean was an outstanding player at Merced—a team player all the way . . . he led our ball club in scoring and was mentioned in every category of the conference stats, too. Dean was a real crowd pleaser out here—he helped us gain support for our program."

—Don Reid
 Head Coach
 Merced Junior College

