

Atlantic Coast Conference Baseball Tournament
Greenville, S.C. -- May 12, 1992

GAME 15 -- Florida State 1, N.C. State 0

N.C. STATE COACH RAY TANNER

"Shawn Senior pitched one of the greatest games I've ever seen him pitch and it's a shame that either one of those pitchers had to get a loss. I'm so proud of the effort Sean had and Rushworth did a tremendous job. He got his slider over.

"It was an even game. They got a big sac-fly from Roberts. I felt pretty good about our offense even though we didn't put up any runs. I thought we had some good at bats. We had a couple of runners on and were unable to get them in, but it was an even game. We had two very good teams playing and I was just hoping we would get a break, but Rushworth didn't allow that. He was very good.

"I can't remember a tournament game that was like this. Sean made some big pitches. He got a couple runners on some and he made some great out pitches. Like I said, he did everything possible to help us win a game tonight and the credit goes to Rushworth. He didn't give up anything. It was a tremendous ballgame."

Notes: Senior's 15 strikeouts is a career high and is a season-high by a Wolfpack pitcher. He previously had 10 vs. Marist.

N.C. State has now used six pitchers, none more than once. State pitchers have struckout 41 and walked 12 in 35 innings in the tournament, while allowing just 22 hits. Wolfpack pitchers have a 1.29 ERA for the tournament.

FLORIDA STATE COACH MIKE MARTIN

On the drawing: "I say 'State' and I thought it was us. To be honest with you, that's the way I feel it should be. N.C. State should have a straight shot at the finals because they won the first three ballgames.

"Basically we have to pitch well and play good defense, which is what we have done the last couple of ballgames. That's the key to Florida State baseball, pitching and defense. That's what it's all about."

On Rushworth: "That's the best he's pitched all year. It was a great, great performance. That's the best I've seen him pitch; he was super. He hit his slider all night long, kept them off balance."

"There guy pitched a great ballgame. I must say that when they scored that one run that was going to be it. But Sean Senior was just super. I don't know if we had a baserunner the last four or five innings."

In close-game situations: "I don't say anything to them. These guys have been in this type of ball game before. They knew what they had to do. We just had to keep our composure and Jimmy made the pitches."

TOURNAMENT NOTES: This was the first one-run game in the ACC tournament since 1988 when North Carolina defeated Clemson 1-0 and the fourth in tournament history.

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PLAYERS			P S	I N N	NC State vs Florida St. DATE 5-12-92										COND. SCORER		HITTING										BATTING					FIELDING			RUN NING
NO	LAST	FIRST			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	AB	R	H	RE	1	2	3	HR	TB	BB	HP	SAC	LOB	PO	A	E	SB	ASH			
1	9	Paul Borowski	8		F.9.		3U.					F.9.			4																				
2	6	Kevin Ross	9		6-3										2																				
3	A	Sean Drinkwater	6		K			P.2		4-3		DP			4																				
4	36	Vinny Hughes	3		6-3			F.8		4-3					8																				
5	25	Pat Clougherty	4A					K		5-3					4																				
6	11	Rob Winkler	7		4-3			1-3							2																				
	26	Chad McLamb	PH												1																				
	30	Larry Edens													0																				
7	32	Rob Bark	8		4-3			K							3																				
8	23	Greg Almond	2												3																				
9	21	Jeff Meszar	4												2																				
	10	Jeff Monin	PH												1																				
	5	Jeff Watkinson																																	
10	14	Shawn Senior																																	
INNING TOTALS					0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
RUNNING TOTALS					RUNS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
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					ERRORS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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BALANCE					= 34

NO	PITCHERS	SUMMARY	W	L	SA	IP	AB	H	R	E	1	2	3	HR	E	LOB	HP	WP	BK	INT	IBB
35	Rushworth				9	4	0	0	4	8											
PITCHING TOTALS																					

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