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FUENTES EARNS NO-HITTER, BUT FLORIDA STATE SOFTBALL SPLITS WITH VIRGINIA

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. -- Senior pitcher Kristy Fuentes pitched a five-inning no hitter as No. 18 Florida State defeated ACC-rival Virginia (9-12). The Tribe fell 3-6 in the finale, denying head coach Dr. JoAnne Graf her 900th career victory. FSU is now 31-14-1 on the season and 5-1 in league

In game one, Fuentes put a halt to the Virginia offense as she struck out nine batters and allowed just two Cavalier base runners on walks. Florida State scored quickly, scoring two runs in the first inning, thanks in part to Windy Weltz who went 3-for-3 and scored two runs in the game. The Lady Seminoles broke things open with a four-run third as right fielder Kristy Hull drove in three runs with a two-out triple. The game was called after five innings due to the eight-run rule.

Virginia never trailed in game two scoring a run in the first inning. Florida State tied the game in the bottom half of the inning but allowed the Cavaliers to pick up two more runs in the second inning. Despite placing runners in scoring position in the bottom of the fifth, FSU stranded eight runners for the game. Virginia scored three in the next inning to take a comfortable four-run lead after six innings of play. Sophomore pitcher Stacy Venable, who was credited with Virginia's first three runs, got the loss.

Florida State will play at North Carolina on Thursday and then participate in the Tar Heel Invitational in Chapel Hill over the weekend.

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The Automated ScoreBook

Virginia at Florida State Apr 06, 1997 at Lady Seminole Field

Virginia 0 (8-12)

Florida State 8 (31-13-1)

Name (Pos)	λВ	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	À	Name (Pos)	AΒ			RBI			P0	
Peay, Amy 3b	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	Calkins, Myssi lf			1		0		3	
Holmes, Stacy 2b	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	Weltz, Windy 2b	3	2	3	0	0	0	1	0
Reese, Lori ss	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	Molin, Misty 1b	2	2	2	0	1	0	1	0
Crimi, Beth c	1	0	0	0	1	1	4	1	McGregor, Jesse ss	3	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
Bolkan, Cory pr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Edenfield, Teresa dh	3	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
Good, Corinne cf	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	Bailey, Dana cf	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Graham, Mariruth dh	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	Williams, Corrie ph	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Amaon, Julie rf	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	Hull, Kristy rf	2	1	1	3	0	0	0	0
Chiappe, Cristina 1b	2	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	Braye, Wendy c	2	0	1	1	0	1	9	0
Tablan, T lf	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Taff, Windy pr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Quinn, Christina p/pr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Post, Tami 3b	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Zagol, Stacey p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	Fuentes, Kristy p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	0	0	0	2	9	12	9	Totals	21	8	10	8	2	3	15	2

 Score by innings:
 R
 H
 E

 Virginia
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 0 0 0

 Florida State
 204 2 - 8 10 0
 0 0 0

LOB - Virginia 2, FSU 4.

3B - Hull, K.

SB - Molin, M, Weltz, W.

SH - Good, C.

Virginia	IP			Florida State		H	 	BB	
Quinn, Christina				Fuentes, Kristy	5.0				

Winner - Fuentes, K 21-6. Loser - Quinn, C 3-3. Save - None.

PB - Crimi, B.

HBP - by Quinn, C (Calkins, M).

Umpires - T. Stupski, K. Hayes

Start: 1 pm Time: 1:30 Attendance: 225