



FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

SPORTS INFORMATION



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MORRIS SHINES IN FSU'S 10-8 WIN OVER FLORIDA

TALLAHASSEE, FL -- Leftfielder Jeremy Morris knocked in a career-high seven runs on four hits to lead No. 1 Florida State (10-3) to a 10-8 win over No. 10 Florida (9-5) in front of a season-high 4,897 fans at Dick Howser Stadium.

Florida State scored four runs in the third inning to come from behind from a 3-1 deficit sparked by an RBI-basehit by Morris and two-run single by DH Reggie Griggs.

Morris, who was 4-for-5 on the night, also contributed a two-run double to drive in Brooks Badeaux and Scott Zech in the fourth inning to give the Seminoles a 7-3 advantage. Morris capped off his stellar night with a three-run home run in the sixth inning, giving FSU a seven-run lead.

"It was a good win against a quality College World Series-team," said FSU coach Mike Martin, "especially having to go into a tough place like Gainesville to play the next two games."

Freshman righthander John Bentley (1-0) earned his first career victory as he gave up five runs on five hits in 4 2/3 innings. Bentley struck out one batter and pitched 4 2/3 scoreless innings, before entering the eighth inning.

Florida rallied in the eighth inning, scoring five runs on four Gator hits. Catcher Josh Hudson's three-run shot over the rightfield wall cut FSU's lead to two, but Florida was stopped by Seminole closer Chris Chavez, who pitched three straight outs, including two strikeouts for his fourth save of the season.

Florida's Matt McClendon (1-1) gave up five runs on three hits in 2 1/3 innings pitched in the loss. Righthander Chris Knollin struck out six in 3 2/3 innings of relief for the Gators.

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Florida 8 (9-5)

FLORIDA STATE 10 (10-3)

Name (Pos)	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A	Name (Pos)	AB	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A
Eckstein, David 2b	5	0	1	0	0	2	1	1	Badeaux, Brooks ss	4	1	0	0	1	1	1	2
Martin, Ty ss	5	0	0	0	0	3	1	2	Zech, Scott 2b	1	4	0	0	3	0	1	3
Wilkerson, Brad 1b	4	2	1	0	0	0	4	0	Drew, J.D. cf	3	2	1	0	2	2	7	0
Hazzard, Chuck dh	1	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	Morris, Jeremy lf	5	2	4	7	0	0	1	0
Nicholson, Derek rf/3b	4	1	3	2	1	0	2	1	Sprague, Geoff 3b	3	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
Seroyer, Shane lf	4	1	2	2	0	2	2	0	Griggs, Reggie dh	2	0	1	2	1	1	0	0
Rhine, Alan 3b	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	Cash, Kevin ph	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Edge, Dwight rf	3	1	1	1	0	0	2	0	Bonenberger, Jimmy pr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Johannes, Todd c	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	Klosterman, Jeremiah c	4	0	1	1	0	0	9	0
Hudson, Josh c	2	1	1	3	0	0	7	1	Woodward, Matt 1b	4	0	1	0	0	2	6	1
Ogle, Brian cf	4	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	McCorkel, Shawn rf	4	0	0	0	0	3	1	0
McClendon, Matt p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Proctor, Scott p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Knollin, Chris p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	Bentley, John p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Fujinaga, Evan p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Chavez, Chris p	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Gray, Michael p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0									
Totals.....	36	8	10	8	5	9	24	7	Totals.....	31	10	8	10	8	11	27	7

Score by innings: R H E

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 SF - Seroyer.

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McClendon, Matt	2.1	3	5	4	5	2	Proctor, Scott	2.1	4	3	3	3	5
Knollin, Chris	3.2	3	5	3	2	6	Bentley, John	4.2	5	5	4	1	1
Fujinaga, Evan	1.1	2	0	0	1	3	Chavez, Chris	2.0	1	0	0	1	3
Gray, Michael	0.2	0	0	0	0	0							

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Eckstein 2b	KS	1B		F7			E5	KS	
Martin ss	KS	KS			F8		6-3	KL	
Wilkerson 1b	1B		HP		4-3		F8		F9
Hazzard dh	BB		BB		BB			E4	BB
Nicholson 3b	2B		BB		F8			1B	1B
Seroyer lf	KS		F8			1B		2B	KL
Rhine 3b		KS	KS			F8		1B	P3
Edge rf		F8		4-3		463		HR	
Johannes c		2B		F8			3U	3-1	
Hudson c									
Ogle cf									
McClendon p									
Gray p									

FLORIDA STATE

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Badeaux ss	L7		F7	BB		KL		F9	
Zech 2b	BB		BB	E5		HP		BB	
Drew cf	KS		BB	KS		BB		1B	
Morris lf	1B		1B	2B		HR		553	
Sprague 3b	F8		BB	1-3		KS			
Griggs dh		BB	1B		KL		KS		
Böhenberger p			FC		F9		1B		
Klosterman c		463			KS				
Woodward 1b		2B	1-3				KS		
McCorkel rf		KS		F8		KL	KS		
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Florida inning 1

Eckstein struck out. Martin struck out. Wilkerson singled to right field. Wilkerson advanced to second on a passed ball. Hazzard walked. Nicholson doubled to center field, 2 RBI; Hazzard scored; Wilkerson scored. Seroyer struck out. 2 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 1

Badeaux lined out to lf. Zech walked. Drew struck out; Zech stole second, advanced to third on an error by c. Morris singled to right field, RBI; Zech scored, unearned. Sprague flied out to cf. 1 run, 1 hit, 1 error, 1 LOB.

Florida inning 2

Rhine struck out. Johannes flied out to cf. Ogle doubled to right field. Eckstein singled to left field; Ogle advanced to third. Eckstein stole second. Martin struck out. 0 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 2

Griggs walked. Klosterman hit into double play 2b to ss to 1b; Griggs out on the play. Woodward doubled to left field. McCorkel struck out. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Florida inning 3

Wilkerson hit by pitch. Wilkerson stole second. Hazzard walked. Nicholson walked; Hazzard advanced to second; Wilkerson advanced to third. Seroyer flied out to cf, SF, RBI; Wilkerson scored. Bentley to p for Proctor. Rhine struck out. Nicholson out at second p to 2b, picked off. 1 run, 0 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 3

Badeaux flied out to lf. Zech walked. Zech stole second. Drew walked. Morris singled to right field, RBI; Drew advanced to third; Zech scored. Morris stole second. Sprague walked. Knollin to p for McClendon. Griggs singled to center field, 2 RBI; Sprague advanced to third; Morris scored; Drew scored. Klosterman reached on a fielder's choice, RBI; Griggs out at second ss to 2b; Sprague scored. Woodward grounded out to p. 4 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Florida inning 4

Johannes grounded out to 2b. Ogle flied out to cf. Eckstein flied out to

lf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 4

McCorkel flied out to cf. Badeaux walked. Zech reached on an error by 3b; Badeaux advanced to second. Drew struck out; Zech stole second; Badeaux stole third. Morris doubled to left center, 2 RBI; Zech scored, unearned; Badeaux scored, unearned. Sprague grounded out to p. 2 runs, 1 hit, 1 error, 1 LOB.

Florida inning 5

Martin flied out to cf. Wilkerson grounded out to 2b. Hazzard walked. Nicholson flied out to cf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 5

Nicholson to 3b. Edge to rf for Rhine. Hudson to c for Johannes. Griggs struck out looking. Klosterman flied out to rf. Woodward struck out. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Florida inning 6

Seroyer singled to left field. Edge flied out to cf. Hudson hit into double play 2b to ss to 1b; Seroyer out on the play. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 6

McCorkel struck out looking. Badeaux struck out looking. Zech hit by pitch. Zech stole second. Drew walked. Morris homered to left center, 3 RBI; Drew scored; Zech scored. Sprague struck out. 3 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Florida inning 7

Ogle grounded out to 1b unassisted. Eckstein reached on a throwing error by 3b. Martin grounded out to ss; Eckstein advanced to second. Wilkerson flied out to cf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 1 error, 1 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 7

Fujinaga to p for Knollin. Cash pinch hit for Griggs. Cash struck out, reached first on a wild pitch. Bonenberger pinch ran for Cash. Klosterman singled to left field; Bonenberger advanced to second. Woodward struck out; Bonenberger out at third c to 3b, picked off. Klosterman advanced to second on a wild pitch. McCorkel struck out. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Florida inning 8

Hazzard reached on an error by 2b. Nicholson singled; Hazzard advanced to second. Seroyer doubled, RBI; Nicholson advanced to third; Hazzard scored,

unearned. Edge singled, RBI; Seroyer advanced to third; Nicholson scored. Hudson homered to right center, 3 RBI; Edge scored; Seroyer scored. Chavez to p for Bentley. Ogle out at first lb to p. Eckstein struck out. Martin struck out looking. 5 runs, 4 hits, 1 error, 0 LOB.

FLORIDA STATE inning 8

Badeaux flied out to rf. Zech walked. Drew singled, bunt; Zech advanced to second. Gray to p for Fujinaga. Morris hit into double play 3b to 1b; Zech out on the play. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Florida inning 9

Wilkerson flied out to rf. Hazzard walked. Nicholson singled to left field; Hazzard advanced to second. Seroyer struck out looking. Edge popped up to lb. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

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