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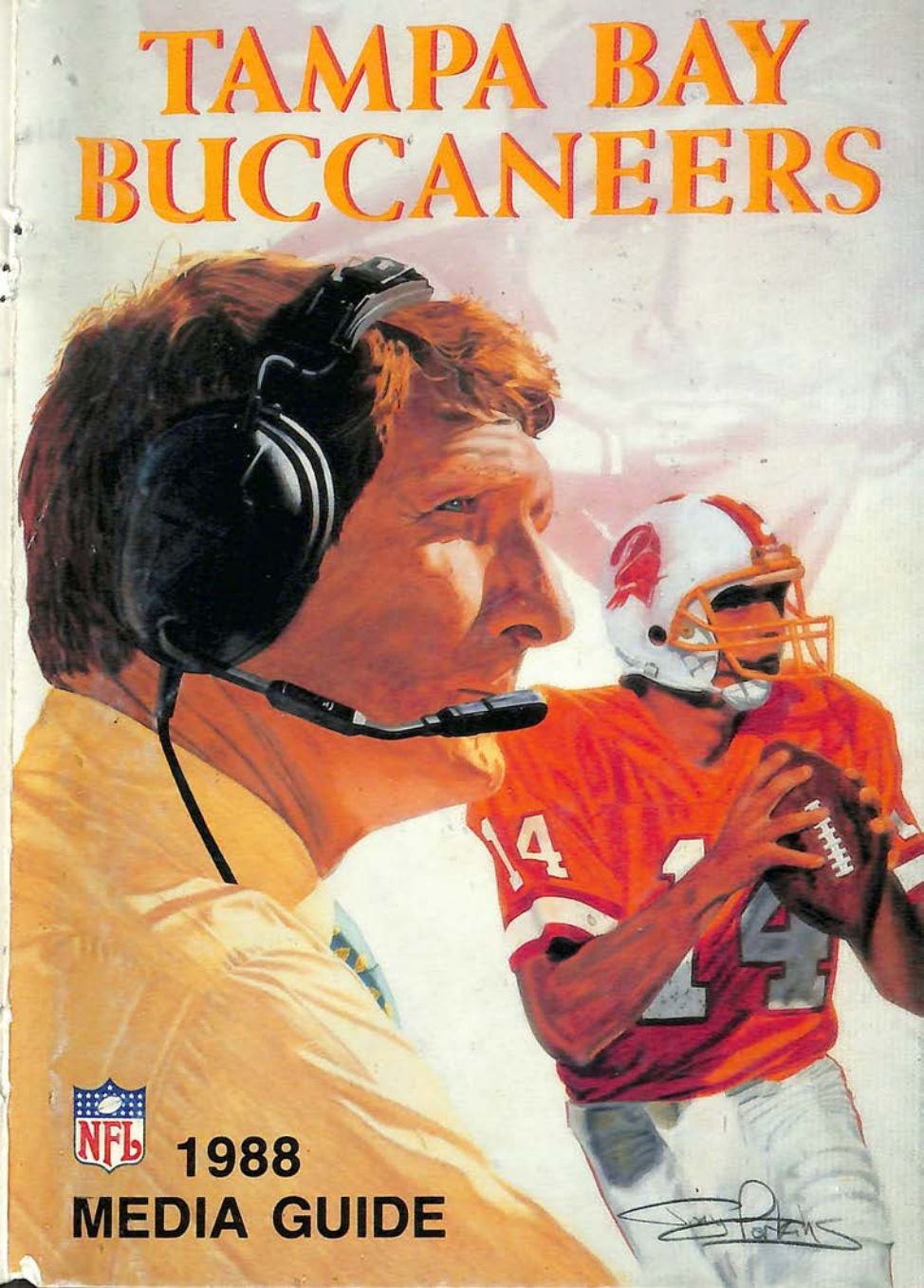

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1988 SCHEDULE

PRESEASON			(ALL TIMES EASTERN)	
Sat.	**Aug.**	**6**	**INDIANAPOLIS COLTS**	**7 p.m.**
Sat.	**Aug.**	**13**	**CLEVELAND BROWNS**	**7 p.m.**
Sat.	Aug.	20	at Atlanta Falcons	7:30 p.m.
Thurs.	Aug.	25	Buffalo Bills (at Nashville)	8:00 p.m.
REGULAR SEASON				
Sun.	**Sept.**	**4**	**PHILADELPHIA EAGLES**	**1 p.m.**
Sun.	Sept.	11	at Green Bay Packers	1 p.m.
Sun.	**Sept.**	**18**	**PHOENIX CARDINALS**	**1 p.m.**
Sun.	Sept.	25	at New Orleans Saints	1 p.m.
Sun.	**Oct.**	**2**	**GREEN BAY PACKERS**	**1 p.m.**
Sun.	Oct.	9	at Minnesota Vikings	1 p.m.
Sun.	Oct.	16	at Indianapolis Colts	1 p.m.
Sun.	**Oct.**	**23**	**MINNESOTA VIKINGS**	**1 p.m.**
Sun.	**Oct.**	**30**	**MIAMI DOLPHINS**	**1 p.m.**
Sun.	Nov.	6	at Chicago Bears	1 p.m.
Sun.	Nov.	13	at Detroit Lions	1 p.m.
Sun.	**Nov.**	**20**	**CHICAGO BEARS**	**1 p.m.**
Sun.	Nov.	27	at Atlanta Falcons	1 p.m.
Sun.	**Dec.**	**4**	**BUFFALO BILLS**	**1 p.m.**
Sun.	Dec.	11	at New England Patriots	1 p.m.
Sun.	**Dec.**	**18**	**DETROIT LIONS**	**1 p.m.**

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Ticket Master Phone Numbers: 874-5400 In Hillsborough, 821-4500 in Pinellas
1-800/449-3939 throughout Florida
Prices: Sideline Seats $18 and $21, Bowl Seats $14 and $9
Method of payment: Visa and MasterCard accepted

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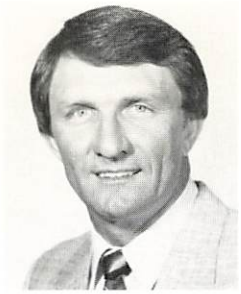
Public Relations: (813) 253-6272 or 6274 (Training Camp)

RAY PERKINS

Head Coach/Vice President-Football Operations



As he enters his second season, Ray Perkins has already made his mark directing the Tampa Bay Buccaneers. Perkins brought his legendary commitment to the work ethic to the Bucs in 1987 with dramatic results. Establishing discipline, intensity and organization as trademarks, Perkins' first Buccaneer team showed significant improvement last year with a young and revitalized roster that carries the promise of more success in the future.

The Buccaneers' improvement comes as no surprise to those who have followed Perkins' career. As a player he performed to the peak of his ability in earning All-America honors at Alabama and developing into a successful professional.

As a coach he has displayed remarkable abilities as a strategist, motivator and organizer — first in resuscitating the ailing New York Giants and then in successfully carrying on the legacy of Bear Bryant at Alabama.

Perkins was fresh from his third bowl victory in four years at Alabama when Buccaneer owner Hugh Culverhouse selected him as Tampa Bay's third coach on December 31, 1986. Armed with knowledge obtained in his successful tenure with the Giants, Perkins plunged right to work in quickly assembling a respected coaching staff and supervising a record selection of 20 players in the 1987 draft. Fourteen of those draft picks were among the league-high 20 rookies who played for the 1987 Buccaneers.

"I believe in young people," says Perkins. "I think you can be successful with them. If they're willing to work, you can accomplish a lot."

Walter Ray Perkins was a young person who showed his desire to work hard from an early age. Born in Mount Olive, Mississippi on November 6, 1941 he became known for his hectic schedule. Living in Petal, Mississippi where his father W.T.Perkins was a carpenter and contractor, he was an All-America fullback and all-state basketball player at Petal High School while working mornings and evenings at a gas station.

Recruited to Alabama his playing career was slowed by a head injury in spring practice that required brain surgery. He was redshirted in 1963, then went on to three outstanding seasons as the top passing target of quarterbacks Joe Namath, Steve Sloan and Ken Stabler. He was a leader of Alabama's 1964 and 1965 national champion teams. In 1966 Alabama went undefeated as Perkins was the SEC Player of the Year and a first team All-America.

He was at his best in big games, catching 159 yards worth of passes against Nebraska in Alabama's January 1, 1966 national championship-clinching win in the Orange Bowl. A year later he caught 178 yards worth of passes against the Cornhuskers in the Sugar Bowl. Both figures remain yards receiving records for those bowls.

His final regular season statistics total 63 receptions for 908 yards and nine touchdowns. He also was a member of the Alabama track team competing in the 100-yard dash, long jump, triple jump and relays. Perkins graduated in May, 1967 with a degree in education.

He was a seventh round draft choice of the Baltimore Colts that year and played five seasons before a series of knee injuries ended his career. As a Colt, Perkins added John Unitas and Earl Morrall to the illustrious list of quarterbacks he played with, catching 93 passes for 1,538 yards and 11 touchdowns. He played in two Super Bowls (III and V). At Alabama and Baltimore, the eight teams he played for went 83-10-2 (.892).

After briefly exploring a career in real estate, Perkins quickly returned to football. His first position was receivers coach at Mississippi State in 1973.

He moved to the NFL the next year, coaching the wide receivers for the New England Patriots from 1974 to 1977. While with the Patriots he also devoted time in the spring as a volunteer coach at a nearby state prison. In 1978, he became offensive coordinator for the San Diego Chargers and the team led the NFL in passing and scoring.

Perkins' successes captured the attention of the New York Giants who hired him as head coach in 1979. In four seasons, Perkins turned around a lethargic team operating at low ebb. Drafting such talents as Phil Simms, Lawrence Taylor and Joe Morris, Perkins marched his young team into the playoffs in his third season, 1981. The Giants won their first playoff appearance in 18 years, defeating Philadelphia, 27-21, before falling to San Francisco, the eventual Super Bowl champion.

Perkins was then chosen as the hand-picked successor to Bear Bryant when the great Alabama coach retired on December 14, 1982.

At Alabama, Perkins quickly added the duties of athletic director to his head coaching position. On the field he won nearly 70 percent of his games (32-15-1) including three Bowl games. After two years of establishing his program, his final two Tide teams went 19-5-1 (.792) against schedules ranked as among the nation's toughest. In addition he orchestrated the rapid and significant expansion of facilities at Alabama to where today they are second to none in collegiate athletics.

He was selected by **The Birmingham News** as SEC Coach of the Year in 1985 and honored by the University of Alabama Alumni Association as "Man of the Year" in 1982.

Perkins has been married for 26 years to the former Carolyn Martin. They have two sons. Tony (24) is a graphic artist and Mike (21) is the Bucs' assistant video director and college student.

Perkins is extremely interested in youth related charities particularly the Big Oak Ranch near Glencoe, Alabama where he donated a dormitory. In the Tampa Bay area he has been active with the Multiple Sclerosis Society. His hobbies include tinkering with automobiles and golf.

RAY PERKINS' HEAD COACHING RECORD

NEW YORK GIANTS	W	L
1979	6	10
1980	4	12
1981	9	7*
1982	4	5
Regular Season	23	34
Playoff Record	1	1

*—Qualified for the playoffs as a wild card team; 1-1 in playoffs

ALABAMA	W	L	T
1983	8	4	0
1984	5	6	0
1985	9	2	1
1986	10	3	0
ALABAMA TOTAL*	32	15	1

*—Includes 3-0 record in Bowl games; 1983 Sun Bowl, 1985 Aloha Bowl and 1986 Sun Bowl.

TAMPA BAY	W	L	T
1987	4	11	0
NFL TOTAL	28	46	

ASSISTANT COACHES

DOUG GRABER

Defensive Coordinator & Secondary

Coaching Experience: 1987 - Tampa Bay Buccaneers, defensive coordinator and secondary coach; 1983-86 - Kansas City Chiefs, secondary coach; 1982 - Montana State, head coach; 1978-81 - Wisconsin, secondary coach, academic and recruiting coordinator; 1976-77 - Ball State, secondary coach and recruiting coordinator; 1972-75 - Eastern Michigan, defensive coordinator; 1969-71 - Michigan Tech, defensive coordinator; 1967-68 - St. Francis Cabrini High School in Allen Park, Mich., head coach; 1966 - St. Francis Cabrini High School, assistant coach.

Coaching Notes: Bucs went from 24th in the NFL against the pass in 1986 to 11th in '87... from 1983-86, the Kansas City secondary posted more interceptions (118) than any team in the NFL over that span... coached four first round NFL draft picks as a collegiate coach in the secondary... at Montana State in 1982, he led Bobcats to share of Big Sky Conference title (6-5 overall, 5-2 conference) in his only season as head coach... spent four seasons at Wisconsin where Badger defense consistently ranked among the Big 10's top units... at Michigan Tech, his defensive unit led the conference all three seasons in total defense that he was there... led his St. Francis Cabrini High School squad to back-to-back undefeated seasons (18-0-2).

Academic/Athletic Background: A two-sport athlete in football and golf at Wayne State University in Detroit... received his bachelor's degree in education from Wayne State in 1966... earned his master's degree from Northern Michigan... graduated from St. Agatha High School in his native Detroit.

Personal Notes: Born September 26, 1944 in Detroit... wife's name is Faye and they have two sons, Joseph (13) and J.J. (11).

MIKE DuBOSE

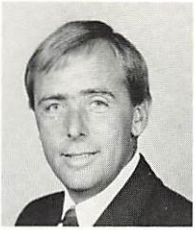
Defensive Line

Coaching Experience: 1987 - Tampa Bay Buccaneers, defensive line coach; 1983-86 - University of Alabama, defensive line and outside linebacker coach; 1982 - Southern Mississippi, defensive line coach; 1980-81 - Tennessee-Chattanooga, defensive line coach; 1979 - Prattville (Ala.) High School, athletic director, head coach; 1978 - Prattville (Ala.) High School, assistant coach; 1976-77 - Fairhope (Ala.) High School, assistant coach; 1974-75 - University of Alabama, graduate assistant.

Coaching Notes: Buc pass rush made great improvement in first year as defensive line coach... defensive line sacks more than doubled from '86 to '87... coached outside linebackers during first two years at Alabama before switching to defensive line coach in final two years with the Crimson Tide... coached three first-round draft choices at Alabama, Emanuel King in '85; Hand in '86 and Cornelius Bennett in '87.

Academic/Athletic Background: A three-year letterwinner in football at Alabama for the legendary Bear Bryant from 1972-74... an All-SEC second-team defensive end in 1973 and '74... Crimson Tide compiled a 32-4 record and appeared in the Cotton, Sugar and Orange Bowls... Tide was named UPI national champions in '73... was a teammate of current Buc running back coach Sylvester Croom at Alabama... received his bachelor's degree in education in 1974 and his master's degree in industrial arts in 1975 from Alabama... a graduate of Opp High School.

Personal Notes: Born January 5, 1953 in Opp, Ala.... wife's name is Polly Ann and they have two children, Juli Ann (12) and Michael (8).



GRABER



DuBOSE



KINES

JOE KINES

Outside Linebackers

Coaching Experience: 1987 - Tampa Bay Buccaneers, outside linebackers coach; 1985-86 - University of Alabama, defensive coordinator and inside linebacker coach; 1979-84 - University of Florida, assistant head coach and defensive coordinator; 1977-78 - Clemson, defensive coordinator and linebacker coach; 1972-76 - Jacksonville State (Ala.), defensive coordinator and inside linebacker coach; 1969-71- Chattanooga County (Ga.) High School, head coach; 1967-68 - Newnan High School (Ga.), assistant coach; 1966- Jacksonville State (Ala.), graduate assistant coach.

Coaching Notes: Helped guide a Buc defensive unit that improved from the worst unit in the NFL in 1986 to the 16th rated defense in '87... at Alabama his inside linebackers led the team in tackles in each of his two seasons... during his six years at Florida, the Gators compiled a 41-26-3 record and four bowl appearances... the last two teams went 18-3-2... Gator defenses led the SEC in total defense in '81 and '84 and consistently ranked among the nation's best... was named "Working Coach of the Year" in the SEC by the Birmingham Touchdown Club after the '81 season at Florida... coached NFL players Wilbur Marshall and David Galloway of Florida.

Academic/Athletic Background; A three-year letterwinner at Jacksonville State (Ala.)... received his bachelor's degree in physical education from Jacksonville State in 1966 and also his master's degree in education and administration from his alma mater in 1971... a graduate of Cedartown (Ga.) High School.

Personal Notes: Born July 13, 1944 in Piedmont, Ala.... wife's name is Ruby and they have one daughter, Susan (21).

HERB PATERRA

Inside Linebackers

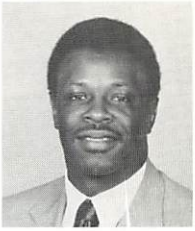
Coaching Experience: 1987 - Tampa Bay Buccaneers, inside linebackers coach; 1986 - Buffalo Bills, defensive coordinator and linebacker coach; 1984-85 - Green Bay Packers, linebacker coach; 1983 - Edmonton Eskimos (CFL), defensive coordinator; 1980-82 - Los Angeles Rams, special teams coach, linebacker coach and defensive coordinator; 1978-79 - Hamilton Tiger-Cats (CFL), defensive line coach, linebacker coach and defensive coordinator; 1976-77 - North Mecklinburgh High School in Charlotte, N.C., head coach; 1975 - Charlotte Hornets (WFL), linebacker coach; 1972-74 - University of Wyoming, linebacker coach; 1969-71 - Michigan State, linebacker coach and defensive line coach.



PATERRA



BEIGHTOL



CROOM

Coaching Notes: Ervin Randle developed into one of NFL's best inside linebackers in 1987... at Buffalo, Bills defense against the rush went from 17th to ninth in first season as defensive coordinator.

Academic/Athletic Background: An offensive guard and linebacker at Michigan State from 1960-62... played for the legendary Duffy Daugherty as a Spartan... an 18th round draft choice by Buffalo in '63... was with the Bills for two seasons including '64 AFL title year... in '65 moved on to Hamilton of the CFL and played four seasons winning two Grey Cup championships... received his bachelor of science degree in education from Michigan State in 1962... graduate from Glassport (Pa.) High School.

Personal Notes: Born November 8, 1940 in Glassport, Pa.... wife's name is Lou Ann... they have two sons, Jeff, a quarterback at Michigan State, and Craig, a quarterback at Missouri.

LARRY BEIGHTOL

Offensive Line

Coaching Experience: 1987 - Tampa Bay Buccaneers, offensive line coach; 1985-86 - Atlanta Falcons, offensive line coach; 1983-84 - University of Missouri, offensive coordinator; 1980-82 - University of Arkansas, offensive line coach and offensive coordinator; 1979 - Louisiana Tech, head coach;1977-78 - University of Arkansas, offensive coordinator; 1976 - Auburn, offensive line coach and offensive coordinator; 1972-75 - North Carolina State, offensive line coach; 1968-71 - William & Mary, offensive line coach; 1965-67 - Lee-Davis High School in Richmond, Va., assistant coach; 1964 - Salisbury (N.C.) High School, assistant coach.

Coaching Notes; A strong reputation for developing young linemen into quality players... helped develop Bill Fralic and Mike Kenn into Pro Bowl performers at Atlanta... coached 17 years on the collegiate level, including one season as a head coach ...coached in 12 bowl games, including appearances in the Orange, Sugar and Fiesta Bowls... developed eight All-America linemen during his career... spent 13 years of his collegiate coaching experience working for current Notre Dame head coach Lou Holtz.

Academic/Athletic Background: A two-way standout at guard and linebacker at Catawba College in North Carolina... was a two-time All-Carolinas Conference performer... was a three-year letterwinner from 1961-63 and captained team as a senior... received his bachelor's degree in physical education and history in 1964... earned his master's degree in physical education from William & Mary in 1968... graduate of West Branch High School in Morrisdale, Pa.

Personal Notes: Born November 21, 1942 in Pittsburgh... wife's name is Marian and they have a daughter, Kristin (20)... inducted in Western Pennsylvania Sports Hall of Fame.

SYLVESTER CROOM

Running Backs

Coaching Experience: 1987 - Tampa Bay Buccaneers, running backs coach; 1977-86 - University of Alabama, outside linebacker and defensive end coach; 1975-76 - University of Alabama, graduate assistant coach.

Coaching Notes: Enters second season coaching running backs after spending collegiate coaching career working on the defensive side of the ball at Alabama... at Alabama the Crimson Tide defense led the Southeastern Conference in total defense twice... instrumental in developing Buffalo's Cornelius Bennett at Alabama... coached four first round NFL players - Mike Pitts, E.J. Junior, Jon Hand and Bennett.

Academic/Athletic Background: A 1974 Kodak All-America center at Alabama and a three-year letterwinner for Bear Bryant's Crimson Tide... also an All-SEC first-team selection at center in 1974... won the Jacobs Award in '74 as the best down lineman in the SEC... Tide compiled an impressive 32-4 record during his three years as a starter, including three SEC titles and a UPI national championship... played one season with the New Orleans Saints in 1975 before returning to Alabama as a graduate assistant... received his bachelor's degree in history with a minor in biology from Alabama in 1975 and his master's degree in education administration in 1977 from his alma mater... a graduate of Tuscaloosa (Ala.) High School.

Personal Notes: Born September 25, 1954 in Tuscaloosa, Ala.... wife's name is Jearline and they have one daughter, Jennifer (15)... father, Sylvester, is a minister and chaplain to Alabama football team.

RICHARD WILLIAMSON

Receivers

Coaching Experience: 1987 - Tampa Bay Buccaneers, receivers coach; 1983-86 - Kansas City Chiefs, receivers coach; 1975-80 - Memphis State, head coach; 1972-74 - University of Arkansas, backfield coach; 1970-71 - University of Alabama, defensive coach; 1968-69 - University of Arkansas, receivers coach; 1963-67 - University of Alabama, receivers coach.

Coaching Notes: Enters sixth NFL season... instrumental in development of youthful Buc receiving corps last season... developed receiving unit at Kansas City for four seasons... head coach at Memphis State for six seasons compiling a 31-35 record as an independent... guided the Tigers to back-to-back 7-4 seasons in his first two years and was named Southern Independent Coach of the Year in 1976... named to coach in the Blue-Grey All-Star Game twice while at Memphis State... learned the coaching profession from two college football legends, Bear Bryant at Alabama and Frank Broyles at Arkansas... had two coaching stints with each coach for a total of 12 years... coached Ray Perkins at Alabama.

Academic/Athletic Background: A two-year letterwinner at Alabama as a split end for Bear Bryant... was a third-team all-SEC selection as a senior... still ranks among the all-time top 15 pass catchers in Crimson Tide history... key member of Alabama's 1961 11-0-0 national championship team... received his bachelor's degree in education from Alabama in 1962... graduated from Lowndes County (Ala.) High School.

Personal Notes: Born April 13, 1941 in Ft. Deposit, Ala.... wife's name is Norma and they have two children, Rich (23) and Caroline (21).



WILLIAMSON



STOKES



BOBO

RODNEY STOKES

Special Teams

Coaching Experience: 1987 - Tampa Bay Buccaneers, special teams coach; 1983-86 - University of Alabama, running back coach and special team's coordinator; 1979-82 - Petal (Miss.) High School, head coach and athletic director; 1978 - Petal (Miss.) High School, assistant coach.

Coaching Notes: Spent four seasons at Alabama working three years with the Crimson Tide kickers and spending his final season as running back coach where he tutored Bobby Humphrey . . . was the youngest prep head coach in Mississippi at Petal High School when first appointed in 1979 . . . took over winless program and in '80 team went 12-1 - the most wins in Petal history, breaking the old record set when Ray Perkins was all-state prep player.

Academic/Athletic Background: A two-year letterwinner at Delta State as a linebacker . . . spent two years at Co-Lin Junior College in Wesson, Miss., earning two letters as a linebacker . . . received his bachelor's degree in health science from Delta State in 1976 and his master's degree in secondary education from William Carey in 1979 . . . graduated from Brookhaven (Miss.) High School.

JOHN BOBO

Offensive Assistant

Coaching Experience: 1987 - Tampa Bay Buccaneers, offensive assistant; 1986 - University of Alabama, assistant coach - tight ends; 1985 - University of Alabama, graduate assistant offensive line; 1983-84 - Cartersville (Ga.) High School, assistant coach; 1982 - Fayette County (Ga.) High School, assistant coach; 1980-81 - Griffin (Ga.) High School, assistant coach.

Coaching Notes: Responsible for breaking down opponent game video tape and preparing opponent offensive charts . . . began collegiate coaching duties working with the offensive line at Alabama.

Academic/Athletic Background; A two-year letterwinner as a tight end and defensive end at Maryville College outside Knoxville, Tenn. . . . team won 28 games during his four years there as members of the Old Dominion Athletic Conference . . . received his bachelor's degree in English in 1980 from Maryville . . . began work towards a master's degree in physical education in 1985 from Alabama . . . graduated from Berrien County (Ga.) High School.

Personal Notes: Born February 18, 1958 in Alapaha, Ga.

MIKE SHULA

Offensive Assistant

Notes: Becomes the youngest coach in the NFL after retiring as an active player this past offseason... will primarily assist with the quarterbacks... the third Shula to enter the NFL coaching ranks, joining father, Don, and brother, David, both with Miami Dolphins... a 12th round draft choice in '87 by the Bucs, he was waived in the final cut in preseason... re-signed by the Bucs following strike and remained with the team for the remainder of the season... threw the first TD pass of the Ray Perkins era during the '87 preseason (a 24-yard TD pass to Bruce Hill vs. Cincinnati).

Academic/Athletic Background: A three-year starter and All-SEC quarterback for Coach Ray Perkins at Alabama... finished Tide career with 3,881 yards passing (298-552), 33 touchdowns and 30 interceptions... only the second Alabama quarterback to pass for over 2,000 yards (2,009 in '85) in a season (1985)... led Alabama to Aloha and Sun Bowl wins as a junior and senior... coached by his father, Don, in the Senior Bowl... received his bachelor's degree in labor relations from Alabama in 1987... graduated from Columbus High School in Miami, FL.

Personal Notes: Born June 3, 1965 in Baltimore, MD

KENT JOHNSTON

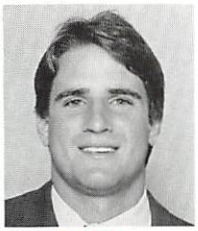
Strength and Conditioning

Coaching Experience: 1987 - Tampa Bay Buccaneers, strength and conditioning coach; 1985-86 - University of Alabama, strength and conditioning coach; 1983-84 - University of Alabama, graduate assistant, secondary and strength program; 1982 - Willis (Texas) High School, assistant coach; 1980-81 - Northwestern State College in Natchitoches, La., strength coach; 1979 - Northeast Louisiana, assistant coach; 1978 - Teague (Texas) High School, assistant coach.

Coaching Notes: Heads into second season responsible for the overall strength and conditioning program for the Bucs... earned high marks as strength coach at Alabama where Crimson Tide weight program was regarded as one of the finest in the nation.

Academic/Athletic Background: A two-year letterwinner at Stephen F. Austin as a defensive back... received his bachelor's degree in physical education in 1978 from Stephen F. Austin... earned his master's degree in physical education from Alabama in 1984... graduated from Mexia (Texas) High School.

Personal Notes: Born February 21, 1956 in Mexia, Texas... wife, Pam, is a marine biologist.



SHULA



JOHNSTON

SUPPORT STAFF

CHRIS SMITH — Head Trainer

Notes: Spent three seasons (1984-86) as head trainer at Alabama prior to accepting post with Buccaneers... primary emphasis on Crimson Tide football but was responsible for overall medical supervision of Alabama's intercollegiate teams... prior to his three-year stint in Alabama, he was the Director of Physical Therapy at Phoenix Sports Medicine and Orthopaedics in 1983... from 1980-83, he was assistant athletic-physical therapist at Arizona State... graduate assistant trainer (1979-80) at Boston University... trainer at West Point from 1974-77 while in the Army... received his bachelor's degree in physical education from Purdue in 1974... holds three master's degrees... owns a guidance education degree from the University of Arizona (1978) and a physical therapy degree from Boston University (1980)... graduate of South Ripley High School in Versailles, Ind.... born January 8, 1952 in Greensburg, Ind.... wife's name is Sandy and they have two children, C.J. (6) and Lianna (3).

JOE JOE PETRONE — Assistant Trainer

Notes: Spent five seasons (1982-86) as assistant trainer at the University of Mississippi prior to accepting position on Buccaneer training staff... at Ole Miss his primary responsibility was Rebels' basketball program... also worked with entire intercollegiate athletic program... graduate assistant trainer at the University of Kentucky from 1980-81 where he began work on his master's degree in health and safety... also during that time he assisted the New York Jets' training staff during training camp in 1980-81... also assisted New York Yankees' farm club Nashville Sounds for two seasons (1980-81)... worked as a student trainer as an undergraduate at Vanderbilt... bachelor's degree in physical education from Vanderbilt in 1980... graduate of Fr. Ryan High School in Nashville, Tenn.... born February 15, 1958... married to the former Allyson Jo Barker.

JOSEPH DIACO, M.D. — Team Physician

Notes: Enters 10th season as head of medical staff overseeing the care for Buccaneer players and staff and 11th season overall... currently is chief of staff at St. Joseph's Hospital in Tampa where he practices vascular and general surgery... also is an assistant clinical professor at the University of South Florida... chief of surgery at the Air Force Hospital at Warner Robbins Air Force Base in Georgia from 1971-74... served



SMITH



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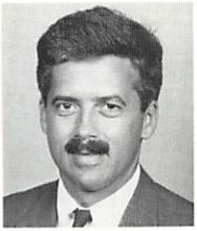

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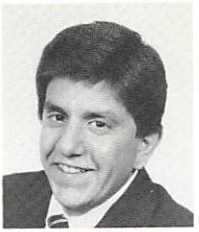


MELCHIOR

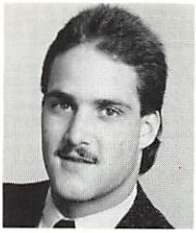
his residency in general surgery at the University of Pennsylvania Hospital from 1965-70... attended Villanova University and graduated from Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital in his native Philadelphia... twin brother, Nick, also is a heart specialist practicing in Los Angeles... has three children, Daniel (21), Stephen (19) and Joseph (17).

WILLIAM CARSON, M.D. — Orthopaedic Consultant

Notes: Enters second season as Bucs' orthopaedic consultant... spent two seasons in same capacity with the USFL's Tampa Bay Bandits in 1984-85... also serves as consultant for the Tampa Bay Rowdies soccer team and the University of Tampa basketball program... consultant to Tampa /Ocala Jai Alai, Plant High School football team and the Tampa Ballet... currently is the Director of the Tampa Sports Clinic... prior to that appointment he completed fellowships in sports medicine at the Hughston Orthopaedic Clinic in Columbus, Ga., (1983) and at the Orthopaedic and Fracture Clinic of Eugene (OR) (1982)... was board certified by the American Board of Orthopaedic Surgery in 1985... received his bachelor's degree in chemistry from Emory University in Atlanta, Ga., in 1974... attended medical school at the University of South Florida (1977) and completed his residency at Emory University's affiliated hospitals in Atlanta (1977-82)... graduate of Tampa Plant High School... wife's name is Maggie and they have two children, Billy (3) and Kerry born this past year.

FRANK PUPELLO — Equipment Manager

Notes: Enters seventh season as equipment manager after six seasons as an assistant... a member of the Buc equipment staff since franchise's first season during the '76 season... known as an innovator in design and safety around the NFL... developed two innovative face masks which are on display in the Pro Football Hall of Fame in Canton, Ohio... his Shark Cage mask was designed in 1978 to protect broken jaw of Doug Williams... Tampa Bay Special face mask was designed in 1977 to give more protection to the eyes and is now commonly worn in the NFL and in the collegiate ranks... designed special shield made of Boling "Tuffak" to protect injured eye of Hugh Green in '84 and it also is now worn by many players in the league... "Pupello Pocket" is a popular handwarmer he designed and had named after him... is a member of Zinkwizi International Design Team and Bike Helmet Advisory Committee... redesigned Buc road jersey for greater number visibilty in 1977... managed equipment and designed uniforms for the 1978-79 Can-Am Bowls... pursued bachelor's degree in art from the University of Tampa... prior to joining Bucs, he was equipment manager at Tampa Jesuit High School... is a member of that school's hall of fame... graduated from Jesuit High School... born January 27, 1955 in Tampa... wife's name is Nancy.



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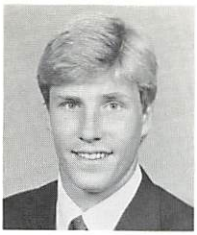


M. PERKINS



HOLT

CARL MELCHIOR — Assistant Equipment Manager

Assists Frank Pupello in purchasing, repairing all equipment, replacing and cleaning of various equipment, uniforms and clothing used by the players and coaching staff... lists Bob Costas as his favorite sports personality... a graduate of Plant High School in Tampa... ran the equipment room for football and baseball... joined Bucs in July, 1984... currently pursuing his business degree from the University of South Florida... known as "Buster"... born March 22, 1963 in Tampa.

DAVE LEVY — Video Director

Comes to the Buccaneers after spending seven years as the assistant video director with the Pittsburgh Steelers... will coordinate all game and practice video for the Bucs, including shooting and duping of all video... also oversees exchange and processing of video of Buc opponents... spent first five years in Pittsburgh editing and printing film before league switched to video three years ago... attended Community College of Alleghany County, University of Pittsburgh and Indiana University (Pa.)... plans on pursuing his communications degree requirements... graduate of Bethel Park (Pa.) High School... born June 27, 1967 in Pittsburgh.

MIKE PERKINS — Assistant Video Director

Assists in the shooting and duping of game, practice and opponent video for study use by Tampa Bay's coaching staff... currently working towards business degree at Hillsborough Community College... previously attended Walker Junior College and the University of Alabama... graduated from Tuscaloosa (Ala.) Academy where he lettered in football and basketball... was a preseason all-state receiver as a senior but injury ended season... basketball team won four straight private school state titles, including 100 consecutive wins... born May 24, 1967 in Tuscaloosa, Ala.

DENISE HOLT — Coaches Secretary

Highly efficient secretary who handles all secretarial responsibilities for coaching staff... also responsible for typing Buccaneer players' playbook, weekly game plans and depth charts, and scouting reports on the computer... also coordinates Coach Perkins' schedule... prior to joining the Buccaneers spent eight years working in commercial lending in the Tampa Bay area and Houston... attended St. Petersburg Junior College... graduated from Largo High School... born July 27, 1961 in Clearwater.

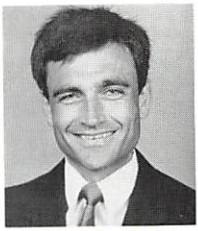
SCOUTING

JERRY ANGELO — Director of Player Personnel

Came to Tampa Bay in '87 as Director of Player Personnel after five seasons as a key regional scout with the New York Giants... first joined the Giants in 1982, Ray Perkins' final year as head coach... familiar with the Tampa Bay area, he was defensive line coach and recruiting coordinator for Denny Fryzell at the University of Tampa from 1972-74... born February 9, 1949, in Youngstown, Ohio, where he played linebacker for his father, Red, at Chaney High School... went on to Miami (Ohio), where he played defensive tackle under Bo Schembechler and Bill Mallory... graduated with a degree in social science and later earned a master's in secondary education... assistant coach at Colorado State prior to joining University of Tampa... following stint at Tampa ended by termination of football program, he joined Syracuse staff in 1975 until accepting scouting position with Dallas for 1980-81 seasons... in 1982 he accepted a position on the Calgary coaching staff of the CFL... after a couple of months there, he accepted opportunity with Giants... lived in Dallas while Giant scout... he and his wife, Bernie, have three daughters, Lisa (18), Brook (12) and Sutton (3).

JAMES HARRIS — College Scout

Returned to the National Football League in 1987 as a Buc scout after 12 years (1969-71; 73-81) as a quarterback... had been in private business and investments since retiring... born July 20, 1947 in Monroe, Louisiana, where he graduated from Carroll High School (also the alma mater of Buc linebacker Jackie Walker)... went on to quarterback Grambling to Southwestern Athletic Conference championships in 1967 and 1968... drafted by Buffalo Bills in eighth round of 1969, where he played through 1971 season... did not play in 1972 but joined L.A. Rams in 1973, where he started 35 games over four seasons before being traded to San Diego in 1977... a Charger through 1981 when he finished his playing career... started 11 games while a Charger and had 40 total career starts, passing for 8,136 yards and 45 touchdowns... 89.8 pass rating in 1976 led the NFL... lives in Los Angeles.



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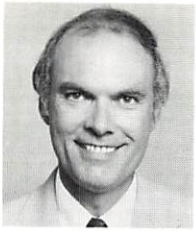

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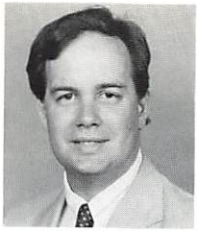

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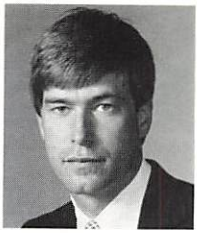


WEBSTER

TOM HECKERT

College Scout

Came to the Bucs in 1987 from the Cleveland Browns where he was an area scout in the Midwest for five years (1982-86)... born September 18, 1938 in Youngstown, Ohio, where he was a 1961 graduate of Youngstown State... began coaching as an assistant at Austintown Fitch High School in 1961 before a two-year hitch in the Army... he then returned to Fitch where he stayed through 1965 prior to enrolling as a graduate assistant at Kent State, where he earned a master's in education... head coach at Maumee (OH) High School in 1967-68... then served as an assistant at Adrian (MI) College from 1969-72... named head coach at Adrian in 1973 and athletic director in 1977... his last three teams at Adrian were 23-3-1 including a 9-0 1980 season... Tom and his wife, Rose, have a daughter, Kimberly (24), and a son Tom (20).

TIM RUSKELL

College Scout

Enters second season on Buc scouting staff... director of football operations for the Tampa Bay Bandits before joining Bucs... joined Bandits as director of scouting in December, 1984 after three years with Saskatchewan Roughriders of CFL... scout in Canada during 1982 and promoted to assistant general manager in 1983... born October 20, 1956 in Yokahama, Japan, where his father was a colonel in the army... father retired to Tampa, where Tim graduated from King High School in 1974 and went on to earn a degree in broadcasting from South Florida in 1978... worked as a researcher in Bucs scouting department while at South Florida... has also worked as a disc jockey with a continuing interest in jazz.

RUSTON WEBSTER

College Scout

Enters his initial season with the Buccaneers after spending the past three seasons as an assistant coach and graduate assistant on the collegiate level... will have scouting responsibilities in the Northeast section of the country... prior to accepting post with Bucs was tight end and strong safety coach at Tulsa... spent the '86 season as a graduate assistant for Coach Ray Perkins at Alabama working directly under defensive line coach and current Buc assistant Mike DuBose... graduate assistant in '85 at SW Louisiana... an '85 Ole Miss graduate he received his degree in health, physical education and recreation... coached at Horn Lake High School as a senior at Mississippi... graduate of Madison Academy in Madison, MS... wife's name is Gayle.

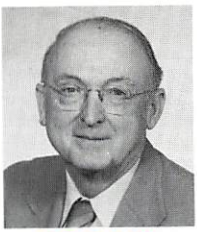
STAFF

WARD HOLLAND — Secretary/Treasurer

Has been associated with the Buccaneers since team was organized in 1975... employed by Internal Revenue Service as Chief of the Audit Division for Florida from 1960 to 1972... received special award from President Lyndon Johnson and two special commendations from the Secretary of the Treasury for work done on special assignments... born January 7, 1917 in Collins, Georgia... attended the University of Georgia where he was a fullback on the football team and a member of the baseball and track squads... graduated at the top of his class with a 4.0 GPA... served in the Pacific Theatre during World War II where he recived the Bronze Star, retiring as a Colonel, Army General Staff... on April 23, 1988, he was inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame at the University of Georgia as a scholar-athlete... he and his wife, Deanie, have two daughters, Gaylen and Beverly, and two granddaughters, Jeannie and Rebecca.

PHIL KRUEGER — Assistant to the President

Assists Ray Perkins in administration of football operations as well as handling player contract negotiations and other special assignments... the first assistant coach hired for the Bucs in 1975... a former John McKay assistant (Southern California, 1966-70), he left head coaching position at Utah State to rejoin McKay with the Bucs... assumed current position in the spring of 1978... born October 6, 1929 in LaSalle, Illinois... graduated from Southeast Missouri State, where he was a 1950 honors graduate in English... received three letters at quarterback... earned the Bronze Star as a lieutenant in Korea... earned master's degree in English at the University of Missouri... taught and coached at various high schools in Missouri and Arizona... college coaching career began as an assistant at Long Beach City College from 1960 to 1962 (Long Beach was national junior college champion in 1960)... assistant at Utah State in 1963... head coach at Fresno State for two seasons (1964-65)... coached linebackers at Southern California (1966-70)... linebacker coach and recruiting coordinator at Illinois in 1971-72... returned to Utah State as head coach for three seasons (1973-75, 21-12 overall)... five-year record as college head coach is 31-22 (.585)... he and his wife, Kathy, have a daughter Kristi (24).



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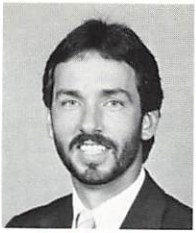

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GEN. WILLIAM E. KLEIN — Vice President/Administration

Named Vice President/Administration prior to start of last season (8/17/87) ... directs all non-football operations for the Bucs front office including tickets, public relations and marketing ... joined the Buccaneers after a prestigious and distinguished 33-year military career retiring with the rank of Major General ... prior to joining the Bucs he was Director of Operations for the United States Special Operations Command (formerly Readiness Command) at MacDill Air Force Base ... he was responsible for the readiness of the 240,000 member National Strategic Reserve of Army and Air Force combat units based in the United States ... his diverse military career has included commanding at every infantry unit level from platoon through brigade and serving at staff level at battalion, brigade, division and Department to the Army, as well as, with the U.S. Strike Command, U.S. Special Operations Command and Joint Chiefs of staff ... his duties also included budgetary and personnel assignments of major significance ... he has been manager of Fort Bragg and has supervised budgets up to $500 million ... emerged as a highly decorated officer in Vietnam (1968-69), winning the Silver Star for extraordinary heroism in combat four times, the Distinguished Flying Cross, four Bronze Stars with "V" for valor, the Purple Heart, the Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry and numerous other decorations ... he also received the nation's highest award for service, the Defense Distinguished Service Medal and the Army's highest award, the Distinguished Service Medal ... he is a 1954 graduate of West Point ... a native of Clarksdale, MS ... he and his wife, Lynsey, have five children, Katherine (Finelli), married to an Army Captain teaching at West Point, Sara (Ward), married to a San Antonio businessman, Will, an engineering student at UT-San Antonio, Richard, a West Point graduate serving in Germany as an artillery lieutenant, and Kelly, a Citadel graduate who will join the Army as an artillary lieutenant in October.

TERRY WOOTEN — Director of Ticket Operations

Enters sixth year as director of ticket operations being named in July of 1983 after five years in Buc ticket office ... born May 1, 1955 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania ... graduated from Jefferson High School in Tampa where he was an all-county baseball pitcher as a junior (injured as a senior) ... played baseball at Florida (Junior) College and St. Bernard's College in Cullman, Alabama ... all-district and all-conference as a senior at St. Bernard's with 9-2 record and a 1.29 ERA ... graduated with a degree in biology ... member of the board of directors for the Tampa chapter of United Cerebral Palsy ... joined the Bucs in 1977 ... holds Florida real estate license ... has a daughter, Lindsey (5) and son, Brock (2).

FRED DOREMUS — Director of Marketing & Advertising

Enters his second season with the Bucs after three years with USFL teams and two before that as assistant director of public relations with the Chicago Bears... duties with Bucs include ad and sponsorship sales as well as sky box suite sales... born July 22, 1955 in Tulsa, OK... graduate of Deerfield (IL) High School and DePauw University, where he earned a degree in psychology in 1977... spent 1977-78 as an account executive with two Indiana radio stations... then served in marketing capacity with Carnation Foods and Cytozyme Laboratories through July, 1980... Director of Development for John Doremus, Inc, where he marketed his father's radio show from 1980-82... joined the Chicago Bears in 1982... Assistant to the General Manager of the Chicago Blitz in 1984 before joining the Orlando Renegades as Director of Public Relations... wife's name is Nancy.

EDWARD EASOM — Comptroller

Joined the Buccaneers as comptroller in January, 1982 with responsibilities for the daily financial dealing of the organization... born October 19, 1932 at Iron City, Georgia, his family moved to Tampa shortly thereafter... attended Hillsborough High School... 27 years of military service... graduated from Campbell College in North Carolina while in the Army... spent most of final 15 years in the service as an officer in military intelligence... retired with the rank of major in September, 1977... since returning to Tampa he was a construction superintendent and staff accountant at a savings and loan, prior to joining the Bucs... he and his wife, Monica, have a son, Eddie (21).

RICK ODIOSO — Director of Public Relations

Enters his fifth season as director of public relations... served as assistant director for six seasons beginning in 1978... born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania on May 12, 1954... graduated from Oak Hills High School in Cincinnati in 1972 and the University of Notre Dame in 1976 (majored in communications and American studies), where he worked as a student assistant under Roger Valdiserri... worked part-time as a reporter for the Cincinnati **Enquirer** while attending the University of Cincinnati Law School... he and his wife, Vicki, have two daughters, Marin (11/20/85) and Rachel (12/23/86).



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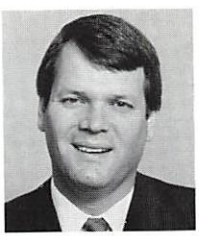

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THE PLAYERS

(Veterans and Draft Choices; free agents sketched on page 91)

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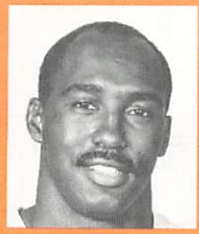

Born: March 2, 1960, Atlanta, GA
Residence: Lithonia, GA
College: Clemson
High School: Avondale Estates (Decatur, GA)
NFL Year: 6 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by New Orleans in the 3rd round, 1983
Buc Acquisition: Acquired from Atlanta for a 1988 6th round draft choice on September 8, 1987.

PRO: Spent three seasons in Atlanta as a valuable backup to William Andrews and Gerald Riggs... traded to Tampa Bay on 9/8/87 and started opening two games for Bucs before knee injury curtailed his season... acquired by the Falcons from New Orleans as a free agent in '84 after spending one season with the Saints... the 66th player chosen overall in the '83 draft... **1987:** Played in just three games (two starts) in '87 for Tampa Bay... opened the season at running back vs. Atlanta (9/13) and scored one-yard TD against former teammates... caught career-high four passes at Chicago (9/20)... injured knee during practice during week prior to Bears rematch (10/25) in Tampa... saw limited duty at Green Bay (11/1) and placed on injured reserve... **1986:** Had first NFL start in season opener at New Orleans (9/7) for injured Gerald Riggs and finished day with 104 yards rushing and one TD... also had 71 yards at Tampa Bay (9/28) and 22-yard run to set up win in overtime... **1985:** Led Falcons in kickoff returns with 838 yards (21.5 avg.)... had 94-yard TD kickoff return vs. New Orleans (10/20)... **1984:** Waived by Saints at the end of preseason... played in 15 games with Atlanta as a backup running back and kick returner... **1983:** Played in 11 games with New Orleans... missed first five weeks of season on injured reserve.

COLLEGE: An All-ACC selection as a senior in '82 at Clemson and shared conference rushing honors with Kelvin Bryant (1,064 yards)... led the Tigers in rushing as a junior (824) yards and a senior... finished career with 2,139 yards, a 5.1 average and 27 touchdowns... majored in administrative management.

PERSONAL: A prep standout at Avondale Estates High School in Decatur, GA... rushed for 1,668 yards as a junior and averaged over 100 yards a game as a senior... enjoys basketball and movies during his spare time... lives in Lithonia, GA, with his wife, Portia, and daughter, Kia (4).

CAREER STATISTICS

				Rushing					Receiving				
Year	Team	G	(Starts)	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD
1983	New Orleans	11	(0)	4	16	4.0	5	0	2	25	12.5	23	0
1984	Atlanta	14	(0)	4	7	1.8	3	0	0	0	—	—	—
1985	Atlanta	14	(0)	20	110	5.5	17	0	1	21	21.0	21	0
1986	Atlanta	15	(1)	62	280	4.5	22	1	3	39	13.0	21	0
1987	Tampa Bay	3	(2)	19	32	1.7	8	1	5	51	10.2	20	0
TOTALS		57	(3)	109	445	4.1	22	2	11	136	12.4	23	0

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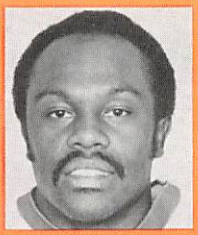


Born: June 4, 1962, Miami, FL
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: Miami (FL)
High School: Coral Gables (FL)
NFL Year: 4 Buc Year: 1
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Buffalo in the third round, 1984
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent June 3, 1988

PRO: Missed the '87 season after being waived by Buffalo on 9/1/87... mainly used as a nickel back during his three-season career with the Bills... has four career interceptions along with 91 career tackles... signed by the Bucs on 6/3/88... waived by Buffalo on 9/1/87 and did not play in '87... acquired by Buffalo in pick from Cleveland for Tom Cousineau in '82 deal with Browns... **1986:** Played in 16 games and started nine games at left cornerback... ranked ninth on the team with a career-high 58 tackles and had one interception vs. Pittsburgh (10/9)... had two fumble recoveries, including a 15-yard TD recovery vs. Indianapolis (10/19)... best day as a pro vs. Steelers (10/9) with career-high 10 tackles and a pass interception... **1985:** Played in all 16 games at backup at both cornerback spots... finished the season with 15 tackles and a career-high two interceptions... had 41-yard interception return vs. Colts (10/20)... **1984:** Started first two games as a rookie before going on injured reserve with a fractured cervical vertebrae which he suffered against St. Louis in week two... spent six weeks on IR... played in 10 games and finished with 18 tackles and one interception vs. Miami (10/28)... **GAMES (STARTS):** 42(11); 1984 - 10(2); 1985 - 16(0); 1986 - 16(9).

COLLEGE: A four-year letterwinner at Miami (FL) and a two-year starter at cornerback... key defensive performer on Miami's '83 national title team... finished with career five interceptions and 119 tackles... last player given scholarship by Miami in '80 after writing an emotional letter to Howard Schellenberger explaining desire to be a part of the Hurricane football program... majored in sociology.

PERSONAL: A second-team all-state and first-team **Miami Herald** and **Miami News** All-Dade County as a senior at Coral Gables High School in Coral Gables, FL... hobbies include basketball and bowling... helped a Miami-area Boys Club with the purchase of equipment for its football league... married, he and his wife, Bebe, have two sons, Rodney Jr. (3) and Rashaad Jammel (2)... given name is Rodney Carnell Bellinger.

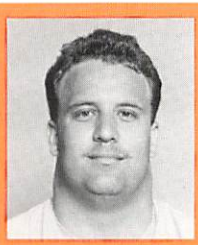
CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Int.	Fumbles Fcd./Rec.	Kickoff Returns No.	Yds.	Avg.
1984	Buffalo	10	(2)	18	1- 0	1/0	0	—	—
1985	Buffalo	16	(0)	15	2-64	0/1	0	—	—
1986	Buffalo	16	(9)	58	1-14	1/2	2	32	16.0
TOTALS		42	(11)	91	4-78	2/3	2	32	16.0

CAREER HIGHS

TACKLES	INTERCEPTIONS
10 vs. Pgh. 11/9/86	1 three Times

JOHN BRUHIN
OG • 6-3 • 280 • #69

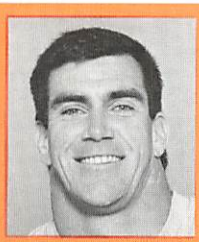


Born: December 9, 1964, Knoxville, TN
Residence: Knoxville, TN
College: Tennessee
High School: Powell (Knoxville, TN)
NFL Year: Rookie
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the fourth round, with pick acquired from Kansas City for Steve DeBerg, 1988

COLLEGE: A three-year starter at offensive guard at Tennessee... good pass blocker as well as run blocker... played in four bowls as a Vol (Sun, Sugar, Liberty and Peach)... formed top guard tandem with Miami Dolphins eighth round draft choice Harry Galbreath... **1987:** Helped lead a Vol rushing attack last season that averaged 221 yards per game and scored 36 touchdowns... Vol offense set a school record 578 yards in total offense in 55-13 win over over Ole Miss in '87... Tennessee also rushed for 368 yards in that game... **1986:** Overcame early season knee problems and produced a solid junior campaign, starting every game at right guard... helped lead team to a season-high 250 yards rushing vs. Texas-El Paso... **1985:** Moved into starting right guard spot and started 10 games... injured knee vs. Auburn and missed one contest... helped Tennessee to an overwhelming 35-7 win over national title contender Miami in the '86 Sugar Bowl... the Vols' 35 points were the most scored by Tennessee in a bowl game... **1984:** A backup to All-America Bill Mayo... played in three games... **1983:** Redshirted as a freshman tackle... moved to guard during spring drills following the '83 season... one course shy of degree in criminal justice... **Draft Position:** Second of three fourth round picks by the Bucs and the 86th player chosen overall in the '88 draft.

PERSONAL: An all-state and All-South offensive and defensive tackle at Powell High School in Knoxville, TN... listed as the second top prospect in the state by the **Knoxville News-Sentinel**... an accomplished racquetball player (has a Class B ranking) and often competes in tournaments with professional players... other interests include trout fishing and grouse hunting... married, he and his wife, Beth, have one son, Zane (2)... last name pronounced like the Boston hockey team... given name is John Glenn Bruhin.

JOHN CANNON
DE • 6-5 • 260 • #78



Born: July 30, 1960, Long Branch, NJ
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: William & Mary
High School: Holmdel (NJ)
NFL Year: 7 Buc Year: 7
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the third round, 1982

PRO: Returned to starting lineup in '87 after missing eight games of the '86 season with broken leg... has started last 51 consecutive games in which he has appeared... besides missing eight games in '86, missed one game in '87 due to bruised ribs... his 17 career sacks stands fourth on Buc all-time sack list and the leader among all left ends in Buc history... has been the Buc regular at left end since the '83 season... **1987:** Finished the year with 21 QB pressures which was best mark on team

and also had team-high three fumbles caused . . . two of those caused fumbles came on the same play at Green Bay (11/1) . . . had season-high seven tackle performances at Chicago (9/20) and vs. Detroit (12/13) . . . finished the year with 38 tackles and was second on the team with four tackles for loss . . . missed the New Orleans (12/6) game with bruised ribs . . . **1986:** Season was cut short with fractured fibula injured in fourth game . . . still started three games following injury . . . placed on injured reserve but returned to start final two games . . . **1985:** Had his best season as a pro with career high 72 tackles, 4½ sacks and three fumble recoveries . . . was second leading sacker and led team with 26 QB pressures . . . **1984:** Started all 16 games for the first time in his career . . . had 3½ sacks with two coming in final game vs. Jets (12/16) . . . also had career-best 30 QB pressures . . . had his only career interception at Green Bay (12/2) . . . **1983:** Won starting end job in his second year with the Bucs . . . came up with career-best five sacks in 14 games with 11 starts . . . had career-high eight tackles at Pittsburgh . . . **1982:** Played in nine games as a rookie after preseason hamstring injury . . . had two tackles in Dallas playoff game . . . last pick of the third round (83rd overall) with choice obtained from Chargers for David Lewis . . . **GAMES (STARTS):** 74(62); 1982 - 9(0); 1983 - 14(11); 1984 - 16(16); 1985 - 16(16); 1986 - 8(8); 1987 - 11(11).

COLLEGE: Tore knee ligaments during senior year vs. VMI after coming up with 11 tackles vs. Temple and 12 vs. Miami (Ohio) in opening two games earning W&M's Defensive Player of the Game Award . . . sat out two games and returned only to reinjure knee which required surgery . . . finished '81 season with 50 tackles . . . career totals: 218 tackles, eight sacks and 11 tackles for losses . . . a three-year starter at W&M and Defensive Player of the Year in '80 posting 114-tackles and five-sacks . . . graduated with a degree in business.

PERSONAL: Graduated second in high school class at Holmdel (NJ) . . . a lifeguard on the Jersey Shore during college summers saving the life of a 12-year-old girl in '81 . . . holds a real estate license and works for Griffin Realty in Tampa . . . partner in Pilgrim Pathway Developers Corp which develops property in South Tampa . . . 1987 Buc nominee for NFLPA Byron "Whizzer" White Humanitarian Award based on contributions to team, community and country . . . William and Mary weight room named after him in '86 . . . enjoys boating, scuba diving and foosball . . . active in community charities serving on Board of Directors of the United Cerebral Palsy Tampa Chapter, chairman for Toys for Tots program, supportive of Special Olympics and a member of Pro Athletes for Christ . . . given name is John Raymond Cannon.

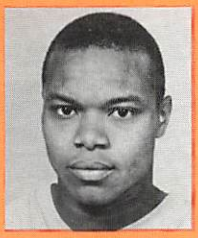
CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	(Starts)	Tackles	Sacks	QB Pressures	Fumbles Csd./Rec.
1982	9	(0)	1	0	1	0/0
1983	14	(11)	53	5	16	2/1
1984	16	(16)	57	3½	30	0/1
1985	16	(16)	72	4½	26	0/3
1986	8	(8)	29	2	13	1/2
1987	11	(11)	38	2	21	3/1
TOTALS	74	(62)	250	17	107	6/8

CAREER HIGHS

TACKLES	SACKS
8 at Pittsburgh 10/30/83	2 vs. NY Jets 12/16/84

MARK CARRIER
WR • 6-0 • 185 • #88



Born: October 28, 1965, Lafayette, LA
Residence: Church Point, LA
College: Nicholls State
High School: Church Point (LA)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the third round, 1987

PRO: Named to the UPI 1987 NFL all-rookie team following productive rookie campaign... finished third in the NFL and second in the NFC among rookie wide receivers with his 26 catches... his 423 yards in receptions was second in the NFL and first in the NFC among rookie wide receivers... owns Buc record for yards gained receiving in a single-game with 212 yards at New Orleans (12/6) on eight catches... caught six passes in his NFL debut vs. Atlanta (9/27) for 50 yards including a two-yard touchdown reception... also had touchdown grabs of five yards at St. Louis (11/8) and 37 yards at New Orleans (12/6)... 57th overall pick in '87 draft... **GAMES (STARTS):** 10(5).

COLLEGE: Division 1-AA All-America following senior season after leading the nation with 17 touchdown catches... finished his career at Nicholls State as the school's all-time leader with 132 catches for 2,407 yards (18.2 avg.)... also named to All-Gulf Star Conference first-team after posting 63 catches for 1,211 yards (19.2 avg.) as a senior... added 15 receptions for 302 yards in NCAA Division 1-AA national playoffs... had three games with over 150 yards in receptions in final year, including a season-best 167-yard effort and two three-touchdown games... caught 43 passes as a junior (758 yds.) and a second team all-conference selection... punt and kick returner with punt returns of 55 and 90 yards for touchdowns and 67-yard kick return for a score during his career... returned to school this offseason continuing work on his degree requirements in electrical engineering technology.

PERSONAL: Standout three-sport prep athlete at Church Point (La.) High School in football, basketball and track... all-state and all-conference as a senior... averaged 22 points a game as a senior in basketball ... avid dominoes player... spent college summers as a counselor to low-income high school students... during past offseason spent free time going to elementary schools in southern Louisiana speaking to children... given name is John Mark Carrier.

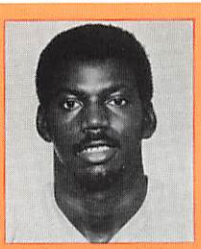
CAREER STATISTICS

				Receiving				
Year	Team	G	(Starts)	No.	Yards	Avg.	Lg.	TD
1987	Tampa Bay	10	5	26	423	16.3	38	3

CAREER HIGHS

RECEIVING			
No.	Yds.	Lg.	TD
8 at N.O. 12/6/87	212 at N.O. 12/6/87	38 at N.O. 12/6/87	1 at Atl. 9/27/87 1 at St.L. 11/8/87 1 at N.O. 12/6/87

GERALD CARTER
WR • 6-1 • 190 • #87



Born: June 19, 1957, Bryan, TX
Residence: Bryan, TX
College: Texas A&M
High School: Bryan (TX)
NFL Year: 9 Buc Year: 9
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the ninth round, 1980

PRO: Stands fourth on the Buccaneer all-time receiving list with 239 career catches and fourth on the all-time Buc career yards list with 3,443 receiving yards...one of four Bucs to surpass 3,000-career reception yards...owns four 100-yard receiving days during his career...17 career touchdown receptions rank second among Buc wide receivers behind Kevin House's 31 TD catches...stands eighth on the Buccaneer all-time scoring list with 102 points and fifth in touchdowns...one of 12 players to play 100 games with the Bucs...durable and reliable, he has missed only one game due to injury in eight NFL seasons (12/13/86 vs. St. Louis, dislocated finger)...**1987:** Led Buccaneers with 586 receiving yards...15.4 average per catch was highest of career (3rd consecutive season his average per catch has increased)...finished 19th in the NFC in receptions and 17th in yards...vs. Falcons (9/13) in season opener was first time in his career to catch two TD passes in a single-game...caught season-high 116 yards (5 catches) vs. St. Louis (12/20)...his 57-yard reception vs. San Francisco (11/22) was second longest catch of his career...had 22 consecutive games catching a pass end in season finale at Indianapolis (12/27) after injuring shoulder early in game...**1986:** Led team in receiving with 640 yards on 42 receptions...had five catches of 30 yards or more with three over 40 yards...season-long was 46 yards at Green Bay (11/16) finishing with 143 yards (7 catches)...surpassed 200-catch milestone against Green Bay (12/14)...fourth straight season catching 40 passes or more...**1985:** Surpassed 2,000-career yard milestone in '85...third on team with 557 yards...eerie TD catch vs. LA Rams catching a 13-yarder on October 13, which was his 13th catch of the year, Steve DeBerg's 13th completion of the game coming at the 13:13 mark of the game...**1984:** Career-highs in catches (60), yards (816) and touchdowns (5)...also had career-high 74 yard touchdown grab at Chicago (9/2), career-high 10 catches vs. Chicago (10/21) and career-high 166 yards at San Francisco (11/18)...voted as alternate to NFC Pro Bowl team...**1983:** First year as a starter responding with 48 catches for 694 yards compared to 11 catches for 150 yards in previous three seasons...56-yard TD catch vs. Dallas (10/9) was first of his career...**1982:** Used as a third wide receiver seeing action in all nine games coming up with 10 catches...**1981:** Had one catch for 10 yards playing in all 16 games...**1980:** Waived by the Bucs (8/25) in final cut and claimed by N.Y. Jets playing three games before being waived (11/8)...re-signed by Bucs (12/12) for final two games but did not see any action...**GAMES (STARTS):** NFL - 103(61); Bucs - 100(61); 1980 - 3(0); 1981 - 16(0); 1982 - 9(0); 1983 - 16(10); 1984 - 16(8); 1985 - 16(16); 1986 - 15(15); 1987 - 12(12).

COLLEGE: Led Texas A&M with 39 receptions and 528 yards (13.5 avg.)...named second-team All-Southwest Conference as a senior...two-year career totals of 61 catches for 900 yards (14.8 avg.) after transferring from Tyler Junior College...majored in recreation and parks.

PERSONAL: An all-district and all-state football player at Bryan (TX) High School where he was a high school teammate of Curtis Dickey...lead singer of the young adult choir at the Galilee Baptist Church in Bryan... one of 10 children...he and his wife, Ann, have three children, daughters Anetra (12) and Angela (8) and a son, Gerard (3).

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	G	(Starts)	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	TD
1980	N.Y. Jets-	3	(0)	0	0	.0	—	—
	Tampa Bay	0	(0)	0	0	.0	—	—
1981	Tampa Bay	16	(0)	1	10	10.0	10	0
1982	Tampa Bay	9	(0)	10	140	14.0	27	0
1983	Tampa Bay	16	(10)	48	694	14.5	56t	2
1984	Tampa Bay	16	(8)	60	816	13.6	74t	5
1985	Tampa Bay	16	(16)	40	557	13.9	29	3
1986	Tampa Bay	15	(15)	42	640	15.2	46	2
1987	Tampa Bay	12	(12)	38	586	15.4	57	5
TOTALS		103	(61)	239	3,443	14.4	74t	17

CAREER HIGHS

RECEIVING			
No.	Yds.	Lg.	TD
10 vs. Chicago 10/21/84	166 vs. S. F. 11/18/84	74 at Chicago 9/2/84	2 vs. Atl. 9/13/87

Additional Statistics: Kick Coverage Tackles: 1981—7. Rushing (4-24): 1983—1-0; 1984—1-16; 1985—1-13; 1986—1-(-5). Kick Returns: 1980—1-12 (Jets).

Postseason Statistics: 1981—1 game; 1982—1 game.

MARK COOPER

OT • 6-5 • 280 • #71



Born: February 14, 1960, Miami, FL
Residence: Aurora, CO
College: Miami (FL)
High School: Killian (Miami, FL)
NFL Year: 6 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Denver in second round, 1983
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent on November 17, 1987

PRO: Signed as a free agent with the Buccaneers on 11/17/87 after being waived by Denver on 11/10/87... Bronco starter in '86 AFC title clash at guard against Cleveland and starter in Super Bowl XXI against the New York Giants... has seen action at both guard and tackle during his career... primarily a guard in Denver, he finished '87 campaign as Buc left tackle starter... has missed games in each of his five seasons as a result of injuries... **1987:** Started final two games of the season at left tackle vs. St. Louis (12/20) and at Indianapolis (12/27) after spending two previous games as a backup... played in five games with Denver... **1986:** Spent six weeks on injured reserve (sprained arch) and missed two other games (shoulder strain) during injury plagued season after opening the year as Denver's starting right guard... started four games during regular

season besides starting AFC title game and Super Bowl XXI... **1985:** Played in 15 games at both guard and tackle starting twice after missing season opener with a sprained knee... recorded only pass reception (13 yards) of his career in season finale vs. Seattle (12/20)... **1984:** Played in 15 games missing last game of season with an ankle injury... **1983:** Played in 10 games and started four missing six games with ankle injury suffered in season opener at Pittsburgh... **GAMES (STARTS):** 57(14); Buc 4 (2) - 1983 - 10(2); 1984 - 15(4); 1985 - 15(2); 1986 - 8(4); 1987 - 9(2).

COLLEGE: An All-South Independent second-team choice as a senior and a four-year letterwinner at Miami... played in East-West Shrine Game and Senior Bowl following senior campaign... began career at tight end catching 19 passes for 214 yards before moving to interior line in final game as a junior... has a degree in communications.

PERSONAL: A prep All-America in high school... enjoys hunting, fishing and scuba diving... co-owner of a scuba diving operation on South Carlos in the British West Indies... an avid horseman, he personally constructed a barn on his Aurora (CO) property as a 1985 off-season project... given name is Mark Samuel Cooper.

RAY CRISWELL

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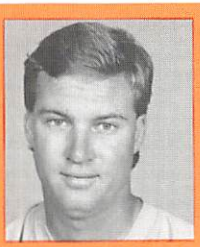


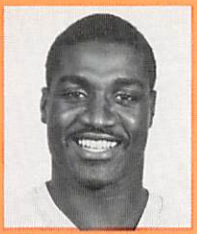
Born: August 16, 1963, Lake City, FL
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: Florida
High School: Orange Park (FL)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Philadelphia in the fifth round, 1986
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent, 1988

PRO: Drafted by Philadelphia in the fifth round in 1986 and later waived by the Eagles during preseason... signed as a free agent with the Raiders in '87 and subsequently was waived during preseason... signed with Tampa Bay as a free agent in September in '87 and punted for the Bucs during all three replacement games... waived following replacement games and re-signed during this past offseason... had 26 punts for a 40.2 yard average during three replacement games... also had three punts land inside the 20 yard line... longest punt of season was a 61-yarder vs. San Diego (10/11)... punted eight or more times in each game... season-best 43.6 yard average vs. San Diego (10/11/88)... the 122nd player chosen in the '86 draft... **GAMES (STARTS):** 3(0).

COLLEGE: Only punter in Florida history to lead Gators in punting four straight seasons ('82-85)... ranks as Florida's leading punter with a 44.4 yard career average... also stands as the Gators' single-season punting leader with a 47.4 yard average (30 att. for 1,421 yards) as a sophomore in '83... ranks second on the all-time attempt chart with 161 punts... holds single-game yardage mark with 424 yards on nine attempts vs. Auburn in '85... owns two of the four longest punts in Gator history (73 and 70 vs. LSU in '82)... had 47 punts over 50 yards during his career... career-high single game average of 52.9-yards on five punts vs. SW Louisiana... punted for 7,153 yards during his career... one semester remaining for his degree in recreation.

PERSONAL: A quarterback and punter at Orange Park High School in Orange Park, FL... averaged 47.7-yards a punt as a senior and 44.0-yards a punt as a junior... selected all-state following both seasons... was picked on state's "Super 24" team as a senior... coached by his father, Wink Criswell... interests include golf, racquetball and water skiing... has been active with Special Olympics... given name is Ray Alan Criswell.

JEFF DAVIS
LB • 6-0 • 230 • #58



Born: January 26, 1960, Greensboro, NC
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: Clemson
High School: Dudley (Greensboro, NC)
NFL Year: 7 Buc Year: 7
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the fifth round, 1982

PRO: Enters the '88 season third on the Bucs' all-time tackle list with 662 career stops trailing Richard Wood (851) and Lee Roy Selmon (742)...has led the Buccaneers in tackles in three of the past four seasons, recording over 100 tackles in four of the past five seasons...owns Buc regular season single-game tackle record with 18 stops (vs. Cardinals on 10/16/83) and has 30 double-figure tackle games...leads active Bucs with 11 fumbles caused during career (4th on Buc career list, 2nd to Hugh Green (13) among linebackers) has started 72 of his last 75 games and 58 of last 59...**1987:** Had three-year streak of leading Bucs in tackles snapped, finishing second to Ervin Randle (108) on the team with 70 tackles...tied for team lead in tackles for losses with five and fumble recoveries with two...started season off well with 10 tackle effort vs. Bears (9/20) but injuries slowed him down following strike...injured ankle in Bears rematch (10/25) and missed game following week at Green Bay (11/1) snapping 53 game starting streak dating back to '83 season...missed start vs. Minnesota (11/15) with injured hamstring...came on strong at end of season with 38 tackles in last four games including season-high 11 tackles vs. Detroit (12/13)...**1986:** Led team with 136 tackles...had six double-figure tackle games, including season-high 14 tackles at New Orleans (10/19)...also led team with six fumbles caused...had one fumble recovery and one interception in win at Detroit (9/21)...**1985:** Led team in tackles with 132, starting all 16 games...four double-figure tackle games, including season-high 14 tackles at NY Jets (11/17)...had 22-yard interception return vs. Cardinals (11/22), only return among three career INTs...**1984:** Career-high 165 tackles, which is fourth highest single-season Buc total...had season-high 14 tackles at Chicago (9/2)...first INT of career at Kansas City (10/28)...finished with 13 double-figure tackle games in 16 starts...**1983:** Had 13 tackles in first start vs. Lions (9/4), six double-figure tackle games...finished second on team with 137 tackles...career-high 18 tackles vs. St. Louis (10/16) tying Richard Wood's mark set in Ram '79 title game...had 16 tackles vs. Chicago (11/20) and finished year with six double-figure tackle games...**1982:** Had 22 tackles playing in all nine games...tied for team lead with 10 kick coverage tackles...interception return for a score in preseason opener vs. Philadelphia...**GAMES (STARTS):** 83(72); 1982 - 9(0); 1983 - 15(14); 1984 - 16(16); 1985 - 16(16); 1986 - 16(16); 1987 - 11(10).

COLLEGE: First-team All-America choice by UPI, Football Coaches, Football Writers and **Football News** on Clemson's '81 national title team...only third defensive player in ACC history to be named conference MVP...'82 Orange Bowl MVP with 14 tackles against Nebraska...led Tigers in tackles as a junior (160) and senior (175) and stands second on all-time list with 469...double-figure tackles in final 21 games and had 31 during career, including three 20-tackle games averaging over 13 tackles a game in 35 starts...school record 24 tackles vs. North Carolina as a junior...caused four fumbles and recovered eight and had four interceptions...'81 All-America strength team...member of all-time Clemson football team placing second to Terry Kinard in overall voting...has a degree in industrial management in '84.

PERSONAL: Prep standout in football, basketball and track at Dudley High School in native Greensboro, NC...returned to Clemson during offseason completing degree requirements in '84...nicknamed "The Judge" as in Judge (sig Judd) for the Defense at Clemson...active in Big Brothers/Big Sisters and Pro Athletes For Christ...he and his wife, Joani has ownership interest in Uniglobe Travel Agency in Tampa...they have two daughters, Jenee (4) and Jordan (2)...given name is Jeffery Eugene Davis.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	(Starts)	Tackles	Tackles For Loss	Int.	Passes Def.	Fumbles Csd./Rec.
1982	9	(0)	22	0	0	0	0/1
1983	15	(14)	137	6	0	3	1/0
1984	16	(16)	165	8	1	5	1/1
1985	16	(16)	132	6	1	5	2/2
1986	16	(16)	136	1	1	3	6/1
1987	11	(10)	70	5	0	5	1/2
TOTALS	83	(72)	662	26	3	21	11/7

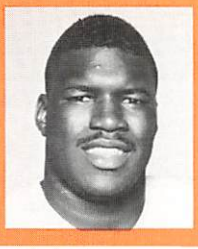
CAREER HIGHS

TACKLES

18 vs. St. Louis 10/16/83
16 vs. Chicago 11/20/83
14 at New Orleans 10/19/86
14 at NY Jets 11/17/85
14 at Chicago 9/2/84

Additional Statistics: Sacks (4): 1983 - 1½; 1985 - 2½. QB Pressures (7): 1983 - 1; 1984 - 1; 1985 - 5. Kick Coverage Tackles (15): 1982 - 10; 1983 - 4; 1984 - 1.

REUBEN DAVIS
DL • 6-4 • 290 • #79

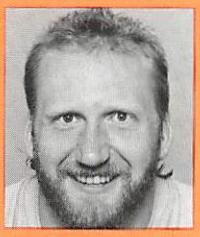


Born: May 7, 1965, Greensboro, NC
Residence: Greensboro, NC
College: North Carolina
High School: Grimsley (Greensboro, NC)
NFL Year: Rookie
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the ninth round, 1988

COLLEGE: A four-starter at North Carolina, he earned All-ACC first-team honors as a sophomore...bothered by neck problems as a junior but bounced back to have fine junior and senior campaigns...finished career with 35 quarterback pressures and 6½ sacks...**1987:** Finished season with 69 tackles and a career-high three sacks as a senior...also had 11 tackles for 35 yards in losses...season-high 13 tackles vs. Auburn...**1986:** Injured neck during preseason but bounced back to record 74 tackles...had four tackles for losses...had season-high 13 tackles and three tackles for losses vs. North Carolina State...**1985:** A first-team All-ACC choice following outstanding sophomore campaign...voted team's most valuable defensive player...finished with 99 tackles and career-high 14 QB pressures...**1984:** Started every game as a redshirt freshman and finished with a career-high 131 tackles...also had 2½ sacks and eight QB pressures...had career-high 21 tackles vs. Virginia...**1983:** Redshirted as a freshman...graduated with a degree in journalism and mass communications...**Draft Position:** The 225th player chosen overall in the '88 draft.

PERSONAL: An all-conference, all-metro and all-state selection as a two-way tackle and fullback at Grimsley High School in Greensboro, NC...picked by **The Roanoke Times & World News** as one of the top five players in the state...captain of 1982 East-West Shrine Game...also lettered in track, winning the state discus title as a junior...interests include collecting sports history photos and posters...also enjoys electronics, putting together stereo, VCR equipment and sound equipment...was a campus disc jockey during college days...given name is Reuben Cordell Davis.

RANDY EDWARDS
DL • 6-2 • 265 • #96



Born: March 9, 1961, Atlanta, GA
Residence: Redmond, WA
College: Alabama
High School: Wheeler (Atlanta, GA)
NFL Year: 5 Buc Year: 1
NFL Acquisition: Signed by Seattle as a free agent, 1984
Buc Acquisition: Acquired from Seattle for Ron Heller on 5/4/88 and a conditional 1989 draft choice.

PRO: Traded to Tampa Bay on 5/4/88 for OT Ron Heller...(Bucs also received a conditional draft choice in the '89 draft)...used primarily as Seattle's fourth lineman in passing situations...has 16 career sacks, including a career-high 10½ sacks in '85...signed with Seattle as a free agent in '84...played in one playoff game in '84...**1987:** Played in seven games as a reserve nose tackle...missed final five games of the season on injured reserve with a back injury...**1986:** Played in 16 games and started four...finished season with 25 tackles and four sacks...first pro start at Cincinnati (11/16)...**1985:** Had best season of his career with 40 tackles and 10½

sacks... was seventh in the AFC in sacks... had two or more sacks in three games, including career-high 2½ sacks at NY Jets (10/27) and career-high seven tackles... **1984:** Played in 13 games and had six tackles... had one sack vs. Detroit (12/2)... **GAMES (STARTS):** 52(4); 1984 - 13(0); 1985 - 16(0); 1986 - 16(4); 1987 - 7(0).

COLLEGE: A four-year letterwinner and three-year starter at Alabama... captained team as a senior for Ray Perkins... led all defensive lineman in tackles as a senior with 69 and as a junior with 67 tackles... had 45 tackles as a sophomore and 15 as a freshman... redshirted as freshman after contracting a rare kidney ailment... career thought to be over after dropping from 240 pounds to 208... selected the outstanding student-athlete of the College of Commerce and Business Administration as a senior in '83... graduated with a degree in business management.

PERSONAL: A prep standout at Wheeler High School in Atlanta, GA... voted Atlanta's top field performer in track for his shot and discus efforts... spent this past off-season working on a combination master's degree in business and juris doctors degree at the University of Washington... interests include fishing... married, his wife's name is Lynn.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Sacks	Fumbles Fcd./Rec.
1984	Seattle	13	(0)	6	1½	0/0
1985	Seattle	16	(0)	40	10½	2/1
1986	Seattle	16	(4)	25	4	0/0
1987	Seattle	7	(0)	0	0	0/0
TOTALS		52	(4)	71	16	2/1

CAREER HIGHS

TACKLES	SACKS
7 at Jets 10/27/85	2½ at Jets 10/27/85

JAMES EVANS

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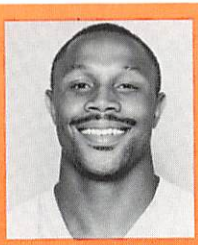


Born: August 17, 1963, Prichard, AL
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: Southern
High School: Blount (Mobile, AL)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Kansas City in 10th round, 1987
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent, December 4, 1987

PRO: Signed as a free agent with the Buccaneers on 12/4/87 after being waived by Kansas City on 12/2/87... did not see any playing time during his stint with the Chiefs... had solid preseason with Chiefs rushing for 155 yards (6.2 avg.) and three catches for 18 yards... on Bucs' inactive roster at New Orleans (12/6) and vs. Detroit (12/13) making his debut in the season's finale at Indianapolis (12/27)... did not have any carries for the Bucs... **GAMES (STARTS):** 1(0).

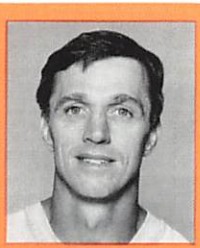
COLLEGE: Highly regarded runner in the Southwestern Athletic Conference during his senior year... gained 681 yards (6.3 avg./rush) and caught 14 passes earning honorable mention all-conference honors... scored five rushing touchdowns and one receiving,

EVANS (cont.)

including career-high 81-yard run vs. Texas Southern... also a career-high 151 yards in that game... rushed for 1,051 career yards and caught 28 passes for 242 yards... also had 13 career TDs (12 rushing, 1 receiving).

PERSONAL: Attended Blount High School in Mobile, Ala.... was city player of the year as a running back and also was a standout track and basketball player... is 17th child in family of 21... active in community making numerous offseason speaking engagements to elementary and high schools in the Tampa Bay area... made public service announcement video on his "A to Z" talk to kids... married on March 5, 1988, wife's name is Gail... given name is James Marcus Evans.

JOE FERGUSON
QB • 6-1 • 190 • #12



Born: April 23, 1950, Alvin, TX
Residence: Shreveport, LA
College: Arkansas
High School: Woodlawn (Shreveport, LA)
NFL Year: 16 Buc Year: 1
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by the Buffalo Bills in the third round, 1973
Buc Acquisition: Acquired from Indianapolis for a 12th round draft choice in 1989 on April 30, 1988

PRO: Joins the Buccaneers for his 16th season as one of the NFL's all-time statistical passing leaders... ranks 12th on the all-time NFL yards passing list with 28,895 yards, 18th in touchdown passes with 190 and 11th in passes completed with 2,292... also ranks 10th with 4,375 passing attempts... holds the NFL record for fewest passes intercepted in a season with one interception in 151 attempts in '76 (also the lowest interception rate ever 0.66)... has passed for over 300 yards nine times... has passed twice for five touchdowns in a game vs. the Jets (9/23/79) and Miami (10/9/83)... the oldest active player in the NFL (38)... played 12 seasons in Buffalo, becoming a starter in his rookie season in 1973... holds all Bills' career passing records, as well as games played (168) and most seasons (12)... started every game he was healthy for but one as a Bill... started 163 of 175 possible games for Bills... led Buffalo to playoffs three times, once as AFC East champion ('80) and wild card twice ('74 and '81)... acquired by Detroit from Buffalo on draft-day in '85 for a seventh round draft choice in '86... spent three seasons in Detroit and played in 14 games with five starts... did not see any playing time in '87 for the Lions... signed as a free agent with the Colts prior to trade to Tampa Bay... 57th player selected overall in the '73 draft... **1987:** Did not take a snap during the entire '87 season... **1986:** Played in six games and started four for the Lions... finished the year with 941 yards passing and seven touchdowns... had 72-yard TD pass at Philadelphia (11/16)... passed for 230 yards at Tampa Bay (11/23) the following week and had two TD passes... season-high 256 yards vs. Green Bay (11/27) and three TD passes on Thanksgiving day... **1985:** In his first season with Detroit played in eight games and started one game... in his only start vs. Chicago (12/22) was knocked unconscious early in the game... in relief roles was 10 of 11 for 139 and one TD at Green Bay (10/6) and led Detroit to win over 49ers (10/20)... **1984:** Injuries in final season at Buffalo curtailed season... played in 12 games (11 starts) and had 107-game starting streak end vs. Jets (9/23)... finished the year with 1,991 yards passing

and 12 touchdown passes... **1983:** Started all 16 games and led AFC with 26 TD passes (a Buffalo record)... team-record 419 yards at Miami (10/9) and five TD passes... finished the year with 2,995 yards passing... **1982:** Off to best start of his career prior to strike with five TD passes and 496 yards in two games... finished season with 1,597 yards passing and seven touchdowns... **1981:** Guided Buffalo into second round of the playoffs in best season of his career... passed for career-high 3,652 yards and had 24 TD passes... led Buffalo to its first post-season win since '65 in victory over Jets in Wild Card game... passed for 268 yards and two TDs in that game... threw for 301 yards vs. Dallas (11/9)... **1980:** Led Buffalo to its only AFC East title (11/5) and most wins since the '64 AFL titled season... started all 16 games and passed for 2,895 yards and 20 TDs... **1979:** Started all 16 games... had five touchdown passing day vs. Jets (9/23)... had four 300-yard passing games with career-high 367 yards vs. Jets (9/23)... finished season with 3,572 yards passing... **1978:** Started all 16 games... had career-high completion percentage day of his career vs. Kansas City (10/1) going 15-18 for 83.3 percent... threw for 2,136 yards and 16 touchdowns... had career-high 92-yard TD pass to Frank Lewis vs. Miami (9/17)... **1977:** Started all 14 games... had season-high 339 yards vs. Detroit (10/28)... finished campaign with 2,803 yards passing... **1976:** Set NFL passing records for fewest interceptions in a season (1) in 151 attempts and lowest interception rating (0.66)... had season cut short with injury and only started seven games... **1975:** Threw scoring passes in 12 consecutive games... finished season with 25 TD tosses and 2,426 yards passing... started all 14 games... **1974:** Started all 14 games... passed for 1,588 yards and 12 touchdowns in his second season as a starter... **1973:** Started all 14 games as a rookie quarterback during O.J. Simpson's record 2,002 rushing season... passes for 939 yards during that season with four TD passes... **GAMES (STARTS):** 178(168); Buffalo - 164(163); Detroit - 14(5); 1973 - 14(14); 1974 - 14(14); 1975 - 14(14); 1976 - 7(7); 1977 - 14(14); 1978 - 16(16); 1979 - 16(16); 1980 - 16(16); 1981 - 16(16); 1982 - 9(9); 1983 - 16(16); 1984 - 12(11); 1985 - 8(1); 1986 - 6(4); 1987 - 0(0).

COLLEGE: Standout collegiate quarterback at Arkansas ('69-'72)... still holds Razorback records in passing attempts (51-31) and completions (271-160) in a game and season; most yards passing (345-2,303) in a game and season; yards gained rushing and passing (343-2,242) in a game and season; and touchdown passes (4) in a game... ranks third in Razorback history with 4,469 total yards in offense and passing with 4,431 yards... led the SWC in passing as a junior (2,203 yards), TD passes (11), percentage (.590) and in total offense (2,242 yards)... named SWC Player of the Year in '71... led Arkansas to Liberty Bowl as a senior... played in North-South Shrine Game and Hula Bowl Game following senior season... his backfield coach as a senior at Arkansas in current Tampa Bay receiver coach Richard Williamson... has a bachelor of science degree in physical education.

PERSONAL: Attended Woodlawn High School in Shreveport, LA., which also produced former Pittsburgh quarterback Terry Bradshaw... selected to the prestigious National High School Sports Hall of Fame in 1986... has done numerous public appearances on behalf of charitable organizations, especially active for charitable causes in the field of cancer and for treatment of cancer patients... has his pilot's license and owns his own single-engine Cessna... pilots to business meetings and recreation trips during the offseason... an avid hunter and fisherman and also enjoys playing golf... resides in Shreveport with his wife, Sandi, and their two children, Kristen and Joe Carlton, III... given name is Joe Carlton Ferguson, Jr.

CAREER STATISTICS

				Passing						
Year	Team	Games	(Starts)	Comp.	Att.	Pct.	Yds.	TD(%)	Int.(%)	Rating
1973	Buffalo	14	(14)	73	164	.445	939	4(2.4)	10(6.1)	45.6
1974	Buffalo	14	(14)	119	232	.513	1,588	12(5.2)	12(5.2)	69.0
1975	Buffalo	14	(14)	169	321	.526	2,426	25(7.8)	17(5.3)	81.3
1976	Buffalo	7	(7)	74	151	.490	1,086	9(6.0)	1(0.7)	90.0
1977	Buffalo	14	(14)	221	457	.484	2,803	12(2.6)	24(5.3)	54.6
1978	Buffalo	16	(16)	175	330	.530	2,136	16(4.8)	15(4.5)	70.5
1979	Buffalo	16	(16)	238	458	.520	3,572	14(3.1)	15(3.3)	74.5
1980	Buffalo	16	(16)	251	439	.572	2,805	20(4.6)	18(4.1)	74.6
1981	Buffalo	16	(16)	252	498	.506	3,652	24(4.8)	20(4.0)	74.1
1982	Buffalo	9	(9)	144	264	.545	1,597	7(2.7)	16(6.1)	56.3
1983	Buffalo	16	(16)	281	508	.553	2,995	26(5.1)	25(4.9)	69.3
1984	Buffalo	12	(11)	191	344	.555	1,991	12(3.5)	17(4.9)	63.5
1985	Detroit	8	(1)	31	54	.574	364	2(3.7)	3(5.6)	67.2
1986	Detroit	6	(4)	73	155	.471	941	7(4.5)	7(4.5)	62.9
1987	Detroit	0	(0)	0	0	—	—	—	—	—
TOTALS		178	(168)	2,292	4,375	.524	28,895	190(4.3)	200(4.6)	68.4

		Rushing				
Year	Team	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD
1973	Buffalo	48	147	3.1	24	2
1974	Buffalo	53	111	2.1	15	2
1975	Buffalo	23	82	3.6	17	1
1976	Buffalo	18	81	4.5	19	0
1977	Buffalo	41	279	6.8	41	2
1978	Buffalo	27	76	2.8	12	0
1979	Buffalo	22	68	3.1	15	1
1980	Buffalo	31	65	2.1	12	0
1981	Buffalo	20	29	1.5	16	1
1982	Buffalo	16	46	2.9	13	1
1983	Buffalo	20	88	4.4	19	0
1984	Buffalo	18	95	5.3	20	0
1985	Detroit	4	12	3.0	15	1
1986	Detroit	5	25	5.0	14	0
1987	Detroit	0	0	—	—	—
TOTALS		346	1,204	3.5	41	11

CAREER HIGHS

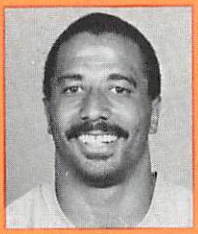
Att.	Comp.	Pct.
55 at Mia. 10/9/83	38 At Mia. 10/9/83	83.3 vs. K.C. 10/1/78
Yds.	**Lg.**	**TD**
419 at Mia. 10/9/83	92t at Mia. 9/17/78	5 at Mia. 10/9/83 5 vs. Jets 9/23/79
Rushing Yards	**Longest Run**	
54 vs. Clev. 10/23/77	41 vs. Clev. 10/23/77	

PLAYOFF STATISTICS

			Passing						Rushing			
Year	Team	Games	Comp.	Att.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Int.	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD
1974	Buffalo	1(1)	11	26	.423	164	2	0	1	3	3.0	0
1980	Buffalo	1(1)	15	29	.517	180	1	3	0	0	0.0	0
1981	Buffalo	2(2)	32	65	.492	470	3	6	2	-4	-2.0	0
TOTALS		4(4)	58	120	.483	814	6	9	3	-1	-0.3	0

PHIL FREEMAN

WR • 5-11 • 185 • #81



Born: December 9, 1962, St. Paul, MN
Residence: Los Angeles, CA
College: Arizona
High School: St. Monica (Los Angeles, CA)
NFL Year: 4 Buc Year: 4
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the eighth round, 1985

PRO: Starting receiver for much of '87, hopes to return from knee injury this season... owns Buc single-season kick return record and return yardage records (48 returns, 1,085 yards) set in '85... 64-yard TD grab in '87 at Minnesota (11/15/87) was longest Buc touchdown reception since '84... **1987:** Started five games during injury plagued season... missed final three games of the season with knee injury suffered at New Orleans (12/6)... also missed Packer game earlier in the year (11/1) because of pulled hamstring... still had productive year with career-high 76 yards in receptions vs. Vikings (11/15), including career-high 64 yard TD grab... career-best 17.6 yards a catch... also had touchdown grab in season opener vs. Atlanta (9/13)... **1986:** Had career-best 14 catches for 229 yards... had career-high four catches vs. Green Bay (11/16)... first two TDs of career came against St. Louis, one in each game... led Bucs in kick returns with 31 for 582 yards (18.8 avg.)... **1985:** Set Buc record with 58-yard kick return in first NFL game vs. Chicago (9/8) on way to establishing Buc records in kick returns and return yardage... **GAMES (STARTS):** 37(11); 1985 - 14(0); 1986 - 15(6); - 1987 - 8(5).

COLLEGE: A part-time starter at running back at Arizona as a junior and senior... a broken leg as a redshirt sophomore limited playing time... starter at running back as a sophomore ahead of future Amigo Vance Johnson prior to breaking leg vs. Washington State... finished career with 482 yards (137 carries) and four touchdowns along with 22 catches for 185 yards and one score... rushed for career-high 227 yards (61 carries) as a redshirt sophomore... was a walk-on at Arizona... graduated with a degree in finance.

PERSONAL: Standout prep player in track and football at St. Monica High School in Los Angeles... captained football team both varsity years and three years on the track team... father is vice president of a Los Angeles bank and mother is Associate Director of Facilities Operations at UCLA... given name is Phillip Emery Freeman.

CAREER STATISTICS

			Receiving					Kick Ret.	
Year	Games	(Starts)	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.
1985	14	(0)	0	0	.0	—	—	48	1,085	22.6
1986	15	(6)	14	229	16.4	33t	2	31	582	18.8
1987	8	(5)	8	141	17.6	64t	2	0	—	—
TOTAL	37	(11)	22	370	16.8	64t	4	79	1,667	21.1

CAREER HIGHS

RECEIVING			
No.	Yds.	Lg.	TD
4 vs. G.B. 11/16/86	76 at Minn. 11/15/87	64t at Minn. 11/15/87	1 four times

KICK RETURNS		
No.	Yds.	Lg.
6 vs. Rams 10/13/85 6 at Minn. 12/8/85	170 vs. Rams 10/13/85	58 at Chi. 9/8/85

BOBBY FUTRELL

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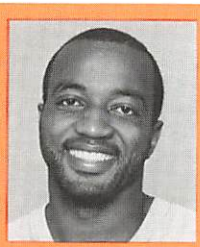


Born: August 4, 1962, Hertford County, NC
Residence: Aulander, NC
College: Elizabeth City State (NC)
High School: Ahoskie (NC)
NFL Year: 3 Buc Year: 3
NFL Acquisition: Signed by Tampa Bay as a free agent, 1986

PRO: Emerged as Tampa Bay's top punt and kick returner in '87 . . . has been Bucs' top punt returner the past two seasons while seeing more duty at cornerback and nickel back during '87 season . . . has not mishandled any of 79 punt or kick returns in two NFL seasons . . . spent two seasons in the USFL with Michigan/Oakland . . . **1987:** Led the Bucs with 31 kickoff returns for 609 yards (16.9 avg.) finishing 12th in the NFC . . . ninth in the NFC and 15th in the NFL in punt returns with 24 for 213 yards (8.9 avg.) . . . did not mishandle any of 61 kicks and punts he fielded . . . two interceptions in '87 with one each in season opener vs. Atlanta (9/13) and season finale at Indianapolis (12/27) . . . also earned first NFL start against Colts . . . finished season with NFL career-high 17 tackles and six passes defensed . . . **1986:** Led Bucs in punt returns with 14 for 67 yards and added five kick returns for 115 yards (23.0 avg.) . . . had 13 tackles and six kick coverage tackles . . . **USFL:** Had career-high 39 tackles and returned 27 kicks for 21.3 average for Michigan in '84 being used as a nickel back . . . moved with franchise to Oakland in '85 . . . **GAMES: (STARTS):** 28(1); 1986 - 16(0); 1987 - 12(1).

COLLEGE: All-CIAC at Elizabeth City (NC) State as a senior in '83 finishing sixth in the nation in kick return average (27.1) and punt return average (14.1) in Division II... career totals include: 2,240 total return yards (1,097 kicks, 849 punts, 249 interceptions... part of defense that led Division II in passing defense allowing only 65 yards a game.

PERSONAL: Standout prep football and basketball player at Ahoskie (NC) High School... honorable mention all-state and an all-conference in football and an all-conference selection in basketball... active in local community during offseason... his given name is Bobby Lee Futrell.

CAREER STATISTICS

				Passes		Kick Returns			Punt Returns			
Year	G	(Starts)	Tackles	Int.	Def.	No.	Yds.	Avg.	No.	Yds.	Avg.	FC
1986	16	(0)	13	0	1	5	113	23.0	14	67	4.8	5
1987	12	(1)	17	2	6	31	609	19.6	24	213	8.9	6
TOTALS	28	(1)	30	2	7	36	722	20.1	38	280	7.4	11

CAREER HIGHS

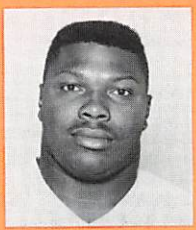
TACKLES	INTERCEPTIONS
4 vs. Det. 12/13/87	1 vs. Atl. 9/13/87 1 at Ind. 12/27/87

KICK RETURNS		
No.	Yds.	Lg.
4 at. St.L 11/8/87 4 vs. Det. 12/13/87	86 vs. Det. 12/13/87	40 vs. N.O. 12/6/87

PUNT RETURNS		
No.	Yds.	Lg.
4 vs. Atl. 9/13/87	39 vs. Atl. 9/13/87	22 vs. S.F. 11/12/87

BRIAN GANT

LB • 6-0 • 245 • #91



Born: September 6, 1965, Gary, IN
Residence: Gary, IN
College: Illinois State
High School: Roosevelt (Gary, IN)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Signed by Tampa Bay as a free agent, 1987

PRO: Waived by Bucs in final roster cutdown during '87 preseason but later rejoined Tampa Bay's replacement team and remained on roster when regulars returned... free agent who made it to final cut... led Bucs in tackles during three replacement games

GANT (cont.)

with 21 tackles with career-high eight tackles vs. San Diego (10/11)... had one interception at Detroit 10/4... remained with team following strike seeing action in eight games, primarily on kick coverage team... with two post-strike tackles finished the season with 22 total tackles and with nine total kick coverage tackles... **GAMES (STARTS):** 11(3).

COLLEGE: Led Illinois State in tackles as a junior (91) and senior (83) earning first-team Division I-AA All-America notice by AP and **Football News** following his senior year... named first-team All-Gateway and All-Missouri Valley Conference as a junior and senior... also named Gateway 1986 Player of the Year and 1985 Missouri Valley Player of the Year... finished career with 317 tackles and six interceptions.

PERSONAL: Prep standout in football and baseball at Roosevelt High School in Gary, IN... all-state and all-conference in football as a senior and played in Indiana North-South Shrine Game following senior year... hobbies include cooking, with favorite dish lasagna... given name is Brian Keith Gant.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Tackles For Loss	Int.	QB Pressures	Passes Def.
1987	11	(3)	22	1	1	1	2

CAREER HIGHS

TACKLES	INTERCEPTIONS
8 vs. S.D. 10/11/87	1 at. Det. 10/4/87

Additional Statistics: Kick Coverage Tackles: 1987 — 9.

ROBERT GOFF

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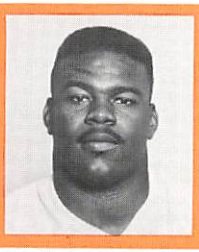


Born: October 2, 1965, Rochester, NY
Residence: Bradenton, FL
College: Auburn
High School: Bayshore (Bradenton, FL)
NFL Year: Rookie
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the fourth round, 1988

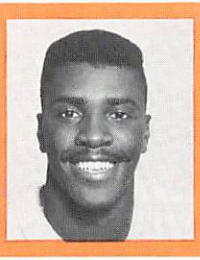
COLLEGE: A versatile defensive lineman at Auburn noted for quickness and speed... played both defensive tackle and nose tackle during his two seasons for the Tigers... finished career with 81 tackles, 10 tackles for loss and six sacks... transferred to Auburn from Butler County (KS) Junior College... called Auburn coach Pat Dye to initiate recruitment to Auburn... **1987:** Enjoyed finest season at Auburn with 41 tackles, six tackles for loss and three sacks... three games with five tackles... **1986:** Ended junior campaign with 40 tackles in a backup role at defensive tackle... still recorded three sacks and four tackles for losses... had a career-high six tackles vs. Cincinnati and two other games with five tackles... **1985:** Sat out season after transferring from Butler County (KS) Junior College... **1984:** A second-team All-America and a first-team All-Jayhawk conference honors at Butler County Junior College in Eldorado, KS... also had eight sacks and 21 tackles for losses... played on unit that was ranked second in the nation

against the rush (59.5 yards per game)... had 12 tackles and three sacks in win over Tyler Junior College in the Texas Shrine Bowl... majored in family and child development... **Draft Position:** The Bucs' first of three picks in the fourth round and the 83rd player chosen overall in the '88 draft... acquired pick from Atlanta through Philadelphia.

PERSONAL: An all-district and all-county selection as a senior at Bayshore High School in Bradenton, FL... a three-year starter for the Hurricanes at defensive tackle... interests include pitching horse shoes and swimming... is the youngest of four children... nicknamed "Pig" by his oldest brother, Reginald, as a child... favorite food is fried okra... given name is Robert Lamar Goff.

KERRY GOODE

RB • 5-11 • 200 • #27

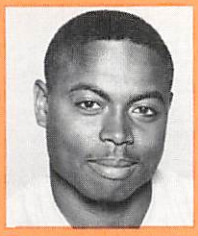


Born: July 28, 1965, Town Creek, AL
Residence: Town Creek, AL
College: Alabama
High School: Hazelwood (Town Creek, AL)
NFL Year: Rookie
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the seventh round, 1988

COLLEGE: Fought his way back from career-threatening knee injury sustained in first game as a sophomore in '84... named the SEC Freshman of the Year in '83... post-injury action limited by presence of outstanding Tide running back Bobby Humphrey... finished Alabama career with 1,350 yards rushing (253 carrier, 5.3 avg.) and 30 receptions for 222 yards... also returned 19 kickoffs for 470 yards... played in four bowl games (Sun, Aloha, Sun and Hall of Fame)... scored eight career touchdowns, including one by kickoff return... **1987:** Co-captain at Alabama as a senior... played in 11 games as a backup to Heisman Trophy candidate Bobby Humphrey... finished second on the team in rushing with 303 yards (67 carries, 4.5 avg.) and kickoff return yards with 188... top game was a 142-yard total offense effort against Southern Mississippi... **1986:** Played in 10 games and started three... finished the year with 210 yards rushing (47 carries, 4.5 avg.) and caught 12 passes for 101 yards... season-high 72 yards rushing vs. Southern Mississippi... **1985:** Opened the season as a starter after coming back from a knee injury during the '84 season opener... injured prior to the second game of the '85 season and only saw action in one other game (vs. Penn State)... **1984:** Injured knee in season opener vs. Boston College... left the game in the third quarter after gaining 297 all-purpose yards (68 rushing, 32 receiving and 197 kickoff returns), including three touchdowns (one of which came on a 99-yard kickoff return)... awarded a medical redshirt for the remainder of the season... **1983:** Voted the SEC's Freshman of the Year by **Florida Times-Union**... finished freshman campaign ninth in the SEC in rushing with 693 yards (6.7 avg.) and three rushing touchdowns... career-high 142 yards rushing vs. Auburn... also had a career-high 86 yard run (fourth highest in Tide history) vs. Tennessee... degree in general management and marketing and awarded a graduate scholarship... **Draft Position** The 167th player chosen overall in the '88 draft.

PERSONAL: Played on back-to-back state title teams at Hazelwood High School in Town Creek, AL... rushed for 1,025 yards as a senior and scored 18 touchdowns leading Hazelwood to Class 2A state title... enjoys all sports and has a special interest in cooking... has a special home recipe for Chicken Divine... brother, Chris, is a defensive back for the Indianapolis Colts and he has two brothers, Pierre and Clyde who are still playing for Alabama... given name is Kerry Goode.

SONNY GORDON
S • 5-11 • 200 • #31



Born: July 30, 1965, Lynn, MA
Residence: Middletown, OH
College: Ohio State
High School: Middletown (OH)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Cincinnati in the sixth round, 1987
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent, September 9, 1987

PRO: A sixth round draft choice by the Bengals, he was waived by Cincinnati in its final cut and signed by the Bucs as a free agent on 9/19/87...played in seven games for the Bucs in a backup role and kick coverage team...tied for fourth on team with five kick coverage tackles and finished the year with six defensive tackles...was named special teams player of the week with two kick coverage tackles at St. Louis (11/8)...had three tackles vs. 49ers (11/22) and at Indianapolis (12/27)...was not on Bucs' active roster for Rams (11/29), New Orleans (12/6) and Detroit (12/13)...**GAMES (STARTS):** 7(0).

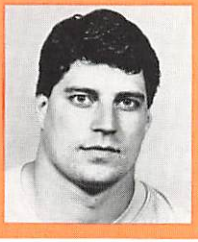
COLLEGE: A first-team All-Big 10 selection following senior year at Ohio State finishing second on team with 89 tackles (52 solos) and leading team with seven interceptions, also led team in interceptions as a sophomore with four...finished with 168 tackles as a three-year starter, including 13 interceptions (fifth best in Buckeye history)...played in 49 straight games as a Buckeye starting final 39...captain as a senior...working towards mechanical engineering degree.

PERSONAL: Was a high school and college teammate of Philadelphia wide receiver Cris Carter at Middletown (OH) High School and at Ohio State...an all-Ohio selection as a senior and named to the South squad in Ohio All-Star Game...standout prep player in football, basketball and track, captaining football and track teams...named Boy's State "Citizen of the Year" as a high school senior...hobbies include reading and music...given name is Denman Preston Gordon, Jr.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Int.	Passes Def.	Fumbles Csd./Rec.	Kick Coverage Tackles
1987	7	(0)	6	0	0	0/0	5

DON GRAHAM
ILB • 6-2 • 245 • #53



Born: January 31, 1964, Pittsburgh, PA
Residence: Pittsburgh, PA
College: Penn State
High School: Brentwood (PA)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the fourth round, 1987

PRO: Slowed by injuries during his rookie 1987 season...solid inside linebacker prospect...played in the first two games of the season, but a pulled abdomen muscle forced him to be placed on injured reserve list on 11/6/87...three kick coverage

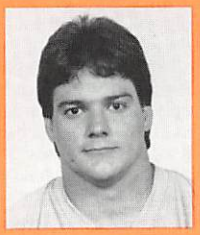
tackles vs. Chicago (9/20)... 85th player drafted in '87... **GAMES (STARTS):** 2(0).

COLLEGE: A three-year starter at Penn State and All-East selection as a senior on Penn State's national title team... led Nittany Lions in sacks with nine as a senior and had 40 tackles... 14 of those tackles were for losses... set up Penn State win in national title game vs. Miami in the Fiesta Bowl with tipped pass intercepted by Shane Conlan... played in East-West Shrine Game following senior year... led Penn State in sacks as a junior with seven sacks and had 41 tackles, including 12 tackles for losses... started 10 games as a sophomore at inside linebacker and finished with career-high 49 tackles... had 48 tackles as a freshman, while starting three games... finished career with 178 tackles, 30 for losses and 18 sacks... graduated with a degree in hotel, restaurant and institutional management.

PERSONAL: An all-conference fullback and linebacker at Brentwood High School in Pittsburgh... rushed for 876 yards as a senior and had 85 tackles... and also punted for 39.8-yard average... lettered in track, baseball and basketball... interests include bass fishing and golf... married this past offseason, his wife's name is Lisa... given name is Donald John Graham.

RANDY GRIMES

C • 6-4 • 275 • #60



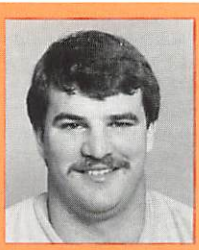
Born: July 20, 1960, Tyler, TX
Residence: Crosby, TX
College: Baylor
High School: Lee (Tyler, TX)
NFL Year: 6 Buc Year: 6
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the second round, 1983

PRO: Established himself as one of the NFL's top centers in '87... has assumed leadership roles as Tampa Bay's best and most senior offensive lineman... has Tampa Bay's longest consecutive starting streak at 46 games... has not missed a start since starting final two games at center in '84... owns 57 starts overall with 52 starts at center... Tampa Bay's top pick in the '83 draft when taken in the second round... was the 45th player chosen overall... **1987:** Started 12 games at center... was named by **Pro Football Weekly** as its most improved center in '87... **1986:** Started all 16 games for second consecutive season... **1985:** Started all 16 games in first full season as regular center, replacing long-time Buc center Steve Wilson... anchored line that allowed NFC-low 40 sacks... **1984:** Backed up all season long until injury to Steve Wilson gave him the chance to start final two games of the season... had three starts in '84... **1983:** Started 10 games, five at center and five at guard as a rookie... first NFL start came at left guard at Green Bay (10/2)... started five of seven games at guard before starting final five games at center for injured Wilson... **GAMES (STARTS):** 70(57); 1983 - 16(10); 1984 - 10(3); 1985 - 16(16); 1986 - 16(16); 1987 - 12(12).

COLLEGE: A first-team All-SWC center as a senior and a two-year starter at Baylor, captained team as a senior... played in Blue-Gray Classic and Japan Bowl following senior campaign... entered Baylor as a 205-pound defensive end before switching to center... graduated with a degree in physical education.

PERSONAL: An all-district and second team All-East Texas choice as a senior at Robert E. Lee High School in Tyler, Texas... played both sides of the ball and captained team as a senior... active outdoorsman and a member of Ducks Unlimited... interests include hunting and fishing... active chairman of last fall's GTE Food Drive... nicknamed "Bubba" as a child... his wife, Lydia, also is a Baylor graduate with a degree in elementary education... they have one daughter, Emily (4) and are expecting another child later this summer... given name is Randall Collins Grimes.

PAUL GRUBER
OT • 6-5 • 290 • #74

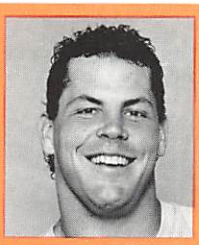


Born: February 24, 1965, Madison, WI
Residence: Middleton, WI
College: Wisconsin
High School: Sauk Prairie (Prairie du Sac, WI)
NFL Year: Rookie
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the first round, 1988

COLLEGE: The first offensive lineman chosen in the 1988 draft... he was selected by the Buccaneers with the fourth pick... has the strength, size and ability to become an outstanding offensive tackle in the NFL... first-team All-America following his senior year... very durable, starting 32 of 33 games during his career at Wisconsin... **1987:** Named a first-team All-America choice by **The Sporting News** and NEA... a second-team All-America choice by UPI... first-team AP All-Big Ten (two other first round draft choices were second team)... co-captain and Wisconsin's most valuable player... helped lead a Badger rushing atttack that averaged 202.5 yards a game... scored only touchdown of career recovering a fumble in the endzone vs. Illinois... **1986:** Started all 12 games and earned second-team All-Big Ten honors... **1985:** A UPI and AP All-Big Ten Conference honorable mention choice at left tackle... started 10 games... missed only start of his career in season finale with leg injury vs. Michigan State... **1984:** Played in all 12 games as backup at tackle... named most improved sophomore in spring practice following season... **1983:** Redshirted as a freshman, although he did play in one game... graduated with a a degree in communication arts... **Draft Position:** The fourth player chosen overall in the '88 draft.

PERSONAL: Honorable mention all-state choice at tight end and a two-time All-Badger Conference selection as a junior and senior at Sauk Prairie High School in Prairie du Sac, WI... played in the Wisconsin Shrine All-Star Game following his senior year... interests include deer and bird hunting... also enjoys movies, since has degree had an emphasis on the study of film... enjoys adventure movies and older classics (**Bonnie and Clyde** is a favorite)... his family now lives in Irvine, CA... has a younger brother, Phil, who is a high school wrestler, and a sister, Ann, who is communications major at the University of Colorado... gets his height from his mother, Myra Derning, who is 5-11, and his size from his father, Jon, who was over 200 pounds... married, his wife's name is Brenda... given name is Paul Blake Gruber.

RON HALL
TE • 6-4 • 245 • #82



Born: March 15, 1964, Ft. Huachuca, Arizona
Residence: San Diego, CA
College: Hawaii
High School: San Pasqual (San Diego, CA)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the fourth round, 1987

PRO: Saw more time at tight end as rookie season progressed... finished season with 16 receptions for 169 yards (second to Cardinals' Robert Awalt among NFL rookie tight ends) had season-high four catches vs. Chicago (10/25) and vs. Detroit (12/13)... had season-high 44 receiving yards vs. Atlanta in NFL debut... had his first pro start vs.

Detroit (12/13) with four catches... also started vs. St. Louis (12/20) coming up with first pro touchdown on spectacular one-yard TD catch determined by instant replay... did not drop pass in '87... drafted with fourth round pick obtained from Buffalo (87th overall) in second round trade which still netted Ricky Reynolds... **GAMES (STARTS):** 11(3).

COLLEGE: Named the best tight end in Hawaii history finishing his career eighth on all-time Rainbow receiving list with 59 catches for 726 yards... second team all-WAC selection after his senior year in '86 catching career-high 42 passes for 508 yards... appeared in Hula Bowl... received medical redshirt with knee injury in '84... earned WAC scholar-athlete award in '84-'85... transferred to Hawaii from Cal-Poly Pomona, when school dropped football program... degree in tele-communications.

PERSONAL: All-league receiver at San Pasqual High School in San Diego... member of national honor society as a high school student... enjoys surfing and biking... given name is Ronald Edwin Hall.

CAREER STATISTICS

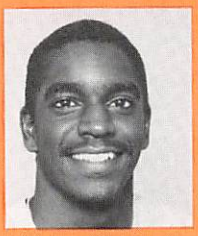
			Receiving				
Year	Games	(Starts)	No.	Yards	Avg.	Lg.	TD
1987	11	(3)	16	169	10.6	29	1

CAREER HIGHS

RECEIVING			
No.	Yds.	Lg.	TD
4 vs. Chi. 10/25/87 4 vs. Det. 12/13/87	44 vs. Atl. 9/13/87	29 vs. Atl. 9/13/87	1 vs. St.L 12/20/87

BRUCE HILL

WR • 6-0 • 180 • #84



Born: February 29, 1964, Fort Dix, NJ
Residence: Lancaster, CA
College: Arizona State
High School: Antelope Valley (Lancaster, CA)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the fourth round, 1987

PRO: Spent first seven weeks of the season on injured reserve with strained knee ligament, making his NFL debut at St. Louis (11/8) with four catches for 56 yards... came on strong at end of season when Vinny Testaverde was inserted into starting lineup... in last four games had 17 catches for 329 yards and two touchdowns averaging 19.4 yards a catch and 82.3 yards a game... had career-high five catches at New Orleans (12/6) and vs. Detroit (12/13)... also had 86 yards in receptions vs. Lions and 74 yards vs. Cardinals (12/20)... finished the year with career-high 96 yards at Indianapolis (12/27) on three catches in first career start... **GAMES (STARTS):** 8(1).

COLLEGE: Honorable mention All-Pac 10 finishing year with 28 catches for 532 yards and five touchdowns... also scored two rushing touchdowns... top performance came against Cal, catching two TD passes (62 and eight yards) and also a 96-yard kick return

HILL (cont.)

for a touchdown . . . had four catches and two touchdowns in Rose Bowl win over Michigan as a senior . . . finished the year with two catches with one touchdown in Hula Bowl . . . started first two years as a cornerback for the Sun Devils before making switch to wide receiver as a junior . . . had career-best 69 tackles and three interceptions as a redshirt freshman in '83 leading team with 17 passes defensed . . . career-high 13 tackles vs. California . . . 106th overall pick in '87 with choice from San Francisco for Steve Young . . . has a degree in criminal justice.

PERSONAL: Three-time all-city selection at Antelope Valley High School in Lancaster, CA . . . All-CIF selection in football as a senior . . . lettered four years in track, three in football and two in basketball . . . intercepted 12 passes as a senior earning Athlete of the Year honors and voted outstanding sprinter twice . . . father, Willie, is an Air Force mechanic . . . born on leap day of 1964 . . . with '88 leap year has now had six "birthdays" . . . plans on attending law school after this season either at Arizona State or the University of San Diego . . . worked in a law firm in Tempe during last offseason . . . given name is Bruce Edward Hill.

CAREER STATISTICS

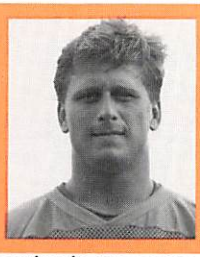
			Receiving				
Year	Games	(Starts)	No.	Yards	Avg.	Lg.	TD
1987	8	(1)	23	403	17.5	40	2

CAREER HIGHS

RECEIVING			
No.	Yds.	Lg.	TD
5 at N.O. 12/6/87 5 at Det. 12/13/87	96 at Ind. 12/27/87	34 vs. St.L 12/20/87	1 at N.O 12/6/87 1 vs. Det. 12/13/87

MIKE HOLD

QB • 5-11 • 195 • #7



Born: March 16, Phoenix, AZ
Residence: Tempe, AZ
College: South Carolina
High School: Corona del Sol (Tempe, AZ)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Signed with Tampa Bay as free agent, 1987

PRO: Joined Bucs last season during replacement games seeing action in two games at Detroit (10/4) and vs. San Diego (10/11) . . . came off the bench in both games throwing two touchdown passes against the Lions leading Buc comeback from 17-0 deficit to 31-27 win . . . completed a 61-yard scoring strike to Eric Streater vs. Lions and finished with 102 yards passing . . . a good runner who gained 35 yards on a rushing play vs. San Diego (10/11) . . . waived following return of regular players to roster, but re-signed by Bucs during past offseason . . . originally signed as a free agent with Denver in '86 and later waived by the Broncos . . . played for Chicago Bruisers in the Arena League Football in the spring of '87 throwing for 787 yards in six games and 16 touchdown passes . . . **GAMES (STARTS):** 2(0).

COLLEGE: Had fine collegiate career at South Carolina despite never being the established starter . . . 3,636 total career yards (fifth on school list) . . . 1,979 yards in total offense for the Gamecocks as a senior for the third-best single-season mark in

South Carolina history... is South Carolina's all-time leader in average gain per game averaging 158.1 yards... ranks fifth on the Gamecock all-time total yards list with 3,636 yards (2,981 passing, 655 rushing)... has the third longest pass completion with an 81-yard touchdown toss vs. Navy in '84... named the Gator Bowl MVP in '84... transferred to South Carolina from Mesa (AZ) Junior College.

PERSONAL: Second-team all-state performer in both football and baseball at Corona del Sol High School in Tempe, AZ... an avid golfer... has his degree in management from South Carolina... was a graduate assistant at South Carolina before and following replacement stint with the Bucs... given name is James Michel Hold, Jr.

CAREER STATISTICS

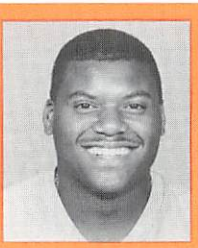
PASSING

Year	Games	(Starts)	Comp.	Att.	Pct.	Yds.	TD(%)	Int.(%)	Rating
1987	2	(0)	8	24	33.3	123	2(8.3)	1(4.2)	61.6

RUSHING

Year	Team	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD	Sacks
1987	Tampa Bay	7	69	9.9	35	0	2/16

RON HOLMES
DE • 6-4 • 265 • #90



Born: August 26, 1963, Ft. Benning, GA
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: Washington
High School: Timberline (Lacey, WA)
NFL Year: 4 Buc Year: 4
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the first round, 1985

PRO: Establishing himself as one of the NFL's top pass rushers with a career-high eight sacks in 10 games in '87... has 15 career sacks and 68 career QB pressures... his three sacks vs. St. Louis (12/20) in '87 were the most by a Buc since Lee Roy Selmon's three (vs. St. Louis 12/20/87) sacks in '84... shares Buc single-game sack high with three... the eighth player chosen in the '85 draft... **1987:** Led Bucs in sacks with eight and second on the team with 19 QB pressures... equalled career-high 10 tackles (nine solos) at Minnesota (11/15)... had eight tackles at Chicago 9/20 including one tackle for loss and one fumble recovery... career-high three sacks vs. St. Louis (12/20) tying Lee Roy Selmon's Buc single-game high, also had six tackles in that game and two passes defensed... had 2½ sack game vs. Bears (10/25) and six solo stops... missed Rams (11/29) and New Orleans (12/6) with shoulder injury suffered against 49ers (11/22)... finished strong with 12 tackles and three sacks in final two games of year... **1986:** Finished the year with 68 tackles and a team-high 23 QB pressures... season-high eight tackles at Chicago (12/7) and vs. Green Bay (12/14)... started 13 games missing two games because of knee injury sustained vs. Atlanta (9/28)... **1985:** Led all right defensive ends in NFL with 77 tackles... also led team with 12 tackles for losses and four fumbles caused, along with 4½ sacks... had career-high 10 tackles in season finale vs. Green Bay (12/22), including a sack... top sack game came vs. Rams (10/13) with two... started 14 games as a rookie missing one start with Achilles tendon strain at Chicago (9/8) and with a strained back at Green Bay (12/1)... **GAMES (STARTS):** 40(35); 1985 - 16(14); 1986 - 14(13); 1987 - 10(8).

HOLMES (cont.)

COLLEGE: Consensus All-America following outstanding senior season at Washington named by Kodak, **Football News,** Walter Camp Foundation, UPI and Football Writers of America... unanimous All-Pac 10 selection as a junior and senior... Morris Trophy winner as the top Pac 10 defensive lineman as voted by opposing offensive linemen... had 279 career tackles, six fumbles caused, five fumbles recovered, 48 tackles for losses and 27 sacks... career-high 117 tackles and five sacks as a senior including 12 tackles for loss and four fumbles caused, while being named Husky Player of the Year... career-high 21 tackles for losses as a junior and career-high 13 sacks... majored in psychology.

PERSONAL: An excellent student-athlete at Timberline High School in Lacey, WA... offered major college scholarships in football and basketball as a three-year letterwinner in football and basketball... first-team all-league in football as a junior and named honorable mention as a senior despite only playing three games because of an injury... played linebacker, defensive end, tight end and running back... came back from injury in basketball being named to all-state team and leading team to runner-up spot in state tournament after winning state title as a junior... an avid computer game player... plays computer football game where he can match top players and teams from any era against each other... has himself line up on same Buc defensive line with his favorite player, Lee Roy Selmon... credits much of his success to viewing Selmon films... is leading film-goer on team seeing, several movies a week... has three sisters and a brother, Paul, who ran track at Boise State... married, wife's name is Michelle... given name is Ronald Holmes.

CAREER STATISTICS

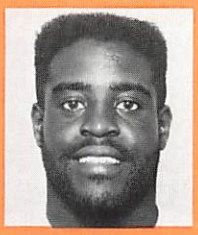
Year	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Tackles For Loss	Sacks	QB Pressures	Fumbles Csd./Rcvd.
1985	16	(14)	77	12	4½	24	4/2
1986	14	(13)	68	6	2½	23	1/1
1987	10	(8)	47	4	8	19	1/1
TOTALS	40	(35)	192	22	15	66	6/4

CAREER HIGHS

TACKLES	SACKS
10 vs. G.B. 12/1/85 10 at Minn. 11/15/87	3 vs. St.L 12/20/87

BOBBY HOWARD

RB • 6-0 • 220 • #25



Born: June 1, 1964, Pittsburgh, PA
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: Indiana
High School: Langley (Pittsburgh, PA)
NFL Year: 3 Buc Year: 3
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Philadelphia in the 12th round, 1986
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent, October 28, 1986

PRO: Versatile back who can play either tailback or fullback... has seen duty at both positions for the Bucs... also has seen considerable action on kick coverage and kick

return team with five kickoff returns for 76 yards... good receiver out of the backfield catching 15 passes for 183 yards over past two seasons... **1987:** Put together solid opening day vs. Atlanta (9/13), including a 31-yard run... rushing for 47 yards and had one catch for 45 yards... biggest work day came against Green Bay (11/1) with 12 rushes for 27 yards along with two catches for 30 yards... scored only touchdown of season with two-yard run at New Orleans (12/6)... played in 12 games... **1986:** Signed by Bucs at midseason (10/28) after preseason waiver by Philadelphia... started final two games of the year for James Wilder rushing for 110 yards on 30 carries with one TD (at St. Louis 12/21)... also had four kick returns for 17.8 average... **GAMES (STARTS):** 20(2); 1986 - 8(2); 1987 - 12(0).

COLLEGE: Led Indiana in rushing as a senior with 967 yards and seven touchdowns... had five 100-yard games as a senior, including a career-high 135 yards vs. Michigan State... finished career with 1,743 career yards on 414 carries and 13 touchdowns... also had 84 pass receptions for another 600 yards... has a degree in recreation.

PERSONAL: All-state and all-city performer as a senior at Langley High in Pittsburgh despite only playing in four games... rushed for over 1,000 yards as a junior and intercepted seven passes... chose to go to Indiana because it was only school that wanted him to be a running back, other schools wanted him to play defense... all-city basketball player and three-time all-city baseball as a catcher/third baseman... worked college summers as a youth director in Pittsburgh... moved to Orlando after college, where he and his wife, Charm, honeymooned in April, 1986... was notified there of his draft selection by the Eagles... worked for real estate developer in Orlando before being signed by Bucs... given name is Bobby Allen Howard.

CAREER STATISTICS

			Rushing					Receiving				
Year	Games	(Starts)	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD
1986	8	(2)	30	110	3.7	16	1	5	60	12.0	29	0
1987	12	(0)	30	100	3.3	31	1	10	123	12.3	45	0
TOTALS	20	(2)	60	210	3.5	31	2	15	183	12.2	45	0

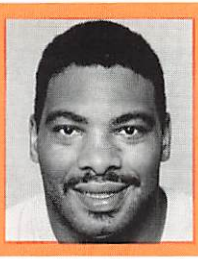
CAREER HIGHS

RUSHING			
No.	**Yds.**	**Lg.**	**TD**
12 at G.B. 11/1/87	57 vs. G.B. 12/14/86	31 vs. Atl. 9/13/87	1 at St.L 12/21/86

No.	**Yds.**	**Lg.**	**TD**
2 at Chi. 12/7/86 2 at G.B. 11/1/87 2 vs. Det. 12/13/87	45 vs. Atl. 9/13/87	45 vs. Atl. 9/13/87	None

Additional Statistics: Kick Returns (5-76): 1986 - 4(71); 1987 - 1(5).

WILLIAM HOWARD
FB • 6-0 • 240 • #43

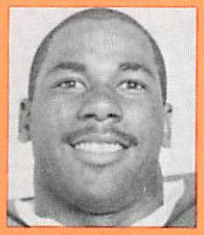


Born: June 2, 1964, Lima, OH
Residence: Lima, OH
College: Tennessee
High School: Lima (OH)
NFL Year: Rookie
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the fifth round, 1988

COLLEGE: Noted for his blocking ability and ability to pick up tough yardage... also boasts good receiving skills... finished career at Tennessee with 70 catches for 610 yards... chalked up 1,711 yards rushing and 21 touchdowns, 14 as a junior... SEC record 16 consecutive carries in a game as a junior... **1987:** Mainly used as a blocker as a senior... only carried the ball 79 times for 313 yards but still scored six touchdowns... his blocking allowed Vol rushing attack to gain 2,652 yards on the ground... season-high 73 yards rushing and a touchdown vs. Georgia Tech... **1986:** AP honorable mention All-America and second-team All-SEC choice following outstanding junior campaign... led the SEC in scoring (14 TDs) and was third in rushing with 787 yards (4.4 avg.)... also caught 16 passes for 142 yards... his 14 rushing TDs were the most by a Vol runner in a season since Gene McEver's 18 rushing TDs in 1929... had three games with three rushing touchdowns... had his SEC record 16 straight carries vs. Ole Miss... had career-high 184 yards vs. Vanderbilt... **1985:** Rushed for 159 yards and caught 13 passes for 84 yards... bothered by injuries throughout the season... **1984:** Solid freshman season with 452 yards rushing and 24 catches for 231 yards... opened career with 62 yards rushing vs. Washington State... majored in government and political science... **Draft Position:** The 113th player chosen overall in the '88 draft.

PERSONAL: A prep standout all-area and all-district running back selection at Lima High School in Lima, OH... following his senior year he enrolled at Tennessee Military Academy for a year prior to attending Tennessee... interests include backgammon and travelling... has plans to travel around the world during his offseason vacations... given name is William Dotson Howard.

EDDIE HUNTER
RB • 5-10 • 200 • #37



Born: January 20, 1965, Reno, NV
Residence: Oxen Hill, MD
College: Virginia Tech
High School: Bishop McNamara (Oxen Hill, MD)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by NY Jets in the eighth round, 1987
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent, November 20, 1987

PRO: Drafted by the Jets in the eighth round in '87 and waived on 11/10/87... saw only Jets' playing time during replacement games... carried the ball 48 times for 169 yards in three games, also caught five passes for 24 yards and one touchdown... also returned eight kicks for 123 yards (15.4 avg.)... saw first action with the Bucs at New Orleans (12/6)... led Bucs in rushing vs. Detroit (12/13) with 30 yards on six carries finishing the season with eight carries for 41 yards as a Buc... **GAMES (STARTS):** NFL 6(3) - N.Y. Jets 3(3), - Bucs 3(0).

COLLEGE: A three-year part-time starter at Virginia Tech finishing senior year second on team in rushing with 872 yards and six touchdowns... led team in kickoff returns with 19 for 462 yards and one touchdown... was 22nd in the country in all-purpose yards with 126.8 as a senior... finished as the Hokies' fourth leading rusher in school history with 2,523 yards and third in all-purpose yardage with 3,537 yards... scored 21 career touchdowns, including 99-yard kickoff return vs. South Carolina as a senior... had 11 100-yard rushing games with career-high 160 yards vs. VMI as a sophomore... selected by Jets with pick obtained in trade with Bucs (Marvin Powell)... majored in building construction.

PERSONAL: All-America quarterback, wide receiver and cornerback at Bishop McNamara High School in Oxen Hill, MD... worked as a quality controller for a construction company during college and would like to enter construction field when playing days are over... active in community working with Meals on Wheels... enjoys backgammon and cards and is a fan of karate kick boxing... given name is Edward Lee Hunter.

CAREER STATISTICS

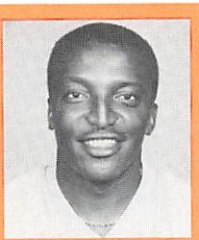
				Rushing					Receiving				
Year	Team	G	(Starts)	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD
1986	NY Jets	3	(3)	48	169	3.5	23	0	5	24	4.8	8t	2
	Tampa Bay	3	(0)	8	41	5.1	11	0	2	4	2.0	9	0
TOTALS		6	(3)	56	210	3.8	23	0	7	28	4.0	9	2

CAREER HIGHS

RUSHING			
No.	Yds.	Lg.	TD
20 vs. Mia. 10/18/87	94 vs. Mia. 10/18/87	23 vs. Mia. 10/18/87	None

DONALD IGWEBUIKE

PK • 5-9 • 185 • #1



Born: December 27, 1960, Anambra, Nigeria
Residence: Clemson, SC
College: Clemson
NFL Year: 4 Buc Year: 4
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the 10th round, 1985

PRO: Has been one of the most consistent field goal kickers in the NFL over the past three seasons... has never missed from 34 yards or less during career (20-20)... also effective at long range hitting on five of 10 from 50-59 yards and is 10 of 18 (55.6%) from 48 to 55 yards... under 40 yards he is 34 of 37 (91.9%)... ranks second on the Buc all-time scoring list with 239 points (53-74 field goals/80-85 PAT) and has led the Bucs in scoring in each of the past three seasons... has kicked 52 career field goals which also is a team record, including Buc record 55-yard field goal... **1987:** Led Bucs in scoring for third straight season with 66 points (24-26 PAT/14-18 FG)... ended season on a strong note connecting on eight of his final 10 attempts with shortest kick 26 yards during that span... shortest of four '87 misses was from 46 yards (11 of 11 from inside 45)... fourth most accurate kicker in NFC at 77.8 percent (14-18) and ninth in the NFL... six PATS vs. Atlanta (9/13) in season

IGWEBUIKE (cont.)

opener was a Buc record... **1986:** Was 17-24 on field goals, including 12 of 13 from 40 yards and in and 16 of 21 from 50 yards or less... had Buc record 55-yard kick at Minnesota (11/30), breaking his own record 53-yarder... career-best 26 of 27 PATs with only miss a block vs. St. Louis (10/12)... **1985:** Buc record 96 points and 22 field goals... had longest average FG attempt in NFL with 39.9 average and the second longest average miss at 47.6... also had three 50-plus field goals, only two other kickers in NFL achieved that feat... set Buc record eight straight field goals and four field goals in a single-game vs. Detroit (11/24), including game winner in overtime... won kicking job from childhood friend from Nigeria, Obed Ariri... **GAMES (STARTS):** 44(0); 1985 - 16(0); 1986 - 16(0); 1987 - 12(0).

COLLEGE: All-ACC and third team All-America following senior year at Clemson after going 15 of 17 on field goals and a perfect 41 of 41 on PATs... was eight of eight from 40-yards or longer with 38 and 61 kickoffs not returned... finished career 32 of 43 on field goals and 43 of 43 PATs... holds Clemson record of five field goals over 50 yards... twice hit career-high 55 yarder, vs. Boston College as a junior and vs. NC State as a freshman... clinched national title as a freshman booting three field goals in Orange Bowl win over Nebraska... attended Clemson on soccer scholarship... only Tiger athlete to ever play on two nationally ranked teams (football and soccer) in same year (1981)... graduated in 1988 with a degree in economics.

PERSONAL: Won 1986 NFL kicking competition in Hawaii following the season... played high school soccer in Nigeria and often played with former Buc Obed Ariri whose mothers were from the same town... middle name "Amechi" translates into "you can't predict tomorrow"... known to teammates as "Iggy" and known to Ray Perkins as "Donald Kicker"... completed degree requirements this past off-season... given name is Donald Amechi Igwebuike... pronounced Ig-way-BWEE-kay.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Games	FG	FGA	Pct.	PAT	Pct.	Points
1985	16	22	32	.688	30-32	.938	96
1986	16	17	24	.704	26-27	.963	77
1987	12	14	18	.778	24-26	.923	66
TOTALS	44	53	74	.716	80-85	.941	239

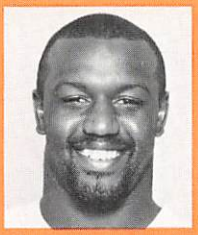
CAREER ACCURACY

Year	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50-59	60+	Total	Pct.
1985	1-1	5- 5	8-10	5-10	3- 4	0-2	22-32	.688
1986	0-0	5- 5	7- 8	3- 6	2- 5	0-0	17-24	.704
1987	0-0	2- 2	6- 6	6- 9	0- 1	0-0	14-18	.778
TOTALS	1-1	12-12	21-24	14-25	5-10	0-2	53-74	.716
			87.5%	56.0%	50.0%			

CAREER HIGHS

FG	Lg.	PAT	Pts.
4 vs. Det. 11/24/85	55 at Minn. 11/30/86	6 vs. Atl. 9/13/87	13 vs. Det. 11/24/85

RAY ISOM
DB • 5-9 • 190 • #28



Born: April 18, 1965, Harrisburg, PA
Residence: Harrisburg, PA
College: Penn State
High School: Harrisburg (PA)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Signed by Tampa Bay as a free agent, 1987

PRO: Placed on injured reserve after injuring ankle at Indianapolis (9/5) in final preseason game and did not return to active roster until week nine at Minnesota (11/15)... started next six games at free safety but missed final game of year at Indianapolis (12/27) because of fractured left scapula suffered vs. St. Louis (12/20)... in first NFL start vs. Vikings came up with seven tackles and a 29-yard interception return... continued impressive play the following week with interception vs. San Francisco (11/22) and nine tackles... also had good performance with seven tackles at LA Rams (11/29) and seven tackles vs. Lions (12/13)... finished season with 40 tackles... praised by Ray Perkins for his grasp of coverages and leadership potential... **GAMES (STARTS):** 6(6).

COLLEGE: A three-year starter in Penn State secondary... ended his career tied for sixth on the Nittany Lion all-time career interception list with 10 interceptions... finished career with 204 (144 solos) tackles and led Penn State secondary in tackles each of his three years as a starter... played in two consecutive national title games at Penn State as a junior and senior... as a junior, played against Oklahoma and current Buc linebacker Kevin Murphy in the Orange Bowl... as a senior, played against Miami and current Bucs Vinny Testaverde, Winston Moss and Dan Sileo in the Fiesta Bowl... has degree in health planning administration with emphasis in business administration.

PERSONAL: A quarterback and defensive back at Harrisburg High school, winning all-state honors on defense... played in the prestigious Big 33 game following senior year... also competed on the wrestling team... brother Marion played football at Purdue and brother Rickey played at North Carolina State, and is currently with the New York Jets as a fullback... avid computer games player... plays daily with Buc linebacker Winston Moss... lists Dungeon and Dragons as favorite game... enjoys going to movies with **Dune** listed as his favorite... member of NAACP and very active with Harrisburg Multiple Sclerosis society... given name is Raymond Clinton Isom... pronounced (eye-SUM).

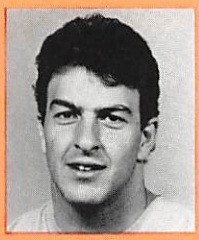
CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Int.	Passes Def.	Fumbles Csd./Rec.	Kick Coverage Tackles
1987	6	(6)	40	2	2	1/0	2

CAREER HIGHS

TACKLES	INTERCEPTIONS
9 vs. S.F. 11/22/87	1 vs. Minn. 11/15/87 1 vs. S.F. 11/22/87

CURT JARVIS
NT • 6-2 • 265 • #95



Born: January 28, 1965, Birmingham, AL
Residence: Pea Ridge, AL
College: Alabama
High School: Gardendale (AL)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the seventh round, 1987

PRO: Came off injured reserve list in week 11 of the season at LA Rams (11/29) after injuring knee during Buc training camp... started at defensive end vs. Rams in NFL debut and had outstanding outing... came up with season-high eight tackles (seven solos) and two sacks, including three QB pressures... started following week at New Orleans (12/6) in place of injured Ron Holmes and had two tackles and one sack... 169th player taken in the '87 draft... **GAMES (STARTS):** 2(2).

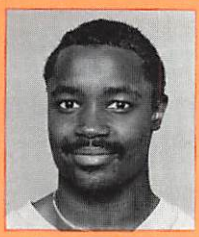
COLLEGE: A four-year starter at Alabama and second-team All-SEC as a junior and senior... had 192-career tackles, 33 of those for losses and nine sacks... led down linemen as a senior with 58 tackles and 12 tackles for losses... fifth on team in tackles as a junior with 53 tackles... had 54 tackles as a sophomore, including career-high 13 tackles vs. Auburn in '84 and had career-best six sacks that year... **USA Today** freshman nose tackle of the year in '83... has a degree in criminal justice.

PERSONAL: Named to **Parade, The Sporting News, Birmingham News, Atlanta Journal** and National High School Coaches All-America teams as a senior at Gardendale (AL) High School... led high school to state playoffs as a senior... an active outdoorsman who enjoys hunting and fishing... married during the offseason, he and his wife, Jonica, bought a house on 50 acres of land in Pea Ridge, Ala., and received a black Angus bull as a wedding gift from Ray Perkins... given name is Curtis Jarvis, Jr.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Sacks	QB Pressures	Fumbles Csd./Rec.
1987	2	(2)	10	3	5	0/0

ROD JONES
DB • 6-0 • 185 • #22



Born: March 31, 1964, Dallas, TX
Residence: DeSoto, TX
College: Southern Methodist
High School: South Oak Cliff (Dallas, TX)
NFL Year: 3 Buc Year: 3
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the first round, 1986

PRO: Continued to impress in 1987, his second season... outstanding rookie campaign in '86 when he led all non-linebackers in tackles with 80 which was most tackles by a Buc corner since Norris Thomas' 81 in 1981... tied for team lead in interceptions in regular games last season with two... has started 27 games over the past two seasons

missing only one game... one of only three 1986 first round choices to start all 16 games as a rookie... **1987:** Finished the year with 44 tackles, a team-leading two interceptions and nine passes defensed... had 24-game consecutive starting streak halted vs. St. Louis (12/20) when he was placed on inactive list with ankle injury... had season-best six tackles at Chicago (9/20) and at Minnesota (11/15)... had interceptions vs. Atlanta (9/13) and at St. Louis (11/8, two of his career interceptions have been at Busch Stadium)... ended year on strong note with seven tackles at Indianapolis (12/27)... **1986:** Started all 16 games at right cornerback and finished fourth on team with 80 tackles... had team-leading 14 passes defensed and first NFL interception at St. Louis (12/21)... had career-high eight tackles at Minnesota (11/30)... set up Buc score vs. Buffalo (11/2) with fumble recovery on kickoff at one yard line... chosen with 25th pick of first round, obtained from Miami for Hugh Green... **GAMES (STARTS):** 27(27); 1986 - 16(16); 1987 - 11(11).

COLLEGE: Nicknamed "K.O." at Southern Methodist because of hard hitting style... nickname was coined by former teammate and current New York Jet, Russell Carter... hit on Arkansas wide receiver Bobby Joe Edmonds that caused fumble is still shown on NCAA highlight films... a two-year starter, he played in every game for the Mustangs over his four-year career... a second team all-SWC by AP and UPI as a senior in '85... had 96 tackles in two years as a starter and four interceptions... owns six championship rings (two SWC football titles/two NCAA Championship track rings in '83 and '86)... also won individual NCAA championship rings for first place finish in the '84 400-meter race (44.94) and as a member of '86 NCAA Champion 1600-meter relay team... ran track at SMU in spring of '87 using final year of eligibility while finishing degree requirements in psychology.

PERSONAL: All-district and all-metro as a defensive back at South Oak Cliff High School in Dallas and was All-America in track... posted 46.0 400 meter time which was one of the best clockings in the nation in '82... also anchored the '82 state mile relay championship team... earned a letter in golf... father, Clarence, played football in the Air Force... talented artist, he specializes in caricatures during his free time... wife's name is Simone... given name is Roderick Wayne Jones.

CAREER STATISTICS

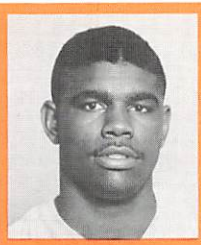
Year	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Int.	Passes Def.	Fumbles Csd.-Rec.	Kick Coverage Tackles
1986	16	(16)	80	1-0	14	0/1*	4
1987	11	(11)	47	2-9	9	0/1	0
TOTALS	27	(27)	127	3-9	23	0/2	4

*-Fumble recovered on kick teams

CAREER HIGHS

TACKLES	INTERCEPTIONS
8 at Minn. 11/30/86	1 at St.L 12/21/86 1 vs. Atl. 9/13/87 1 at St.L 11/8/87

VICTOR JONES
LB • 6-2 • 250 • #52

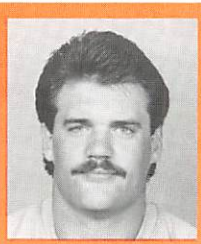


Born: October 19, 1966, Rockville, MD
Residence: Rockville, MD
College: Virginia Tech
High School: Peary (Rockville, MD)
NFL Year: Rookie
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the 12th round, 1988

COLLEGE: A stand-up defensive end at Virginia Tech . . . has good speed and pass rushing skills . . . started his senior year, but also was a key player as sophomore and junior on the Hokie defense . . . finished career with 146 tackles, eight tackles for losses and three sacks . . . **1987:** Started all season at rush end for the Hokies and finished with a career-high 62 tackles . . . also had a sack and three tackles for losses . . . recovered two fumbles and caused two fumbles as a senior . . . **1986:** Played in every game with three starts at rush end . . . had 49 tackles, two QB sacks and three tackles for losses . . . had one blocked punt that resulted in a Tech TD vs. Clemson . . . had a season high nine tackles vs. Vanderbilt . . . **1985:** Entered the season as a starter at defensive end but injuries limited his playing time . . . played most of the year in a backup role and recorded 28 tackles . . . season-high six tackles vs. Virginia and five vs. Florida . . . **1984:** Earned a letter as a special teams player during freshman campaign . . . finished the year with seven tackles . . . majored in consumer studies . . . **Draft Position:** The 310th player chosen overall in the '88 draft.

PERSONAL: A three-sport prep player in football, basketball and baseball at Peary High School in Rockville, MD . . . earned all-league and all-county honors as a senior defensive end and offensive tackle . . . named to the Golden 11 squad as one of the top players in the Washington, D.C. area . . . enjoys golf and basketball in his spare time . . . given name is Victor Pernell Jones.

KEVIN KELLIN
DE • 6-5 • 270 • #75



Born: November 16, 1959, Hampton, IA
Residence: St. Petersburg, FL
College: Minnesota
High School: Grand Rapids (MN)
NFL Year: 3 Buc Year: 3
NFL Acquisition: Signed by Washington as a free agent, 1983
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent, August, 1986

PRO: Good pass rusher who has seen extensive action as fourth down lineman over last two years . . . limited by injuries, has missed 12 games over the past two seasons on injured reserve . . . missed the first seven games in '86 with a shoulder injury and missed the final five games in '87 with a knee injury . . . in between those injuries, had 5 ½ sacks in nine games and 21 QB pressures . . . originally signed by the Redskins as a free agent in '83 and waived in camp . . . spent three seasons in the USFL (1983-85) with Washington ('83-'84) and Orlando ('85) and had 10 sacks in two seasons as a starter ('84-'85) . . . **1987:** Played in seven games and started at Green Bay (11/1) before knee injury vs. San Francisco (11/22) ended season . . . finished the year with 14 tackles, 3½ sacks and a third-best 16 QB pressures . . . had season-high 1½ sacks in season opener vs. Atlanta (9/13) . . . **1986:** Missed first seven games on IR with shoulder injury . . . re

turned for final nine games and had six tackles, two sacks and five QB pressures... **GAMES (STARTS):** 16(1); 1986 - 9(0); 1987 - 7(1).

COLLEGE: A second team all-Big 10 as a senior at Minnesota with 45 tackles, two sacks and four tackles for losses... career-high 18 tackles vs. USC as a sophomore... first career sack in first start vs. Purdue against Mark Herrmann... he and Broncos' Karl Mecklenburg were starting defensive tackles for the Gophers... a scholar-athlete at Minnesota with a bachelor of arts degree.

PERSONAL: All-conference and all-state in football Grand Rapids (MN) High School... captain of football, basketball and baseball teams (winning state baseball title as a senior first baseman)... very active in community charities in the Tampa Bay area with Pro Athletes For Christ and Children's Home... like to speak at elementary schools... has a Series Seven license and real estate license... enjoys fishing, scuba diving, racquetball and softball... married, his wife Kolleen is a native of St. Pete... has a brother, Tony, who has played with the Washington Capitals of the NHL... has a twin sister, Krisann, and another brother, Ben who played college football at St. John's (MN)... given name is Kevin Robert Kellin.

CAREER STATISTICS

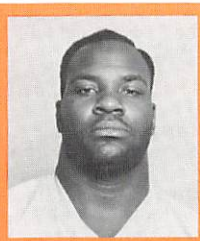
Year	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Sacks	QB Pressures	Fumbles Csd./Rec.
1986	9	(0)	6	2	5	0/0
1987	7	(1)	14	3½	16	0/0
TOTALS	16	(1)	20	5½	21	0/0

CAREER HIGHS

TACKLES	SACKS
3 vs. Atl. 9/13/87 3 at Minn. 11/15/87	2½ vs. Atl. 9/13/87

SHAWN LEE

NT • 6-2 • 290 • #97



Born: October 24, 1966, Brooklyn, NY
Residence: Florence, AL
College: North Alabama
High School: Erasmus Hall (Brooklyn, NY)
NFL Year: Rookie
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the sixth round, 1988

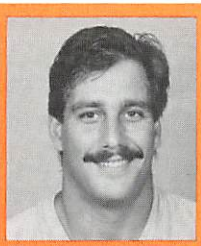
COLLEGE: A two-year performer as a junior and senior at North Alabama after transferring from Westchester Community College in Valhalla, NY... boasts good pass rushing ability leading North Alabama in sacks (6½) as a senior... finished career there with 54 tackles, 7½ sacks and six tackles for losses... **1987:** Enjoyed his finest season with 44 tackles, 6½ sacks and five tackles for losses... named second-team All-Gulf South Conference... **1986:** Saw mostly duty as a backup and finished first campaign at North Alabama with 10 tackles, one sack and one tackle for loss... **1985:** Sat out season because of NCAA transfer rule... **1984:** Played one season at Westchester Community College in Valhalla, NY where he was an all-conference linebacker... majored in communica-

tions with emphasis on radio, television and film... **Draft Position:** The 163rd player chosen overall in the '88 draft... acquired with a choice from San Francisco for Keith Browner.

PERSONAL: All-conference and most valuable player as a prep linebacker at Erasmus Hall High School in Brooklyn, NY... interned in New York City with record producer... produced Urban Contemporary, R&B and Rap albums... plays the trombone and was a member of the school's orchestra... youngest of five children... nicknamed "Grizzley" as a 10-year old by his best friend "Peanut"... comes from Erasmus Hall High School which has many notable alumni, including Barbra Streisand... given name is Shawn Swaboda Lee.

J.D. MAARLEVELD

OT • 6-6 • 280 • #77



Born: October 24, 1961, Jersey City, NJ
Residence: Rutherford, NJ
College: Maryland
High School: St. Joseph's (Palisades, NJ)
NFL Year: 3 Buc Year: 3
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the fifth round, 1986

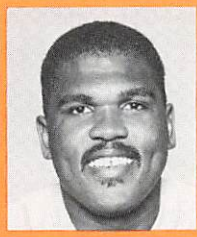
PRO: Tackle who has gained experience on both sides in first two seasons... consensus All-Rookie choice in '86... used mainly as a backup, did start three games in his second season... **1987:** Began the season as a backup to Rob Taylor at left tackle but moved into starting slot after Taylor's knee injury... first start of pro career at left tackle at Minnesota (11/15)... switched to right tackle and started at that spot in replace of injured Marvin Powell at New Orleans (12/6) and vs. Detroit (12/13)... **1986:** Selected All-Rookie by **Pro Football Weekly,** Professional Football Writers of America, **Football Digest** and UPI... played in 14 games... **GAMES (STARTS):** 25(3); 1986 - 14(0); 1987 - 11(3).

COLLEGE: A first-team Kodak and UPI All-America and a second-team choice by **The Sporting News** in '85... was a two-year starter for the Terps after transferring from Notre Dame... played in three Bowl games ('81 Sugar Bowl at Notre Dame and Sun and Cherry Bowls as a junior and senior at Maryland)... missed the '82 and '83 seasons after diagnosis and treatment for Hodgkins Disease... underwent surgery in '82 to remove chest mass and maintained conditioning through chemotherapy and did not suffer usual weight loss... after clearance from doctors, he was given medical hardship and started at Maryland... received ACC's Brian Piccolo Award in '84 overcoming medical adversity... played in '86 Japan Bowl... degree in sociology.

PERSONAL: Selected by teammates for Bucs' Ed Block Courage Award this past year honoring his courage and determination in fighting Hodgkins Disease... active in community affairs dealing with cancer, he crowned a St. Petersburg (FL) high school girl who has Hodgkins Disease as Homecoming Queen at Gibbs High in '87... a four-year letterman at tight end and nose guard for St. Joseph's of Palisades (NJ)... also was catcher in baseball on '79 state title team with 25-0 record... captained both the football and baseball teams... married during this past offseason, wife's name is Ivy... given name is John David Maarleveld... pronounced "mar-luh-veld."

CALVIN MAGEE

TE • 6-3 • 245 • #86



Born: April 23, 1963, New Orleans, LA
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: Southern
High School: Booker T. Washington (New Orleans, LA)
NFL Year: 4 Buc Year: 4
NFL Acquisition: Signed by Tampa Bay as a free agent, 1985

PRO: Has put together strong back-to-back seasons since emerging as Bucs' starting tight end... undrafted despite good college career, he impressed as free agent in 1985 with bulk and soft hands... stands eighth on the Bucs' all-time receiving yards list with 1,276... seventh on the all-time reception list with 105 catches and is second all-time in receptions and receiving yards among Buc tight ends... has caught 79 passes for 988 yards over the past two seasons... **1987:** Finished sixth among NFC tight ends in receptions with 34 and fifth in yards with 424... has season-high seven catches at Green Bay (11/1) and season-high 98 yards in receptions vs. Chicago (10/25) on six catches... his 20-yard touchdown catch at Minnesota (11/15) was longest of 11 career scoring receptions... had five catches at LA Rams (11/29) for 72 yards... did not play vs. Detroit (12/13) because of ankle sprain suffered at New Orleans (12/6)... had caught at least one pass in 15 straight games before having streak broken in season finale at Indianapolis (12/27)... **1986:** Led all Buc receivers and tied a team tight end record with 45 receptions... 12.5 average per catch with 564 receiving yards... also led team with five touchdown catches... had career-high eight catches at Chicago (12/7) and Buc tight end record 143 yards in receptions... longest career reception of 45 yards at Minnesota (11/30)... had 15-yard touchdown catch from Steve DeBerg off fake field goal vs. St. Louis (10/12)... started 13 games... **1985:** Played in all 16 games and had 26 receptions for 288 yards and three TDs... scored first TD on first career play at Chicago (9/8)... season-high five receptions for 74 yards vs. Green Bay (12/22)... credited with seven starts as second tight end (or U-back) after injury to Jerry Bell... **GAMES (STARTS):** 43(31); 1985 - 16(7); 1986 - 16(13); 1987 - 11(11).

COLLEGE: A three-year starter at Southern University in New Orleans... led team in receiving in each of three seasons as a starter... had 112-career receptions for 1,719 yards and 22 touchdowns... also did some placekicking... degree in sociology.

PERSONAL: Standout prep career at Booker T. Washington High School in native New Orleans... developed sure hands by throwing with older brother, Bobby, who was a standout quarterback... grew up within a mile of Louisiana Superdome... has been a soccer coach for the Tampa recreation department... has overcome offseason "Battle of the Bulge" each of the past three seasons, first gaining weight then shedding pounds to be ready for training camp... married, he and his wife, Rosie, have a daughter, Jade (2)... given name is Calvin Magee.

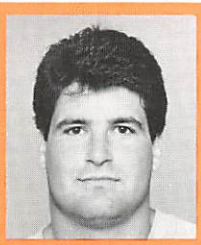
CAREER STATISTICS

			Receiving				
Year	Game	(Starts)	No.	Yards	Avg.	LG	TD
1985	16	(7)	26	288	11.1	35	3
1986	16	(13)	45	564	12.5	45	5
1987	11	(11)	34	424	12.5	37	3
TOTALS	43	(31)	105	1,276	12.2	45	11

CAREER RECEIVING HIGHS

No.	Yds.	Lg.	TD
8 at Chi. 12/7/86	98 vs. Chi. 10/25/87	45 vs. Minn. 11/30/86	1 11 times

RICK MALLORY
OG • 6-2 • 265 • #68



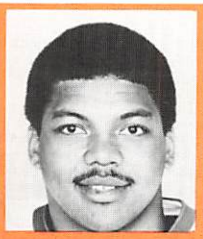
Born: October 21, 1960, Seattle, WA
Residence: Renton, WA
College: Washington
High School: Lindbergh (Renton, WA)
NFL Year: 4 Buc Year: 4
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the ninth round, 1984

PRO: Steady and reliable guard the past three seasons, he showed significant improvement in 1987... moved into the starting lineup last season and started 12 games in his first season as the regular at right guard... had been a spot starter the previous two seasons... **1987:** He and center Randy Grimes were only Buc offensive linemen to start 12 games... won right guard outright in preseason... **1986:** Played both guard positions and played all 16 games, starting one vs. Detroit (11/23) at right guard... **1985:** Started at right guard in five games and had three starts at left guard... first NFL start vs. New England (10/27)... first full season after sitting out the '84 season on injured reserve... **GAMES (STARTS):** 41(21); 1985 - 13(8); 1986 - 16(1); 1987 - 12(12).

COLLEGE: A first-team All-Pac 10 choice as a senior at Washington... a two-year starter at guard after making switch from tight end as a junior... lettered one season at tight end, starting three games in '81 and caught three passes for 36 yards... redshirted as a freshman... degree in political science.

PERSONAL: Prep All-America and two-year letterman at tight end and defensive end for Lindbergh High School in Renton, WA... all-state as a senior and all-league as a junior and senior... caught 24 passes his senior year and lettered in basketball and track... has contractor's license, built his own home in Seattle area in spring of '87... Eagle Scout... he and his wife, Shannon, have three sons, Ryan (7), Adam (5) and Cameron (2)... given name is Ricke Leroy Mallory.

EUGENE MARVE
LB • 6-2 • 240 • #99



Born: August 14, 1960, Flint, MI
Residence: Buffalo, NY
College: Saginaw Valley State
High School: Northern (Flint, MI)
NFL Year: 7 Buc Year: 1
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Buffalo in the third round, 1982
Buc Acquisition: Acquired from Buffalo for an eighth round draft choice in 1989 on June 13, 1988

PRO: Started 74 games in 76 appearances at inside linebacker for Buffalo, starting im-

mediately as a rookie in '82... led Bills in tackles three times ('83, '84 and '86) and second on team in two other seasons ('82 and '85)... has 750 career tackles and 5½ sacks... a third round draft choice by Buffalo in '82 and the 59th player chosen overall... **1987:** Dislocated elbow in fifth game of the season vs. Denver (11/8) and placed on IR (11/14) for the remainder of the season... finished year with 16 tackles... had 11 tackles in first two starts of the season... started Miami game following strike and then did not start following next against Washington... returned to starting lineup against Broncos... **1986:** Led Buffalo in tackles with 156... in double figures in eight of 16 games and season-high 17 tackles vs. Jets (10/5) and 16 vs. Cardinals (9/21)... finished with career-high 2½ sacks... started all 16 games... **1985:** Second leading tackler on team with 127 stops... in double-figures in five of 14 games with season-high 12 tackles vs. Minnesota (9/29)... missed first two games of season with knee injury... started 14 games... **1984:** Led Bills in tackles for second straight season with 188 tackles... had season-high 17 tackles at New England (11/11) and at NY Jets (12/8)... also had two 15-tackle games and a 12-tackle effort... **1983:** Led Buffalo in tackles for first time in his career with career-high 200 tackles... also had two sacks... career-high 21 tackles v. New England (10/23) and 17 tackles vs. Kansas City (12/4)... had double-figure tackles in 12 games... **1982:** Finished second on team with 63 tackles as a rookie starter at inside linebacker... started eight games in strike-shortened nine game season... had only interception of career at Tampa Bay (12/19)... a consensus All-Rookie selection... **GAMES (STARTS):** 76(74); 1982 - 9(8); 1983 - 16(16); 1984 - 16(16); 1985 - 14(14); 1986 - 16(16); 1987 - 5(4).

COLLEGE: A two-time NAIA All-America at Saginaw Valley State in Saginaw, MI... the first player in Saginaw Valley history to be honored as an All-America... a three-time choice on the All-Great Lakes Conference team... played defensive end as a junior before making switch to linebacker as a senior... finished career with 299 tackles, including career-high 124 tackles as a senior... also had 18 career sacks and two interceptions as a two-time MVP for the Lakers... graduated with a degree in criminal justice.

PERSONAL: A prep standout in football at Flint Northern High School in Flint, MI... also lettered in swimming and competed as an amateur boxer... Buffalo's NFL Man of the Year in 1985... active in the Buffalo community making numerous civic contributions... other interests include skiing... married, his wife's name is Julie... pronounced "marv."

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Sacks	Int.	Fumbles Fcd./Rec.
1982	Buffalo	9	(8)	63	1	1-0	2/1
1983	Buffalo	16	(16)	200	2	0-0	0/0
1984	Buffalo	16	(16)	188	0	0-0	1/3
1985	Buffalo	14	(14)	127	0	0-0	0/1
1986	Buffalo	16	(16)	156	2½	0-0	1/0
1987	Buffalo	5	(4)	16	0	0-0	0/0
TOTALS		76	(74)	750	5½	1-0	4/5

CAREER HIGHS

TACKLES	SACKS
21 VS. N.E. 10/23/83	1 Five Times

TOM McHALE
OL • 6-4 • 275 • #99



Born: February 25. 1963, Boston, MA
Residence: Gaithersburg, MD
College: Cornell
High School: Gaithersburg (MD)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Signed by Tampa Bay as a free agent, 1987

PRO: Making switch from defensive end to offensive line in '88... spent majority of season on injured reserve after injuring back during preseason... returned to active roster in week 11 at LA Rams (11/29) and had three tackles in NFL debut... also had a fumble recovery and one QB pressure against the Rams... saw relief action the following two weeks and had a season-high four tackles at New Orleans (12/6)... was not on Bucs' active roster vs. St. Louis (12/20)... free agent who impressed in camp prior to preseason injury... **GAMES (STARTS)** 3(0).

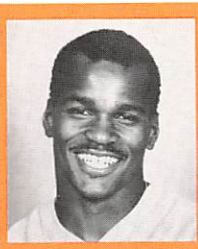
COLLEGE: A first-team Kodak and UPI Division I-AA All-America and All-Ivy League selection as a senior at Cornell in '86... Ivy League Defensive Player of the Year... finished fourth on the team in tackles with 74 and had 13½ sacks in his only full season at Cornell... played in three games in '85 as a junior but missed the remainder of the season after being ruled ineligible under NCAA transfer rule... came to Cornell after transferring from Maryland in '84... played two seasons ('82-'83) at Maryland and headed into his junior year as a starter before deciding to transfer... he, Dan Sileo and J.D. Maarleveld were all at Maryland in '84... earned Maryland Way Award given to hardest worker on the field and off the field... had 49 tackles and two sacks as a part-time starter as a sophomore... finishing his degree requirements in hotel administration in the Cornell School of Hotel Administration, recognized as the leading school in the hotel industry.

PERSONAL: A two-year letterwinner in both football and track at Gaithersburg (MD) High School... earned all-league and all-county honors in Washington D.C. area as a senior in football and was an all-state track performer as a senior... finished fifth in the shot put and third in discus... played one year of prep football at Wyoming Seminary in Kingston, Pennsylvania before enrolling at Maryland... spent past offseason in Ithaca, New York working towards his degree requirements in hotel administration from Cornell... enjoys cooking would like to own his own restuarant... specialty is ribs... enjoys tennis in his spare time... only second player in Buc history to hail from the Ivy League (defensive back Don Martin from Yale played in one game in '76)... given name is Thomas McHale.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Tackles For Loss	Sacks	QB Pressures	Fumbles Csd./Rec.
1987	3	(0)	8	0	0	2	0/1

SOLOMON MILLER
WR • 6-1 • 185 • #83



Born: December 6, 1964, Los Angeles, CA
Residence: Compton, CA
College: Utah State
High School: Compton (CA)
NFL Year: 3 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by New York Giants in the sixth round, 1986
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent, September 22, 1987

PRO: A sixth round draft choice by the Giants, he was a member of the '86 Super Bowl Champions as a rookie... played in all 16 games and started twice... waived by the Giants on 9/7/87 and signed as a free agent with the Bucs on 9/22/87... **1987:** Played in eight games with the Bucs after signing as a free agent... did not see any regular season action with the Giants... caught first pass as a Buc at Chicago (9/20)... had season-high two catches vs. San Francisco (11/22) for 42 yards... career-high 33-yard catch in that game... also had 31-yard reception at Indianapolis (12/27)... finished third on team with six kick coverage tackles... **1986:** Caught nine passes for 144 yards and two touchdowns as a rookie... touchdowns came against Seattle and Philadelphia... also had seven kickoff returns for 111 yards (15.9 avg.) and added six kick coverage tackles (two postseason kick coverage tackles)... played in three postseason games, including Super Bowl XXI... **GAMES (STARTS):** 24(2); Buc 8(0); 1986 - 16(2); 1987 - 8(0).

COLLEGE: A three-year starter and four year letterwinner at Utah State... caught 65 passes for 939 yards and three touchdowns during his collegiate career... had best season as a sophomore in '84 with 29 catches for 407 yards... equaled career-high five catches vs. USC and Fresno State that year... also lettered in track as a member of their sprint relay team... degree in sociology.

PERSONAL: A prep All-America sprinter at Compton (CA) High School... also an all-state and all-conference choice setting all-time school and conference single-game record with 19 catches for 187 yards and three touchdowns... originally a graphics arts major in college... given name is Solomon Miller.

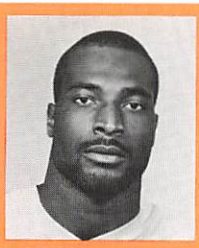
CAREER STATISTICS

			Receiving					Kickoff Ret.		
Year Team	Games	(Starts)	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.
1986 NY Giants	16	(2)	9	144	16.0	46	2	7	111	15.9
1987 Tampa Bay	8	(0)	5	97	19.4	33	0	3	68	22.7
TOTALS	24	(2)	14	241	17.2	46	2	10	179	17.9

CAREER HIGHS

RECEIVING			
No.	Yds.	Lg.	TD
3 at Sea. 10/19/86	46 at Sea. 10/19/86	32 at Sea. 10/19/86	1 vs. Phi 10/12/86 1 at Sea. 10/19/86
Additional Statistics: Kick Coverage Tackles (12): 1986 - 6; 1987 - 6.			

WINSTON MOSS
LB • 6-3 • 235 • #57



Born: December 24, 1965, Miami, FL
Residence: Miami, FL
College: Miami (FL)
High School: Southridge (Miami, FL)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the second round, 1987

PRO: Started season opener at right outside linebacker and made six starts there for the Bucs in '87... was one of seven rookies to start for Buc defense last season... finished the year with 32 tackles and 1½ sacks... also had seven QB pressures... also made five kick coverage tackles... recovered Mike Tomczak fumble in end zone for a touchdown vs. Chicago (10/25) and had four tackles in that game... had season-high seven tackles at St. Louis (11/8) and came up with first career sack against Neil Lomax in that game... his ½ sack came at Minnesota (11/15)... finished season with a strong performance at Indianapolis with six tackles (12/27)... played in 12 games... **GAMES (STARTS):** 12(6).

COLLEGE: Started all but two games in final two Miami seasons... finished his career with 248 tackles, 10 for losses, two sacks and three fumble recoveries... team leader on and off field... career-best 87 tackles as a senior, including career-high 17 tackles against Florida and 11 tackles vs. Oklahoma... played in four major bowl games as Hurricane... on one national title team ('84 Orange Bowl vs. Nebraska) and played for national title in final two years ('86 Sugar Bowl vs. Tennessee and '87 Fiesta Bowl vs. Penn State)... versatile player at Miami seeing action at both inside and outside linebacker and as a defensive end spot starting... 75 tackles as every-game strongside linebacker starter in '85... weakside linebacker and defensive end (29 tackles) as an '84 sophomore... had 57 tackles as a freshman in '83 as a defensive end... played in Japan Bowl following senior year and was coached by Ray Perkins in that game... degree in business management with minor in computer science.

PERSONAL: A standout prep performer in football and track at Miami's Southridge High School... all-state, all-county and all-city in football helping team to '82 state finals as a senior... named to Who's Who Among High School Football Players... set a school record in the shot put (57'4") and discus (177'6")... did not play football until sophomore year in high school when he was 5-9, 145 pounds... was a fourth string junior varsity fullback based on his 5.4 40-yard time... enjoys basketball and listening to music during his spare moments away from football... also is an avid computer games player often playing computer football and battle games against teammate Ray Isom... also enjoys test driving cars... one of six children with four graduating from college and one still in high school... given name is Winston N. Moss.

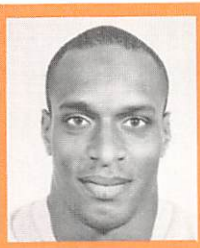
CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Tackles For Loss	Sacks	QB Pressures	Fumbles Csd./Rec.
1987	12	(6)	32	1	1½	7	0/1*

*Touchdown vs. Chicago 10/25/87

Additional Statistics: Kick Coverage Tackles: 1987 - 5.

KEVIN MURPHY
LB • 6-2 • 235 • #59



Born: September 8, 1963, Dallas, TX
Residence: Odessa, FL
College: Oklahoma
High School: Berkner (Richardson, TX)
NFL Year: 3 Buc Year: 3
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the second round, 1986

PRO: Has seen extensive duty as a right outside linebacker during first two seasons in Tampa Bay . . . also has been mainstay on Buc kick coverage teams with 22 tackles over past two seasons . . . 40th player chosen in the '86 draft with one of two pick acquired from Miami for Hugh Green (also Rod Jones) . . . **1987:** Pulled hamstring in season opener vs. Atlanta (9/13) caused him to miss following week's game at Chicago (9/20) . . . injury slowed him throughout most of '87 campaign missing games at Green Bay (11/1) and St. Louis (11/8) . . . had season-high four tackles at LA Rams (11/29) . . . finished with five kick coverage tackles . . . **1986:** Played in 16 games as rookie and finished season with 29 tackles . . . also caused three fumbles and was second on team with 18 kick coverage tackles . . . **GAMES (STARTS):** 25(0); 1986 - 16(0); 1987 - 9(0).

COLLEGE: Earned first-team All-America honors from **The Sporting News** and second team selection from AP, **College and Pro Football Newsweekly** and **Football News** as a senior . . . a three-time All-Big 8 selection, he finished his career as the Sooners' second all-time leading tackler among defensive linemen with 342, just ahead of former Buccaneer great Lee Roy Selmon's 324-career tackles . . . UPI Big 8 Player of the Year in '83 when he had 144 tackles, six for losses, and seven sacks . . . named second-team All-America following that year . . . missed '84 season with a foot injury . . . led Sooners in tackles as a senior with 93 and a team-leading eight tackles for losses and five sacks . . . finished career with 12 sacks and 24 tackles for losses . . . graduated with degree in marketing.

PERSONAL: All-district running back for Berkner High School in Richardson, Texas . . . active in Tampa Bay area "Say No To Drugs" program . . . enjoys photography and music . . . other hobbies include horseback riding, cards and dominoes . . . wife's name is Sheri . . . given name is Kevin Dion Murphy.

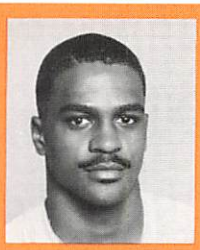
CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Tackles For Loss	Sacks	QB Pressures	Fumbles Csd./Rec.
1986	16	(0)	29	2	0	1	3/1*
1987	9	(0)	11	0	0	3	*1/0
TOTALS	25	(0)	40	2	0	4	4/1

*Occurred while involved in kick coverage

Additional Statistics: Kick Coverage Tackles: 1986 - 22; 1987 - 4; total - 26.

FRANK PILLOW
WR • 5-10 • 170 • #80

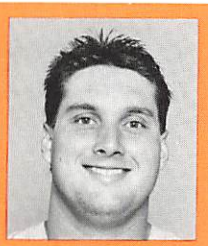


Born: March 11, 1965, Nashville, TN
Residence: Nashville, TN
College: Tennessee State
High School: Whites Creek (Nashville, TN)
NFL Year: Rookie
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the 11th round, 1988

COLLEGE: Late round pick with good speed... improved each year at Tennessee State... finished career with 58 catches for 928 yards and four touchdowns... **1987:** Enjoyed his finest season at Tennessee State... only started and played in eight games but still led team in receptions (37) and yards (597)... averaged 16.1 yards per catch and scored four touchdowns... **1986:** Caught 10 passes for 158 yards as a junior... mainly used as a third wide receiver in passing situations... team reached quarterfinals of NCAA Divsion I-AA playoffs before losing to Nevada-Reno (led by Buc linebacker Henry Rolling)... **1985:** Had productive sophomore season with 11 catches for 173 yards... was used as a backup wide receiver... **1984:** Did not catch a pass as a freshman wide receiver... saw spot duty on offense... mainly used on special teams... majored in industrial arts... **Draft Position:** The 279th player chosen overall in the '88 draft.

PERSONAL: An all-state and all-city wide receiver at Whites Creek High School in Nashville, TN... also an all-state performer on the track team... interests include basketball and music... his father, Frank, Sr., was an outstanding NFL prospect as a defensive back at Tennessee State, but a broken neck ended his career... engaged to be married to his high school sweetheart Tracy Cox... given name is William Frank Pillow, Jr.

DON PUMPHREY
OT • 6-4 • 270 • #61



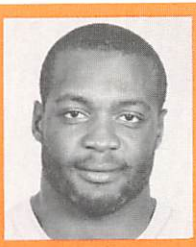
Born: November 22, 1963, Tallahassee, FL
Residence: Tallahassee, FL
College: Valdosta State
High School: Lincoln (Tallahassee, FL)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Signed by Tampa Bay as a free agent, 1987

PRO: Started all three replacement games at tackle for the Buccaneers in '87... waived following replacement games... originally signed as a free agent by the Bucs in '87 and later waived in preseason before being re-signed on replacement roster... signed by the USFL's Tampa Bay Bandits in '86 but league folded... played for Connecticut Giants (semi-pro) in between '87 stints with the Bucs... **GAMES (STARTS):** 3(3).

COLLEGE: A three-year letterwinner as a tackle at Valdosta State ('84-'86) in Valdosta, GA... honorable mention All-Gulf South Conference as a senior... transferred to Valdosta State from N.E. Oklahoma J.C.... majored in physical education.

PERSONAL: An All-Big Bend Conference prep lineman at Lincoln High School in Tallahassee... an accomplished scuba diver... interests include golf, astronomy and reading (often quotes Shakespeare and Mark Twain)... active in community during the offseason in the Tampa Bay area... does a radio talk show in Tallahassee (Sports Talk on WTAL)... born the morning of JFK's assassination... given name is Donald Anson Pumphrey, Jr.

ERVIN RANDLE
LB • 6-1 • 250 • #54



Born: October 12, 1962, Hearne, TX
Residence: Waco, TX
College: Baylor
High School: Hearne (TX)
NFL Year: 4 Buc Year: 4
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the third round, 1985

PRO: Punishing tackler who emerged as a Pro Bowl candidate at inside linebacker in his first season as a full-time starter... named UPI second-team All-NFC following outstanding '87 campaign... had spent the previous two season as a backup and the Bucs' top special teams player... **1987:** Led Bucs in tackles with 108, solos (79) and assists (29)... recorded double-figure tackles in six of last seven games and had 76 total tackles in those contests... posted career-high 14 tackles at Minnesota (11/15) and vs. San Francisco (11/22)... also had a team-high 13 solo tackles in that 49er contest... had 11 tackles three times—at Rams (11/29), vs. Cardinals (12/20) and at Indianapolis (12/27)... started all 12 games he appeared in... tackle of Neal Anderson vs. Chicago (10/25) selected by NFL Films as "Hit of the Year"... **1986:** Moved from outside linebacker spot to inside and saw duty there in all 16 games as a backup... finished the year with 30 tackles and led team with 21 kick coverage tackles... **1985:** Played in all 16 games and started final seven games at outside linebacker as a rookie... finished with 60 tackles and led team with 16 kick coverage tackles... had first NFL start vs. St. Louis (11/10)... season-high nine tackles at Jets (11/17) and first career interception vs. Detroit (11/24)... was 56th player taken in the '85 draft... **GAMES (STARTS):** 44(19); 1985 - 16(7); 1986 - 16(0); 1987 - 12(12).

COLLEGE: A first-team All-SWC choice at Baylor as a senior defensive end and junior linebacker... finished senior campaign with 80 tackles, eight for losses and three fumble recoveries... also an honorable mention All-America as a junior and senior... finished his career with 294 tackles, 25 for losses... played in all 44 games while at Baylor and started final 33 games... career-best 95 tackles as a junior... captained team as a junior... majored in physical education.

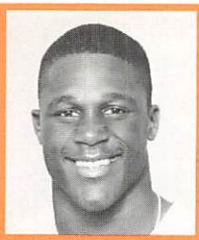
PERSONAL: Raised in tiny Mumford, Texas, described as a "suburb" of Hearne (pop. 4,982)... a three-position star at noseguard, fullback and linebacker at Hearne High School where he earned all-district selection and Player of the Year honors as a junior and senior... active member of Pro Athletes For Christ... married, he and his wife, Cindy, have three sons, Cameron (4), Perry (3) and Ben (born 10/87)... given name is Ervin Randle.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Tackles For Loss	Sacks	QB Pressures	Int.	Passes Def.	Fumbles Csd./Rcvd.
1985	16	(7)	60	3	1	7	1-0	2	3/1
1986	16	(0)	30	0	½	1	0-0	0	1/0
1987	12	(12)	108	3	0	7	0-0	3	0/1
TOTALS	44	(19)	198	6	1½	15	1-0	5	4/2

Additional Statistics: Kick Coverage Tackles (39): 1985 - 16; 1986 - 21; 1987 - 2.

RICKY REYNOLDS
CB • 5-11 • 190 • #29



Born: January 19, 1965, Sacramento, CA
Residence: Sacramento, CA
College: Washington State
High School: Burbank (Sacramento, CA)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the second round, 1987

PRO: Outstanding rookie season at demanding left cornerback position leading defensive backs with 70 tackles and 16 passes defensed while starting 12 games... oustanding reactions and closing speed... 70 tackles tied for second on entire defense ... chosen with eighth pick of the second round (36th overall), obtained in draft day switch with Buffalo (Reynolds was player Bucs wanted all along in trading down seven spots)... teams with Rod Jones to give Tampa Bay outstanding tandem of young corners... season-high eight tackles vs. both San Francisco (11/22) and St. Louis (12/20)... big day vs. Chicago (10/25) with six tackles, two passes defensed and one fumble caused in addition to pair of kick coverage tackles... tabbed by **Pro Football Weekly** as NFL's top rookie cornerback and 1987 NFC Pro Bowl-caliber player... **GAMES (STARTS):** 12(12).

COLLEGE: Three-year starter for Washington State, he finished his career with 179 tackles, four blocked kicks and six interceptions... led 1986 Cougars with 12 defensed passes and three blocked kicks while finishing second on the team in tackles with 77... blocked two field goals in one game (vs. San Jose State)... one interception in 1986... also led team in passes defensed as a junior with 10... returned a blocked punt 35 yards for a touchdown during 1985 junior season while topping team with 10 passes defensed and making two interceptions... also led team in passes defensed as a sophomore and finished career with 27 passes defensed... played in Blue-Gray Game following senior year... returned to Washington State in offseason to continue work on degree in sociology.

PERSONAL: All-Northern California and all league at Luther Burbank High School in Sacramento as a running back and defensive back... also a top sprinter on the track team (10.6 in the 100 meters)... his wife, Pamela Qualls Reynolds, was also a track star at Burbank High School and now ranks among America's top women sprinters while still competing for Washington State (personal best 11.26 in 100 meters and 23.21 in the 200)... she has finished in top three in both events in the last two Pac-10 meets and qualified for the US Olympic Trials... Ricky is a cousin to baseball player Jerry Royster... father is a telecommunications specialist... enjoys putting complicated jigsaw puzzles together... always smiling, he enjoys working with children... given name is Derrick Scott Reynolds.

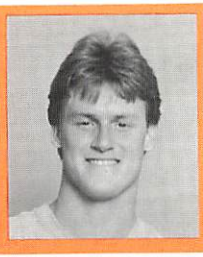
CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Tackles For Loss	Int.	Passes Def.	Fumbles Csd./Rec.
1987	12	(12)	70	1	0-0	16	2/0

CAREER HIGHS

TACKLES	SACKS
8 vs. S.F. 11/22/87	None
Additional Statistics: Kick Coverage Tackles: 1987 - 3.	

MONTE ROBBINS
P • 6-4 • 210 • #19

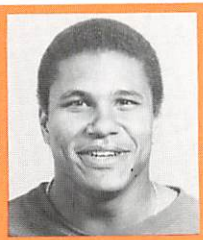


Born: September 19, 1964, Great Bend, KS
Residence: Great Bend, KS
College: Michigan
High School: Great Bend (KS)
NFL Year: Rookie
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the fourth round, 1988

COLLEGE: The highest drafted punter in Tampa Bay history (Tommy Barnhardt, 9th round in '86 and Greg Davis, 9th round in '87)... boasted one of the top punting averages in the nation over the past three seasons... holds Michigan career punting record with a 42.6 yard average... also owns Michigan record for longest punt with 82 yarder at Hawaii... only had one punt blocked in 177 career punts during his four years as the Wolverine punter... **1987:** All-Big Ten honorable mention as a senior with 43.6-yard punting average... season-long 71-yarder vs. Minnesota... averaged 52.3 yards vs. Michigan State and a 49.8-yard average vs. Minnesota... had outstanding Hall of Fame Bowl game vs. Alabama with six punts for 42.5 yard average, with only one returned for six yards... **1986:** AP and UPI honorable mention All-Big Ten... ranked sixth in the nation in punting with a 44.1 yards, but did not have enough punts to qualify for title... had two 50+-yard punting games... career-high and team record 86-yarder vs. Hawaii... **1985:** Including bowl game, punted 48 times without a block for a 40.4 average... season-high 59 yarder vs. Illinois... **1984:** Punted for a 43.6 yard average in first season as Michigan punter... that figure ranked as the ninth best in Big Ten history and 20th in the country... longest punt was a 78-yarder vs. Michigan State... **1983:** Redshited as a freshman... graduated with a degree in communications with an emphasis in radio and television... **Draft Position:** Tampa Bay's third pick in the fourth round after switching positions with San Francisco... the 107th player chosen overall in the '88 draft.

PERSONAL: Captain of football and basketball team at Great Bend (KS) High School... played in the Midwest Classic All-Star game following senior season... also led basketball team in scoring and rebounding as a senior... interests include hunting, snow and water skiing, softball and basketball... interned with a television production company in Detroit... given name is Monte Rex Robbins.

MARK ROBINSON
DB • 5-11 • 200 • #30



Born: September 13, 1962, Washington, D.C.
Residence: Overland Park, KS
College: Penn State
High School: John F. Kennedy, (Silver Spring, MD)
NFL Year: 5 Buc Year: 1
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Kansas City in the fourth round, 1984
Buc Acquisition: Acquired from Kansas City for Steve DeBerg and a fourth round 1988 draft choice on April 1, 1988.

PRO: Traded to the Bucs on 4/1/88 (for quarterback Steve DeBerg and a fourth round draft choice) after four seasons in Kansas City where he played both free and strong safety... was a key figure in Kansas City's top notch secondary despite being mainly used as a backup behind Pro Bowlers Deron Cherry and Lloyd Burruss... saw extensive duty when used in "dime" defensive sets... started eight games with the Chiefs,

ROBINSON (cont.)

including final four games in '87... played three seasons for Buc defensive coordinator Doug Graber when Graber was secondary coach in Kansas City... also key special teams player for the Chiefs with 61 career kick coverage tackles... **1987:** Started final four games in'87 with three starts coming at free safety and one on the strong side... finished the year with a career-high 42 tackles and two interceptions (third on team)... recorded 29 tackles, two fumble recoveries and an interception in four '87 starts... returned five kickoffs for 97 yards... **1986:** Played in nine games and started three, missing seven games at midseason because of bruised thigh... still came up with 43 tackles... was having best season when injured in sixth game after starting three of the previous four games... had career-high 12 tackles vs. Raiders (10/5)... fourth on team with 17 kick coverage tackles and blocked a punt in season opener vs. Cincinnati (9/7)... **1985:** Played in 11 games missing first five because of sprained ankle... first NFL start at San Diego (10/13) and had nine tackles, ½ sack and two QB pressures... finished the year with 25 tackles and two sacks (tied for lead among defensive backs)... **1984:** Played in all 16 games as a rookie and was second on team with 22 kick coverage stops... finished the year with 16 defensive tackles... **GAMES (STARTS):** 48(8); 1984 - 16(0); 1985 - 11(1); 1986 - 9(3); 1987 - 12(4).

COLLEGE: A first-team All-America at defensive back as a junior on Penn State's '82 national title team... a broken ankle midway through his senior year ended his season... finished collegiate career with 180 tackles and nine interceptions... big game in national title tilt against Georgia in Sugar Bowl with nine tackles, two interceptions and three passes defensed... owns Penn State record of 108 yards in interceptions set as a sophomore in '81 vs. Pitt... returned Dan Marino interception for 91-yard touchdown in that game... 92-yard punt return as a sophomore vs. Rutgers is second longest in Penn State history... an Academic All-America, he has degree in finance.

PERSONAL: Led John F. Kennedy High School in Silver Spring, Maryland to back-to-back state titles as a running back and defensive back... brother, Eric, was a standout running back at Indiana State and later a running back and return specialist for the Washington Federals in the USFL... received his MBA degree from Rockhurst College in May of '88... interests include golf, fishing, tennis, basketball and reading... worked with inner city high school students in Kansas City area... married, he and his wife Melinda have one daughter, Jordan, born 10/4/87... given name is Mark Leon Robinson.

CAREER STATISTICS

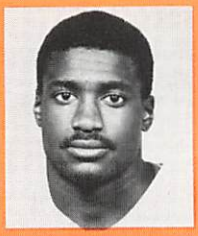
Year	Team	Games	(Starts)	Tackles	Int.	Passes Def.	Sacks	Fumbles Csd./Rec.
1984	Kansas City	16	(0)	16	0	2	0	1/0
1985	Kansas City	11	(1)	25	1-20	2	2	0/1
1986	Kansas City	9	(3)	43	0	3	0	0/0
1987	Kansas City	12	(4)	42	2-42	2	0	0/2
TOTALS		48	(8)	126	3-62	9	2	1/3

CAREER HIGHS

TACKLES	INTERCEPTIONS
12 vs. Raiders 10/25/86	1 Three Times

Additional Statistics: Kick Coverage Tackles (61): 1984 - 22; 1985 - 13; 1986 - 17; 1987 - 9. Kickoff Returns (5-97): 1987 - 5-97.

HENRY ROLLING
LB • 6-2 • 225 • #55



Born: September 8, 1965, Fort Eustis, VA
Residence: Las Vegas, NV
College: Nevada-Reno
High School: Basic (Henderson, NV)
NFL Year: 1 Buc Year: 1
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the fifth round, 1987

PRO AND COLLEGE: Spent rookie season on injured reserve with problem hamstring, originally pulled in preseason... talented athlete... Tampa Bay's fifth round draft choice and 135th pick overall in the '86 draft... a Division I-AA All-America and the Big Sky Conference Defensive Player of the Year as a senior at Nevada-Reno... led the team with 17 sacks and finished with 60 tackles (19 for losses)... captain of '86 team that went 13-1 and reached Division I-AA national semifinal game, losing to Georgia Southern... forced three fumbles and had two interceptions as a senior... originally a wide receiver at Nevada-Reno before making switch to linebacker as a sophomore... finished career with 32 sacks... outstanding East-West Shrine Game following senior year when he had 16 tackles and intercepted a pass... has degree in electrical engineering.

PERSONAL: Comes from a military family... born in Virginia, moved to Japan when he was two, back to Virginia at five, to West Germany at eight and Las Vegas at 14 where he was a first team all-state wide receiver and defensive back at Basic High School in Henderson (NV)... played freshman year at West Germany military base... a three-sport star in high school in football, basketball and baseball... led basketball team with 18.5 scoring average and 11.5 rebounds as a senior... father is a master sergeant in Army and mother is a nurse and real estate salesperson... one of four children, his older brother, Sid, is a medical student at Nevada-Reno... given name is Henry Lee Rolling.

DAN SILEO
NT • 6-2 • 265 • #93



Born: January 3, 1964, Stamford, CT
Residence: Stamford, CT
College: Miami (FL)
High School: Stamford Catholic (CT)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the third round of supplemental draft, 1987

PRO: Obtained by the Bucs in September, 1987 supplemental draft for a third round draft choice in the '88 draft... joined the Bucs week of Chicago game (9/20) but did not play in that game... played his first NFL game vs. Chicago (10/25) (it was his first game action since Fiesta Bowl 1/2/87)... saw increased playing time as season progressed... played in 10 games and finished year with 14 tackles and two QB pressures... had season-high four tackles in season finale at Indianapolis (12/27)... **GAMES (STARTS):** 10(0).

COLLEGE: Touted as an Outland Trophy hopeful in his final year at Miami, but was ruled ineligible by the NCAA prior to Miami's opener against Florida... ruled his eligibility had expired due to enrollment at college associated with the University of Maryland

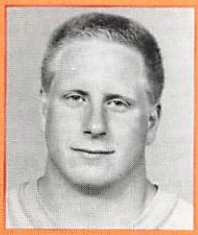
SILEO (cont.)

in 1982... started final seven games for Hurricanes in '86 and finished fifth in tackles with 84 and led team with eight tackles for loss... recorded double figure tackles in all but three of his starts with season-high 13 vs. Cincinnati... named an honorable mention UPI All-America... sat out '84 and '85 seasons because of transfer from Maryland to Cincinnati and then transferred to Miami following '84 season at Cincinnati... earned a letter at Maryland as a freshman in '83... majored in business.

PERSONAL: Earned prep All-America honors as a defensive lineman at Stamford Catholic (CT)... helped team to small-school state title as a senior... is part-owner in Valentine's, along with Texas Ranger manager Bobby Valentine, a sports restaurant in Stamford... interests include weightlifting and collecting hats... cousin of Cleveland Browns' nose tackle Dave Puzzuoli... given name is Daniel William Sileo.

MIKE SIMMONDS

OG • 6-4 • 290 • #62



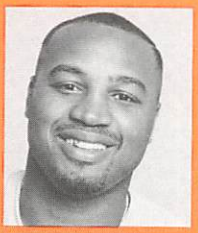
Born: August 12, 1964, Belleville, IL
Residence: Millstadt, IL
College: Indiana State
High School: West Belleville (IL)
NFL Year: 1 Bucs Year: 1
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the 10th round, 1987

PRO AND COLLEGE: Spent entire 1987 season on injured reserve after breaking fibula during preseason... Ray Perkins is high on his potential to play guard in the NFL... 252nd overall choice in the '87 draft... a Division I-AA All-America as a senior at Indiana State in 1986 and only the fourth player in Sycamore history to earn that honor... also an honorable mention choice as a junior on the All-America team... a two-time All-Missouri Valley selection as a junior and senior... also an All-Gateway Conference first-time choice as a senior... started 46 consecutive games at Indiana State... has a degree in general studies.

PERSONAL: All-area, all-conference and all-state selection at West Belleville (IL) High School... was 190-pound tackle in high school... conditioned himself in college by pushing a pickup truck back and forth through a parking lot... a devoted worker in the weight room, he is a member of the 1,000-pound club at Indiana State with a 445 squat, 420 bench press and 285 in the power clean... also enjoys the outdoors... given name is Michael Todd Simmonds.

ANTHONY SIMPSON

RB • 5-9 • 245 • #21



Born: December 21, 1964, Elizabeth City, NC
Residence: Brooklyn, NY
College: East Carolina
High School: Thomas Jefferson (Brooklyn, NY)
NFL Year: Rookie
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the eighth round, 1988

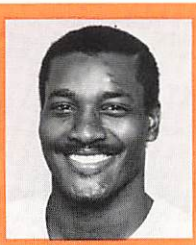
COLLEGE: Powerful and stocky inside runner... an efficient blocker... led East Carolina in rushing as a junior and senior and in total offense both of those seasons... finished career with 2,034 yards rushing and had 22 receptions for 223

yards... also had 16 rushing touchdowns and one TD reception... **1987:** Led the Pirates in rushing with 670 yards and seven touchdowns... also had nine receptions for 90 yards... started every game at fullback... season-high 112 yards and two touchdowns vs. defending Division I-AA national champion Georgia Southern... also had a two touchdown effort vs. Cincinnati... **1986:** Led the team in rushing with 753 yards and in total offense with 837 yards... had eight catches for 84 yards... only offensive player to start all 11 games... season-high 131 yards vs. Georgia Southern... **1985:** Started seven games at fullback as a sophomore and finished second on team in rushing with 488 yards... led team with four touchdowns... season-high 72 yards vs. Miami... **1984:** Played in eight games with one start as a redshirt freshman... finished season with 123 yards rushing on 28 attempts... **1983:** Redshirted as a freshman... graduated with a degree in secondary education with an emphasis on teaching driver education... **Draft Position:** The 198th player chosen overall in the '88 draft.

PERSONAL: Named to the **New York Daily News** all-scholastic team as a junior linebacker and as a senior fullback at Thomas Jefferson High School in Brooklyn... selected to All-Big 44 team in New York City... comes from same high school as former Ohio State and Green Bay Packers' great John Brockington... enjoys recreational activities, including bowling, basketball and fishing... interests also include cooking (spaghetti is his specialty)... second of seven children... married, his wife's name is Wanda... given name is Anthony Stephen Simpson.

DON SMITH

RB • 5-11 • 195 • #47



Born: October 30, 1963, Hamilton, MS
Residence: Hamilton, MS
College: Mississippi State
High School: Hamilton (MS)
NFL Year: 1 Buc Year: 1
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the second round, 1987

PRO: Injured for entire rookie season in '87... fractured fibula during preseason and then injured back and later required surgery... drafted by Bucs as a running back after outstanding career as a college quarterback... scored two preseason touchdowns prior to injury... first played running back at Senior Bowl and earned South Offensive Player of the Game honors (47-yard TD reception)... had gone into the '87 season as a starter at halfback before preseason injury against Washington... given clean bill of health this season and will again compete for starting spot in Buc backfield... second of three 1987 Tampa Bay second round draft selections (51st player taken overall) with pick acquired from New England.

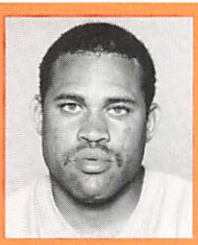
COLLEGE: One of the most prolific all-purpose quarterbacks is SEC history at Mississippi State... his 2,886 yards in total offense (2,332 passing, 554 rushing) as a junior in '85 was the second best mark among quarterbacks for a single-season in the SEC... an All-SEC first-team choice as a senior when he accounted for 2,349 yards in total offense (1,609 passing, 740 rushing)... totaled 7,097 total offense during his four seasons at Mississippi State (5,229 passing, 1,868 rushing)... he led the Bulldogs in passing and rushing each of his three seasons as the starting quaterback... led the SEC in total offense as a junior and senior... established 17 school records for the Bulldogs... had 10 100-yard rushing games during his career... started 32 of final 33 games at quarterback... accounted for 52 career touchdowns at Mississippi State (31 passing, 21 rushing)... career-best 377 total yards vs. Tulane in '85... also had career-best 21 touchdowns as a junior in '85 (15 passing, six rushing)... rushed for a career-high

nine touchdowns as a sophomore... voted SEC "Workhorse" as a junior with 502 rushes and passes from scrimmage... has four of the top eight total yards games in Mississippi State history... saw mainly kick coverage duty as a freshman... majored in psychology.

PERSONAL: All-South and all-state quarterback at Hamilton High School in Hamilton, Mississippi... led high school to 46 consecutive wins and two straight Class B state titles... ran for 152 yards in '82 state title win over Decatur... threw for 2,015 yards and 28 touchdowns, while rushing for 506 yards as a high school senior... also standout prep basketball and baseball player... 13th and final child in his family, born one day before Halloween... raised in Hamilton by his mother... married, he and his wife Erica, have one son, Si'mariol Dione Mikel... given name is Donald Michael Smith.

JEFF SMITH

RB • 5-9 • 205 • #35



Born: March 22, 1962, Wichita, KS
Residence: Lincoln, NE
College: Nebraksa
High School: Southeast (Wichita, KS)
NFL Year: 4 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted in the 10th round by Kansas City, 1985
Buc Acquisition: Acquired from Kansas City for a 1988 eighth round draft choice on September 3, 1987

PRO: A productive multi-purpose back at Kansas City and with Tampa Bay... started nine games at tailback for '87 Bucs after acquisition in trade (9/3)... in his two seasons in Kansas City he compiled more all-purpose yards than any other Chief with 2,199 yards (356 rushing yards, 387 receiving yards, 1,211 kickoff return yards and 245 punt return yards)... continued that all-purpose effort last year in first season with Tampa Bay totaling 590 all-purpose yards... ranks fourth on Kansas City's all-time kickoff return list with 62 and sixth in yards with 1,211... **1987:** Played in 12 games and started nine... finished with 590 all-purpose yards (309 rushing, 197 receiving and 84 kickoff return)... first Buc start vs. Chicago (10/25) and caught a 28-yard TD pass from Steve DeBerg on a flea flicker... led Buc rushers at Green Bay (11/1) with 18 carries for 43 yards and one rushing touchdown... had team-high 19 carries for 48 yards at St. Louis (11/8) and had three catches for 43 yards, including a 34-yard TD grab... had career-high and 1987 team-high 46-yard run at LA Rams (11/29)... **1986:** Had a team-high 1,270 all-purpose yards in Kansas City... produced over 100 all-purpose yards in six games... ranked second on Chiefs with six touchdowns (three rushing, three receiving)... also led Chiefs rushers with 4.4 yard average... 32-yard touchdown run vs. Bucs (10/26) was winning score... led KC running backs with 33 catches... career-high six catches at Denver (11/16)... ranked eighth in AFC in punt returns with 8.4 average... **1985:** Posted 929 all-purpose yards as a rookie and Mack Lee Hill Award... had career-high 82 receiving yards vs. Pittsburgh (11/10), including a career-high 45-yard TD catch... had career-high 186 all-purpose yards vs. Indianapolis... missed final three games of season with sprained ankle... **GAMES (STARTS):** 40(10); Buc 12(9); 1985 - 13(1); 1986 - 15(0); 1987 - 12(9).

COLLEGE: Finished career at Nebraska with 3,239 all-purpose yards (1,992 rushing, 247 receiving, 665 punt returns and 335 kickoff returns)... also had 23 career touchdowns (19 rushing, 2 receiving, 2 punt returns)... honorable mention All-America choice as a senior with 935 rushing yards on 177 carries and 15.0 punt return average... ave-

raged 6.3 yards a rush at Nebraska, including a career-high 10.2 yard average as a redshirt sophomore... big game in '84 Orange Bowl against Miami for national title when he replaced Mike Rozier and had nine rushes for 99 yards and two touchdowns, including 24-yard TD run... majored in criminal justice.

PERSONAL: An all-state running back at Wichita Southeast High School in Wichita, Kansas... interests include reading, bowling and fishing... an avid adventure moviegoer, with favorites including **Rambo** and **Terminator**... continues to work towards his degree in criminal justice... given name is Jeff Keith Smith.

CAREER STATISTICS

			Rushing					Receiving				
Year	Team	G (Starts)	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD
1986	Kansas City	13 (1)	30	118	3.9	27	0	18	157	8.7	45t	2
1986	Kansas City	15 (0)	54	238	4.4	32	3	33	230	7.0	18	3
1987	Tampa Bay	12 (9)	100	309	3.1	46	2	20	197	9.9	34t	2
TOTALS		40 (10)	184	665	3.6	46	5	71	584	8.2	34t	7

CAREER HIGHS

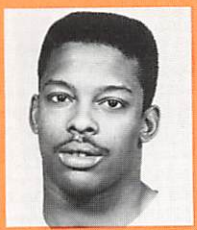
RUSHING			
No.	Yds.	Lg.	TD
19 at St.L 11/8/87	55 vs. Ind. 11/24/85	46 at Rams 11/29/87	1 Five Times

RECEIVING			
No.	Yds.	Lg.	TD
6 at Den. 11/16/86	82 vs. Pgh. 11/10/85	45 vs. Pgh. 11/10/85	2 vs. Pgh. 11/10/85

Additional Statistics: Kickoff Returns (67-1,295): 1985 - 33(644); 1986 - 29(557); 1987 - 4(84). Career-Long Kickoff Return: 39, at Houston 11/3/85. Punt Returns (29-245): 1985 - 0(0); 1986 - 29(245). Career-Long Punt Return: 48, vs. San Diego 10/19/86.

HARRY SWAYNE

DE • 6-5 • 270 • #70



Born: February 2, 1965, Philadelphia, PA
Residence: Edison, NJ
College: Rutgers
High School: Cardinal Dougherty (Philadelphia, PA)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the seventh round, 1987

PRO: Showed potential at defensive end after coming off injured reserve prior to game at Green Bay (11/1)... played in eight games and earned two starts... missed three games on IR with broken wrist suffered in final preseason game at Indianapolis... finished

SWAYNE (cont.)

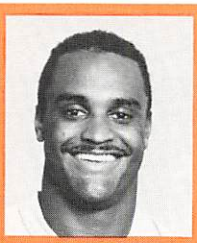
the season with 12 tackles and three QB pressures... first NFL start at New Orleans (12/6) and came up with four tackles... started the following week for injured Ron Holmes vs. Detroit (12/13) and equalled season-high four tackles... **GAMES (STARTS):** 8(2).

COLLEGE: Injury plagued throughout most of collegiate career at Rutgers... opened the '86 season with a sack and three tackles in first half vs. Boston College before straining a knee ligament that forced him to miss next two games... finished '86 campaign with nine starts, 51 tackles, five sacks, nine tackles for loss and three fumble recoveries... strained knee ligament vs. Penn State as a junior and then injured ankle in first week of practice after knee injury... ended up only starting five games... missed most of sophomore season with tonsillectomy... finished career with eight sacks and 12 tackles for loss... majored in sports management.

PERSONAL: Did not attract many scholarship offers despite all-city honors at Philadelphia's Cardinal Doughtery High School... led Doughtery to Catholic League title in 1982 with a 10-2 record... worked for West Tampa Boys and Girls Club as part of degree requirements in sports management during the offseason... passionate fan of the Philadelphia 76ers... given name is Harry Vonray Swayne.

LARS TATE

RB • 6-2 • 215 • #34



Born: February 2, 1966, Indianapolis, IN
Residence: Smyrna, GA
College: Georgia
High School: North Central (Indianapolis, IN)
NFL Year: Rookie
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the second round, 1988

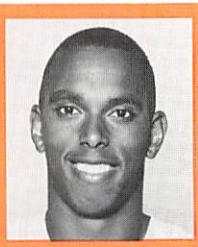
COLLEGE: A two-time first-team All-SEC running back and the second leading rusher and scorer in Georgia history behind Herschel Walker... straight-ahead slashing style resembles James Wilder... finished career with 3,017 yards rushing and 37 touchdowns... also had 40 career catches for 376 yards... the first player in Bulldog history to lead the team in rushing (954), receiving (22) and scoring (102) in a single season as a junior in '86... his 17 TDs tied Heisman Trophy winners Herschel Walker and Frank Sinkwich for second most TDs in a season... shares Georgia record for most touchdowns (4) and points (24) in a single-game achieved on two occasions... played in four bowl games with the Bulldogs (Citrus, Sun, Hall of Fame and Liberty)... finished career with 4.9 yard average per rush... **1987:** A first-team All-SEC choice (UPI) and AP honorable mention All-America as a senior... led Georgia in rushing with career-high 1,016 yards (4.9 avg.) and 14 touchdowns... averaged 4.9 yards a carry... had an additional 14 catches for 149 yards... rushed for a career-high 218 yards in season opener vs. Virginia Tech, becoming the first Bulldog rusher to gain over 200 yards since Herschel Walker in '82... tied school record with four touchdowns vs. Oregon State and also had 132 yards rushing in that contest... rushed for 118 yards vs. South Carolina... had two-touchdown effort vs. rival Florida... **1986:** a first-team All-SEC selection as a junior and a UPI honorable mention All-America... led the team in rushing (954), receiving (22) and scoring (17 TDs for 102 points)... 102 points is the third best mark in Georgia history and his 9.27 points per game was third highest in the nation... 17 TDs was the second-best single-season total in Georgia history... rushed for 131 yards and equaled school record four touchdowns vs. Richmond... SEC Offensive Player of the Week following 154 yards rushing and three touchdowns vs. Georgia Tech... averaged 5.1 yards per rush... **1985:** Was a part-time starter at tailback as a sophomore... finished the year with 626 yards rushing (6.0 avg.) and five touchdowns (3 rush, 2 rec.)... had season-high 120 yards vs. Georgia Tech... also had 92 yards rushing vs. Kentucky

and 96 vs. Clemson... **1984:** Played as a freshman, with one start vs. Alabama... finished freshman campaign with 421 yards rushing and three touchdowns... gained 67 yards in first start of his collegiate career vs. Alabama... had season-high 89 yards vs. Kentucky... majored in marketing education... **Draft Position:** The 53rd player chosen overall in the '88 draft... Bucs were able to secure him late in second round after draft day trades with Philadelphia and San Francisco.

PERSONAL: A **Parade** All-America running back after outstanding prep career at North Central High School in Indianapolis, IN... also a first-team all-state selection after rushing for 1,417 yards (9.5 avg.) and 14 touchdowns as a senior... rushed for 1,400 yards and scored 23 touchdowns as a junior... also ran track... interests include jazz music and movies... favorite music performer is Herbie Hancock... youngest of five children... given name is Lars Jamel Tate.

GENE TAYLOR

WR • 6-2 • 190 • #85



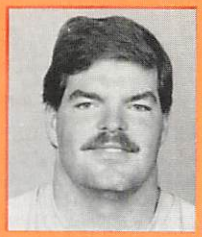
Born: November 12, 1962, Oakland, CA
Residence: Oakland, CA
College: Fresno State
High School: Salesian (Oakland, CA)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by New England in the sixth round, 1987
Buc Acquisition: Claimed on waivers from New England on September 1, 1987

PRO: Showed significant improvement throughout the course of his rookie campaign for the Bucs in '87... has impressed Ray Perkins with progress in offseason conditioning program... played in seven games in '87 with most playing time coming in season finale at Indianapolis (12/27)... made his only two catches of the season vs. Colts for 21 yards... both receptions went for first downs... saw extensive duty on kick coverage team coming up with four tackles... originally a sixth round draft choice by New England in '87 (163rd player chosen overall), he was cut during preseason and claimed on waivers by Tampa Bay on 9/1/87... subsequently waived by the Bucs on 9/7/87 and re-signed on 9/8/87... **GAMES (STARTS):** 7(0).

COLLEGE: Favorite passing target of NCAA record setting quarterback Kevin Sweeney... finished career with 56 catches for 937 yards and seven touchdowns... came to Fresno State after playing two seasons at Contra Costa Junior College... as a junior in '85, he led Fresno State in receiving with 30 catches for 545 yards (18.2 avg.) and five touchdowns... hampered by ankle injury as a senior but still managed to come up with 26 catches for 392 yards (15.1 avg.) and two touchdowns... caught two touchdown passes in 51-7 California Bowl win over Bowling Green as a junior... honorable mention All-PCAA following junior campaign... redshirted in '84 after transferring from Contra Costa... in '83 he had 20 catches for 521 yards for impressive 26.0 average... majored in advertising.

PERSONAL: A two-sport standout in football and track at Salesian High School in Oakland, CA... was a long jumper, high jumper and ran in the 400-meter relay... a die-hard Oakland Raider fan growing up, his idols were Cliff Branch and Fred Biletnifkoff... active community involvement in Tampa Bay area during offseason... also enjoys bowling and basketball in his spare time... his bowling average is 195... he and defensive backs Sonny Gordon and Paul Tripoli are a team in a local Thursday night bowling league... married, he and his wife Kathryn are expecting their first child on 7/25/88... given name is Gene Robert Taylor.

ROB TAYLOR
OT • 6-6 • 295 • #72



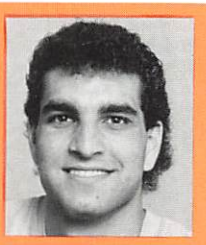
Born: November 14, 1960, St. Charles, IL
Residence: Unionville, PA
College: Northwestern
High School: East (Fairmont, OH)
NFL Year: 3 Buc Year: 3
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Philadelphia in the 12th round, 1982
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent, February, 1986

PRO: A starter on Tampa Bay's offensive line over the past two seasons... signed as a free agent with the Bucs in February, 1986 after asking for a tryout when visiting his wife's family in nearby Clearwater... started at left tackle in '86 and '87 prior to knee injury sustained at St. Louis (11/8/87)... fully rehabilitated, he may move to right tackle in '88... **1987:** Started his first five games at left tackle and only allowed one sack in those five games, including two meetings with Chicago's All-Pro defensive end Richard Dent... suffered strained knee ligaments at St. Louis (11/8) and was lost for remainder of season... **1986:** Stepped into a starting left tackle slot in '86 when Marvin Powell was injured in second game and started 13 games... **USFL:** Started three seasons in the USFL... played with Chicago Blitz in '83 and Arizona in '84 (transferred Chicago franchise)... finished USFL career with Houston in '85 blocking for quarterback Jim Kelly... started every game during those three seasons... originally drafted by Philadelphia in the 12th round in '82, he was waived in camp and claimed by Baltimore... subsequently waived by the Colts and signed with the Blitz of the USFL... **GAMES (STARTS):** 21(18); 1986 - 16(13); 1987 - 5(5).

COLLEGE: An All-Big 10 offensive tackle as a senior at Northwestern and a four-year starter at three different positions... originally a defensive end, he moved to guard as a sophomore and then to tackle as a junior... graduated with a degree in electrical engineering.

PERSONAL: A three-sport prep standout in football, basketball and baseball at Fairmont East High School near Dayton, Ohio... was an all-league selection as a defensive tackle... main outside interest is golf... works with his father-in-law during the off-season building homes in Unionvile, PA... active speaker in churches... father is a minister... he and his wife Susan have two children, a son Kelby (2), and a daughter Kelly, born on Easter Sunday (4/3/88)... given name is Robert Earl Taylor.

VINNY TESTAVERDE
QB • 6-5 • 215 • #14



Born: November 13, 1963, Brooklyn, NY
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: Miami (FL)
High School: Sewanhaka (Floral Park, NY)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the first round, 1987

PRO: Now established as the starting quarterback, he demonstrated his outstanding abilities in his four 1987 starts for the Bucs... consensus all-rookie choice by UPI, **Pro Football Weekly**, PFWA, and **Football Digest**... has the size, speed, arm strength and intangibles to become an outstanding quarterback in the league... extraordinary dedication to conditioning makes him a weight room regular... saw brief duty at Chicago

(9/20) and at LA Rams (11/29) as Steve DeBerg started eight games... inserted into starting lineup in week 12 at New Orleans (12/6) and passed for an NFL rookie single-game record 369 yards (22-47) against the league's top defensive unit at the time... showed poise in that game after fumbles on his first two possessions resulted in Saints' TDs... came back to rush for one TD and pass for two more (37-yarder to Mark Carrier and 12-yarder to Bruce Hill) in leading the Bucs to 24 second half points... came back the following week vs. Detroit (12/13) and passed for 262 yards and one touchdown... threw for two touchdowns vs. St. Louis (12/20) bringing season total to five TD passes... passed for 1,034 yards (258.5 avg.) in his four games as the starting quarterback... longest completion of the season was a 40-yard pass to Bruce Hill at Indianapolis (12/27)... was the first player chosen overall in the 1987 draft... signed with the Bucs 4/3/87... **GAMES (STARTS):** 6(4).

COLLEGE: College football's 1986 Heisman Trophy winner, he captured numerous other honors as well... Davey O'Brien Award (nation's outstanding college QB), Maxwell Award, Walter Camp Player of the Year, Washington D.C. Touchdown Club College Athlete of the Year and Florida Amateur Athlete of the Year were among the honors as well as unanimous first-team All-America quarterback... a Sullivan Award finalist as the nation's top amateur athlete... during 1986 he completed 175 of 276 passes (63.4%) with 26 touchdown passes and nine interceptions to become Miami's all-time career leader in passing yardage (6,560, including bowl games) and touchdown passes (49)... led Miami to an 11-0 regular season record in '86 while leading all NCAA quarterbacks with 165.8 pass rating... Miami had 21-1 regular season record during his two years as a starter, including wins each season over Oklahoma and Florida State... two-year starting statistics are 414 of 628 (65.9%) for 5,795 yards, 47 touchdowns and 24 interceptions... seven 300-yard passing days in career including four in 1985... threw for four touchdowns four times (vs. Texas Tech, Oklahoma and Pittsburgh in '86 and Florida State in '85)... 385-yard performance against East Carolina in '85 is personal best and second in Miami history... his 88-yard touchdown pass to Alonzo Highsmith in that '85 East Carolina game is longest in Hurricane history... finished fifth in the '85 Heisman Trophy balloting and was a finalist for the Davey O'Brien Award... average length of 21 1985 TD passes was 35 yards... saw limited action in '84 (behind Bernie Kosar) and '82 (Jim Kelly) and was redshirted in '83... only touchdown pass in those two years came vs. North Carolina State in '82... majored in physical education.

PERSONAL: Graduated from Sewanhaka High School in Floral Park, NY... raised in nearby Elmont, the son of Al and Josie Testaverde... an honorable mention prep All-America and first team all-New York as a senior... was a backup wide receiver as a junior... his first touchdown pass came that season in county title game, a 60-yard scoring strike thrown as a wide receiver... also lettered in baseball and track... attended Fork Union Military Academy (VA)... has been active in "Say No To Drugs" in the Tampa Bay area... 1986 Italian-American Athlete of the Year... hometown of Elmont celebrated Vinny Testaverde Day on 4/25/87 with huge parade... although he throws right, he writes left-handed... interests include golf, power-boating and tennis... married Laura Gambucci on 6/11/88... given name is Vincent Frank Testaverde.

CAREER STATISTICS

PASSING

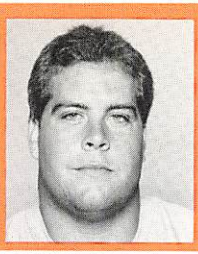
Year	Games	(Starts)	Comp.	Att.	Pct.	Yds.	TD(%)	Int.(%)	Rating
1987	6	(4)	71	165	43.0	1,081	4(3.0)	6(3.6)	60.2

RUSHING

Year	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD	Sacks
1987	13	50	3.8	17	1	18/140

KEVIN THOMAS

C • 6-2 • 265 • #64



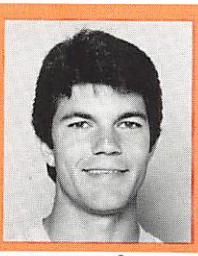
Born: July 27, 1964, Tucson, AZ
Residence: Glendale, AZ
College: Arizona State
High School: Canyon del Oro (Tucson, AZ)
NFL Year: 1 Buc Year: 1
NFL Acquisition: Signed by Tampa Bay as a free agent, 1987

PRO AND COLLEGE: Spent entire 1987 season on injured reserve after injuring knee during training camp . . . a four-year letterwinner and two-year starter as a center at Arizona State after making switch from guard as a junior . . . started six games at guard as a sophomore . . . an honorable mention All-Pac 10 . . . majored in home economics.

PERSONAL: Earned 11 letters (four in football, track and three in wrestling) at Canyon del Oro High School in Tucson, AZ . . . named '81 Tucson Lineman on the Year . . . all-state, all-conference . . . his wife's name is Dawn . . . given name is Kevin Alan Thomas.

VAN TIFFIN

PK • 5-9 • 160 • #11



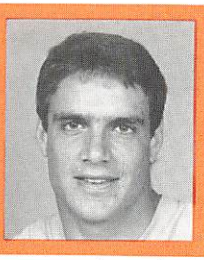
Born: September 6, 1965, Tupelo, MS
Residence: Red Bay, AL
College: Alabama
High School: Red Bay (AL)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Signed by Atlanta as a free agent, 1987
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent, 1988

PRO AND COLLEGE: Buc placekicker during replacement games . . . was seven for seven in PATs and was five of six on field goal attempts . . . had season-high 50-yard field goal vs. Minnesota (10/18) . . . waived by Atlanta in '87 . . . re-signed by Tampa Bay during this past offseason . . . Four-year kicker at Alabama ('83-'86), earning All-America honors as a senior . . . holds eight Alabama records including career points (312) and career field goals (59) . . . never missed a PAT during his career at Alabama converting 135 consecutive attempts . . . kicked the seven longest field goals in Alabama history (57 vs. Texas A&M in '85 is longest) . . . 52-yarder vs. Auburn on final play of '85 game to give Alabama a 25-23 win . . . majored in advertising.

PERSONAL: A consensus prep All-America as a kicker at Red Bay High School in Red Bay, AL . . . dating back to his high school days, he has made 165 consecutive PATs . . . married, his wife's name is Michelle . . . given name is Van Leigh Tiffin.

PAUL TRIPOLI

DB • 6-0 • 195 • #24



Born: December 14, 1961, Liverpool, NY
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: Alabama
High School: Central (Liverpool, NY)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Signed by Tampa Bay as free agent, 1987

PRO: Waived in preseason, he returned to play on Buc replacement team and remained

with squad for rest of season... re-signed during strike and remained with team when regular players returned... originally signed as a free agent with Cleveland in 1985 and waived during preseason... played the '86 season with Toronto in the CFL and four games with Argonauts in '87 prior to being waived after club reached its limit of American imports... **1987:** Named NFC Defensive Player of the Week (the first Buc player to be so selected) after performance at Detroit (10/4)... returned interception for a 17-yard score and set up Buc scores with fumble recovery and tipped pass for an interception... started all three non-union games at free safety and finished with 14 tackles, three interceptions, three fumble recoveries and five passes defensed... remained with Bucs following strike and led team with 10 kick coverage tackles... started final game of year at Indianapolis and had career-high 12 tackles... three kick coverage tackle effort at Minnesota (11/15)... finished the year with 32 (14 during replacement games) tackles and led Bucs with 13 kick coverage tackles (3 during replacement games)... **GAMES (STARTS):** 13(4).

COLLEGE: A walk-on at Alabama... played two seasons for Bryant and two seasons for Ray Perkins... earned two letters and started as a redshirt senior at strong safety in '84... blocked a punt vs. Boston College in '83 that set up a 52-yard return for a touchdown... majored in business management.

PERSONAL: A first-team all-state performer as a senior at Central High School in Liverpool, New York... was not heavily recruited out of high school but was recommended to Bear Bryant by a scout watching a high school game... interests include golf, skiing, basketball and softball... he and his wife Dana, have one daughter, Amanda (2).

DAN TURK

G • 6-4 • 260 • #50



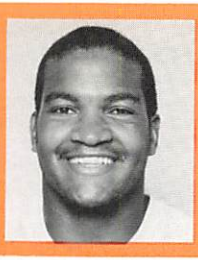
Born: June 25, 1962, Milwaukee, WI
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: Wisconsin
High School: James Madison (Milwaukee, WI)
NFL Year: 3 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Pittsburgh in the fourth round, 1985
Buc Acquisition: Acquired from Pittsburgh for a sixth round choice, 1987

PRO: A versatile interior lineman, he has developed as a guard to go with long-time center position... outstanding long snapper with tremendous velocity... acquired from Pittsburgh prior to the '87 season for a sixth round draft choice in that season's draft... primarily a backup center to Steelers' All-Pro Mike Webster... **1987:** Started one game at center vs. Minnesota (10/18) and started back-to-back games at left guard, vs. San Francisco (11/22) and LA Rams (11/29)... also key kick coverage performer, finishing the season with three tackles... played in 13 games... **1986:** Started first four games for the Steelers at center for injured Mike Webster... played in all 16 games with extensive duty on special teams... **1985:** Missed the final 15 games of the season of his rookie season with a fractured wrist injured during preseason... **GAMES (STARTS):** 30(7); Bucs 13(3); 1985 - 1(0); 1986 - 16(4); 1987 - 13(3).

COLLEGE: Two-year starter at Wisconsin after transferring from Drake prior to his junior season... All-Big 10 second team as a senior in '84... was a college teammate of '88 first round selection Paul Gruber... majored in child development.

PERSONAL: A center and defensive end at James Madison High School in Milwaukee, Wisconsin... also was a prep all-state wrestler and discus thrower (181' personal best)... active in Big Brothers/Big Sisters ... interests include golf and hunting... his given name is Daniel Anthony Turk.

MILES TURPIN
LB • 6-4 • 250 • #45



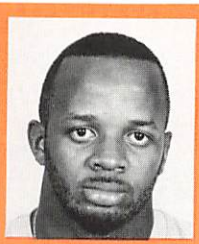
Born: May 15, 1964, Minneapolis, MN
Residence: Freemont, CA
College: California
High School: American (Freemont, CA)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Signed by Green Bay as a free agent, 1986
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent, 1988

PRO: Played in three replacement games and started two at outside linebacker for the Bucs... finished second among replacement players in tackles with 16 and sacks with two... also had four tackles for losses and two QB pressures... had season-high nine tackles and two sacks vs. Minnesota (10/18)... also caused fumble on aborted punt which was recovered for a touchdown... waived following replacement games but re-signed during past offseason... originally signed as a free agent with Green Bay in '86... signed with Cleveland in '87 and subsequently waived... **GAMES (STARTS):** 3(2).

COLLEGE: A three-year letterwinner and two-year starter at linebacker at California... finished Cal career with 88 tackles... posted career-high 36 tackles as a junior and 27 tackles as a senior... career-high eight tackles vs. USC as a junior... also started four games as a sophomore in '83... graduated with a degree in business.

PERSONAL: A prep standout in football and basketball at American High School in Freemont, CA... played quarterback, defensive back and linebacker... averaged 5.0 yards a carry as an option QB... All-Mission Valley League and team MVP as a junior and senior... three-year captain of basketball team which was 43-1 in conference in that time... three-time all-league forward, averaging 15.9 points per game as a senior and named league MVP... interests also include alligator wrestling... aspires to be a lawyer and has worked in a San Francisco law firm... nephew of Pro Football Hall of Famer Jim Marshall... given name is Miles John Turpin.

JACKIE WALKER
LB-TE • 6-5 • 245 • #56



Born: November 3, 1962, Monroe, LA
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: Jackson State
High School: Carroll (Monroe, LA)
NFL Year: 3 Buc Year: 3
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the second round, 1986

PRO: Had best season as a pro in 1987... emerged as Tampa Bay's starting left outside linebacker midway through the year and started final six games... worked some at tight end in June mini-camp as Ray Perkins seeks best way to use his abilities... **1987:** Finished the year with career-best 49 tackles ... moved into starting lineup vs. San Francisco (11/22) and remained in that spot for the remainder of the season... came on strong at the end of the season with career-high 10 tackles at New Orleans (12/6)... also had eight tackles vs. St. Louis (12/20) and seven stops at Indianapolis (12/27)... had 30 of his 49 tackles in final four games... **1986:** Shared outside linebacker spot with Keith Browner through first 13 games as a rookie before getting first NFL start at Chicago (12/7)... started final three games of the season... finished the year with 32 tackles and four QB pressures... was the 28th pick overall in the '87 draft... **GAMES (STARTS):** 28(9); 1986 - 16(3); 1987 - 12(6).

COLLEGE: Southwestern Athletic Conference Defensive Player of the Year in 1985 leading Jackson State to SWAC co-title and a Division I-AA playoff spot... also selected to the Kodak Division I-AA All-America team and was a consensus all-SWAC choice following his senior season... finished career with 354 tackles, 13 sacks and five interceptions... also had six fumble recoveries and 22 passes defensed... had 67-yard (1985) and a 66-yard (1983) interception return for touchdowns vs. Grambling... career-high 131 tackles as a senior... career-high 18 tackles vs. Florida A&M in '85... also played two seasons of college basketball at Jackson State (10.5 points per game)... majored in physical education.

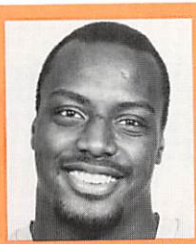
PERSONAL: Played just one year of high school football at Carroll High School in Monroe, Louisiana as a defensive end... a standout prep basketball player... did not devote much time to athletics due to job handling stock for a store after his father's death when in 7th grade... is the seventh child among five boys and four girls... close friend of Chicago's Richard Dent... given name is Jackie Walker.

CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	(Starts)	Tackles	Tackles For Loss	Sacks	QB Pressures	Passes Int.	Passes Def.	Fumbles Csd./Rec.
1986	16	(3)	32	2	0	4	0	0	0/0
1987	12	(6)	49	1	0	2	0	0	0/0
TOTALS	28	(9)	81	3	0	6	0	0	0/0

CHRIS WASHINGTON

LB • 6-4 • 240 • #51



Born: March 6, 1962, Jackson, MS
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: Iowa State
High School: Julian (Chicago, IL)
NFL Year: 5 Buc Year: 5
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the sixth round, 1984

PRO: Underrated outside linebacker, he has been solid and consistent performer for the Bucs over the past four seasons... is Tampa Bay's all-time sack leader among linebackers with 18½ sacks and stands third among all Bucs in that catagory... has 303 career tackles, 21 tackles for loss and 55 QB pressures... has started 44 straight games over the past three seasons... has never missed a game and has played in 60 consecutive contests... **1987:** Finished the season with 52 tackles and 6½ sacks, including 12 QB pressures... started six games at left outside linebacker and final six games on the right side... made the switch vs. San Francisco (11/22)... also tied for team lead with five tackles for loss... had season-high nine tackles at St. Louis (11/8) and two sacks... also had two sacks at Green Bay (11/1)... had seven tackles and one sack vs. 49ers and a six tackle effort at New Orleans (12/6)... **1986:** Third on team with 94 tackles and tied for team lead with four sacks... season-high nine tackles vs. Chicago (11/9) a week after being knocked unconscious vs. Buffalo (11/2)... **1985:** Finished season with career-high 102 tackles which was second on the team... started 10 games at right outside linebacker, five at left outside and one at right inside... had career-high 14 tackles at NY Giants (11/3)... **1984:** Started seven games as a rookie and played in all 16 games... finished with 55 tackles and was third on team with five sacks... first pro start at Detroit (10/14) following auto accident to Hugh Green... **GAMES (STARTS):** 60(51); 1984 - 16(7); 1985 - 16(16); 1986 - 16(16); 1987 - 12(12).

COLLEGE: A second-team All-Big 8 selection as a junior and senior at Iowa State... was a three-year starter and four-year letterwinner for the Cyclones at both middle and weakside linebacker... led Iowa State in tackles as a senior with 134 tackles at weakside linebacker... led the Big 8 with 98 tackles as a junior on conference leading defense... had 110 solo tackles as a sophomore... 457 career tackles... twice had 19 tackle games (vs. Oklahoma and Oklahoma State)... majored in restaurant and hotel management.

PERSONAL: Prep standout as a defensive end for Julian High School in Chicago... selected all-section by both the **Chicago Sun Times** and **Chicago Tribune** as a senior... also lettered in track and basketball... has a first degree brown belt in karate... quiet and personable, he is very active in charity appearances for Bucs... is completing his degree requirements during the offseason at the University of South Florida with credits transferred towards his degree at Iowa State... he and his wife, Sharon, have one daughter, Camille (1)... given name is Chris Washington.

CAREER STATISTICS

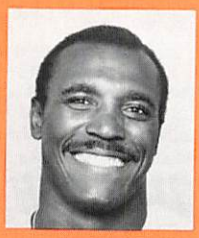
Year	G	(Starts)	Tackles	Tackles For Loss	Sacks	QB Pressures	Passes Int.	Passes Def.	Fumbles Csd./Rec.
1984	16	(7)	55	5	5	10	0- 0	2	0/0
1985	16	(16)	102	1	3	18	0- 0	3	1/1
1986	16	(16)	94	10	4	15	1-12	4	1/2
1987	12	(12)	52	5	6½	12	0- 0	1	1/0
TOTALS	60	(51)	303	21	18½	55	1-12	10	3/3

CAREER HIGHS

TACKLES	SACKS
14 at NY Giants 11/3/85	2 at G.B. 11/1/87 2 at St.L 11/8/87

JAMES WILDER

RB • 6-3 • 225 • #32



Born: May 12, 1958, Sikeston, MO
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: Missouri
High School: Sikeston (MO)
NFL Year: 8 Buc Year: 8
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by Tampa Bay in the second round, 1981

PRO: Stands fifth in the NFL over the past four seasons in rushing with 4,036 yards and is fourth in rushes with 1,068... Tampa Bay's all-time rushing leader with 5,370 yards and all-time total yardage leader with 8,403 yards... enters 1988 now ranking fourth in career rushing yardage among active NFC backs... Bucs' all-time reception leader with 379 catches... also Tampa Bay's all-time scoring leader with 252 points and touchdowns with 42... has 14 career 100-yard rushing games and 34 career 100-plus total yards from scrimmage games... also has two 200-plus total yards from scrimmage games... a two-time 1,000 yard rusher, including a Buc record 1,544 yards in '84 and a Pro Bowl appearance following that season... became seventh player in NFL history

to surpass 2,000 yards from scrimmage in one season (1,544 rushing + 685 receiving = 2,229 yards) in '84 and only the 11th player in NFL history to surpass 1,500 rushing yards... NFL record 492 (407 rushing, 85 receiving) advances from scrimmage in '84... only 12 NFL performances by seven backs outdo his 219 rushing yards in a single game (O.J. Simpson 4, Jim Brown 3, Cookie Gilchrist, Tom Wilson, Bobby Mitchell, Willie Ellison and Walter Payton, 1)... has played and started in 91 games for the Bucs, most by a running back, and has started every game he has been healthy for including first game of rookie season... has missed only 10 games in seven seasons... has started 44 games as a fullback and 47 as a tailback or single back... **1987:** Led Tampa Bay in rushing for the sixth straight season with 488 yards and the sixth straight season in total yards from scrimmage with 816 yards... made switch back to fullback after spending previous four seasons at tailback... had career-high 4.6 yards per rush... finished 14th in NFC in total yards from scrimmage and 18th in NFL among running backs in total yards from scrimmage... best day of the season came at St. Louis (11/8) with 136 total yards (49 rushing, 87 receiving)... also had 100-plus total yards from scrimmage at Chicago (9/20) with 109 yards (80 rushing, 29 receiving)... his 87 yards in receptions at St. Louis was his fourth highest receiving total of his career... started 12 games at fullback in first season at poisition since '85... **1986:** Injuries to chest, rib and ankle curtailed his season... ended season on injured season for finale at St. Louis (12/21) and was able to start only 12 games... still led team in rushing with 704 yards... had third career 200-yard total yards game with 130 yards rushing, plus 71 receiving yards vs. Detroit (11/23)... had 45-yard TD run (second longest of career) vs. Buffalo (11/2)... had season-high 110 yards rushing at Kansas City (10/26)... **1985:** Finished the season with 1,300 yards rushing and had five 100-yard rushing games... also had nine 100-plus total yards from scrimmage games... had season-high 166 rushing yards at Chicago (9/8)... Pro Bowl first alternate and team MVP... started all 16 games... **1984:** NFC Pro Bowl selection rushing for 1,544 yards and 685 receiving yards... selected first team All-Pro by **Sports Illustrated** and All-NFC by UPI... a second-team All-Pro by AP... his 407 carries from scrimmage set an NFL record... equaled NFL record with 43 carries vs. Green Bay (9/30) (record shared with Butch Woolfolk)... 85 receptions led all NFL running backs... 13 rushing TDs set a team record... broke Ricky Bell's single-season rushing record just four days after Bell's untimely death... **1983:** Made switch to tailback in eighth game vs. New Orleans (10/23)... had started 32 games at fullback prior to switch... led Bucs in rushing (640 yards) and receptions (57)... had 73 rushes for 345 yards and added 11 receptions in two-game stretch at Pittsburgh (10/30) and at Minnesota (11/6)... career-high 219 yards against Vikings on 31 carries (6.1 avg.) including 75-yard TD run (finished with Buc record 239 yards in total yards)... finished third in receptions among NFC running backs with 57 and fourth in NFL despite broken ribs which forced him to miss final six games... **1982:** Led team with 53 catches placing him second in the NFC to Dwight Clark and first among NFL running backs... second among all backs with his 503 yards in receptions... rushed for 324 yards... started all nine games... **1981:** Rushed for 370 yards and caught 48 passes for 507 yards... started all 16 games as a rookie fullback... **GAMES (STARTS):** 91(91); 1981 - 16(16); 1982 - 9(9); 1983 - 10(10); 1984 - 16(16); 1985 - 16(16); 1986 - 12(12); 1987 - 12(12).

COLLEGE: Missouri's second all-time leading rusher with 2,357 yards, holding record until 1987... added 259 yards in three bowl games for Missouri... led the Tigers in rushing three seasons... ranks third on the Missouri all-time scoring list with 26 touchdowns... also caught 59 passes for 418 yards... averaged 4.8 yards per carry for his career... gained 873 yards (5.5 avg.) as a sophomore after transferring from Northwestern Oklahoma A&M Junior College in Miami, OK... wrapped up first season with 115 yards as Liberty Bowl MVP... had season high 181 yards and four TDs in upset of Nebraska... finished with 740 yards as a junior and had 888 yards rushing as a senior... played in Senior Bowl following senior year... majored in business and educational studies.

WILDER (cont.)

PERSONAL: Outstanding prep career at Sikeston High School in Sikeston, MO... honored with "James Wilder Day" in Sikeston and the entire State of Missouri in '86... his number 29 high school jersey was retired, he received a key to the city and received proclamations from the Governor of Missouri and President Ronald Reagan... honorary co-chairman with Hugh Culverhouse for 1987 "Just Say No To Drugs Walk," where he joined thousands in a walk against drugs... second oldest of six children raised by his grandmother... family had a small restaurant in Sikeston... sponsors Sikeston softball team named Wilder's Express... he and his wife, Barbara, have a son, Curtis (11) and a daughter, Courtney (4)... given name is James Curtis Wilder.

CAREER STATISTICS

			Rushing					Receiving				
Year	Games	(Starts)	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD	No.	Yds.	Avg.	Lg.	TD
1981	16	(16)	107	370	3.5	23t	4	48	507	10.6	38	1
1982	9	(9)	83	324	3.9	47	3	53	466	8.8	32	1
1983	10	(10)	161	640	4.0	75t	4	57	380	6.7	31	2
1984	16	(16)	407	1,544	3.8	37	13	85	685	8.1	50	0
1985	16	(16)	365	1,300	3.6	28	10	53	341	6.5	20	0
1986	12	(12)	190	704	3.7	45t	2	43	326	7.6	25	1
1987	12	(12	106	488	4.6	21	0	40	328	8.2	32	1
TOTALS	91	(91)	1,415	5,370	3.8	75t	36	379	3,033	8.0	50	6

CAREER COMBINED STATISTICS

Year	Rushing	Receiving	Total
1981	370	507	877
1982	324	466	790
1983	640	380	1,020
1984	1,544	685	2,229
1985	1,300	341	1,641
1986	740	326	1,066
1987	488	328	816
TOTALS	5,370	3,033	8,403

CAREER HIGHS

RUSHING			
No.	Yds.	Lg.	TD
4 vs. G.B. 9/30/84	219 at Minn. 11/6/83	75t at Minn. 11/6/83	2 Eight Times
RECEIVING			
No.	Yds.	Lg.	TD
13 vs. Minn. 9/15/85	126 vs. Cin. 9/25/83	50 at Chi. 9/2/84	1 Five Times

Postseason Statistics: 2 starts, rushing 18-116, receiving 3-16; 1981 - 1 start, rushing 4-23, receiving 1-11; 1982 - 1 start, rushing 14-93, receiving 2-5.

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER 1988

(Veterans and Draft Choices; First Year Players follow on page 87)

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	NFL Exp.	Birthdate	College	Hometown (High School)	Obtained
20	Austin, Cliff	RB	6-0	190	6	3/02/60	Clemson	Lithonia, (Estates) Ga.	T(Atl)- '87
18	Bellinger, Rodney	DB	5-9	185	4	6/4/62	Miami (FL)	Coral Gables, Fla.	FA- '88
6	Brown, Kevin	P	6-1	185	2	1/11/63	West Texas St.	Panhandle, Tex.	FA- '88
69	Bruhin, John	G	6-3	280	R	12/9/64	Tennessee	Knoxville, (Powell) Tenn.	D4b- '88
78	Cannon, John	DE	6-5	260	7	7/30/60	William & Mary	Long Branch (Holmdel) N.J.	D3- '82
88	Carrier, Mark	WR	6-0	185	2	10/28/65	Nicholls State	Church Point, La.	D3- '87
87	Carter, Gerald	WR	6-1	190	9	6/19/57	Texas A&M	Bryan, Tex.	D9- '80
92T	Coleman, Dan	NT	6-4	275	2	8/14/62	Murray State	Henderson, (Chester Co.) Tenn.	FA- '88
71	Cooper, Mark	T	6-5	280	6	2/14/60	Miami (FL)	Miami, (Killian) Fla.	FA- '87
13	Criswell, Ray	P	6-0	195	2	8/16/63	Florida	Orange Park, Fla.	FA- '88
58	Davis, Jeff	LB	6-0	230	7	1/26/60	Clemson	Greensboro, (Dudley) N.C.	D5- '82
79	Davis, Reuben	DL	6-4	290	R	5/7/65	North Carolina	Greensboro, (Grimsley) N.C.	D9- '88
8	Drew, Peter	PK	5-11	175	2	4/15/64	Troy State	Opelika, Ala.	FA- '88
96	Edwards, Randy	DE	6-2	265	5	3/9/61	Alabama	Atlanta, (Wheeler) Ga.	TR- '88
29T	Elder, Donnie	CB	5-9	175	3	12/13/63	Memphis State	Chattanooga, (Brainerd) Tenn.	FA- '88
38	Evans, James	FB	6-0	235	2	8/14/63	Southern	Mobile, (Blount) Ala.	W(KC)- '87
12	Ferguson, Joe	QB	6-1	190	16	4/23/50	Arkansas	Shreveport, (Woodlawn) La.	T(Ind)- '88
81	Freeman, Phil	WR	5-11	185	4	12/9/62	Arizona	Los Angeles, (St. Monica) Ca.	D8- '85
36	Futrell, Bobby	DB	5-11	190	3	8/4/62	Elizabeth City State	Ahoshkie, N.C.	FA- '86
91	Gant, Brian	LB	6-0	245	2	9/6/65	Illinois State	Gary, (Roosevelt) Ind.	FA- '87
94	Goff, Robert	DE	6-3	270	R	10/2/65	Auburn	Bradenton, (Bayshore) Fla.	D4a- '88
27	Goode, Kerry	RB	5-11	200	R	7/28/65	Alabama	Town Creek, (Hazelwood) Ala.	D7- '88
31	Gordon, Sonny	DB	5-11	200	2	7/30/65	Ohio State	Middleton, Ohio	FA- '87
53	Graham, Don	LB	6-2	245	2	1/31/64	Penn State	Pittsburgh, (Brentwood) Pa.	D4a- '87
60	Grimes, Randy	C	6-4	275	6	7/20/60	Baylor	Tyler, (Lee) Tex.	D2- '83
74	Gruber, Paul	T	6-5	290	R	2/24/65	Wisconsin	Prairie du Sac, (Sauk Prairie) Wis.	D1- '88
82	Hall, Ron	TE	6-4	245	2	3/15/64	Hawaii	Escondido, (San Pasqual) Calif.	D4b- '87
5	Herline, Alan	P	6-0	170	2	9/16/64	Vanderbilt	Atlanta, (Marist) Ga.	FA- '88
84	Hill, Bruce	WR	6-0	180	2	2/29/64	Arizona State	Lancaster, (Antelope Valley) Calif.	D4c- '87
7	Hold, Mike	QB	5-11	195	2	3/16/63	South Carolina	Tempe, (Corona) Ariz.	FA- '88
90	Holmes, Ron	DE	6-4	265	4	8/26/63	Washington	Lacey, (Timberline) Wash.	D1- '85
25	Howard, Bobby	RB	6-0	220	3	6/1/64	Indiana	Pittsburgh, (Langley) Pa.	FA- '86

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	NFL Exp.	Birthdate	College	Hometown (High School)	Obtained
43	Howard, William	FB	6-0	240	R	6/2/64	Tennessee	Lima, Oh.	D5- '88
37	Hunter, Eddie	RB	5-10	200	2	1/20/65	Virginia Tech	Oxen Hill, (Bishop McNamara) Md.	FA- '87
1	Igwebuike, Donald	PK	5-9	185	4	12/27/60	Clemson	Anambra, Nigeria	D10- '85
28	Isom, Ray	DB	5-9	190	2	12/27/65	Penn State	Harrisburg, Pa.	FA- '87
24T	Jackson, Andrew	RB	5-10	190	2	5/6/64	Iowa State	Los Angeles, (Manual Arts) Ca.	FA- '88
95	Jarvis, Curt	NT	6-2	265	2	1/28/65	Alabama	Gardendale, Ala.	D7a- '87
21T	Jones, Bruce	DB	5-11	200	2	12/26/62	North Alabama	Courtland, Ala.	FA- '88
46T	Jones, Dale	LB	6-1	240	2	3/8/63	Tennessee	Cleveland, (Bradley Co.) Tenn.	FA- '88
22	Jones, Rod	DB	6-0	185	3	3/31/64	Southern Methodist	Dallas, (South Oak Cliff) Tex.	D1- '86
52	Jones, Victor	LB	6-2	250	R	10/19/66	Virginia Tech	Rockville, (Penry) Md.	D12- '88
75	Kellin, Kevin	DE	6-5	270	3	11/16/59	Minnesota	Grand Rapids, Minn.	FA- '86
97	Lee, Shawn	NT	6-2	290	R	10/24/66	North Alabama	Brooklyn, (Erasmus Hall) N.Y.	D6- '88
77	Maarleveld, J.D.	T	6-6	280	3	10/24/61	Maryland	Rutherford (St. Joseph's) N.J.	D5- '86
86	Magee, Calvin	TE	6-3	245	4	4/23/63	Southern	New Orleans (B.T.Washingon) La.	FA- '85
68	Mallory, Rick	G	6-2	265	4	10/21/60	Washington	Renton (Lindbergh) Wash.	D9- '84
99	Marve, Eugene	LB	6-2	240	7	8/14/60	Saginaw Valley State	Flint (Northern) Mich.	TR- '88
66	McHale, Tom	G	6-4	275	2	2/25/63	Cornell	Gaithersburg, Md.	FA- '87
98	McInerney, Sean	DE	6-3	255	2	12/27/60	Frostburg State	McLean, Va.	FA- '88
83	Miller, Solomon	WR	6-1	185	3	12/6/64	Utah State	LA (Compton) Calif.	FA- '87
57	Moss, Winston	LB	6-3	235	2	12/24/65	Miami (FL)	Miami (Southridge) Fla.	D2b- '87
76	Mumphrey, Lloyd	DE	6-3	260	2	2/14/61	Mississippi Valley State	Memphis (Westwood) Tenn.	FA- '88
59	Murphy, Kevin	LB	6-2	235	3	9/8/63	Oklahoma	Plano (Berkner) Tex.	D2- '86
50T	Najarian, Pete	LB	6-2	230	2	12/22/63	Minnesota	Minneapolis (Central) Minn.	FA- '88
65	Pettey, Phil	G	6-4	295	2	4/17/61	Missouri	Kenosha (Bradford) Wis.	FA- '88
80	Pillow, Frank	WR	5-10	170	R	3/11/65	Tennennesse State	Nashville (Whites Creek) Tenn.	D11- '88
2	Prindle, Mike	PK	5-11	160	2	11/12/63	Western Michigan	Grand Rapids (Union) Mich.	FA- '88
78T	Pumphrey, Don	T	6-4	270	2	11/22/63	Valdosta State	Tallahassee (Lincoln) Fla.	FA- '88
54	Randle, Ervin	LB	6-1	250	4	10/12/62	Baylor	Hearne, Tex.	D3- '85
29	Reynolds, Ricky	DB	5-11	190	2	1/19/65	Washington State	Sacramento (Burbank) Calif.	D2a- '87
19	Robbins, Monte	P	6-4	210	R	9/19/64	Michigan	Great Bend, Kan.	D4c- '88
30	Robinson, Mark	DB	5-11	200	5	9/13/62	Penn State	Silver Spring (Kennedy) Md.	T(KC)- '88
55	Rolling, Henry	LB	6-2	225	1	9/8/65	Nevado-Reno	Henderson, Nev.	D5- '87
23	Shegog, Ronald	DB	6-0	185	2	3/2/64	Austin Peay	Batesville (South Panola) Miss.	FA- '88
93	Sileo, Dan	NT	6-2	265	2	1/3/64	Miami (FL)	Stamford (Catholic) Conn.	SD3- '87
62	Simmonds, Mike	G	6-4	290	1	8/12/64	Indiana State	Belleville, Ill.	D10- '88
21	Simpson, Anthony	FB	5-9	245	R	12/21/64	East Carolina	Brooklyn (Jefferson) N.Y.	D8- '88
42T	Smalls, Fred	LB	6-2	230	2	1/7/63	West Virginia	Beaufort (Battery Creek) S.C.	FA- '88
47	Smith, Don	RB	5-11	195	1	10/30/63	Mississippi State	Hamilton, Miss.	D2- '87
35	Smith, Jeff	RB	5-9	205	4	3/22/62	Nebraska	Wichita (Southeast) Kan.	T(KC)- '87
70	Swayne, Harry	DE	6-5	270	2	2/2/65	Rutgers	Philadelphia (Dougherty) Pa.	D7b- '87

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	NFL Exp.	Birthdate	College	Hometown (High School)	Obtained
34	Tate, Lars	RB	6-2	215	R	2/2/66	Georgia	Indianapolis (North Central) Ind.	D2- '88
85	Taylor, Gene	WR	6-2	190	2	11/12/62	Fresno State	Oakland (Salesian) Calif.	W(NE)- '87
72	Taylor, Rob	T	6-6	295	3	11/14/60	Northwestern	Fairmont (East) Oh.	FA- '86
49	Teague, Pat	LB	6-1	230	1	10/22/63	North Carolina State	Raleigh (Sanderson) N.C.	FA- '88
14	Testaverde, Vinny	QB	6-5	215	2	11/13/63	Miami (FL)	Elmont (Sewanhaka) N.Y.	D1- '87
64	Thomas, Kevin	C	6-2	265	1	7/27/64	Arizona State	Tucson (Canyon del Oro) Ariz.	FA- '87
11	Tiffin, Van	PK	5-9	160	2	9/6/65	Alabama	Red Bay, Ala.	FA- '88
24	Tripoli, Paul	DB	6-0	195	2	12/14/61	Alabama	Liverpool (Central) N.Y.	FA- '88
50	Turk, Dan	G-C	6-4	280	3	6/25/62	Wisconsin	Milwaukee (Madison) Wis.	T(Pitt)- '87
45	Turpin, Miles	LB	6-4	250	2	5/15/64	California	Fremont (American) Calif.	FA- '88
56	Walker, Jackie	LB	6-5	255	3	11/3/62	Jackson State	Monroe (Carroll) La.	D2- '86
75T	Warne, Jim	T	6-7	300	2	11/27/64	Arizona State	Tempe, Ariz.	FA- '88
51	Washington, Chris	LB	6-4	240	5	3/6/62	Iowa State	Chicago (Julian) Ill.	D6- '84
32	Wilder, James	RB	6-3	225	8	5/12/58	Missouri	Silkeston, Mo.	D2- '81
39	Williams, Derwin	WR	6-1	180	5	5/6/61	New Mexico	Brownwood, Tex.	FA- '88
3	Williams, Keith	RB	5-10	175	2	9/30/64	Southwest Missouri	St. Louis (Sumner) Mo.	T(Atl.) - '87
17	Wilson, Teddy	WR	5-9	170	2	7/14/64	Central Florida	Zephyrhills, Fla.	FA- '88
44	Wright, Adrian	FB	6-1	255	2	10/13/61	Virginia Union	Charleston, W.Va.	FA- '87

FIRST YEAR PLAYERS

Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	NFL Exp.	Birthdate	College	Hometown (High School)
Allen, Doug	FB	5-9	195	R	5/2/65	Alabama	Gonzalas (Tate) Fla.
Carney, John	PK	5-11	160	1	4/20/64	Notre Dame	Jupiter (Cardinal Newman) Fla.
Casparriello, Peter	TE	6-3	235	R	7/9/65	Boston College	Somerville Mass.
Clapp, Tommy	DL	6-4	280	R	8/14/62	LSU	New Orleans (Brother Martin) La.
Coleman, Sidney	LB	6-2	250	R	1/14/64	Southern Mississippi	Gulfport (Harrison Central) Miss.
Crawford, Everett	RB	5-10	190	R	12/3/65	Vanderbilt	Huntsville (Lee) Ala.
Creamer, Andre	DB	6-0	185	R	10/9/66	Tennessee	Baltimore (Northwestern) Md.
Ford, Gary	TE	6-5	240	R	3/30/65	Texas Christian	Tyler (Lee) Tex.
Francis, Cazzy	WR	5-10	180	1	12/17/63	Arkansas State	Orange (Little Cyprus-Mauriceville) Tex.
Frazier, Ed	WR	5-11	185	R	3/31/64	Florida	Greenville (Rose) N.C.
Graham, Dan	C	6-2	270	R	5/10/65	Northern Illinois	Wheaton (North) Ill.
Harris, Odie	DB	6-0	190	R	4/1/66	Sam Houston State	Bryan, Tex.
Lightner, Kevin	G	6-2	285	R	7/4/65	Nebraska	Hastings (Adams Central) Neb.
Marsh, Marvin	RB	5-10	195	R	10/20/63	North Alabama	Gadsden (Sitchfield) Ala.
Maye, Mark	QB	6-3	200	R	1/30/65	North Carolina	Charlotte (Independence) N.C.

Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	NFL Exp.	Birthdate	College	Hometown (High School)
Morgan, Sylvester	TE	6-3	235	R	7/22/65	Texas A&M	Houston (Houston) Tex.
Morton, James	RB	6-0	220	R	2/6/65	West Texas State	Eastland, Tex.
Moses, Cedric	DB	5-11	185	R	2/10/64	Jackson State	Jackson (Varnado) Miss.
Pidgeon, Tim	LB	6-0	235	1	9/20/65	Syracuse	Oneonta, N.Y.
Powell, Tom	WR	5-11	190	R	1/16/64	Auburn	Greensville, Ala.
Ransdell, Bill	QB	6-2	210	R	4/15/63	Kentucky	Elizabethtown, Ky.
Seals, Ray	DL	6-3	260	R	6/17/65	None	Syracuse (Hennonger) N.Y.
Smith, Bill	P	6-3	215	1	6/9/65	Mississippi	Little Rock (Mills) Ark.
Smith, Danny	WR	6-3	205	R	5/27/66	South Carolina	Atlanta (W.F. George) Ga.
Sowell, Brent	OL	6-5	275	1	3/27/63	Alabama	Clearwater, Fla.
Stinson, Elliston	WR	5-9	175	1	10/03/62	Rice	Galveston (Ball) Tex.
Symington, Chris	C	6-2	290	R	3/14/64	Colorado	Greenwich, Ct.
White, Randy	WR	6-0	180	R	1/1/66	Florida State	Marianna, Fla.
Whitehurst, Clay	WR	6-0	185	R	12/20/65	Alabama	Brentwood, Tenn.

PRONUNICIATION GUIDE

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Kerry Goode —	rhymes with food
Paul Gruber —	Grew-ber
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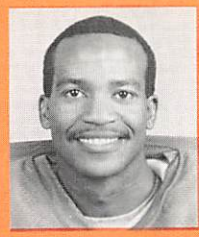

Born: May 6, 1961, Brownwood, TX
Residence: Tampa, FL
College: New Mexico
High School: Brownwood (TX)
NFL Year: 4 Buc Year: 1
NFL Acquisition: Drafted by New England in the seventh round, 1984
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent, 1988

Pro: Has been a solid wide receiver and special teams player during his four-year NFL career with New England... played in 34 straight games for the Patriots... has caught 14 passes for 228 yards during his career... played in two playoff games with the Patriots, one each in '85 and '86... not offered a contract by the Patriots at the end of the '87 season... the 192nd played chosen overall in the '84 draft... **1987:** Played in 10 games for the Patriots... had 34 consecutive games streak snapped at Indianapolis (10/25)... finished year with three catches for 30 yards... **1986:** Played in all 16 games and had two catches for 35 yards... fourth on special teams with 15 tackles... **1985:** Played in 16 games in first full season in the NFL... had nine catches for 163 yards (18.1 avg.)... had career-high five catches for 94 yards vs. Green Bay (9/8)... also had a career-high 30-yard grab in that game... only start of NFL career vs. Chicago (9/15)... injured knee in opening playoff game at Jets (12/28) and missed remainder of New England's drive to the Super Bowl... **1984:** Missed entire season on injured reserve with concussion suffered during final preseason game... **GAMES (STARTS):** 42(1); 1984 - IR; 1985 - 16(1); 1986 - 16(0); 1987 - 10(0).

COLLEGE: Stood sixth on the New Mexico receiving charts at the end of his career with 76 catches and fourth with 1,508 yards (19.8 avg.)... also had 10 TDs... had his best season as a senior with 37 catches for 677 yards (18.3 avg.) and five TDs... team's second leading receiver as a junior with 27 catches for 506 yards and three TDs in '82... missed entire '81 season in order to study for the ministry... caught 12 passes as a freshman for 325 yards and two TDs... majored in physical education.

PERSONAL: A prep standout in football, baseball and basketball at Brownwood High School in native Brownwood, Texas... during offseasons he speaks to numerous schools in Texas and New Mexico about academics, football and religion... his father is a minister... uncle is former Chicago White Sox great, Walt (No-Neck) Williams... interests include tennis, baseball and basketball... married, his wife's name is Mary... given name is Derwin Dawayne Williams.

CAREER STATISTICS

				Receiving				
Year	Team	Games	(Starts)	No.	Yards	Avg.	Long	TD
1984	New England	Injured Reserve						
1985	New England	16	(1)	9	163	18.1	30	0
1986	New England	16	(0)	2	35	17.5	26	0
1987	New England	10	(0)	3	30	10.0	12	0
TOTALS		42	(1)	14	228	16.3	30	0

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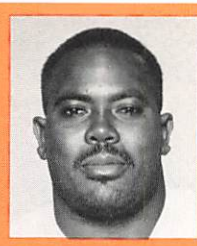

Born: October 13, 1961, Charleston, WV
Residence: Charleston, WV
College: Virginia Union
High School: Charleston (WV)
NFL Year: 2 Buc Year: 2
NFL Acquisition: Signed by the NY Giants as a free agent, 1987
Buc Acquisition: Signed as a free agent, 1987

PRO: Started all three replacement games for Tampa Bay... led Buc rushers in those games with 112 yards rushing and also caught 13 passes for 98 yards and one touchdown... remained with Bucs following replacement games but was placed on injured reserve with sternum injury for rest of season... started Detroit (10/4) and Minnesota (10/18) games at fullback and San Diego (10/11) at running back... rushed for season-high 67 yards at Detroit (10/4)... also had only TD of season, a 15-yard TD pass from Mike Hold... season-high seven catches for 51 yards vs. Minnesota (10/18)... signed as a free agent with the Giants but was waived during '87 preseason... **GAMES (STARTS):** 3(3).

COLLEGE: A four-year starter at Virginia Union and the Central Intercollegiate Athletic Association's Offensive Player of the Year following his senior year... gained 1,066 yards and scored 13 touchdowns as a senior in '86... led Virginia Union to unbeaten 11-0 season and CIAA title.

PERSONAL: A three-year letterwinner in baskeball at Charleston (WV) High school... only played high school football as a freshman... following his high school graduation, he worked three years at a warehouse in Charleston driving a fork lift... an alum of Virginia Union saw him working and playing softball and recommended him to Virginia Union football coach... coach visited him and offered him a four-year scholarship... youngest of eight children in his family... brother, Darryl, is a Solid Gold dancer... interests include music and fishing... given name is Adrian Douglas Wright.

PRO BOWL BUCCANEERS

The following players have been selected for the NFC Pro Bowl team:

1978: Dave Pear, DT (started due to injury to other player).

1979: Lee Roy Selmon, DE (elected as starter but did not play due to injury, unanimous selection).

1980: Lee Roy Selmon, DE (starter); Jimmie Giles, TE (starter), David Lewis, LB (starter).

1981: Lee Roy Selmon, DE (starter); Jimmie Giles, TE (starter).

1982: Lee Roy Selmon, DE (starter); Jimmie Giles, TE (starter); Hugh Green, LB (starter).

1983: Lee Roy Selmon, DE (starter); Hugh Green, LB (starter).

1984: Lee Roy Selmon, DE (starter, co-captain); James Wilder, RB.

1985: Jimmie Giles, TE.

FREE AGENTS

QUARTERBACK

MARK MAYE – Two-year starter at North Carolina after missing entire sophomore campaign with major shoulder surgery (performed by Dr. Frank Jobe in '84)... passed for 3,366 yards over last two seasons (253-446) and 19 touchdowns... career-best 1,965 yards as a senior... attended Independence High School in Charlotte, NC.... **BILL RANSDELL** – A 12th round draft choice in '87 by the Jets and waived during preseason... a three-year starter at Kentucky ('84-'86) passing for 5,564 yards (469-816) and 22 touchdowns... attended Elizabethtown High School in Elizabethtown, KY.

RUNNING BACKS

DOUG ALLEN – Shared two-year starting duties at fullback at Alabama... rushed for 632-career yards (4.3 avg.)... career-high 357 yards as a junior... also caught 27 passes for 212 yards... attended Tate High School in Gonzalas, FL... **EVERETT CRAWFORD** – All-purpose back as a four-year starter at Vanderbilt... rushed for 1,828 yards (4.6 avg.) and caught 143 passes for 1,503 yards... also had 16 career TDs (12 rush, 4 rec.)... attended Lee High School in Huntsville, AL... **ANDREW JACKSON** – Started all three replacement games last season with Houston and remained with Oilers until being waived on 11/21/87... Houston's second leading rusher with 232 yards in '87 and had 10 catches for 44 yards... a two-year starter at Iowa State after transferring from El Camino Junior College... led Cyclones in rushing as a junior and senior gaining 870 career yards... originally attended USC before transferring... attended Manual Arts High School in Los Angeles, CA... **MARVIN MARSH** – First-team All-Gulf South Conference running back and a two-year starter at North Alabama... Only third player in North Alabama history to rush for over 1,000 yards in a season (1,106 as a junior)... finished with 1,670-career rushing yards and 14 TDs in his two seasons after transferring from Itawamba Junior College (MS)... attended Litchfield High School in Gadsden, AL... **JAMES MORTON** – Rushed for 1,201 yards (5.0 avg.) as a three-year starter at West Texas State after transferring from Ranger Junior College... missed most of junior season with a foot injury... career-high 11 TDs as a sophomore while leading team in rushing with 626 yards (5.5 avg.)... attended Eastland (TX) High School.

RECEIVERS-TIGHT ENDS

WR CAZZY FRANCIS – Led Arkansas State in receiving as a junior and senior and stands seventh all-time on the Indians' receiving list with 53 catches for 1,967 yards (20.1 avg.)... switched from quarterback to wide receiver as junior... attended Little Cypress-Mauriceville High School in Orange, Texas... originally signed as Buccaneer free agent in '87...**WR ED FRAZIER**–Two-year letter winner at Florida after transferring from Tift Community College... holds national Junior College record of 45.77 in the 400 meters and invited to '84 Olympic trials... attended J.H. Rose High School in Greenville, NC...**WR DANNY SMITH**– A three-year starter at South Carolina starting at tight end as a sophomore and final two seasons as a wide receiver... finished sixth on Gamecock all-time career receiving chart with 74 catches for 1,257 yards (17.0 avg.)... attended W. F. George High School in Atlanta, GA...**WR ELLISTON STINSON**–A 10th round draft choice in '86 by the 49ers and waived in preseason... signed with the Raiders in '87 and waived in preseason... two-year letterwinner at Rice... qualified for NCAA track championships in '85 and '86, holding Rice records in

100 meters (10.19) . . . '84 Olympic Trials semifinalist in 100 meters . . . attended Ball High School in Galveston, Texas . . . **WR RANDY WHITE** – A three-year letterwinner at Florida State . . . caught six career passes for 183 yards (30.5 avg.) . . . attended Marianna (FL) High School . . . **WR CLAY WHITEHURST** – Four-year letterwinner at Alabama . . . finished Tide career with 44 catches for 626 yards (14.2 avg.) . . . attended Brentwood (TN) High School . . . **WR TEDDY WILSON** – Started all three replacement games for Washington, catching five passes for 112 yards (22.4 avg.) and one TD (64 yards) . . . Central Florida's all-time leading receiver with 156 catches for 2,443 yards (15.7 avg.) and 21 TDs . . . also all-time leading kick returner with 89 returns for 2,121 yards (23.8 avg.) . . . attended Zephyrhills (FL) High School . . . **TE PETER CASPARRIELLO** – Captained Boston College as a senior and lettered four seasons for the Eagles . . . finished career ranked in the top 20 all-time receiving list with 55 catches for 695 yards (12.6 avg.) . . . attended Somerville (MA) High School . . . **TE GARY FORD** – Four-year letterwinner at Texas Christian . . . finished career with 14 catches for 162 yards (11.6 avg.) . . . attended Robert E. Lee High School (same high school as Buc center Randy Grimes) in Tyler, Texas . . . **TE SYLVESTER MORGAN** – Enjoyed best season at Texas A&M as a senior in only season as a starter . . . caught seven passes for 59 yards (8.4 avg.) in run oriented option attack . . . finished career with 12 catches for 92 yards (7.7 avg.) . . . attended Yates High School in Houston.

OFFENSIVE LINE

C DAN GRAHAM – A two-year starter as a center at Northern Illinois . . . versatile player playing guard, tight end and quarterback during his collegiate career . . . caught 11 passes for 151 yards as a sophomore . . . played for brother, Russ, at Northern Illinois and other brother, Kent, is a quarterback at Notre Dame . . . attended Wheaton (IL) North High School . . . **G KEVIN LIGHTNER** – A three-year letterwinner as a tackle at Nebraska . . . switched from left tackle to starting right tackle as a senior for the Cornhuskers . . . attended Hastings Adams Central High School in Hastings, NE . . . **G PHIL PETTEY** – Started all three replacement games for Washington in '87 at right guard . . . originally signed as a free agent in '87 with Atlanta and waived during preseason . . . a second-team All-Big 8 choice as a senior in '86 at Missouri . . . played in Blue-Gray Classic following senior season . . . attended Bradford High School in Kenosha, WI . . . **OL BRENT SOWELL** – A sixth round draft choice in '86 by Miami and waived in preseason . . . signed as a free agent with Chicago in '87 and subsequently waived during preseason . . . a two-year starter at Alabama as defensive tackle . . . attended Clearwater (FL) High School . . . **C CHRIS SYMINGTON** – A two-year starter at center as a sophomore and senior at Colorado . . . transferred to Colorado after playing one season at Washburn University in Topeka, KS . . . an honorable mention All-Big 8 choice following his senior season . . . attended Greenwich (CT) High School . . . **T JIM WARNE** – Started all three replacement games at tackle for Detroit in '87 . . . originally an 11th round draft choice in '87 by Cincinnati and waived in preseason . . . All-Pac 10 honorable mention at Arizona State as a senior in '86 . . . a three-year letterwinner after transferring from Mesa Community College . . . attended Tempe (AZ) High School.

DEFENSIVE BACKS

ANDRE CREAMER – A four-year starter at Tennessee at cornerback . . . finished career with six interceptions (led team with three in '87) and 120 tackles . . . also led Vols in punt returns as a freshman, sophomore and senior, finishing with 62 returns for 466 yards (7.5 avg.) . . . attended Northwestern High School

in Baltimore, MD . . . **DONNIE ELDER** – A third-round draft choice in '85 by the NY Jets . . . played one season with Jets and waived . . . signed with Steelers and waived during the '86 season . . . signed with Detroit and spent '87 season on IR before being waived (11/17/87) . . . 38 career tackles . . . teamed with Buffalo's Derrick Burroughs at Memphis State giving Tigers top cornerback duo in the nation in '84 limiting opponents to less than 100 yards passing a game . . . attended Brainer High School in Memphis, TN . . . **ODIE HARRIS** – A two-year starter at Sam Houston State . . . switched from running back to cornerback as a sophomore . . . finished career with 61 tackles and four interceptions . . . attended Bryan (TX) High School (same high school as cousin Gerald Carter) . . . **BRUCE JONES** – A seventh-round draft choice in '86 by Chicago and played in two preseason games before being waived . . . signed with the Steelers in '87 and recorded one special teams tackle . . . a first-team All-America by AP, Kodak and Football Coaches Association at North Alabama, finishing career with 10 interceptions (four returned for TDs) . . . attended Courtland (AL) High School . . . **CEDRIC MOSES** – A four-year letterwinner at safety and cornerback at Jackson State . . . finished career with 77 tackles and three interceptions . . . career-high 54 tackles as a senior . . . attended Varnado High School in Angie, LA . . . **RONALD SHEGOG** – Started all three replacement games at strong safety for New England after being waived in '87 preseason . . . finished with 31 tackles and one interception . . . signed as a free agent by New England in '86 and waived in preseason . . . an All-Ohio Valley Conference safety at Austin Peay after transferring from NW Mississippi Junior College as a junior . . . finished with 149 tackles and eight interceptions (led team with six as a senior in '86) in his two seasons . . . attended Rayne (LA) High School.

LINEBACKERS

SIDNEY COLEMAN – A four-year letterwinner and two-year starter at Southern Mississippi . . . finished career with 438 tackles and had over 100 tackles in each of final three seasons (led them with 132 tackles as junior), including career-high 144 tackles as a senior . . . attended Harrison Central High School in Gulfport, MS . . . **DALE JONES** – A 10th round draft choice in '87 by Dallas and started all three replacement games for the Cowboys (11 tackles) . . . a two-time All-SEC choice and a four-year starter at Tennessee and finished career with 349 tackles, 14½ sacks and 11 forced fumbles . . . SEC Defensive Lineman of the Year in '85 . . . attended Bradley County High School in Cleveland, TN . . . **PETER NAJARIAN** – Led Minnesota replacement team in tackles with 24 in '87 . . . signed as a free agent with Seattle in '86 and Minnesota in '87 and waived from both teams . . . a first-team academic All-Big 10 and All-Big 10 choice at Minnesota . . . finished career with 478 tackles, leading Gophers in tackles each of his four seasons . . . father is a surgeon, specializing in organ transplants (performed first liver transplant) . . . attended Central High School in Minneapolis, MN . . . **TIM PIDGEON** – A ninth-round draft choice by Miami in '87 . . . led Dolphins' replacement team in tackles with 21 and remained with team following strike before being waived . . . a first-team All-ECAC and second-team All-East choice as a senior at Syracuse . . . finished career with 340 tackles, leading Orangemen in tackles as a junior and senior . . . attended Oneonta (NY) High School . . . **FRED SMALLS** – A seventh-round draft choice in '86 by San Diego and waived during preseason . . . started all three replacement games for Philadelphia in '87 . . . an All-East choice as a senior in '85 at West Virginia . . . finished with 252 career tackles . . . attended Battery Creek High School in Beaufort, SC . . . **PAT TEAGUE** – Signed by Bucs in '87 and waived during final preseason cut . . . re-signed during replacement games and started at outside linebacker at Detroit (10/4) . . . injured toe against Lions and placed on IR . . . a

three-year starter at North Carolina State and finished career with 328 tackles ... led Wolfpack in tackles as a senior in '86 with 128 tackles ... attended Sanderson High School in Raleigh, NC.

DEFENSIVE LINE

TOMMY CLAPP – A four-year letterwinner and part-time starter at LSU ... finished career with 139 tackles ... attended Brother Martin High School in New Orleans, LA ... **DAN COLEMAN** – Started all three replacement games for Minnesota in '87 at defensive right end ... signed as a free agent with Washington in '85 and waived in preseason ... an All-Ohio Valley Conference choice at Murray State in '83 and '84 ... career-high 116 tackles as a senior ... attended Chester County High School in Henderson, Texas ... **SEAN McINERNEY** – Started all three replacement games for Chicago in '87 ... led Bears in sacks with 6½ ... played two seasons ('85-'86) of semi-pro ball with the Baltimore Eagles ... signed as a free agent with Philadelphia in '86 and waived ... played one season of Arena League Football with the Washington Commandos in '87 ... a four-letterwinner at Frostburg (MD) State ... attended Langley High School in McLean, VA ... **LLOYD MUMPHREY** – Started all three replacement games for Kansas City in '87 ... signed as a free agent with San Francisco in '85 and waived ... played two seasons with Edmonton in the CFL ... waived by Bucs in preseason '87 ... a three-year starter at Mississippi Valley State ... attended Westwood (TN) High School ... **RAY SEALS** – Two-way performer at tight end and linebacker for the Syracuse Express in the Eastern Football League during '86 and '87 ... helped lead team to semi-pro national title in '87 ... did not attend college .. attended Hennonger High School in Syracuse, NY.

SPECIALISTS

K JOHN CARNEY – Signed as a free agent in '87 by Cincinnati and waived during preseason ... signed with the Bucs as a replacement player (inactive roster for all replacement games) ... finished as Notre Dame's all-time leader in field goals (51), attempts (69) and percentage (.739%) in a career ... also holds Irish single-season records in field goals (21 in '86) and attempts (28 in '86) ... finished career with 223 points ... attended Cardinal Newman High School in West Palm Beach, FL ... **K PETER DREW** – Signed as a free agent with New England in '87 and waived by the Patriots ... attended Troy State on a soccer scholarship and switched briefly to football as a senior ... made only field goal attempt ... born in Caterham, England ... attended Opelika (AL) High School ... **K MIKE PRINDLE** – Detroit Lion replacement kicker in '87 ... finished with 24 points (6-6 PAT and 6-7 FG) ... signed as a free agent with LA Raiders in '85 and Atlanta in '86 ... four-year kicker at Western Michigan ... finished career with 239 points (77-80 PATs and 54-80 FGs) ... attended Union High School in Grand Rapids, MI ... **P KEVIN (pronounced KEE-vin) BROWN** – Punted all three replacement games with Chicago in '87 ... punted 18 times for 41.2 yard average ... three-year punter at West Texas State, finishing with 51 punts for 40.1 yard average ... attended Panhandle (TX) High School ... **P ALAN HERLINE** – Punted all three replacement games with New England in '87 ... punted 25 times for 34.4 average ... regular punter and placekicker as a junior and senior at Vanderbilt ... finished kicking career 21 of 34 FGs and 34-38 PATs (97 pts.) and 121 punts for 42.2 yard average ... an All-Academic SEC choice as a junior and senior ... attended Marist High School in Atlanta ... **P BILL SMITH** – A seventh-round draft choice in '87 by Green Bay and waived during preseason ... a first-team All-America and two-time All-SEC choice as a punter at Ole Miss ... holds longest punt in SEC history with 92-yarder in '84 ... finished career with 254 punts for a 44.4 yard average ... also placekicker as a freshman and sophomore ... attended Mills High School in Little Rock, AK.

THE 1987 SEASON

STATISTICS	Buccaneers	Opponents
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	263	314
Rushing	62	124
Passing	168	163
Penalty	33	27
Third Down: Made/Att. (%)	83/215-38.6%	90/200(45.0%)
Fourth Down: Made/Att. (%)	3/6-50%	6/9(66.7%)
TOTAL NET YARDS	4,381	4,987
Avg. Per Game	292.1	332.5
Total Plays	954	996
Avg. Per Play	4.6	5.0
NET YARDS RUSHING	1,365	2,038
Avg. Per Game	91.0	135.9
Total Rushes	394	500
NET YARDS PASSING	3,016	2,949
Avg. Per Game	201.1	196.6
Tackled/Yards Lost	43/361	39/306
Gross Yards	3,377	3,255
Attempts/Completions	517/264	457/271
Pct. of Completions	51.1	59.3
Had Intercepted	17	16
PUNTS/AVERAGE	88/39.3	64/41.2
NET PUNTING AVG.	29.9	35.0
PENALTIES/YARDS	115/894	123/926
FUMBLES/BALL LOST	35/14	42/20
TOUCHDOWNS	33	44
Rushing	7	18
Passing	22	23
Returns	4	3
TIME OF POSSESSION	429:16 (28:37)	470:44 (31:23)

SCORING BY PERIODS

	1	2	3	4	OT	TOTAL
BUCCANEERS	78	66	81	61	—	286
Opponents	69	98	67	126	—	360

PASSING

	Att.	Comp.	Yds.	Pct.	Avg. Att.	TD	Pct. TD	Int.	Pct. Int.	LG	Lost/ Att.	Rating
DeBerg	275	159	1891	57.8	6.88	14	5.1	7	2.5	64t	20/185	85.3
Testaverde	165	71	1081	43.0	6.55	5	3.0	6	3.6	40	18/140	60.2
Bartalo	1	0	0	0.0	0.00	0	0.0	1	100.0	0	0/ 0	0.0
Replacements	76	34	405	44.7	5.33	3	3.9	3	3.9	61t	5/ 36	58.3
BUCCANEERS	517	264	3377	51.1	6.53	22	4.3	17	3.3	64t	43/361	72.0
Opponents	457	271	3255	59.3	7.12	23	5.0	16	3.5	67	39/306	85.3

RUSHING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Wilder	106	488	4.6	21	0
Smith	100	309	3.1	46	2
Wright	37	112	3.0	11	0
Howard	30	100	3.3	31	1
Testaverde	13	50	3.8	17	1
Hunter	8	41	5.1	11	0
Austin	19	32	1.7	8	1
Bartalo	9	30	3.3	6	1
Hill	3	3	1.0	9	0
Freeman	1	1	1.0	1	0
DeBerg	8	-8	-1.0	0	0
Replacements	60	207	3.5	46	7
BUCCANEERS	394	1365	3.5	46	7
Opponents	500	2038	4.1	38t	18

RECEIVING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Carter	38	586	15.4	57	5
Magee	34	424	12.5	37	3
Carrier	26	423	16.3	38	3
Hill	23	403	17.5	40	2
Wilder	40	328	8.2	32	1
Smith	20	197	9.9	34t	2
Hall	16	169	10.6	29	1
Freeman	8	141	17.6	64	2
Howard	10	123	12.3	45	0
Wright	13	98	7.5	15t	1
Miller	5	97	19.4	33	0
Austin	5	51	10.2	20	0
Taylor	2	21	10.5	11	0
Bartalo	1	5	5.0	5	0
Hunter	2	4	2.0	9	0
Replacements	21	307	14.6	61t	2
BUCCANEERS	264	3377	12.8	64t	22
Opponents	271	3255	12.0	67	23

PUNTING

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TB	In 20	LG	Blk.
Garcia	62	2409	38.9	5	12	58	0
Replacements	26	1046	40.2	5	3	61	0
BUCCANEERS	88	3455	39.3	10	15	61	0
Opponents	64	2634	41.2	7	15	60	0

SCORING

	TDR	TDP	TDRt	PAT	FG	S	TP
Igwebuike	..	..	..	24-26	14-18	..	66
Carter	..	5	..	..	..	..	30
Smith	2	2	..	..	..	..	24
Magee	..	3	..	..	..	..	18
Carrier	..	3	..	..	..	..	18
Hill	..	2	..	..	..	..	12
Freeman	..	2	..	..	..	..	12
Hall	..	1	..	..	..	..	6
Wilder	..	1	..	..	..	..	6
Bartalo	1	..	..	..	..	..	6
Austin	1	..	..	..	..	..	6
Howard	1	..	..	..	..	..	6
Testaverde	1	..	..	..	..	..	6
Moss	..	..	1	..	..	..	6
Tripoli	..	..	1	..	..	..	6
Wright	..	1	..	..	..	..	6
Replacements	1	2	2	7-7	5-6	..	52
BUCCANEERS	7	22	4	31-33	19-24	..	286
Opponents	18	23	3	42-44	18-30	..	360

KICKOFF RETURNS

	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Futrell	31	609	19.6	40	0
Smith	5	84	16.8	21	0
Miller	3	68	22.7	25	0
Wright	1	17	17.0	17	0
Bartalo	1	15	15.0	15	0
Hill	1	8	8.0	8	0
Howard	1	5	5.0	5	0
Carrier	1	0	0.0	0	0
Replacements	12	231	19.3	39	0
BUCCANEERS	56	1037	18.5	40	0
Opponents	61	1242	20.4	45	0

PUNT RETURNS

	No.	FC	Yds.	Avg.	LG	TD
Futrell	24	6	213	8.9	22	0
Replacements	7	2	44	6.3	14	0
BUCCANEERS	31	8	257	8.3	22	0
Opponents	50	10	621	12.4	80	1

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

	Tackles (Solo + Asst)	Sacks	Tackles For Losses	QB Pressures	Inter.	Passes Defensed	Fumbles Caused Rec.
Randle	108 (79 + 29)		3	7		3	0- 1
Davis	70 (55 + 15)		5	2		1	1- 2
Reynolds	70 (58 + 12)		1			16	2- 0
Kemp	68 (53 + 15)			1	1- 11	4	2- 0
Washington	52 (41 + 11)	6½	5	12		1	1- 0
J. Walker	49 (41 + 8)		1	2			
Holmes	47 (38 + 9)	8	4	19		4	1- 1
Jones	44 (38 + 6)				2- 9	9	0- 1
Isom	40 (30 + 10)				2- 67	2	1- 0
Cannon	38 (30 + 8)	2	4	21			3- 1
Stensrud	38 (27 + 11)		2	12		1	1- 1
Moss	32 (24 + 8)	1½	1	7		1	0- 1t
Brantley	26 (20 + 6)					1	0- 1
Woods	19 (17 + 2)				2- 63	3	0- 2
Tripoli	18 (15 + 3)		1				
Futrell	17 (13 + 4)				2- 46	6	
Kellin (IR)	14 (12 + 2)	3½		16			
Sileo	14 (12 + 2)			2			
Swayne	12 (10 + 2)			3			
Murphy	11 (9 + 2)						*1- 0
Anderson	11 (9 + 2)			1		3	0- 1
Jarvis	10 (8 + 2)	3		5			
McHale	8 (6 + 2)			2			0- 1
Gordon	6 (5 + 1)						
Gant	2 (0 + 2)						
Keys	2 (1 + 1)	1½		3			
Team		1					
Reg. Team Totals	826 (651 + 175)	27	27	115	9-196	54	13-13
Gant	21 (16 + 5)		1	1	1- 15	2	
Tripoli	14 (12 + 2)		2	1	3- 17t	5	0- 3*
TOTALS	998 (801 + 197)	39	38	139	16-258	70	20-19

KICK COVERAGE TACKLES: Tripoli 10, Brantley 7, Miller 6, Gordon 5, Moss 5, Gant 5, Holloway 4, Murphy 4, Taylor 4, Hall 4, Anderson 4, Reynolds 3, Graham 3, Turk 3, Igwebuike 3, Isom 2, Washington 2, Randle 2, J. Walker 2, Garcia 2, Swoope 1, Kemp 1, McKeever 1, Yarno 1, J. Smith 1, Davis 1, Woods 1, Anderson 1, Bartalo 1 (Paige 5, Gant 4, Tripoli 3, Pennington 2, McCallister 1, Montoute 1, Jacobs 1, Pitcock 1, George 1, Boone 1). *Murphy and Pennington caused fumbles on kick coverage; Tripoli and Quinn recovered fumbles on kick coverage. Kick block — Ricky Reynolds (FG at Rams, (11/29).

FIELD GOALS

	1-19	20-29	30-39	40-49	50+	Total
Igwebuike		2-2	6- 6	6- 9	0-1	14-18
Tiffin		1-2	1- 1	2- 2	1-1	5- 6
BUCCANNERS		3-4	7- 7	8-11	1-2	19-24
Opponents		8-9	7-10	2- 8	1-3	18-30

1987 GAME-BY-GAME

PASSING

	Steve DeBerg			Vinny Testaverde		
	C - A - I	Yds.	TD	C - A - I	Yds.	TD
ATLANTA	34- 24-1	333	5	DNP		
at Chicago	36- 18-2	195	0	1- 4-0	14	0
CHICAGO	38- 23-0	249	2	DNP		
at Green Bay	30- 17-1	197	1	DNP		
at St. Louis	37- 23-0	303	3	DNP		
at Minnesota	37- 22-1	284	2	DNP		
SAN FRANCISCO	35- 19-1	206	1	DNP		
at LA Rams	28- 13-1	124	0	6- 4-1	33	0
at New Orleans	DNP			22- 47-2	369	2
DETROIT	DNP			20- 39-1	262	1
ST. LOUIS	DNP			16- 38-2	240	2
at Indianapolis	DNP			8- 31-0	163	0
	275-159-7	1891	14	72-159-6	1067	5

RUSHING

	James Wilder		Jeff Smith	
	Rush	Yds.	Rush	Yds.
ATLANTA	7	13	5	23
at Chicago	17	80	0	0
CHICAGO	19	75	6	26
at Green Bay	5	22	18	43
at St. Louis	11	49	19	48
at Minnesota	0	0	8	16
SAN FRANCISCO	11	48	7	5
at LA Rams	9	32	3	47
at New Orleans	6	30	8	31
DETROIT	4	14	3	3
ST. LOUIS	10	80	14	40
at Indianapolis	7	45	9	27
	106	488	100	306

RECEIVING

	Mark Carrier	Gerald Carter	Ron Hall	Bruce Hill	Calvin Magee
ATLANTA	6- 50	6- 60	2- 44	Inj. Reserve	3- 46
at Chicago	2- 27	4- 55	1- 14	Inj. Reserve	3- 34
CHICAGO	2- 20	2- 13	4- 32	Inj. Reserve	6- 98
at Green Bay	3- 66	1- 5	Inactive	Inj. Reserve	7- 66
at St. Louis	1- 5	6- 82	Inactive	4- 56	1- 11
at Minnesota	1- 2	3- 56	0- 0	0- 0	6- 65
SAN FRANCISCO	Inactive	3- 78	1- 3	2- 18	1- 18
at LA Rams	1- 6	2- 18	1- 20	0- 0	5- 72
at New Orleans	8-212*	2- 25	1- 12	5- 73	1- 6
DETROIT	2- 35	4- 78	4- 34	5- 86	DNP
ST. LOUIS	0- 0	5-116	2- 10	4- 74	1- 8
at Indianapolis	Inactive	0- 0	0- 0	3- 96	0- 0
	26-423	38-586	16-169	23-403	34-424
*Buc Record	(3 TDs)	(5 TDs)	(1 TDs)	(2 TDs)	(3 TDs)

1987 SEASON REVIEW

GAME 1
Bucs 48, Atlanta 10
Tampa Stadium
September 13, 1987

Atlanta	0	3	0	7—10
Tampa Bay	14	13	7	14—48

TB — Freeman 11 pass from DeBerg (Igwebuike kick)
TB — Carter 6 pass from DeBerg (Igwebuike kick)
A — Luckhurst 50 FG
TB — Magee 11 pass from DeBerg (Igwebuike kick)
TB — Carter 3 pass from DeBerg (kick failed)
TB — Austin 1 run (Igwebuike kick)
TB — Carrier 24 pass from DeBerg (Igwebuike kick)
A — Bailey 34 pass from Campbell (Luckhurst kick)
TB — Bartalo 3 run (Igwebuike kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	Falcons	Bucs
First Downs	13	30
Total Net Yards	197	460
Total Off. Plays	53	75
Rushes-Net Yards	16-63	41-127
Net Yards Passing	134	333
Passes	14-33-2	24-34-1
Punts-Average	6-45.5	1-40.0
Return Yardage	12	104
Penalties-Yards	8-50	6-35
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	2-1
Sacks-Yards	0-0	4-37
Possession Time	21:48	38:12

RUSHING

BUCS—Howard 12-47; Bartalo 7-23; Smith 5-23; Austin 9-20; Wilder 7-13.
FALCONS—Riggs 12-52; Archer 2-8; Flowers 2-3.

PASSING

BUCS—DeBerg 24-34-7, 333 yards, 5 TDs.
FALCONS—Archer 8-22-2, 94 yards; Campbell 6-11-0, 77 yards, 1 TD.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Wilder 4-62; Carter 6-60; Carrier 6-50; Magee 3-46; Howard 1-45; Hall 2-44; Austin 1-15; Freeman 1-11.
FALCONS—Bailey 3-56; Johnson 3-33; Dixon 1-33; Riggs 4-27; Whisenhunt 1-14; Mathews 1-4; Flowers 1-4.

INTERCEPTIONS

BUCS—Woods 1-42; Futrell 1-23.
FALCONS—Case 1-12.

BUCS—FALCONS NOTES

Ray Perkins' debut as coach was a record setting day for the Buccaneers... quarterback Steve DeBerg threw a team-record five touchdown passes... Tampa Bay's seven touchdowns were a team record... 48 points were a team record... the 38-point win was the largest margin of victory in Buc history... 460 total net yards on offense by the Bucs was the most ever in a Buc win and the third highest in team history... Tampa Bay's 30 first downs was a team record... the Bucs held a 263-yard advantage over the Falcons which was the largest differential in Buc history... Tampa Bay converted 14 of 16 third-down conversions for an 88 percent efficiency rating... the win was Tampa Bay's first opening day win since the '81 season... the Bucs scored on their first four possessions of the game with their only non-scoring possession coming after gaining the ball with 1:48 left in the half. (A-51,250)

GAME 2
Chicago 20, Bucs 3
Soldier Field
September 20, 1987

Chicago	7	7	0	6—20
Tampa Bay	0	3	0	0— 3

C — Payton 1 run (Butler kick)
TB — Igwebuike 43 FG
C — Anderson 27 run (Butler kick)
C — Payton 9 pass from Tomczak (kick failed)

TEAM STATISTICS

	Bears	Bucs
First Downs	18	18
Total Net Yards	299	162
Total Off. Plays	64	69
Rushes-Net Yards	36-166	25-89
Net Yards Passing	133	173
Passes	15-27-2	19-40-2
Punts-Average	5-42.8	7-47.8
Return Yardage	120	72
Penalties-Yards	8-65	9-100
Fumbles-Lost	2-2	2-2
Sacks-Yards	4-36	1-17
Possession Time	31:39	28:21

RUSHING

BUCS—Wilder 17-28; Austin 7-9.
BEARS—Anderson 16-115; Payton 14-24; Sanders 2-11; Tomczak 1-10; Thomas 2-6.

PASSING

BUCS—DeBerg 18-36-2, 195 yards; Testaverde 1-4-0, 14 yards.
BEARS—Tomczak 15-27-2, 150 yards; 1 TD.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Carter 4-55; Austin 4-26; Magee 3-34; Wilder 4-29; Carrier 2-27; Hall 1-14; Freeman 1-14.
BEARS—Moorehead 6-53; Gault 1-46; Anderson 4-28; Morris 1-15; McKinnon 1-6; Payton 2-2.

INTERCEPTIONS

BUCS—Kemp 1-11; Jones 1-0.
BEARS—Jackson 1-0; Phillips 1-1.

BUCS—BEARS NOTES

The Chicago win made it nine straight over the Buccaneers with Tampa Bay's last win in the series coming during the 1982 strike shortened season...Chicago running back Walter Payton established an NFL for most touchdowns scored in a career with his one yard run at the 9:14 mark of the first quarter...it was the 107th TD of his career...the game also marked the debut of Buc rookie quarterback Vinny Testaverde...with less than 3:20 left in the game, Buc quarterback Steve DeBerg left the game with a knee injury following an 11-yard first down pass to Mark Carrier...Testaverde entered the game with the ball on the Tampa Bay 41...his first NFL pass was an incomplete attempt to Carrier...his first NFL completion was a 14 yarder to Phil Freeman on the next play. (A-63,551)

GAME 3
Bucs 31, Detroit 27
Pontiac Silverdome
October 4, 1987

Detroit	17	7	0	3—27
Tampa Bay	0	21	10	0—31

D — Grymes 36 pass from Hons (Prindle kick)
D — Prindle 23 FG
D — King 9 fumble return (Prindle kick)
TB — Wright 15 pass from Hold (Tiffin kick)
TB — Tripoli 15 interception (Tiffin kick)
D — Truvillion 53 pass from Hons (Prindle kick)
TB — Tiffin 21 FG
TB — Ricks 1 run (Tiffin kick)
D — Prindle 35 FG

TEAM STATISTICS

	Lions	Bucs
First Downs	12	12
Total Net Yards	262	219
Total Off. Plays	63	63
Rushes-Net Yards	32-101	39-113
Net Yards Passing	161	106
Passes	10-26-3	8-23-0
Punts-Average	6-38.8	10-38.4
Return Yardage	145	171
Penalties-Yards	5-45	9-55
Fumbles-Lost	5-1	4-1
Sacks-Yards	1-12	5-40
Possession Time	28:29	31:31

RUSHING

BUCS—Wright 21-67; Hold 3-18; Land 7-16; Ricks 6-10; Thomas 1-2.
LIONS—Wester 12-46; Edwards 13-28; Dollinger 5-16; Hons 1-11.

PASSING

BUCS—Hold 6-15-0, 102 yards, 2 TD; Reaves 2-8-0, 16 yards.
LIONS—Hons 10-26-3, 201 yards, 2 TD.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Streater 1-61; Wright 4-29; Walls 1-13; Ricks 1-12; Holloway 1-3.
LIONS—Truvillion 4-99; Grymes 3-81; Wheeler 2-17; Dollinger 1-4.

INTERCEPTIONS

BUCS—Tripoli 2-17; Gant 1-5.
LIONS—None

BUCS—LIONS NOTES

The "B" Bucs spotted the Detroit Lions 17 first quarter points before rallying for a 31-27 win... Detroit scored 10 points on its opening two possessions... the Lions made it 17-0 following a John Reaves' fumble recovered by Detroit's Angelo King and returned nine yards for a touchdown... Tampa Bay began its comeback just 11 seconds into the second quarter on a Mike Hold to Adrian Wright 15-yard scoring pass... with 11:33 left in the half, Buc safety Paul Tripoli narrowed the gap to 17-14 with a 15-yard interception return for a touchdown... Hold connected with wide receiver Eric Streater for a 61-yard touchdown pass in the third quarter... Tampa Bay took the lead for good with 2:17 left in the third quarter on a Harold Ricks' one yard run... the win was Tampa Bay's first road win since 9-21-86 when the Bucs won at Detroit. (A-4,919)

GAME 4
San Diego 17, Bucs 13
Tampa Stadium
October 11, 1987

San Diego	0	0	10	7—17
Tampa Bay	7	3	0	3—13

TB — Streater 26 pass from Reaves (Tiffin kick)
TB — Tiffin 41 FG
SD — Gaffney 27 FG
SD — Sartin 2 run (Gaffney kick)
SD — Moffett 19 from Neuheisel (Gaffney kick)
TB — Tiffin 45 FG

TEAM STATISTICS

	Chargers	Bucs
First Downs.....	22	7
Total Net Yards ..	385	201
Total Off. Plays ..	67	49
Rushes-Net Yards .	33-125	30-129
Net Yards Passing .	260	72
Passes	23-33-0	6-17-1
Punts-Average	4-37.3	8-43.6
Return Yardage ...	20	0
Penalties-Yards ...	6-35	9-60
Fumbles-Lost	5-3	1-0
Sacks-Yards	2-16	1-10
Possession Time ..	27:10	32:50

RUSHING

BUCS—Hold 5-49; Ricks 10-43; Wright 11-26; Streater 1-5; Land 2-4; Boone 1-2.
CHARGERS—Sartin 12-50; Jenkins 8-32; Neuheisel 2-18; Middleton 6-10; Kelley 1-10; Spencer 3-4; Moffitt 1-1.

PASSING

BUCS—Reaves 4-8-0, 67 yards, 1 TD; Hold 2-9-1, 21 yards.
CHARGERS—Neuheisel 18-22-0, 217 yards, 1 TD; Kelley 5-11-0, 53 yards.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Streater 2-41; Wright 2-18; Holloway 1-17; Carter 1-12.
CHARGERS—Williams 5-110; Moffitt 3-46; Middleton 4-34; Muhammad 1-20; Rome 2-17; Holt 2-17; Sartin 4-13; Jenkins 2-13.

INTERCEPTIONS

BUCS—None.
CHARGERS—Brazley 1-0

BUCS-CHARGERS NOTES

The Bucs "B" team evened their record at 1-1 and the Bucs fell to 2-2 overall... wide receiver Eric Streater's second catch of his NFL career was a 26-yard scoring toss from John Reaves... the previous week against the Lions, Streater caught one pass for 61 yards and a touchdown... Charger quarterback Rick Neuheisel entered the game in the second half to lead the San Diego comeback. (A-23,873)

GAME 5
Bucs 20, Minnesota 10
Tampa Stadium
October 18, 1987

Minnesota	3	0	7	0—10
Tampa Bay	3	0	14	3—20

M — Dawson 34 FG
TB — Tiffin 30 FG
TB — Wells recovered fumble in endzone (Tiffin kick)
M — Womack 23 pass from Adams (Dawson kick)
TB — Walker interception 30 (Tiffin kick)
TB — Tiffin 37 FG

TEAM STATISTICS

	Vikings	Bucs
First Downs	16	15
Total Net Yards	175	268
Total Off. Plays	61	66
Rushes-Net Yards	17-23	29-75
Net Yards Passing	152	193
Passes	20-37-4	20-36-2
Punts-Average	5-46.0	8-39.1
Return Yardage	58	62
Penalties-Yards	10-89	11-109
Fumbles-Lost	5-2	4-0
Sacks-Yards	1-6	7-43
Possession Time	28:42	31:18

RUSHING

BUCS—Gladman 12-29; Ricks 8-23; Wright 5-19; Zorn 4-4.
VIKINGS—Womack 4-13; Harrell 5-8; Frye 4-4; Wilson 1-3; Adams 2-2; Scribner 1-7.

PASSING

BUCS—Zorn 20-36-2, 199 yards.
VIKINGS—Adams 20-37-4, 195 yards, 1 TD.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Holloway 8-107; Wright 7-51; Dixon 1-18; Streater 2-15; Gladman 2-8.
VIKINGS—Brim 4-49; Womack 5-46; Gillespie 2-28; Frye 3-25; Harrell 3-20; Wilson 2-14; Daugherty 1-13.

INTERCEPTIONS

BUCS—Walker 2-30; Tripoli 1-0; Montoute 1-0.
VIKINGS—Smith 1-24; Louallen 1-16.

BUCS-VIKINGS NOTES

The "B" Bucs ended their three-week season on a positive note finishing 2-1 during the NFLPA strike...the win left the Bucs 3-2 overall and in second place in the Central Division...defense and special teams got the credit for this win...both Tampa Bay touchdowns came from those two units...with 1:50 gone in the third quarter, and the game tied 3-3, Arthur Wells recovered a fumble by Viking punter Bucky Scribner in the end zone...with the game tied 10-10, cornerback Kevin Walker intercepted a Tony Adams pass with 6:00 minutes remaining in the third quarter and returned it 30 yards for a touchdown to give the Bucs 17-10 lead...Jim Zorn returned to the NFL after a year and a half since being released by the Green Bay Packers...the Bucs win ended a five-game losing streak against the Vikings. (A-20,850)

GAME 6
Chicago 27, Bucs 26
Tampa Stadium
October 25, 1987

Chicago	0	14	0	13—27
Tampa Bay	20	3	3	0—26

TB — Magee 7 pass from DeBerg (Igwebuike kick)
TB — Smith 28 pass from DeBerg (Igwebuike kick)
TB — Moss fumble recovery (kick failed)
C — Anderson 38 run (Butler kick)
C — McKinnon 65 punt return —Butler kick)
TB — Igwebuike 46 FG
TB — Igwebuike 37 FG
C — McMahon 1 run (kick failed)
C — Anderson 6 pass from McMahon (Butler kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	Bears	Bucs
First Downs	19	20
Total Net Yards	300	285
Total Off. Plays	52	71
Rushes-Net Yards	14-91	26-101
Net Yards Passing	209	184
Passes	23-34-1	23-38-0
Punts-Average	2-40.5	5-32.8
Return Yardage	89	32
Penalties-Yards	10-58	11-75
Fumbles-Lost	4-3	4-0
Sacks-Yards	7-65	4-31
Possession Time	24:38	35:22

RUSHING

BUCS—Wilder 19-75; Smith 6-26; DeBerg 1-0.
BEARS—Anderson 6-52; Payton 6-30; McMahon 2-9.

PASSING

BUCS—DeBerg 23-38-0, 249 yards, 2 TD.
BEARS—McMahon 17-24-1, 195 yards, 1 TD; Tomczak 6-10-0, 45 yards.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Magee 6-98; Smith 3-47; Hall 4-32; Carrier 2-20; Freeman 1-16; Miller 1-16; Carter 2-13; Wilder 4-7.
BEARS—Gault 4-67; Morris 3-55; Anderson 7-45; Boso 2-35; McKinnon 3-25; Moorehead 2-13; Payton 2-0.

INTERCEPTIONS

BUCS—Woods 1-21.
BEARS—None.

BUCS-BEARS NOTES

The 24-day NFLPA strike came to an end and with 3:10 left in the first quarter the Bucs led Chicago 20-0...the Bucs opened the initial drive of the game going 75 yards on 14 plays to take a 7-0 lead...the Bucs followed that drive with another scoring march going 73 yards on five plays ending the drive with a 28-yard flea-flicker from Steve DeBerg to Jeff Smith...the Bucs finished their first quarter scoring spree with linebacker Winston Moss recovering Bears' quarterback Mike Tomczak's fumble in the end zone after being hit by Ron Holmes...Chicago scored twice in the second quarter on a Neal Anderson 38-yard pass from Tomczak and a Dennis McKinnon 65-punt return for a touchdown...in the second half quarterback Jim McMahon returned to the Bear lineup for the first time in '87 and led the Bears on two long touchdown drives in the final 10 minutes to give Chicago its 10th straight victory over the Bucs...Chicago had 142 yards of total offense in the first 50 minutes of the game. (A-70,747)

GAME 7
Bucs 23, Green Bay 17
Milwaukee County Stadium
November 1, 1987

Green Bay	0	0	3	14—17
Tampa Bay	0	3	17	3—23

TB — Igwebuike 48 FG
TB — Smith 1 run (Igwebuike kick)
TB — Carter 5 pass from DeBerg (Igwebuike kick)
GB — Del Greco 36 FG
TB — Igwebuike 46 FG
GB — Neal 4 pass from Wright (Del Greco kick)
GB — Fullwood 1 run (Del Greco kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	Packers	Bucs
First Downs	22	20
Total Net Yards	279	279
Total Off. Plays	59	72
Rushes-Net Yards	24-89	41-89
Net Yards Passing	190	190
Passes	17-32-0	17-30-1
Punts-Average	5-40.0	4-38.8
Return Yardage	62	10
Penalties-Yards	13-85	8-67
Fumbles-Lost	5-2	0-0
Sacks-Yards	1-7	3-14
Possession Time	23:48	36:12

RUSHING

BUCS— Smith 18-43; Howard 12-27; Wilder 5-22; Austin 3-3; DeBerg 3-6.
PACKERS—Majkowski 6-51; Davis 7-23; Wright 2-7; Carruth 2-4; Clark 5-3; Fullwood 2-1.

PASSING

BUCS—DeBerg 17-30-1, 197 yards, 1 TD.
PACKERS—Wright 13-19-0, 161 yards, 1 TD; Majkowski 4-13-0, 43 yards.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Magee 7-66; Carrier 3-66; Howard 2-30; Smith 2-13; Wilder 1-9; Miller 1-8; Carter 1-5.

INTERCEPTIONS

BUCS—None.
PACKERS—Morris 1-50.

BUCS-PACKERS NOTES

Tampa Bay improved its record to 4-3 with its first win over the Packers since the '84 season...first time Bucs had won two road games in a season since 1981...following a 3-0 first half, the Bucs took control of the game in the third quarter scoring 17 unanswered points...Packers failed to score in the first half even though the ball was in Buc territory for all but one play in the final 12 minutes...Buc defensive end John Cannon caused two fumbles on one play in the third quarter giving the Bucs the ball on the Packer five-yard line...one play later a Steve DeBerg pass to Gerald Carter with 3:29 left in the quarter gave Tampa Bay a 17-0 lead...Green Bay narrowed the score to 23-17 with 3:51 remaining but two third-down catches by Calvin Magee clinched the win. (A-50,308)

GAME 8
St. Louis 31, Bucs 28
Busch Stadium
November 8, 1987

St. Louis	0	3	0	28—31
Tampa Bay	7	7	14	0—28

TB — Carrier 5 pass from DeBerg (Igwebuike kick)
TB — Carter 3 pass from DeBerg (Igwebuike kick)
SL — Gallery 31 FG
TB — Smith 34 pass from DeBerg (Igwebuike kick)
TB— Smith 3 run (Igwebuike kick)
SL — Awalt 4 pass from Lomax (Gallery kick)
SL — Noga 23 fumble recovery (Gallery kick)
SL — Smith 11 pass from Lomax (Gallery kick)
SL — Smith 17 pass from Lomax (Gallery kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	Cardinals	Bucs
First Downs	26	26
Total Net Yards	415	377
Total Off. Plays	71	71
Rushes-Net Yards	31-137	33-83
Net Yards Passing	278	294
Passes	25-36-1	23-37-0
Punts-Average	1-39.0	3-39.0
Return Yardage	133	92
Penalties-Yards	11-123	8-72
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	1-1
Sacks-Yards	1-9	4-36
Possession Time	31:14	28:46

RUSHING

BUCS—Wilder 11-49; Smith 19-48; DeBerg 1-1; Howard 1-3; Hill 1-10.
CARDINALS—Mitchell 17-79; Ferrell 9-33; Lomax 4-23; Wolfley 1-2.

PASSING

BUCS—DeBerg 23-37-0, 303 yards; 3 TDs.
CARDINALS—Lomax 25-36-1, 314 yards, 3 TDs.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Wilder 6-87; Carter 6-82; Hill 4-56; Smith 3-43; Howard 2-19; Magee 1-11; Carrier 1-5.
CARDINALS—Awalt 9-124; Smith 8-96; Mitchell 4-58; Holmes 4-36.

INTERCEPTIONS

BUCS—Jones 1-9.
CARDINALS—None.

BUCS-CARDINALS NOTES

St. Louis scored 28 fourth quarter points to create one of the top all-time comebacks...then Buc bid to tie failed when Donald Igwebuike's last second 53-yard field goal to send the game in overtime hit the left crossbar...with 1:51 left in the third quarter the Bucs took a 28-3 lead over St. Louis following a Jeff Smith three-yard touchdown run...the Cardinal comeback began in the fourth quarter with Neil Lomax connecting with tight end Robert Awalt on a four-yard TD pass with 12:48 left...key play in that drive was a fourth and one on the Buc 43-yard line...Lomax passed for 39 yards to Stump Mitchell that set up the Awalt TD reception...a James Wilder fumble on Tampa Bay's next possession resulted in a Niko Noga 15-yard touchdown recovery with 11:39 remaining. (A-22,449)

GAME 9
Minnesota 23, Bucs 17
HHH Metrodome
November 15, 1987

Minnesota	0	6	10	7—23
Tampa Bay	0	7	3	7—17

TB — Magee 20 pass from DeBerg (Igwebuike kick)
M — C. Nelson 29 FG
M — C. Nelson 27 FG
M — Fenney 1 run (C. Nelson kick)
TB — Igwebuike 26 FG
M — C. Nelson 26 FG
M — Jordan 2 pass from Kramer (C. Nelson kick)
TB — Freeman 64 pass from DeBerg (Igwebuike kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	Vikings	Bucs
First Downs	23	14
Total Net Yards	330	259
Total Off. Plays	77	50
Rushes-Net Yards	47-224	9-15
Net Yards Passing	106	244
Passes	12-28-1	22-37-1
Punts-Average	3-42.7	4-40.5
Return Yardage	185	136
Penalties-Yards	9-70	9-66
Fumbles-Lost	0-0	3-3
Sacks-Yards	4-40	2-21
Possession Time	37:59	22:01

RUSHING

BUCS—J. Smith 8-16; DeBerg 1-1.
VIKINGS—Nelson 17-103; Fenney 9-40; Wilson 3-33; Dozier 6-28; Rice 10-22; Kramer 2-2.

PASSING

BUCS—DeBerg 22-37-1, 284 yards, 2 TDs.
VIKINGS—Wilson 8-19-0, 97 yards; Kramer 4-9-1, 30 yards 1TD.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Freeman 2-76; Magee 6-65; Carter 3-56; J. Smith 5-47; Wilder 5-38; Carrier 1-2.
VIKINGS—Carter 3-37; Jordan 3-28; Lewis 2-27; Rice 2-21; H. Jones 1-12; Fenney 1-2.

INTERCEPTIONS

BUCS—Isom 1-29.
VIKINGS-Henderson 1-17.

BUCS—VIKINGS NOTES

Trailing 23-10 with 7:55 left in the game, Steve DeBerg connected on a 64-yard touchdown toss to Phil Freeman to rally the Bucs to 23-17...the pass play was the longest of the year for the Buccaneers...the Bucs comeback ended when DeBerg's pass to Gerald Carter was intercepted at the Viking 25-yard line by Wymon Henderson with 4:42 remaining...James Wilder did not have a rushing attempt for the first time in a game during his career (81 regular season appearances)...Tampa Bay had a team-record low nine rushes vs. Minnesota...rookie safety Ray Isom started his first game as a Buc and came up with a 29-yard interception return. (A48,605)

GAME 10
San Francisco 24, Bucs 10
Tampa Stadium
November 22, 1987

San Francisco	7	10	0	7	—24
Tampa Bay	10	0	0	0	—10

TB — Wilder 4 pass from DeBerg (Igwebuike kick)
SF — Rice 21 pass from Montana (Wersching kick)
TB — Igwebuike 29 FG
SF — Rice 42 pass from Montana (Wershing kick)
SF — Wersching 43 FG
SF — Rice 3 pass from Montana (Wershing Kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	49ers	Bucs
First Downs	28	14
Total Net Yards	432	256
Total Off. Plays	80	56
Rushes-Net Yards	34-137	20-60
Net Yards Passing	295	196
Passes	29-45-1	19-35-1
Punts-Average	4-41.8	2-32.0
Return Yardage	27	70
Penalties-Yards	5-37	6-35
Fumbles-Lost	3-0	1-1
Sacks-Yards	1-10	1-9
Possession Time	32:48	27:12

RUSHING

BUCS—Wilder 11-48; Bartalo 2-7; Smith 7-5.
49ERS—Craig 15-60; Sydney 5-27; Cribbs 6-25; Rice 1-10; Rathman 4-9; Montana 3-6.

PASSING

BUCS—DeBerg 19-35-1, 206 yards, 1 TD.
49ERS—Montana 29-45-1, 304 yards; 1 TD.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Carter 3-78; Miller 2-42; Wilder 8-39; Hill 2-18; Magee 1-18; Bartalo 1-5; Hall 1-3; Freeman 1-3.
49ERS—Rice 7-103; Wilson 4-70; Rathman 6-38; Craig 5-28; Frank 2-21; Clark 2-19; Cribbs 2-14; Francis 1-11.

INTERCEPTIONS

BUCS—Isom 1-38.
49ERS—Griffin 1-0.

BUCS-49ERS NOTES

San Francisco's Joe Montana and Jerry Rice connected on three scoring passes of 21 yards, 42 yards and three yards... rookie safety Ray Isom's interception in the first quarter set up a two-play Buc scoring drive with Steve DeBerg connecting with James Wilder on a four-yard TD toss... the score gave the Bucs a 7-0 lead... the 49ers came back on the following series driving 76 yards and ended on the first of three touchdown tosses from Joe Montana to Jerry Rice... Tampa Bay fumbles in the fourth quarter were costly... trailing 17-10, the Bucs' opening possession of the quarter ended on a fumble... the 49ers recovered and put together a 11 play, 56-yard drive to increase their lead to 24-10... Tampa Bay then drove to the 49ers three-yard line but DeBerg was intercepted in the end zone. (A-63,211)

GAME 11
Los Angeles Rams 35, Bucs 3
Anaheim Stadium
November 23, 1987

LA Rams	7	14	7	7—35
Tampa Bay	0	0	3	0— 3

LA — Ellard 19 pass from Everett (Lansford kick)
LA — White 2 run (Lansford kick)
LA — White 7 run (Lansford kick)
TB — Igwebuike 33 FG
LA — Guman 1 run (Lansford kick)
LA — Brown 39 pass from Everett (Lansford kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	Rams	Bucs
First Downs	27	11
Total Net Yards	425	201
Total Off. Plays	74	52
Rushes-Net Yards	50-213	14-79
Net Yards Passing	212	122
Passes	16-21-0	17-34-2
Punts-Average	4-35.5	8-40.9
Return Yardage	117	77
Penalties-Yards	6-35	5-34
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	2-1
Sacks-Yards	4-35	3-25
Possession Time	35:29	24:31

RUSHING

BUCS—Smith 3-47; Wilder 9-32; DeBerg 1-0; Testaverde 1-0.
RAMS—White 29-137; Guman 10-23; Francis 7-22; Tyrell 3-20; Brown 1-11.

PASSING

BUCS—DeBerg 13-28-1, 124 yards; Testaverde 4-6-1, 33 yards.
RAMS—Everett 14-19-0, 206 yards; 2 TDs.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Magee 5-72; Freeman 2-21; Hall 1-20; Carter 2-18; Wilder 3-17; Smith 2-7; Carrier 1-6; Howard 1-4.
RAMS—Brown 4-91; Ellard 5-82; Hill 1-24; Guman 2-15; Tyrell 1-14; White 2-6.

INTERCEPTIONS

RAMS—Owens 1-26; Sutton 1-4.

BUCS-RAMS NOTES

Los Angeles opened the game with a 11 play, 63-yard scoring drive that took up 5:04 seconds... the Rams gained 226 yards in the first half... Vinny Testaverde played the game's final two series in preparation for his first start the next week. (A-45,188)

GAME 12
New Orleans 44, Bucs 34
Louisiana Superdome
December 6, 1987

New Orleans	14	14	10	6—44
Tampa Bay	7	3	10	14—34

NO — Tice 8 pass from Hebert (Andersen kick)
NO — Tice 6 pass from Hebert (Andersen kick)
TB — Testaverde 1 run (Igwebuike kick)
NO — Mayes 7 run (Andersen kick)
NO — Hilliard 3 run (Andersen kick)
TB — Igwebuike 37 FG
NO — Andersen 40 FG
NO — Mayes 2 run (Andersen kick)
TB — Carrier 37 pass from Testaverde (Igwebuike kick)
TB — Igwebuike 43 FG
NO — Andersen 24 FG
TB — Hill 12 pass from Testaverde (Igwebuike kick)
NO — Andersen 32 FG
TB — Howard 2 run (Igwebuike kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	Saints	Bucs
First Downs	19	27
Total Net Yards	365	449
Total Off. Plays	62	72
Rushes-Net Yards	37-171	22-97
Net Yards Passing	248	369
Passes	16-24-0	22-47-2
Punts-Average	4-44.8	3-41.0
Return Yardage	266	105
Penalties-Yards	6-58	4-20
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	2-2
Sacks-Yards	3-17	1-7
Possession Time	34:46	25:14

RUSHING

BUCS—Smith 8-31; Wilder 6-30; Testaverde 5-19; Hill 1-9; Hunter 1-6; Howard 1-2.
SAINTS—Hilliard 16-62; Mayes 21-55.

PASSING

BUCS—Testaverde 22-47-2, 369 yards, 2 TDs.
SAINTS—Hebert 16-24-0, 255 yards, 2 TDs.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Carrier 8-212; Hill 5-73; Wilder 4-33; Carter 2-25; Hall 1-12; Howard 1-8; Magee 1-6.
SAINTS—Martin 2-101; Pattison 2-51; Hill 3-27; Word 2-25; Jones 2-20; Tice 2-14; Hilliard 1-12; Benson 1-5, Mayes 1-0.

INTERCEPTIONS

SAINTS—Jackson 1-4; Waymer 1-0.

BUCS-SAINTS NOTES

Vinny Testaverde made his NFL starting debut against the then league's top rated defense...he finished the game with a rookie single-game passing record 369 yards...297 of those passing yards to rookie receivers...Mark Carrier ended the game with seven catches for a Buc record 212 yards in receiving yards...Testaverde opened the game by fumbling on his first two possessions that resulted in two New Orleans touchdowns...Testaverde scored his first NFL touchdown with a one yard run in the first quarter with 2:31 left...his first TD toss was a 37-yarder to Mark Carrier with 5:20 left in the third quarter...he followed that with a 12-yard TD strike to Bruce Hill in the fourth quarter with 9:49 left in the game...the win clinched New Orleans first-ever playoff spot. (A-66,471)

GAME 13
Detroit 20, Bucs 10
Tampa Stadium
December 13, 1987

Detroit	7	3	3	7—20
Tampa Bay	0	3	0	7—10

D — Mandley 8 pass from Long (Murray kick)
TB — Igwebuike 44 FG
D — Murray 24 FG
D — Murray 37 FG
D — Ellerson 6 run (Murray kick)
TB — Hill 28 pass from Testaverde (Igwebuike kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	Lions	Bucs
First Downs	22	20
Total Net Yards	298	263
Total Off. Plays	73	57
Rushes-Net Yards	50-190	14-47
Net Yards Passing	108	216
Passes	12-23-0	20-39-1
Punts-Average	5-36.6	7-34.6
Return Yardage	71	0
Penalties-Yards	7-50	8-66
Fumbles-Lost	3-1	2-0
Sacks-Yards	4-46	0-0
Possession Time	36:07	23:53

RUSHING

BUCS—Hunter 6-30; Wilder 4-14; Smith 3-3; Testaverde 1-0.
LIONS—James 18-67; Woolfolk 5-59; Jones 14-40; Ellerson 9-19; Long 4-5.

PASSING

BUCS—Testaverde 20-39-1, 262 yards, 1 TD.
LIONS—Long 12-23-0, 108 yards, 1 TD.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Hill 5-86; Carter 4-78; Carrier 2-35; Hall 4-34; Howard 2-18; Smith 1-7; Hunter 1-4.
LIONS—Lee 3-36; Jones 3-24; Rubick 2-22; Mandley 2-18; James 2-8.

INTERCEPTIONS

BUCS—None.
LIONS—Williams 1-48.

BUCS-LIONS NOTES

Tampa Bay saw its record fall to 4-9 in Vinny Testaverde home debut as a starting quarterback... Testaverde, in his second pro start, connected on a 28-yard pass to rookie wide receiver Bruce Hill with 6:28 left in the game. (A-41,699)

GAME 14
St. Louis 31, Bucs 14
Tampa Stadium
December 20, 1987

St. Louis	0	14	10	7—31
Tampa Bay	7	0	0	7—14

TB — Hall 1 pass from Testaverde (Igwebuike kick)
SL — Novacek 15 pass from Lomax (Del Greco kick)
SL — Smith 8 pass from Lomax (Del Greco kick)
SL — Del Greco 28 FG
SL — Awalt 5 pass from Lomax (Del Greco kick)
SL — Mitchell 3 run (Del Greco kick)
TB —Carter 26 pass from Testaverde (Igwebuike kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	Cardinals	Bucs
First Downs	24	19
Total Net Yards	351	370
Total Off. Plays	67	75
Rushes-Net Yards	34-134	31-163
Net Yards Passing	217	207
Passes	22-30-1	16-38-2
Punts-Average	5-41.0	7-37.1
Return Yardage	78	52
Penalties-Yards	10-65	7-55
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	5-2
Sacks-Yards	6-33	3-16
Possession Time	30:43	29:17

RUSHING

BUCS—Wilder 10-80; Smith 14-40; Testaverde 2-19; Howard 3-15; Hill 1-4; Hunter 1-5.
CARDINALS—Mitchell 23-101; Wolfley 5-17; Lomax 1-9; Green 1-8; McAdoo 3-1; Stoudt 1--2.

PASSING

BUCS—Testaverde 16-38-2, 240 yards, 2 TDs.
CARDINALS—Lomax 22-29-1, 233 yards, 3 TDs; Stoudt 0-1-0, 0 yards.

RECEIVING

BUCS—Carter 5-116; Hill 4-74; Smith 3-25; Hall 2-10; Magee 1-8; Howard 1-7.
CARDINALS—Green 5-86; Smith 5-54; Mitchell 6-41; Johnson 2-22; Awalt 3-15; Novacek 1-15.

INTERCEPTIONS

BUCS—Futrell 1-23.
CARDINALS—Junior 1-25; Mack 1-0.

BUCS-CARDINALS NOTES

Tampa Bay opened the game with a Vinny Testaverde to Ron Hall one-yard touchdown pass in the end zone determined by instant replay... James Wilder equaled his season-high with 80 yards rushing. (A-32,046)

GAME 15
Indianapolis 24, Bucs 6
Hoosier Dome
December 27, 1987

Indianapolis	7	3	7	7—24
Tampa Bay	3	0	0	3— 6

I — Dickerson 6 run (Biasucci kick)
TB — Igwebuike 38 FG
I — Biasucci 30 FG
I — Dickerson 34 run (Biasucci kick)
TB — Igwebuike 37 FG
I — Bentley 2 run (Biasucci kick)

TEAM STATISTICS

	Colts	Bucs
First Downs	23	10
Total Net Yards	472	232
Total Off. Plays	72	56
Rushes-Net Yards	45-226	21-96
Net Yards Passing	246	136
Passes	17-27-0	8-32-1
Punts-Average	5-42.2	7-38.4
Return Yardage	78	111
Penalties-Yards	10-61	5-45
Fumbles-Lost	4-1	1-0
Sacks-Yards	3-27	0-0
Possession Time	39:44	20:16

RUSHING

BUCS—Wilder 7-45; Smith 9-27; Testaverde 4-12; Howard 1-12.
COLTS—Dickerson 33-196; Wonsley 3-20; Bentley 4-10- Brooks 1-1; Trudeau 4-1.

PASSING

BUCS—Testaverde 8-31-0, 163 yards; Bartalo 0-1-1, 0 yards.
COLTS—Trudeau 17-27-0, 246 yards.

RECEIVING

Hill 3-96; Miller 1-31; Taylor 2-21; Smith 1-8; Wilder 1-7.
COLTS—Bouza 4-82; Bentley 2-69; Brooks 5-51; Dickerson 2-33; Boyer 2-12; Beach 1-3; Utt 1-4.

INTERCEPTIONS

BUCS—None.
COLTS—Prior 1-0.

BUCS-COLTS NOTES

The Bucs lost their eighth straight game to finish 4-11 . . . Indianapolis clinched the AFC Eastern Division title with 9-6 record . . . Colts compiled a season-high 472 yards of offense . . . Indianapolis clinched the game following a Donald Iqwebuike 47-yard blocked field goal attempt . . . the Colts drove 70 yards in two plays with Dickerson scoring on a 34-yard run and a 17-3 lead . . . it was Dickerson's third 100-yard game vs. Tampa Bay. (A-60,468)

TEAM RECORDS

SINGLE-GAME OFFENSE

SCORING

Most Points Scored:
- 48 — vs. Atlanta (48-10) 9/13/87
- 41 — vs. New York Jets (41-21) 12/16/84
- 38 — at Miami (38-41) 10/20/85
- 37 — vs. Green Bay (37-3) 11/22/81
- 35 — vs. Minnesota (35-31) 10/7/84
- 34 — at New Orleans (44-34) 12/6/87

Most Points Scored, Defeat:
- 38 — at Miami (38-41) 10/20/85
- 34 — at New Orleans (44-34) 12/6/87
- 33 — vs. Los Angeles Rams (33-34) 11/25/84

Most Points, Half:
- 28 — at Chicago (1st) 9/8/85
- 27 — vs. Atlanta (1st) 9/13/87
- — vs. Green Bay (1st) 11/22/81
- 24 — vs. New York Jets (2nd) 12/16/84
- — vs. Detroit (1st) 9/1/79
- — at Miami (2nd) 10/20/85
- — at New Orleans (2nd) 12/6/87

Most Points, Quarter:
- 24 — vs. Green Bay (2nd) 11/22/81
- 21 — at Detroit (2nd) 10/4/87
- — vs. Los Angeles Rams (2nd) 9/23/79
- — vs. New York Jets (4th) 12/16/84

Individual Quarter Highs:
- 1st: 20 — vs. Chicago 10/25/87
- 2nd: 24 — vs. Green Bay 11/22/81
- 3rd: 17 — six times, most recently vs. Green Bay 11/1/87
- 4th: 21 — vs. New York Jets 12/16/84

Largest Margin of Victory:
- 38 — vs. Atlanta (48-10) 9/13/87
- 34 — vs. Green Bay (37-3) 11/22/81
- 28 — vs. New York Giants (31-3) 11/18/79

Largest Margin of Victory, Road:
- 19 — at New Orleans (33-14) 12/11/77

TOUCHDOWNS

Most Touchdowns:
- 7 — vs. Atlanta 9/13/87
- 5 — five times, most recently at Miami 10/20/85

Most Touchdowns, Rushing:
- 3 — seven times, most recently vs. Buffalo 11/2/86

Most Touchdowns, Passing:
- 5 — vs. Atlanta 9/13-87
- 4 — four times, most recently at Miami 10/20/85

Most Touchdowns, By Return:
- 3 — at New Orleans 12/11/77

TOTAL OFFENSE

Most Yards, Total Offense:
573 – at Minnesota 11/16/80
476 – at Miami 10/20/85
460 – vs. Atlanta 9/13/87
451 – vs. Chicago 12/20/80
450 – at Chicago 9/20/81
449 – at New Orleans 12/6/87
442 – at Dallas 9/21/80
425 – vs. Minnesota 11/25/79
424 – vs. Chicago (OT, 379 in regulation) 1/2/83
420 – vs. Atlanta 12/6/81
(Tampa Bay has gained over 400 yards 15 times, four in 1980)

Most Rushing and Passing Plays:
91 – vs. Green Bay (OT, 79 in regulation) 9/30/84
87 – at Kansas City 10/28/84
82 – vs. Cleveland 9/28/80

Biggest Buccaneer Play Differential:
31 – at Dallas (77-46) 11/21/82
30 – vs. Detroit (77-47) 12/26/82

Largest Advantage, Total Offense:
263 – vs. Atlanta (460-187) 9/13/87
203 – at Chicago (450-247) 9/20/81

Best Average Gain Per Play:
8.4 – at Miami (57-476) 10/20/85
7.8 – vs. Chicago (58-451) 12/20/80
7.4 – at Oakland (48-356) 10/18/81

Largest Advantage in Average Gain Per Play:
3.7 – vs. Chicago (7.8-4.1) 12/20/80
3.1 – at Oakland (7.4-4.3) 10/18/81

Best Time of Possession:
41:21 – vs. Detroit 11/24/85 (OT, 31:40 in regulation)
40:48 – vs. Green Bay 9/30/84 (OT, 34:32 in regulation)
40:22 – vs. Kansas City 12/16/79

FIRST DOWNS

Most First Downs, Game:
30 – vs. Atlanta 9/13/87
28 – vs. Los Angeles Rams 11/25/84
– vs. New York Jets 12/16/84

Largest Advantage, First Downs:
17 – vs. Atlanta 9/13/87 (30-13)
12 – vs. Kansas City (16-4) 12/16/79

Most First Downs, Rushing:
16 – vs. Detroit 9/16/84
14 – vs. New York Giants 11/2/80
– vs. Buffalo 11/19/78

Most First Downs, Passing:
20 – vs. Atlanta 9/13/87
– vs. Cleveland 9/28/80
19 – vs. Los Angeles Rams 11/25/84
– at Detroit 12/18/83
– at Minnesota 11/16/80

Most First Downs, Penalty:
5 – vs. Buffalo 11/2/86 at St. Louis 11/8/87
– at Detroit 11/12/78
– at Denver 11/7/76

Third Down Efficiency (min. 10 atts.):
88% – vs. Atlanta (14-16) 9/13/87
75% – at St Louis (12-16) 11/8-87
71% – vs. Cincinnati (10-14) 9/25/83
69% – vs. Green Bay (11-16) 11/22/81

RUSHING

Most Yards, Rushing:
244 – vs. New York Giants 11/2/80
235 – at Green Bay 9/16/79
229 – at Detroit 9/21/86
– vs. Detroit 9/1/79
228 – vs. Green Bay 10/21/79
(Tampa Bay has gained over 200 yards 13 times, most recently at Detroit, 229, 9/21/86; one season high is five times in 1979)

Most Rushing Plays:
62 – vs. Kansas City 12/16/79
55 – vs. Philadelphia 12/29/79 (Playoff Game)
– vs. Green Bay 10/21/79

Best Gain Per Rush:
6.44 – vs. New Orleans (25-161) 10/14/79
6.38 – at Dallas (32-204) 9/21/80

Largest Advantage, Yards Rushing:
190 – vs. Green Bay (228-38) 10/21/79
171 – vs. New York Giants (244-73) 11/2/80

PASSING

Most Passes Attempted:
- 56 — at Minnesota (30-56) 11/16/80
- — vs. Cleveland (30-56) 9/28/80
- 54 — at Kansas City (29-54) 10/28/84
- 50 — vs. Chicago (25-50, all in reg.) 1/2/83

Most Passes Completed:
- 30 — vs. Cincinnati (30-40) 9/25/83
- — at Minnesota (30-56) 11/16/80
- — vs. Cleveland (30-56) 9/28/80
- 29 — at Kansas City (29-54) 10/28/84
- 28 — at Detroit (28-42) 12/18/83

Most Net Yards Passing:
- 486 — at Minnesota 11/16/80
- 365 — at Miami 10/20/85
- 352 — at New Orleans 12/6/87
- 349 — at Detroit 12/18/83
- 346 — vs. Chicago 10/6/85
- 344 — vs. Chicago 12/20/80
- 337 — vs. Cleveland 9/28/80
- 333 — vs. Atlanta 9/13/87
- 327 — vs. Atlanta 12/6/81
- — at Oakland 10/18/81
- 325 — vs. Chicago (all in reg.) 1/2/83

Largest Advantage, Net Yards Passing:
- 254 — vs. Los Angeles Rams (322-68) 11/25/84
- 204 — vs. Chicago (344-140) 12/20/80
- 200 — vs. Pittsburgh (294-94) 11/9/80
- 199 — vs. Atlanta (333-134) 9/13/87

Best Completion Percentage (min. 10 atts.):
- 86.2% — at Detroit (25-29) 10/14/84
- 80.0% — at New Orleans (8-10) 12/11/77
- 76.5% — vs. New York Jets (26-34) 12/16/84
- 75.0% — vs. Cincinnati (30-40) 9/25/83
- 71.9% — vs. Detroit (23-32) 11/23/86

Best Gain Per Pass Play:
- 14.2 — vs. St. Louis (12-171) 12/18/77
- 11.5 — vs. Chicago (30-344) 12/20/80
- 11.4 — at Miami (32-365) 10/20/85

Most Touchdown Passes:
- 5 — vs. Atlanta 9/13/87
- 4 — four times, most recently at Miami 10/20/85

Most Passes Had Intercepted:
- 7 — vs. San Francisco 9/7/86
- 6 — at Chicago 9/2/84

Most Times Buc Passer Sacked:
- 10 — vs. Washington 10/9/77
- 9 — at Los Angeles Rams 11/5/78

Most Yards Buc Passers Sacked:
- 99 — vs. Washington (10-99) 10/9/77
- 94 — vs. Detroit (7-94) 9/9/78

PUNTING

Most Punts:
- 11 — four times, most recently vs. Green Bay 10/12/80

Fewest Punts:
- 0 — vs. Green Bay 11/22/81
- 1 — five times, most recently vs. Atlanta 9/13/87

Best Punting Average (min. four):
- 48.8 — vs. Minnesota (4-48.8) 9/14/86
- 48.5 — at Los Angeles Rams (4-48.5) 11/5/78

RETURNS

Most Total Return Yardage:
- 240 — vs. Green Bay 11/22/81
- — vs. New England 12/12/76

Most Punt Returns:
- 8 — vs. Detroit 9/1/79

Most Yards, Punt Returns:
- 78 — vs. New England (4-78) 12/12/76

Most Kickoff Returns:
- 9 — at New York Jets 11/17/85

Most Yards, Kickoff Returns:
- 170 — vs. Los Angeles Rams (6-170) 10/13/85

FUMBLES

Most Fumbles:
- 8 — at New York Jets 12/12/82
- 7 — at New York Jets 11/17/85

Most Fumbles Lost:
- 5 — at New York Jets 11/17/85
- — vs. Detroit 9/9/78

PENALTIES

Most Penalties:
- 20 — vs. Seattle (20-190) 10/17/76
- 15 — vs. Chicago (15-104) 10/21/84

Most Yards Penalized:
- 190 — vs. Seattle (20-190) 10/17/76
- 185 — at Dallas (14-185) 10/9/83

Fewest Yards Penalized:
- 0 — at Detroit (0-0) 12/18/83
- 5 — three times most recently vs. L.A. Rams 10/13/85

LOWEST OFFENSIVE OUTPUT

Fewest Points Scored:
0 — 17 times—most recently at Green Bay 12/1/85
65 — at Green Bay 12/1/85
78 — vs. Atlanta 11/27/77

Fewest Yards, Total Offense:

Fewest Rushing and Passing Plays:
41 — at Green Bay 12/1/85

Lowest Gain Per Play:
1.6 — at Green Bay 12/1/85

Fewest Rushing Plays:
9 — at Minnesota (9-15) 11/15/87

Fewest Yards Rushing:
12 — vs. Kansas City (23-12) 9/13/81

Worst Disadvantage, Yards Rushing:
209 — at Minnesota (224-15) 11/15/87

Fewest Passes Attempted:
10 — vs. Green Bay (6-10) 10/21/79
— at New Orleans (8-10) 12/11/77

Fewest Passes Completed:
3 — vs. San Diego (3-18) 9/19/76
(also lowest percentage 16.7%)

Fewest Yards Passing:
—31 — vs. Detroit 9/9/78

Worst Disadvantage, Passing Yardage:
333 — vs. Green Bay (415-82) 10/12/80

Fewest First Downs:
5 — at Green Bay 12/1/85
— vs. San Diego 9/19/76

Fewest First Downs Rushing:
0 — vs. Chicago 10/6/85

Fewest First Downs Passing:
1 — vs. Chicago 12/4/77
— vs. San Diego 9/19/76

SEASON OFFENSE

MOST GAMES WON

10 — 1979

Most Consecutive Games Won:
5 — 9/1/79 to 9/30/79

SCORING

Most Points Scored:
335 — 1984 (20.9 per game)

Most Touchdowns Scored:
40 — 1984

Most Touchdowns Scored, Rushing:
17 — 1984

Most Touchdowns Scored, Passing:
22 — 1987
— 1985
— 1984

Most Touchdowns Scored, Returns:
5 — 1981

Most Field Goals:
22 — 1985

Most Field Goals, Attempted:
32 — 1985

Best Percentage of Field Goals Made:
79.2% — 1987 (19-24)
78.3% — 1982 (18-23)

Most Extra Points Made:
38 — 1984 (38-40)

Best Percentage of Extra Points Made:
96.7% — 1980 (31-32)

FIRST DOWNS

Most First Downs:
344 — 1984 (21.5 per game)

Most First Downs, Rushing:
114 — 1984 (7.1 per game)

Most First Downs, Passing:
209 — 1984 (13.1 per game)

Most First Downs, Penalty:
33 — 1987
32 — 1985
31 — 1986

Best Third Down Efficiency:
43.5% — 1984 (94-216)

TOTAL YARDS

Most Total Yards:
5,318 — 1984 (332.4 per game)

Most Plays:
1,091 — 1984 (68.2 per game)

Best Gain Per Play:
5.44 — 1981

RUSHING

Most Yards Rushing:
2,437 — 1979 (152.3 per game)

Most Rushing Plays:
609 — 1979 (38.1 per game)

Best Gain Per Rush:
4.1 — 1986

PASSING

Most Net Yards Passing:
3,545 — 1984 (221.6 per game)

Most Passes Attempted:
563 — 1984 (35.2 per game)

Most Passes Completed:
334 — 1984 (20.9 per game)

Best Completion Percentage:
59.3% — 1984 (334-563)
56.8% — 1983 (300-528)

Fewest Passes Intercepted:
11 — 1982 (9 games, 3.6% of atts.)
14 — 1981 (16 games, 3.0% of atts.)

Fewest Times Buc Passers Sacked:
11 — 1982 (9 games)
12 — 1979 (16 games)

PUNTING

Fewest Punts:
68 — 1984 (4.3 per game, 16 games)
40 — 1982 (4.4 per game, 9 games)

Best Gross Punting Average:
41.9 — 1984

Best Net Punting Average:
35.1 — 1977

RETURNS

Best Punt Return Average:
9.2 — 1985

Best Kickoff Return Average:
21.3 — 1976

PENALTIES

Fewest Penalties:
38 — 1982 (4.2 per game, 9 games)
82 — 1986 (5.1 per game, 16 games)

Fewest Yards Penalized:
297 — 1982 (33.0 yds. per game, 9 games)
646 — 1986 (40.4 per game, 16 games)

Most Penalties:
118 — 1984

Most Yards Penalized:
905 — 1979

FUMBLES

Fewest Fumbles:
25 — 1979 (15 lost)

Fewest Fumbles Lost:
13 — 1983

Fewest Total Turnovers:
28 — 1981

SINGLE-GAME DEFENSE

SCORING

Fewest Points Allowed:
0 — vs. St. Louis (16-0) 11/10/85
— vs. Kansas City (3-0) 12/16/79
3 — three times, most recently vs. Green Bay (37-3) 11/22/81

TOTAL DEFENSE

Fewest Total Yards Allowed:
80 — vs. Kansas City 12/16/79
128 — at Cincinnati 9/7/80
164 — vs. Chicago 12/2/79
173 — vs. Green Bay 12/3/78
175 — vs. Minnesota 10/18/87
185 — at Dallas 11/21/82
186 — vs. Los Angeles Rams 9/23/79
196 — vs. Detroit 9/9/78
197 — vs. New York Giants 11/13/77
197 — vs. Atlanta 9/13/87

Fewest Total Plays Allowed:
38 — vs. Kansas City 12/16/79
46 — at Dallas 11/21/82
47 — vs. Detroit 12/26/82

Lowest Yield Per Play:
2.1 — at Cincinnati (61-128) 9/7/80
2.5 — at Baltimore (82-206) 9/9/79

Fewest First Downs Allowed:
4 — vs. Kansas City 12/16/79
9 — at Cincinnati 9/7/80

Fewest Rushing First Downs Allowed:
1 — vs. Green Bay 10/21/79
2 — vs. Kansas City 12/16/79
— vs. Minnesota 10/18/87

Fewest Passing First Downs Allowed:
0 — vs. New England 12/12/76

Best Third Down Defense:
8% — vs. Buffalo (1-12) 9/26/76

RUSHING DEFENSE

Fewest Yards Allowed:
23 — vs. Minnesota (17-23) 10/18/87
38 — at Detroit (27-38) 11/11/79
— vs. Green Bay (24-38) 10/21/79
48 — vs. Philadelphia (18-48) 12/29/79 (Playoff Game)

Fewest Rushing Plays Allowed:
14 — vs. Chicago (14-91) 10/25/87
16 — vs. Atlanta (16-63) 9/13/87
17 — vs. Minnesota (17-23) 10/18/87

Lowest Yield Per Rush:
1.35 — vs. Minnesota (17-23) 10/18/87
1.4 — at Detroit (27-38) 11/11/79

PASSING DEFENSE

Fewest Net Yards Passing Allowed:
16 — at Cincinnati 9/7/80
17 — vs. Chicago 12/2/79
18 — at New York Giants 10/7/79
22 — vs. Kansas City 12/16/79

Fewest Pass Attempts Allowed:
7 — at Chicago (4-7) 11/26/78
10 — vs. L.A. Rams (7-10) 11/25/84

Fewest Pass Completions Allowed:
4 — at Chicago (4-7) 11/26/78
— vs. New England (4-14) 12/12/76

Lowest Percentage of Completions Allowed:
28.6% — at Cincinnati (6-21) 9/7/80
— vs. New England (4-14) 12/12/76

Lowest Gain Per Pass Play Allowed:
0.8 — at Cincinnati (21-16) 9/7/80
1.1 — vs. Chicago (15-17) 12/2/79

Most Passes Intercepted By Buccaneers:
6 — at New Orleans 12/11/77
5 — vs. Miami 11/29/82

Most Yards Interceptions Returned:
150 — vs. Green Bay (4-150) 11/22/81

Most Touchdowns, Interception Returns:
3 — at New Orleans (tied NFL record) 12/11/77

Most Times Passers Sacked:
10 — at Baltimore (10-69) 9/9/79
7 — vs. Minnesota (7-43) 10/18/87
— vs. L.A. Rams (7-37) 10/13/85

Most Yards Passers Sacked:
75 — vs. New York Giants (5-75) 11/18/79
69 — at Baltimore (10-69) 9/9/79

PUNTING

Most Punts Forced:
10 — vs. Chicago 12/2/79

Lowest Opponent Punting Average:
25.5 — at Pittsburgh (4-25.5) 12/5/76

Fewest Yards Opponent Punt Returns:
-11 — vs. New York Giants 9/2/78

FUMBLES

Most Fumbles Forced:
7 — vs. Minnesota 10/4/84
— at Pittsburgh 10/30/83

Most Opponent Fumbles Recovered:
4 — at Pittsburgh 10/30/83

PENALTIES

Most Yards Opponents Penalized:
160 — at Denver 11/7/76

Most Opponent Penalties:
16 — vs. Chicago 10/21/84

SEASON DEFENSE

(Records set in nine-game 1982 season are listed only if 1982 per game average is better than other marks.)

SCORING

233 — 1977 (15.9 per game, in 14 games)

Fewest Points Allowed Per Game:
14.8 — 1979 (237 in 16 games)

Fewest Touchdowns Allowed:
26 — 1977 (14 games)
27 — 1981 (16 games)

Fewest Touchdowns Allowed, from Scrimmage:
23 — 1977

Fewest Touchdowns Allowed, Rushing:
12 — 1978

Fewest Touchdowns Allowed, Passing:
10 — 1981 & 1977

Fewest Touchdowns Allowed, Returns:
0 — 1984

Fewest Field Goals Allowed:
14 — 1979 & 1977

Fewest Field Goal Attempts Allowed:
23 — 1979

Lowest Field Goal Percentage Allowed:
56.0% — 1977 (14-25)

Lowest Percentage, Opponent Extra Points Converted:
76.2% — 1982 (16-21)

FIRST DOWNS

Fewest First Downs Allowed:
241 — 1977

Fewest First Downs Allowed, Rushing:
109 — 1978

Fewest First Downs Allowed, Passing:
106 — 1977

Lowest Opponent 3rd Down Pct.:
32.0% — 1979

TOTAL YARDS

Fewest Total Yards Allowed:
3,926 — 1977 (14 games)
3,949 — 1979 (16 games)

Fewest Plays Allowed:
933 — 1976

Fewest Yards Allowed Per Game:
246.8 — 1979

Fewest Yards Allowed Per Play:
3.89 — 1979

RUSHING

Fewest Yards Rushing Allowed:
1,873 — 1979 (117.1 per game)
1,058 — 1982 (117.6 per game)

Fewest Rushes Allowed:
285 — 1982 (31.7 per game)
511 — 1984 (31.9 per game)

Lowest Average Opponent Rushes:
3.42 — 1978 (598-2,049)

PASSING

Fewest Net Yards Passing Allowed:
1,895 — 1977

Fewest Net Yards Passing Allowed Per Game:
129.8 — 1979 (2,076 in 16 games)

Fewest Passes Allowed:
321 — 1976 (22.9 per game, 14 games)

Fewest Completions Allowed:
180 — 1976 (12.9 per game)

Most Passes Intercepted By Bucs:
32 — 1981 (648 yds. also record)

Most Times Opponent Passers Sacked:
25 — 1982 (2.8 per game, 9 games)
42 — 1983 (2.6 per game, 16 games)
39 — 1987 (2.6 per game, 15 games)

Most Yards Lost By Sacked Opponent Passers:
224 — 1982 (25.2 yds. per game)
329 — 1979 (20.6 yds. per game)

Lowest Pct. of Completions Allowed:
56.1% — 1976 (180-321)

PUNTING

Most Punts Forced:
104 — 1979

Lowest Gross Punting Average Allowed
37.6 — 1977

Lowest Net Punting Average Allowed:
30.8 — 1976

RETURNS

Fewest Punt Returns Allowed:
36 — 1984

Lowest Punt Return Average Allowed:
5.7 — 1979

Fewest Kickoff Returns Allowed:
33 — 1977

Lowest Kickoff Return Avg. Allowed:
19.9 — 1984

PENALTIES

Most Penalties Against Opponents:
126 — 1984 (126-1,007)

Most Penalty Yards Against Opponents:
1,077 — 1980 (117-1,077)

FUMBLES

Most Opponent Fumbles Forced:
44 — 1979
43 — 1983
42 — 1987

Most Opponent Fumbles Recovered:
24 — 1979

Most Total Turnovers Forced:
46 — 1980 (32 int., 14 fumbles)

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

GAME AND SINGLE-PLAY

RUSHING

Most Yards Rushing:

219 — James Wilder at Minnesota (31-219) 11/6/83

172 — James Wilder vs. Green Bay (43-172) 9/30/84 (150 in reg.)

167 — Ricky Bell vs. Green Bay (28-167) 10/21/79

166 — James Wilder at Chicago (27-166) 9/8/85

152 — Ricky Bell vs. New York Giants (22-152) 11/18/79

146 — James Wilder at Minnesota (30-146) 11/4/84

142 — Ricky Bell vs. Philadelphia (38-142) 12/29/79 (Playoff Game)

138 — Nathan Wonsley at Detroit (18-138) 12/21/86

137 — Ricky Bell vs. Kansas City (39-137) 12/16/79

130 — James Wilder vs. Detroit (24-130) 11/23/86

130 — Ricky Bell vs. New York Giants (26-130) 11/2/80

*There have been 30 100-yard rushing games: Wilder 14, Bell 8 (includes one postseason), Eckwood 4, Wonsley 2, Owens and DuBose 1.

Most Rushing Attempts:

*43 — James Wilder vs. Green Bay (43-172) 9/30/84 (39 in reg.)

42 — James Wilder at Pittsburgh (42-126) 10/30/83

39 — Ricky Bell vs. Kansas City (39-137) 12/16/79

38 — Ricky Bell vs. Philadelphia (38-142) 12/29/79

*Wilder's 43 carries ties NFL record, shared with Butch Woolfolk, N.Y. Giants, at Philadelphia 11/20/83.

Best Gain Per Rushing Attempt (minimum 10 attempts):

10.1 — Ricky Bell vs. New Orleans (10-101) 10/14/79

7.7 — Nathan Wonsley at Detroit (18-138) 9/21/86

7.1 — James Wilder at Minnesota (31-219) 11/6/83

Longest Run:

75 — James Wilder at Minnesota 11/6/83 (TOUCHDOWN)

(for 10 longest runs, see page 133)

Longest Touchdown Run at Home:

45 — James Wilder vs. Buffalo 11/2/86

Most Touchdowns Rushing:

2 — 13 times, most recently by Steve Young vs. Buffalo 11/2/86 (Wilder 7, Bell 2, Eckwood, DuBose, Young and Wonsley 1).

PASSING

Most Yards Passing:

486 — Doug Williams at Minnesota (30-55) 11/16/80

373 — Jack Thompson at Detroit (28-42) 12/18/83

369 — Vinny Testaverde at New Orleans (22-47) 12/6/87

367 — Doug Williams vs. Chicago (25-49), (all in reg.) 1/2/83

365 — Steve DeBerg at Miami (19-32) 10/20/85

350 — Doug Williams vs. Chicago (16-29) 12/20/80

346 — Steve DeBerg vs. Chicago (23-43) 10/6/85

343 — Doug Williams vs. Cleveland (30-56) 9/28/80

337 — Jack Thompson at San Francisco (25-46) 12/4/83

*There have been 20 300-yard games: Doug Williams 10, Steve DeBerg 6, Jack Thompson 3, Vinny Testaverde 1.

Most Passes Attempted:

56 – Doug Williams vs. Cleveland (30-56) 9/28/80

55 – Doug Williams at Minnesota (30-55) 11/16/80

54 – Steve DeBerg at Kansas City (29-54) 10/28/84

49 – Doug Williams vs. Chicago (25-49, all in reg.) 1/2/83

47 – Vinny Testaverde at New Orleans (22-47) 12/6/87

Most Passes Completed:

30 – Jack Thompson vs. Cincinnati (30-40) 9/25/83

– Doug Williams at Minnesota (30-55) 11/16/80

– Doug Williams vs. Cleveland (30-56) 9/28/80

29 – Steve DeBerg at Kansas City (29-54) 10/28/84

Best Completion Percentage (min. 15 attempts):

86.2% – Steve DeBerg at Detroit (25-29) 10/14/84

76.5% – Steve DeBerg vs. New York Jets (26-34) 12/16/84

75.0% – Jack Thompson vs. Cincinnati (30-40) 9/25/83

Most Yards Per Attempt:

14.3 – Gary Huff vs. St. Louis (12-171) 12/18/77

12.1 – Doug Williams vs. Chicago (29-350) 12/20/80

Most Consecutive Completions:

15 – Steve DeBerg vs. Minnesota 9/14/86

12 – Steve DeBerg at Detroit 10/14/84

Most Touchdown Passes:

5 – Steve DeBerg vs. Atlanta (11, 6, 11, 3, 2) 9/13/87

4 – Steve DeBerg at Miami (15, 39, 7, 16) 10/20/85

– Jack Thompson vs. Houston (6, 25, 41, 2) 11/27/83

– Doug Williams vs. Detroit (17, 13, 37, 6) 10/4/81

– Doug Williams at Minnesota (19, 49, 9, 29) 11/16/80

Longest Pass Completion:

84 – Doug Williams to Kevin House, at Detroit 12/20/81

(for longest passes, see page 133)

Most Interceptions Thrown:

7 – Steve DeBerg vs. S.F. 9/7/86

RECEIVING

Most Pass Receptions:

13 – James Wilder vs. Minnesota (13-71) 9/15/85

11 – James Wilder at Green Bay (11-48) 12/2/84

– James Wilder vs. Cincinnati (11-126) 9/25/83

– James Wilder at New York Jets (11-116) 12/12/82

10 – James Wilder vs. Los Angeles Rams (10-80) 11/25/84

– Kevin House at Kansas City (10-100) 10/28/84

– Gerald Carter vs. Chicago (10-109) 10/21/84

– Jerry Eckwood vs. Cleveland (10-101) 9/28/80

Most Yards Receiving:

212 – Mark Carrier at New Orleans (8-212) 12/6/87

178 – Kevin House at Oakland (4-178) 10/18/81

166 – Gerald Carter at San Francisco (9-166) 11/18/84

– Morris Owens at Seattle (9-166) 10/16/77

156 – Kevin House at San Francisco (6-156) 12/4/83

149 – Isaac Hagins at Minnesota (5-149) 10/28/79

143 – Calvin Magee at Chicago (8-143) 12/7/86

– Gerald Carter at Green Bay (7-143) 11/16/86

138 – Kevin House at Chicago (3-138) 12/20/80

– Morris Owens vs. St. Louis (4-138) 12/18/77

*There have been 38 100-yard receiving games: House 14, Giles 7, M. Owens 4, Carter 4, Wilder and Jones 2, Magee, Hagins and Eckwood 1, Holloway 1, Carrier 1.

Most Yards Receiving, Running Back:
126 — James Wilder vs. Cincinnati (11-126) 9/25/83

Longest Reception By Running Back:
50 — James Wilder at Chicago 9/2/84 (No TD, from Steve DeBerg)

COMBINED YARDAGE

Most Total Yards From Scrimmage By a Running Back:
239 — James Wilder at Minnesota (219 rush, 20 rec.) 11/6/83
216 — James Wilder vs. Green Bay (172 rush, 44 rec.) 9/30/84 (174 in reg.)
201 — James Wilder vs. Detroit (130 rush, 71 rec.) 11/23/86
192 — James Wilder at Minnesota (146 rush, 46 rec.) 11/4/84
184 — James Wilder vs. Minnesota (113 rush, 71 rec.) 9/15/85
177 — James Wilder at New York Giants (112 rush, 65 rec.) 9/23/84
176 — Ricky Bell vs. Green Bay (167 rush, 9 rec.) 10/21/79
174 — James Wilder at Pittsburgh (126 rush, 48 rec.) 10/30/83

*There have been 67 combined 100-yard games by running backs: Wilder 40, R. Bell 12, Eckwood 5, Carver 3, Wonsley and Owens 2, DuBose, Carter and Springs 1.

Most Yards Passing and Rushing Combined:
499 — Doug Williams at Minnesota (486 pass, 13 rush) 11/16/80
397 — Doug Williams vs. Chicago (367 pass, 30 rush) 1/2/83
388 — Vinny Testaverde at New Orleans (369 pass, 19 rush) 12/6/87
378 — Steve DeBerg at Miami (365 pass, 13 rush) 10/20/85
373 — Jack Thompson at Detroit (373 pass, 0 rush) 12/18/83
358 — Doug Williams vs. Cleveland (343 pass, 15 rush) 9/28/80

*There have been 25 combined passing-rushing 300-yard games: Williams 12, DeBerg 7, Thompson and Young 3.

PUNTING

Most Punts:
11 — four times, most recently by Tom Blanchard vs. Green Bay 10/12/80

Best Punting Average (min. 4 punts):
48.5 — Dave Green at Los Angeles Rams (4-48.5) 11/5/78
48.4 — Frank Garcia at Minnesota (8-48.4) 11/6/83
48.2 — Frank Garcia vs. Detroit (6-48.2) 9/4/83
47.8 — Frank Garcia at Chicago (7-47.8) 9/20/87
47.6 — Tom Blanchard vs. Minnesota (9-47.6) 9/5/81
46.8 — Tom Blanchard at San Francisco (5-46.8) 10/26/80

Longest Punt:
70 — Dave Green at Detroit 11/20/77
(for other long punts, see page 134)

PUNT RETURNS

Most Punt Returns:
8 — Danny Reece vs. Detroit 9/1/79

Most Yards Punts Returned:
78 — Freddie Douglas vs. New England (4-78) 12/12/76
76 — Danny Reece vs. New York Giants (5-76) 9/2/78

Longest Punt Return:
56 — John Holt vs. Green Bay 11/22/81
(for other long punt returns, see page 134)

KICKOFF RETURNS

Most Kickoff Returns:
6 — Phil Freeman vs. Los Angeles Rams (4-604) 10/13/85
— Phil Freeman at Minnesota (6-122) 12/8/85
— Michael Morton vs. Washington (6-120) 9/19/82

Most Yards, Kickoffs Returned:
170 — Phil Freeman vs. Los Angeles Rams 10/13/85

Longest Kickoff Return:
58 — Phil Freeman at Chicago 9/8/85
(for other long kickoff returns, see page 134)

FUMBLE RETURNS

Longest Fumble Return:
80 — Cedric Brown (lateral from Danny Reece) at Houston 10/19/80 (TD)
(for other long fumble returns, see page 134)

Longest Non-Scoring Fumble Return:
38 — Donald Anderson at New Orleans 12/6/87

BLOCKED KICK RETURNS

Longest Blocked Kick Return:
79 — Mike Washington vs. Atlanta 9/24/78 (blocked FG) (TD)

PASS INTERCEPTIONS

Most Pass Interceptions:
2 — Kevin Walker vs. Minnesota 10/18/87
— 20 times, most recently by Paul Tripoli at Detroit 10/4/87 (C. Brown 5, M. Washington 4, B. Reece and N. Colzie 2, D. Greenwood, C. Johnson, D. Lewis, Tripoli 1, K. Walker 1, R. Wood and V. McKeever 1)

Most Yards Interceptions Returned:
131 — Cedric Brown vs. Green Bay (2-131) 11/22/81

Longest Interception Return:
82 — Neal Colzie vs. Minnesota 9/5/81 (TD)
(for other long interception returns, see page 134)

OTHER DEFENSIVE RECORDS

Most Tackles:
18 — Jeff Davis vs. St. Louis 10/16/83
— Richard Wood vs. Los Angeles Rams 1/6/80 (NFC Championship)
16 — five times, most recently by Jeff Davis vs. Chicago 11/20/83

Most Times Quarterback Sacked:
3 — four times by Lee Roy Selmon (vs. New Orleans 10/23/83, at Detroit 12/14/80, at Minnesota 9/17/78 and at New Orleans 12/11/77)
— Calvin Turner vs. Minnesota 10/18/87
— Ron Holmes vs. St. Louis 12/20/87

SCORING

Most Points Scored:
24 — Jimmie Giles at Miami 10/20/85

Most Touchdowns Scored:
4 — Jimmie Giles at Miami 10/20/85
3 — Morris Owens vs. Miami 10/24/76

PLACEKICKING

Most Points Placekicking:
14 — Bill Capece vs. Chicago 1/2/83 (4 FGs, 2 PATs)

Most Field Goals:
4 — Donald Igwebuike vs. Detroit 11/24/85
— Bill Capece at Pittsburgh 10/30/83
— Bill Capece vs. Chicago 1/2/83

Most Field Goals Attempted:
5 — Bill Capece at Pittsburgh (4-5) 10/30/83
— Bill Capece vs. Chicago (4-5) 1/2/83

Most Extra Points Attempted:
7 — Donald Igwebuike vs. Atlanta 9/13/87

Most Extra Points Converted:
6 — Donald Igwebuike vs. Atlanta 9/13/87
5 — Obed Ariri vs. New York Jets (5-5) 12/16/84
— Obed Ariri vs. Minnesota Vikings (5-5) 10/7/84

Longest Field Goal:
55 — Donald Igwebuike at Minnesota 11/30/86
53 — Donald Igwebuike at New York Giants 11/3/85
51 — Donald Igwebuike at New Orleans 9/22/85
— Bill Capece at Minnesota 9/12/82
— Bill Capece at New Orleans 11/29/81
— Bill Capece vs. Green Bay 11/22/81

Longest Field Goal Attempted:
62 — Donald Igwebuike at New Orleans 9/22/85
— Donald Igwebuike vs. Minnesota 9/15/85

INDIVIDUAL SEASON

RUSHING

Most Yards Rushing:
1,544 — James Wilder, 1984
1,300 — James Wilder, 1985
1,263 — Ricky Bell, 1979
704 — James Wilder, 1986
690 — Jerry Eckwood, 1979

Most Rushing Attempts:
*407 — James Wilder, 1984
365 — James Wilder, 1985
283 — Ricky Bell, 1979
194 — Jerry Eckwood, 1979
190 — James Wilder, 1986
*-NFL RECORD

Best Gain Per Rush: (min. 50 rushes)
6.4 — Doug Williams (58-370), 1980
5.7 — Steve Young (74-425), 1986
4.64 — Nathan Wonsley (73-339) 1986
4.60 — James Wilder (106-488), 1987

Most Touchdowns Rushing:
13 — James Wilder, 1984
10 — James Wilder, 1985

Most 100-Yard Rushing Games:
5 — James Wilder, 1985
— James Wilder, 1984
— Ricky Bell, 1979 (plus 1 in playoff)

PASSING

Most Yards Passing:
3,563 — Doug Williams, 1981
(222.7 per game)

Most Yards Passing Per Game:
230.1 — Doug Williams, 1982
(2,071 yards, 9 games)

Most Passes Attempted:
521 — Doug Williams, 1980

Most Passes Completed:
308 — Steve DeBerg, 1984

Highest Completion Percentage (min. 50 attempts):
60.5% — Steve DeBerg, 1984 (308-509)

Lowest Interception Percentage:
2.5 — Steve DeBerg 1987, (7-275)

Most Consecutive Passes Without Interception:
137 — Doug Williams 9/19/82 to 12/12/82

Most Passes Intercepted:
24 — Doug Williams (24-397), 1979

Most Touchdown Passes:
20 — Doug Williams, 1980
19 — Steve DeBerg, 1985
— Steve DeBerg, 1984
— Doug Williams, 1981

Highest Percentage of Passes For Touchdowns:
5.13 — Steve DeBerg (19-370), 1985
5.1 — Steve DeBerg (14-275), 1987

Most Consecutive Games Throwing A Touchdown Pass:
9 — Steve DeBerg, 10/7/84 to 12/2/84
— Doug Williams, 11/2/80 to 9/5/81
— Doug Williams, 12/17/78 to 10/21/79

Best Gain Per Pass Attempt (min. 50 passes):
7.56 — Doug Williams (3,563-471), 1981
6.98 — Steve DeBerg (3,554-509), 1984

Best Gain Per Completion:
16.0 — Doug Williams (1,170-73), 1978

Highest NFL Passing Rating:
85.3 — Steve DeBerg, 1987
79.3 — Steve DeBerg, 1984
76.5 — Doug Williams, 1981

Lowest Percentage of Sacks Suffered:
1.7 — Doug Williams (7-404), 1979

Most Consecutive Pass Attempts Without Being Sacked:
111 — Doug Williams, 11/4/79 to 12/2/79

RECEIVING

Most Yards Receiving:
1,176 — Kevin House (56-1,176), 1981
1,005 — Kevin House (76-1,005), 1984
816 — Gerald Carter (60-816), 1984
803 — Kevin House (44-803), 1985
786 — Jimmie Giles (TE) (45-786), 1981

Most Yards Receiving, Running Back:
685 — James Wilder (85-685), 1984
507 — James Wilder (48-507), 1981

Most Passes Caught:
85 — James Wilder (85-685), 1984
76 — Kevin House (76-1,005), 1984
60 — Gerald Carter (60-816), 1984
57 — James Wilder (57-380), 1983
56 — Kevin House (56-1,176), 1981

Most Passes Caught, Tight End:
45 — Calvin Magee (45-564), 1986
— Jimmie Giles (45-786), 1981

Best Gain Per Reception (min. 15 receptions):
22.1 — Kevin House (24-531), 1980
21.0 — Kevin House (56-1,176), 1981

Most Touchdowns Receiving:
9 — Kevin House, 1981
8 — Jimmie Giles, 1985
7 — Jimmie Giles, 1979

Most 100-Yard Games, Receiving:
3 — Jimmie Giles, 1985
— Kevin House (four times), 1985, 1984, 1983 & 1981

COMBINED YARDAGE

Most Yards, Rushing and Receiving Combined:
2,229 — James Wilder (1,544 rush, 685 rec.), 1984
1,641 — James Wilder (1,300 rush, 341 rec.), 1985
1,511 — Ricky Bell (1,263 rush, 248 rec.), 1979
1,185 — Kevin House (9 rush, 1,176 rec.), 1981
1,030 — James Wilder (704 rush, 326 rec.), 1986
1,020 — James Wilder (640 rush, 380 rec.), 1983
1,005 — Kevin House (0 rush, 1,005 rec.), 1984

Most Yards, Passing and Rushing Combined:
3,772 — Doug Williams (3,563 pass, 209 rush), 1981

PUNTING

Most Punts:
100 — Dave Green, 1978

Best Gross Punting Average:
42.7 — Larry Swider, 1981

Best Net Punting Average:
34.7 — Frank Garcia, 1983

Most Punts Ending Inside The 20:
20 — Dave Green, 1978

PUNT AND KICK RETURNS

Most Punt Returns:
70 — Danny Reece, 1979 (NFL Record)

Most Yards Punts Returned:
431 — Danny Reece (70-431), 1979

Best Average, Punt Returns (min. 10 attempts):
10.3 — Leon Bright (12-10.3), 1985

Most Kickoff Returns:
48 — Phil Freeman (48-1,085), 1985

Most Yards Kickoff Returns:
1,085 — Phil Freeman (48-1,085), 1985

Best Average, Kickoff Returns (min. 10):
24.9 — John Holt (11-274), 1981

DEFENSIVE

Most Pass Interceptions:
9 — Cedric Brown, 1981
7 — Jeremiah Castille, 1985

Most Yards Interceptions Returned:
215 — Cedric Brown (9-215), 1981
156 — Mike Washington (6-156), 1981

Most Defensive Touchdowns:
2 — Hugh Green, 1983 (2 ints.)
— Cedric Brown, 1981 (2 ints.)
— Richard Wood, 1977 (1 int., 1 f.r.)

Most Tackles:
174 — Cecil Johnson, 1981
168 — Richard Wood, 1978
167 — Dewey Selmon, 1977

Most Sacks:
13 — Lee Roy Selmon, 1977
11 — Lee Roy Selmon, three times (1983, 1979, 1978)

Most Quarterback Pressures:
72 — Lee Roy Selmon, 1980

Most Opponent Fumbles Caused:
7 — Wally Chambers, 1979
6 — Jeff Davis, 1986

Most Passes Defensed:
21 — Curtis Jordan, 1980

Most Kick Coverage Tackles:
25 — Mark Witte, 1984

SCORING

Most Touchdowns Scored:
13 — James Wilder, 1984 (13 rush)
10 — James Wilder, 1985 (10 rush)
9 — Kevin House, 1981 (9 rec.)
— Ricky Bell, 1979 (7 rush, 2 rec.)

Most Points Scored:
96 — Donald Igwebuike, 1985
95 — Obed Ariri, 1984

Most Field Goals:
22 — Donald Igwebuike, 1985 (22-32)
19 — Obed Ariri, 1984 (19-26)
Most Field Goals Attempted:
32 — Donald Igwebuike, 1985 (22-32)
Best Field Goal Percentage (min. 10 atts.):
78.3% — Bill Capece (18-23), 1982
Most Consecutive Field Goal Attempts Made:
8 — Donald Igwebuike, 10/6/85 to 11/10/85

Most Extra Points Converted:
38 — Obed Ariri (38-40), 1984

Most Extra Points Attempted:
40 — Obed Ariri (38-40), 1984

Best Percentage Extra Points:
100% — Bill Capece (14-14), 1982

Most Consecutive Extra Points:
26 — Bill Capece, 12/13/81 to 10/16/83

OPPONENT TEAM RECORDS

SCORING

Most Points, Game:
62 — at New York Jets 11/17/85
55 — at Green Bay 10/2/83

Most Points, Buc Home Game:
44 — vs. Chicago 10/21/84

Most Points, Half:
49 — at Green Bay (1st) 10/2/83
42 — vs. New Orleans (2nd) 10/14/79

Most Points, Quarter:
35 — at Green Bay 10/2/83

Individual Quarter Highs:
First: 17 — at Detroit 10/4/87
four times, most recently vs. Detroit 10/4/87
Second: 35 — at Green Bay 10/2/83
Third: 21 — at Dallas 1/2/82 (Playoff)
— vs. New Orleans 10/14/79
— at Oakland 11/28/76
Fourth: 28 — at St. Louis 11/8/87

Largest Margin of Victory:
42 — at Pittsburgh (0-42) 12/5/76

TOUCHDOWNS

Most Touchdowns, Game:
8 — at New York Jets 11/17/85

Most Rushing Touchdowns:
5 — at San Francisco 12/4/83
— vs. New Orleans 10/14/79

Most Passing Touchdowns:
5 — at New York Jets 11/17/85

Most Touchdowns By Return:
3 — at Green Bay 10/2/83
— at Denver 11/7/76

TOTAL OFFENSE

Most Yards, Game:
581 — at New York Jets 11/17/85
569 — vs. Green Bay (OT, 476 in reg.) 10/12/80
543 — vs. Minnesota 10/7/84
519 — at Green Bay 10/2/83
512 — at Green Bay 12/1/85

Most Plays:
99 — vs. Green Bay (OT, 82 in reg.) 10/12/80
92 — at Dallas 1/9/83 (Playoff)
— vs. Minnesota 9/5/81

Best Gain Per Play:
7.59 — at Minnesota (61-463) 11/30/86
7.31 — at Green Bay (71-519) 10/2/83

Most First Downs:
35 — at New York Jets 11/17/85
32 — vs. Green Bay (OT, 27 in reg.) 10/12/80

Most First Downs, Rushing:
18 — at San Francisco 12/4/83

Most First Downs, Passing:
21 — vs. Green Bay (OT, 17 in reg.) 10/12/80
— vs. Minnesota 9/5/81

RUSHING

Most Yards Rushing:
299 — vs. Los Angeles Rams (43-299) 11/25/84
273 — vs. Chicago (56-273) 11/20/83
265 — at New Orleans (50-265) 10/19/86

Most Rushing Plays:
60 — at Chicago (60-251) 11/26/78

Best Gain Per Rush:
7.0 — vs. Los Angeles Rams (43-299) 11/25/84

PASSING

Most Yards Passing:
415 — vs. Green Bay (OT, 333 in reg., 35-51) 10/12/80
379 — at New York Jets (25-33) 11/17/85
374 — vs. Minnesota (28-49) 10/7/84
355 — at Green Bay (18-28) 10/2/83
351 — vs. San Diego (33-51) 12/13/81

Most Passes Attempted:
63 — vs. Minnesota (37-63) 9/5/81
51 — vs. San Diego (33-51) 12/13/81
— vs. Green Bay (OT, 38 in reg., 35-51) 10/12/80

Most Passes Completed:
37 — vs. Minnesota (37-63) 9/5/81
35 — vs. Green Bay (OT, 25 in reg., 35-51) 10/12/80

Best Percentage of Passes Completed:
82.6% — at San Francisco (19-23) 11/18/84

Most Touchdown Passes:
5 — at New York Jets 11/17/85

PUNT AND KICK RETURNS

Most Yards Punts Returned:
145 — at St. Louis (4-145) 12/21/86

Most Punts Returned:
11 — vs. Washington 10/9/77

Most Yards Kickoffs Returned:
179 — vs. New York Giants (6-179) 11/18/79

Most Kickoff Returns:
7 — vs. Detroit 9/1/79
— at New Orleans 12/11/77
— vs. Green Bay 9/30/84

PUNTING

Best Punting Average (min. 4):
54.0 — vs. Chicago (4-54.0) 10/6/85

Most Punts:
10 — vs. Chicago 12/2/79

Fewest Punts:
1 — vs. Detroit 11/23/86
— at Minnesota 12/8/85
— at Green Bay 12/1/85

PENALTIES

Most Penalties:
16 — vs. Chicago 10/21/84

Most Yards Penalized:
160 — at Denver 11/7/76

Fewest Yards Penalized:
15 — at Green Bay (2-15) 11/30/80

OPPONENT INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

RUSHING

Most Yards:

207 — Eric Dickerson, Los Angeles Rams (30-207) 10/5/86
203 — Earl Campbell, Houston (33-203) 10/19/80
196 — Eric Dickerson, Indianapolis (33-196) 12/27/87
191 — Eric Dickerson, Los Angeles Rams (28-191) 11/25/84
172 — Rueben Mayes, New Orleans (24-172) 10/19/86
148 — Billy Taylor, New York Giants (33-148) 10/7/79
144 — Roland Harper, Chicago (25-144) 11/26/78
142 — Ronnie Coleman, Houston (25-142) 9/12/76
139 — Walter Payton, Chicago (20-139) 11/9/86
137 — Charles White, Los Angeles Rams (29-137) 11/29/87
136 — John Riggins, Washington (34-136) 9/19/82
133 — Watler Payton, Chicago (28-133) 10/6/80
132 — Joe Morris, New York Giants (26-132) 11/3/85
130 — Walter Payton, Chicago (29-130) 12/20/80

*-There have been 41 100-yard rushing games against Tampa Bay: Walter Payton 8, Eric Dickerson 3, S. Mitchell 2, Tony Dorsett (1 in playoff) 2, Neal Anderson, R. Bleier, T. Brown, C. Bryant, E. Campbell, R. Coleman, G. Ellis, R. Harper, E. L. Ivery H. King, A. Johnson, R. McMillan, B. Malone, R. Myers, W. Montgomery, J. Morris, Darrin Nelson, O. Armstrong, J. Riggins, G. Riggs, G. Rogers, M. Suhey, H. Stanback, B. Sims, B. Taylor, W. Tyler (SF) and Charles White 1. (Most in one season—5 in 1976, 1985 and 1986; fewest—1 in 1977.)

Most Rushing Attempts:

34 — John Riggins, Washington (34-136) 9/19/82
33 — 4 times most recently by Eric Dickerson, Indianapolis (33-196) 12/27/87 (also Earl Campbell, Billy Taylor, Walter Payton)

Longest Run:

75 — Horace King, Detroit 11/12/78 (TOUCHDOWN)
69 — Andy Johnson, New England 12/12/76 (TOUCHDOWN)
60 — Ted Brown, Minnesota 11/30/86 (No TD)
— Bubba Bean, Atlanta 11/4/79 (TOUCHDOWN)
56 — Jewerl Thomas, Los Angeles Rams 9/11/80 (No TD)

PASSING

Most Yards Passing:

418 — Lynn Dickey, Green Bay (OT, 336 in reg., 35-51) 10/12/80
386 — Tommy Kramer, Minnesota (27-47) 10/7/84
377 — Danny White, Dallas (OT, 337 in reg. 29-44)10/9/83
367 — Ken O'Brien, New York Jets (23-30) 11/17/85
361 — Steve Dils, Minnesota (37-62) 9/5/81

*-There have been 20 300-yard passing games against the Bucs (Tommy Kramer 3, Joe Montana 2, Danny White 2, Gary Danielson, Lynn Dickey, Steve Dils, Dan Fouts, Eric Hipple, Jim Kelly, Bill Kenney, Neil Lomax, Dan Marino, Ken O'Brien, Brian Sipe, Ken Stabler, Wade Wilson 1.)

Most Passes Attempted:

62 — Steve Dils, Minnesota (37-62) 9/5/81
51 — Lynn Dickey, Green Bay (OT, 35-51, 25-38 in reg.) 10/12/80
49 — Dan Fouts, San Diego (33-49) 12/13/81

Most Passes Completed:

37 — Steve Dils, Minnesota (37-62) 9/5/81

35 — Lynn Dickey, Green Bay (OT, 35-51, 25-38 in reg.) 10/12/80

33 — Dan Fouts, San Diego (33-49) 12/13/81

Best Completion Percentage (min. 15 attempts):

82.6% — Joe Montana, San Francisco (19-23, 247) 11/18/84

81.8% — Rick Neuheisel, San Diego (18-22, 217) 10/11/87

77.4% — Joe Montana, San Francisco (24-31, 200) 10/26/80

77.3% — Neil Lomax, St. Louis (17-22, 166) 10/16/83

Most Touchdown Passes:

5 — Ken O'Brien, New York Jets 11/17/85

3 — 13 times, most recently by Neil Lomax, St. Louis 12/20/87

Longest Pass:

80 — Danny White-Ron Springs, Dallas 10/9/83 (TOUCHDOWN)

78 — Ken O'Brien-Al Toon, N.Y. Jets 11/17/85 (TOUCHDOWN)

77 — Gary Danielson-Mark Nichols, Detroit 9/16/84 (TOUCHDOWN)

75 — Lynn Dickey-Jessie Clark, Green Bay 10/2/83 (TOUCHDOWN)

— Joe Ferguson-Jeff Chadwick, Detroit 11/23/86 (No TD)

73 — Jim McMahon-Walter Payton, Chicago 9/11/83 (Touchdown)

Most Passes Intercepted:

4 — 5 times, most recently by Ken Stabler, New Orleans 10/23/83 (also Don Strock, Rich Campbell, Lynn Dickey and Vince Ferragamo)

PASS RECEIVING

Most Pass Receptions:

13 — William Andrews, Atlanta (13-98) 12/6/81

12 — Ted Brown, Minnesota (12-77) 9/5/81

Most Pass Receptions, Receiver or Tight End:

9 — Robert Awalt, St. Louis (9-124, TE) 11/8/97

— Jeff Groth, New Orleans (9-95, WR) 12/5/82

— Paul Coffman, Green Bay (9-109, TE) 10/12/80

— Freddie Scott, Detroit (9-148, WR) 11/11/79

Most Yards Gained Receiving:

148 — Freddie Scott, Detroit (9-148) 11/11/79

133 — Al Toon, New York Jets (6-133) 11/17/85

131 — Carlos Carson, Kansas City (7-131) 10/28/84

128 — Eddie Lee Ivery, Green Bay (OT, 11-128) 10/12/80

126 — Ron Springs, Dallas (OT, 11-126) 10/9/83

*-There have been 36 100-yard receiving games against the Bucs: James Lofton 3, Paul Coffman and Mike Jones 2, R. Awalt, C. Branch, C. Brown, C. Carson, J. Chadwick, B. Chandler, W. Chandler, D. Clark, T. Collins, T. Galbreath, W. Gault, D. Hill, E. L. Ivery, E. Martin, P. Metzelaars, W. Miller, E. Moorehead, W. Payton, J. Perkins, A. Rashad, J. Rice, F. Scott, J. Scott, J. Senser, R. Springs, A. Thompson, A. Toon and S. White, Al Williams, San Diego 10/11/87 1. (Most yards receiving by a tight end is 124 by Robert Awalt 11/8/87)

Most Touchdown Receptions:

3 — Mickey Shuler, New York Jets 11/17/85

— Jerry Rice, San Francisco 11/22/87

PUNT RETURNS

11 — Eddie Brown, Washington (11-84) 10/9/77 (NFL Record)

Most Yards Punts Returned:

145 — Vai Sikahema, St. Louis (4-145) 12/21/86

130 — Mel Gray, New Orleans (2-130) 12/6/87

129 — Phillip Epps, Green Bay (5-129) 10/2/83

Longest Punt Return:

90 — Phillip Epps, Green Bay 10/2/83 (TOUCHDOWN)

88 — Jeff Fisher, Chicago 9/20/81 (TOUCHDOWN)

80 — Mel Gray, New Orleans (No TD) 12/6/87

71 — Vai Sikahema, St. Louis 12/21/86 (TOUCHDOWN)

65 — Dennis McKinnon, Chicago (TOUCHDOWN) 10/25/87

PASS INTERCEPTIONS

Most Passes Intercepted:

2 — 19 times, most recently by Cedric Mack, St. Louis 12/21/86

Longest Interception Return:

79 — Thomas Henderson, Dallas 10/2/77 (TOUCHDOWN)

70 — Bobby Johnson, New Orleans 10/23/83 (TOUCHDOWN)

FUMBLE RETURNS

Longest Fumble Return:

68 — George Cumby, Green Bay 10/11/81 (No TD)

Longest Scoring Fumble Return:

35 — Mike Douglass, Green Bay 10/2/83

KICKOFF RETURNS

Most Kickoff Returns:

6 — 5 times, most recently by Sylvester Stamps, Atlanta 9/13/87

Most Yards Kickoffs Returned:

176 — Eddie Payton, Minnesota (6-176) 11/16/80

Longest Kickoff Return:

91 — Ray Williams, Detroit 12/14/80 (TOUCHDOWN)

85 — Lew Barnes, Chicago 12/7/86 (TOUCHDOWN)

83 — Ricky Edwards, Minnesota 11/25/79 (No TD)

PUNTING

Most Punts:

10 — Bob Parsons, Chicago 12/2/79

Best Average:

54.0 — Maury Buford, Chicago (4-54.0) 10/16/85

51.8 — Dale Hatcher, Los Angeles Rams (8-51.8) 10/13/85

Longest Punt:

69 — Maury Buford, Chicago 10/6/85

67 — Dale Hatcher, Los Angeles Rams 10/13/85

SCORING

Most Touchdowns:

3 — Jerry Rice, San Francisco 11/22/87
— Mickey Shuler, New York Jets 11/17/85
— Eric Dickerson, Los Angeles Rams 11/25/84
— Roger Craig, San Francisco 12/4/83
— Rocky Bleier, Pittsburgh 12/5/76

Most Points:

18 — Jerry Rice, San Francisco 11/22/87
—Mickey Shuler, New York Jets 11/17/85
— Eric Dickerson, Los Angeles Rams 11/25/84
— Roger Craig, San Francisco 12/4/83
— Rocky Bleier, Pittsburgh 12/5/76

16 — Eric Schubert, New York Giants (5 FGs, 1 PAT) 11/3/85

Most Field Goals:

5 — Eric Schubert, New York Giants 11/3/85

Longest Field Goal:

53 — Chuck Nelson, Minnesota 11/30/86
— Jan Stenerud, Minnesota 11/4/84
— Jan Stenerud, Green Bay 11/22/81 (Tampa Stadium NFL record)

Longest Field Goal Attempted:

63 — Ray Wersching, San Francisco 10/26/80

HALF-GAME RECORDS

BUC OFFENSE

Most Yards, Total Offense, Half:
- 374 — at Minnesota (2nd half) 11/16/80
- 335 — at Oakland (2nd half) 10/18/81
- 312 — at Dallas (1st half) 9/21/80

Most Yards, Rushing Offense, Half:
- 173 — at Minnesota (2nd half) 11/6/83
- 157 — at Dallas (1st half) 9/21/80

Most Yards, Net Passing Offense, Half:
- 335 — at Minnesota (2nd half) 11/16/80
- 317 — at Oakland (2nd half) 10/18/81

Most Yards, Net Passing, First Half:
- 226 — vs. Atlanta 9/13/87
- 204 — vs. Chicago 10/6/85

INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

Most Yards Rushing, Half:
- 179 — James Wilder at Minnesota (2nd half) 11/6/83
- 112 — James Wilder vs. Green Bay (1st half) 9/30/84
- 105 — James Wilder at Chicago (1st half) 9/2/85

Most Yards Passing, Half:
- 335 — Doug Williams at Minnesota (2nd half) 11/16/80
- 325 — Doug Williams at Oakland (2nd half) 10/18/81
- 258 — Steve DeBerg at Miami (2nd half) 10/20/85

Most Yards Passing, Half:
- 226 — Steve DeBerg vs. Atlanta 9/13/87
- 204 — Steve DeBerg vs. Chicago 10/6/85

BUC DEFENSE

Fewest Yards Total Offense Allowed, Half:
- 23 — vs. New York Giants (1st half) 9/2/78
- 24 — vs. Kansas City (2nd half) 12/16/79

Fewest Yards Rushing Allowed, Half:
- 7 — at Kansas City (2nd half) 10/28/84
- 7 — vs. Minnesota (1st half) 10/18/87
- 9 — vs. Philadelphia (1st half) 12/29/79 (Playoff Game)

Fewest Net Yards Passing Allowed:
- -6 — vs. Chicago (2nd half) 12/2/79

OPPONENTS' INDIVIDUAL RECORDS

Most Yards Rushing, Half:
- 142 — Eric Dickerson, Los Angeles Rams (2nd half) 11/25/84
- 135 — Earl Campbell, Houston (2nd half) 10/19/80
- 133 — Rueben Mayes, New Orleans (1st half) 10/19/86

Most Yards, Passing, First Half:
- 267 — Lynn Dickey, Green Bay (1st half) 10/2/83
- 264 — Steve Dils, Minnesota (2nd half) 9/5/81

TWO-TEAM RECORDS

Most Points:
- 79 — Miami 41, Tampa Bay 38 10/20/85
- 78 — New Orleans 44, Tampa Bay 34 12/6/87

Fewest Points:
- 3 — Tampa Bay 3, Kansas City 0 12/16/79
- 9 — Los Angeles Rams 9, Tampa Bay 0 (NFC Championship) 1/6/80
- — San Francisco 6, Tampa Bay 3 12/10/78

Most Yards Gained:
- 1,023 — Tampa Bay 573, Minnesota 450 11/16/80
- 922 — Tampa Bay 476, Miami 446 10/20/85
- 877 — Minnesota 543,Tampa Bay 314 10/7/84

Most Rushing and Passing Plays:
- 163 — Tampa Bay, 91, Green Bay 72 (OT) 9/30/84
- 162 — Green Bay 99, Tampa Bay 63 (OT) 10/12/80
- 158 — Tampa Bay 87, Kansas City 71 10/28/84

Most First Downs:
- 54 — Miami 30, Tampa Bay 24 10/20/85

Most Rushing Yards:
- 425 — L.A. Rams 251, Tampa Bay 174 (OT, 386 in reg.) 10/5/86
- 424 — Atlanta 249, Tampa Bay 175 (OT, 357 in reg.) 9/28/86
- 414 — Indianapolis 257, Tampa Bay 157 12/15/85

Most Rushing Plays:
- 89 — Cincinnati 56, Tampa Bay 32 10/10/76

Most Yards Passing:
- 812 — Tampa Bay 486, Minnesota 326 11/16/80
- 667 — Tampa Bay 365, Miami 302 10/20/85
- 645 — Tampa Bay 337, Cleveland 308 9/28/80

Most Passes Attempted:
- 100 — Tampa Bay 54, Kansas City 46 10/28/84 (NFL Record)
- 96 — Tampa Bay 56, Minnesota 40 11/16/80

Most Passes Completed:
- 55 — Tampa Bay 29, Kansas City 26 10/28/84
- — San Diego 33, Tampa Bay 22 12/13/81
- — Tampa Bay 30, Minnesota 25 11/16/80

Most Interceptions Thrown:
- 8 — Tampa Bay 7, San Francisco 1 9/7/86

Most Touchdown Passes:
- 7 — New York Jets 5, Tampa Bay 2 11/17/85
- — Tampa Bay 4, Miami 3 10/20/85

ALL-PRO BUCCANEERS

The following players were first team selections on at least one major All-Pro team:

1979: Lee Roy Selmon, DE (seven teams including AP and Pro Football Writers).
1980: Lee Roy Selmon, DE (five teams including Pro Football Writers).
1982: Lee Roy Selmon, DE (four teams including Pro Football Writers); Hugh Green, LB (three teams including Pro Football Writers).
1983: Hugh Green, LB (Sporting News, Sports Illustrated and Football Digest).
1984: Lee Roy Selmon, DE (Sports Illustrated); James Wilder (Sports Illustrated and College & Pro Football Newsweekly).

CAREER RECORDS
TOP 10 SCORERS

	TD		FG	PAT	Pts.
James Wilder	42	(36R, 6P)			252
Donald Igwebuike			53-74	80-98	239
Jimmie Giles	34	(34P)			204
Bill Capece			43-69	67-72	196
Kevin House	31	(31P)			186
Neil O'Donoghue			24-42	55-64	127
Ricky Bell	19	(16R, 3P)			114
Gerald Carter	17	(17P)			102
Obed Ariri			19-26	38-40	95
Garo Yepremian			18-27	37-38	91

Players in **bold face** currently active

OTHER ACTIVE SCORERS (Career)

11 TDs — Calvin Magee (11P)

4 TDs — Phil Freeman (4P), Jeff Smith (2R, 2P)

3 TDs — Mark Carrier (3P)

2 TDs — Bruce Hill (2P), Bobby Howard (2R)

1 TD — Vinny Testaverde (1R), Ron Hall (1P), Cliff Austin (1R), Winston Moss (1RT), Paul Tripoli (1RT), Adrian Wright (1P)

TOP 10 IN PARTICIPATION

GAMES PLAYED

Richard Wood	132
Steve Wilson	126
Lee Roy Selmon	121
Jimmie Giles	121
Scot Brantley	114
Mark Cotney	113
Cecil Johnson	110
David Logan	110
George Yarno	109
Mike Washington	100
Cedric Brown	100
Gerald Carter	**100**

ELIGIBLE IN 1988

James Wilder	**91**

GAMES STARTED

Lee Roy Selmon	117
Jimmie Giles	112
Steve Wilson	104
David Logan	103
Mike Washington	97
Cedric Brown	95
Mark Cotney	92
James Wilder	**91**
Cecil Johnson	89
Richard Wood	89

TOP 10 RUSHERS

	Yards	Atts.	Avg.	TDs	100-yd. Games
James Wilder	5,370	*1,419	*3.8	*36	*14
Ricky Bell	3,057	820	3.7	16	7
Jerry Eckwood	1,830	509	3.6	6	4
Louis Carter	913	311	2.9	4	0
James Owens	911	264	3.5	8	1
Doug Williams (QB)	878	202	4.3	13	0
Johnny Davis	721	195	3.7	6	0
Jimmy DuBose	704	184	3.8	4	1
Steve Young (QB)	658	114	5.8	6	0
Melvin Carver	621	195	3.2	1	0

Players in **bold face** currently active

*-Career record in that category, 250 rush minimum for average

OTHER ACTIVE RUSHERS (career): Jeff Smith 309-100; Bobby Howard 210-60; Adrian Wright 112-37; Vinny Testaverde 50-13; Cliff Austin 32-19; Gerald Carter 24-4; Bruce Hill 3-3; Phil Freeman 1-1.

TOP 10 RECEIVERS

	Yards	Receptions	Avg.	TDs	100-yd. Games
Kevin House	*4,928	286	17.2	31	*14
Jimmie Giles (TE)	4,300	279	15.4	*34	7
Gerald Carter	3,443	239	14.4	17	4
James Wilder (RB)	3,033	*379	8.0	6	2
Morris Owens	2,062	116	*17.8	14	4
Theo Bell	1,470	95	15.5	4	0
Isaac Hagins	1,317	83	15.9	5	1
Calvin Magee	1,276	105	12.2	11	1
Gordon Jones	1,230	86	14.3	8	2
Jerry Bell (TE)	1,218	101	12.1	7	0

Players in **bold face** currently active

*-career record in that category, 50 minimum catches for average

OTHER ACTIVE RECEIVERS (career): Mark Carrier 423-26 (3TDs); Bruce Hill 403-23 (2 TDs); Phil Freeman 370-22 (4 TDs); Jeff Smith 197-20 (2 TDs); Bobby Howard 183-15; Ron Hall 169-16 (1 TD); Adrian Wright 98-13; Solomon Miller 97-5; Cliff Austin 51-5; Gene Taylor 21-2; Rick Mallory 9-1; Eddie Hunter 4-2.

CAREER PASSING LEADERS

Player	Att.	Comp.	Pct.	Yards	TD	INT	QB Rating
Doug Williams	*1,890	*895	.474	*12,648	*73	*73	66.3
Steve DeBerg	1,250	714	.571	8,543	57	55	*75.5
Jack Thompson	475	274	*.575	3,243	20	26	69.6
Steve Young	505	267	.533	2,217	11	21	54.7
Steve Spurrier	311	156	.502	1,628	7	12	57.1
Vinny Testaverde	165	71	.430	1,081	5	6	60.2

*-Career record in that category; minimum 250 for average.

OTHER PASSING RECORDS

Most Yards Per Attempt (min. 250 atts.):

6.834—Steve DeBerg 1984-87

6.827—Jack Thompson, 1983-84

Highest Pct. of TD Passes (min. 250 atts.):

4.6—Steve DeBerg, 1984-86

Lowest Percentage of Passes Intercepted (min. 250 atts.):

3.9—Doug Williams, 1978-82

DEFENSIVE TOP CAREER PERFORMANCES

TACKLES

Richard Wood	851
Lee Roy Selmon	742
Jeff Davis	662
Cecil Johnson	645
David Logan	624
Scot Brantley	622
Mark Cotney	590
Dewey Selmon	572
Cedric Brown	550
David Lewis	467

FUMBLES CAUSED

Lee Roy Selmon	27½
Hugh Green	13
David Logan	13
Jeff Davis	11
David Lewis	10

SACKS

Lee Roy Selmon	78½
David Logan	29
Chris Washington	18½
John Cannon	17
Dave Pear	15½
Hugh Green	15½
Rom Holmes	15

INTERCEPTIONS

Cedric Brown	29
Mike Washington	28
Mark Cotney	17
Jeris White	12
Jeremiah Castille	11

FUMBLES RECOVERED

Lee Roy Selmon	10
Cecil Johnson	10
Bill Kollar	9
John Cannon	8

TAKEAWAYS (INTS+F.R.)

Cedric Brown	33
Mike Washington	31

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OTHER CAREER RECORDS

RETURNS

Most Punt Returns:
222—Danny Reece, 1976-80

Most Yards Punts Returned:
1,556—Danny Reece, 1976-80

Best Punt Return Average (min. 30 returns):
8.5—Leon Bright (35-297), 1984-85

Most Kickoff Returns:
89—Michael Morton, 1982-84

Most Yards Kickoff Returns:
1,885—Michael Morton, 1982-84

Best Kickoff Return Average (min. 30): atts.
21.9—Isaac Hagins (40-875), 1976-79

Most Punts:
379—Frank Garcia, 1983-87

Best Punting Average (min. 100 atts.):
41.1—Frank Garcia (379-15, 588), 1983-87

Most Kick Coverage Tackles:
80—Jim Obradovich, 1978-83

LONGEST PLAYS

RUSHING PLAYS	Yards	Opponent	Date
James Wilder	75 (TD)	at Minnesota	Nov. 6, 1983
Jerry Eckwood	61 (TD)	at Chicago	Sept. 30, 1979
Nathan Wonsley	59 (TD)	at L.A. Rams	Oct. 5, 1986
Jerry Eckwood	59	Chicago	Nov. 1, 1981
Ricky Bell	56	Detroit	Sept. 9, 1979
Nathan Wonsley	55 (TD)	at Detroit	Sept. 21, 1986
Ricky Bell	49	New Orleans	Oct. 14, 1979
James Wilder	47	Chicago	Jan. 2, 1983
Jeff Smith	46	at L.A. Rams	Nov. 29, 1987
Jerry Eckwood	46	Detroit	Sept. 1, 1979
Parnell Dickinson (QB)	46	San Diego	Nov. 5, 1978
James Wilder	45 (TD)	Buffalo	Nov. 2, 1986

PASSING PLAYS	Yards	Opponent	Date
Doug Williams-Kevin House	84 (TD)	at Detroit	Dec. 20, 1981
Doug Williams-Jimmie Giles	81 (TD)	Chicago	Nov. 1, 1981
Jack Thompson-Jimmie Giles	80	at Dallas	Oct. 9, 1983
Doug Williams-Kevin House	77 (TD)	at Oakland	Oct. 18, 1981
Doug Williams-Jimmie Giles	75	at Dallas (Playoff)	Jan. 2, 1982
Jack Thompson-Gerald Carter	74 (TD)	at Chicago	Sept. 2, 1984
Jack Thompson-Kevin House	74 (TD)	at San Francisco	Dec. 4, 1983
Doug Williams-Kevin House	71 (TD)	Atlanta	Dec. 6, 1981
Gary Huff- Morris Owens	67 (TD)	at Seattle	Oct. 16, 1977
Doug Williams-Jimmie Giles	66 (TD)	at Detroit	Sept. 1, 1979
Louis Carter-Morris Owens	66	at L. A. Rams	Nov. 5, 1978

FIELD GOALS	Yards	Opponent	Date
Donald Igwebuike	55	at Minnesota	Nov. 30, 1986
Donald Igwebuike	53	at New York Giants	Nov. 3, 1985
Donald Igwebuike	51	at New Orleans	Sept. 22, 1985
Bill Capece	51	at Minnesota	Sept. 12, 1982
Bill Capece	51	at New Orleans	Nov. 29, 1981
Bill Capece	51	Green Bay	Nov. 22, 1981
Van Tiffin	50	Minnesota	Oct. 18, 1987
Donald Igwebuike	50	at Kansas City	Oct. 26, 1986
Donald Igwebuike	50	St. Louis	Nov. 10, 1985
Bill Capece	50	at New Orleans	Dec. 5, 1982

KICKOFF RETURNS	Yards	Opponent	Date
Phil Freeman	58	at Chicago	Sept. 8, 1985
Gary Davis	54	at Chicago	Oct. 6, 1980
Gary Davis	52	at San Francisco	Oct. 26, 1980
Michael Morton	50	at San Francisco	Dec. 4, 1983
Leon Bright	47	at Detroit	Sept. 29, 1985

PUNT RETURNS	Yards	Opponent	Date
John Holt	56	Green Bay	Nov. 22, 1981
Danny Reece	50	at Kansas City	Oct. 8,1978
Danny Reece	36	N.Y. Giants	Nov. 13,1977
Freddie Douglas	32	New England	Dec. 12, 1976

INTERCEPTION RETURNS	Yards	Opponent	Date
Neal Colzie	82 (TD)	Minnesota	Sept. 5, 1981
Cedric Brown	81 (TD)	Green Bay	Nov. 22, 1981
Cedric Brown	72	N.Y. Giants	Nov. 18, 1979
Jeremiah Castille	69 (TD)	New Orleans	Oct. 23, 1983
Scot Brantley	57	San Francisco	Sept. 7, 1986
Richard Wood	55 (TD)	Green Bay	Oct. 12, 1980
Neal Colzie	51	Miami	Nov. 29, 1982

FUMBLE RETURNS	Yards	Opponent	Date
Cedric Brown	80 (TD)	at Houston	Oct. 19, 1980
Hugh Green	60 (TD)	at Dallas (Playoff)	Jan. 9, 1983
David Logan	60 (TD)	Detroit	Dec. 14, 1980
David Logan	54 (TD)	at Minnesota	Nov. 6, 1983

PUNTS	Yards	Opponent	Date
Dave Green	70	at Detroit	Nov. 20, 1977
Frank Garcia	64	at Minnesota	Nov. 6, 1983
Frank Garcia	64	Detroit	Sept. 4, 1983
Dave Green	63	St. Louis	Dec. 18, 1977

YEAR-BY-YEAR LEADERS

PASSING (YARDS)

Year	Player	Comp.-Att.-Int.	Pct.	Yds.	TD	Rating
1976	Steve Spurrier	156-311-12	50.2	1,628	7	57.1
1977	Gary Huff	67-138-13	48.6	889	3	37.0
1978	Doug Williams	73-194- 8	37.6	1,170	7	53.5
1979	Doug Williams	166-387-24	41.8	2,448	18	52.6
1980	Doug Williams	254-521-16	48.8	3,396	20	69.7
1981	Doug Williams	238-471-14	50.5	3,563	19	76.5
1982	Doug Williams	164-307-11	53.4	2,071	9	69.4
1983	Jack Thompson	249-423-21	58.9	2,906	18	73.3
1984	Steve DeBerg	308-509-18	60.5	3,554	19	79.3
1985	Steve DeBerg	197-370-18	53.2	2,488	19	71.3
1986	Steve Young	195-363-13	53.7	2,382	8	65.5
1987	Steve DeBerg	159-275- 7	57.8	1,891	14	85.3

RECEIVING (YARDS)

Year	Player	No.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	Reception Leader
1976	Morris Owens	30	390	13.0	6	Morris Owens
1977	Morris Owens	34	655	19.3	3	Morris Owens
1978	Morris Owens	32	640	20.0	5	Morris Owens
1979	Isaac Hagins	39	692	17.7	3	Jimmie Giles 40-579-7 TDs
1980	Gordon Jones	48	669	13.9	5	Gordon Jones
1981	Kevin House	56	1,176	21.0	9	Kevin House
1982	Jimmie Giles	28	499	17.8	3	James Wilder 53-466-1 TD
1983	Kevin House	47	769	16.4	5	James Wilder 57-380-2 TDs
1984	Kevin House	76	1,005	13.2	5	James Wilder 85-685-0 TDs
1985	Kevin House	44	803	18.3	5	James Wilder 53-341-0 TDs
1986	Gerald Carter	42	640	15.2	2	Calvin Magee 45-564-5 TDs
1987	Gerald Carter	38	586	15.4	5	James Wilder 40-328-1 TD

RUSHING

Year	Player	Yards	Att.	Avg.	TD
1976	Louis Carter	521	171	3.0	1
1977	Ricky Bell	436	148	2.9	1
1978	Ricky Bell	679	185	3.7	6
1979	Ricky Bell	1,263	283	4.5	7
1980	Ricky Bell	599	174	3.4	2
1981	Jerry Eckwood	651	172	3.8	2
1982	James Wilder	324	83	3.9	3
1983	James Wilder	640	161	4.0	4
1984	James Wilder	1,544	*407	3.8	13
1985	James Wilder	1,300	365	3.6	10
1986	James Wilder	704	190	3.7	2
1987	James Wilder	488	106	4.6	0

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SCORING

Year	Player	TD	PAT	FG	Points
1976	Morris Owens	6	—	—	36
1977	Alan Leavitt	—	5- 5	5-10	20
1978	Neil O'Donoghue	—	25-29	13-23	64
1979	Neil O'Donoghue	—	30-35	11-19	63
1980	Garo Yepremian	—	31-32	16-23	79
1981	Bill Capece	—	30-32	15-24	75
1982	Bill Capece	—	14-14	18-23	68
1983	Bill Capece	—	23-26	10-23	53
1984	Obed Ariri	—	38-40	19-26	95
1985	Donald Igwebuike	—	30-32	22-32	96
1986	Donald Igwebuike	—	26-27	17-24	77
1987	Donald Igwebuike	—	24-26	14-18	66

DEFENSIVE LEADERS

	Tackles		Interceptions			Sacks	
Year	Player	No.	Player	No.	Yds.	Player	No.
1976	Richard Wood	92	Mark Cotney	3	25	Lee Roy Selmon	5
1977	Dewey Selmon	167	Mike Washington	5	71	Lee Roy Selmon	13
1978	Richard Wood	168	Cedric Brown	6	110	Lee Roy Selmon	11
1979	Richard Wood	158	three with	3	—	Lee Roy Selmon	11
1980	Richard Wood	114	Mike Washington	4	30	Lee Roy Selmon	9
1981	Cecil Johnson	174	Cedric Brown	9	215	Lee Roy Selmon	6½
1982	Hugh Green	71	three with	3	—	Dave Stalls	6½
1983	Hugh Green	138	Beasley Reece	6	70	Lee Roy Selmon	11
1984	Jeff Davis	165	Mark Cotney	5	123	Lee Roy Selmon	8
1985	Jeff Davis	132	Jeremiah Castille	7	49	David Logan	6½
1986	Jeff Davis	136	Vito McKeever	3	12	Chris Washington/ Keith Browner	4
1987	Ervin Randle	108	Paul Tripoli	3	17	Ron Holmes	8

YEAR-BY-YEAR STATISTICS

	W-L-T	Home	Away	Points Bucs-Opp.	Yards Bucs (Rank) - Opp. (Rank)
1976	0-14	0-7	0-7	125-412	3,006 (28) - 4,801 (24)
1977	2-12	1-6	1-6	103-223	2,693 (28) - 3,926 (13)
1978	5-11	3-5	2-6	241-259	3,801 (28) - 4,328 (4)
1979	10-6	5-3	5-3	273-237	5,049 (14) - 3,949 (1)
1980	5-10-1	2-5-1	3-5	271-341	5,059 (15) - 5,405 (20)
1981	9-7	6-2	3-5	315-268	5,160 (18) - 5,312 (13)
1982	5-4	4-1	1-3	158-178	2,895 (13) - 2,442 (3)*
1983	2-14	1-7	1-7	241-381	4,477 (28) - 5,397 (16)
1984	6-10	6-2	0-8	335-380	5,321 (10) - 5,474 (20)
1985	2-14	2-6	0-8	294-448	4,766 (23) - 6,108 (26)
1986	2-14	1-7	1-7	239-473	4,361 (27) - 6,333 (28)
1987	4-11	2-5	2-6	286-360	4,381 (27) - 4,987 (16)
	52-127-1	33-56-1	19-71	2,881-3,960	50,969 58,462

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YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

1976

Preseason (1-5)

7-31	at LA Rams	L	3-26	(54,787)
8-7	at Green Bay (Milwaukee)	L	6-10	(53,421)
8-14	Atlanta (Jacksonville)	W	17-3	(11,342)
8-21	MIAMI	L	21-28	(67,466)
8-28	CHICAGO	L	7-10	(47,592)
9-4	CINCINNATI	L	13-24	(46,775)

Season (0-14)

9-12	at Houston	L	0-20	(42,228)
9-19	SAN DIEGO	L	0-23	(39,558)
9-26	BUFFALO	L	9-14	(44,505)
10-3	at Baltimore	L	17-42	(40,053)
10-10	at Cincinnati	L	0-21	(40,700)
10-17	SEATTLE	L	10-13	(43,458)
10-24	MIAMI	L	20-23	(46,437)
10-31	KANSAS CITY	L	19-28	(41,779)
11-7	at Denver	L	13-48	(61,703)
11-14	at N.Y. Jets	L	0-34	(46,427)
11-21	CLEVELAND	L	7-24	(36,930)
11-28	at Oakland	L	16-49	(49,590)
12-5	at Pittsburgh	L	0-42	(43,385)
12-12	NEW ENGLAND	L	14-31	(41,517)

1977

Preseason (2-4)

8-6	MIAMI	L	7-13	(66,056)
8-13	at Cincinnati	L	0-45	(50,316)
8-20	GREEN BAY	W	10-7	(49,045)
8-27	Atlanta (Orlando)	L	21-30	(31,123)
9-3	at Buffalo	L	6-17	(28,126)
9-10	BALTIMORE	W	14-0	(47,032)

Season (2-12)

9-18	at Philadelphia	L	3-13	(61,549)
9-24	MINNESOTA	L	3-9	(66,272)
10-2	at Dallas	L	7-23	(55,316)
10-9	WASHINGTON	L	0-10	(58,571)
10-16	at Seattle	L	23-30	(54,783)
10-23	GREEN BAY	L	0-13	(47,635)
10-30	at San Francisco	L	10-20	(34,750)
11-6	at LA Rams	L	0-31	(45,493)
11-13	N.Y. GIANTS	L	0-10	(46,518)
11-20	at Detroit	L	7-16	(49,751)
11-27	ATLANTA	L	0-17	(43,592)
12-4	CHICAGO	L	0-10	(48,948)
12-11	at New Orleans	W	33-14	(40,124)
12-18	ST. LOUIS	W	17-7	(56,922)

1978

Preseason (3-1)

8-5	CINCINNATI	W	17-0	(60,106)
8-12	BALTIMORE	W	23-12	(61,112)
8-19	at New Orleans	W	14-3	(46,282)
8-25	MIAMI	L	20-24	(68,132)

Season (5-11)

9-2	N.Y. GIANTS	L	13-19	(67,456)
9-9	DETROIT	L	7-15	(64,445)
9-17	at Minnesota	W	16-10	(46,152)
9-24	ATLANTA	W	14-9	(58,073)
10-1	MINNESOTA	L	7-24	(65,972)
10-8	at Kansas City	W	30-13	(38,201)
10-15	at N.Y. Giants	L	14-17	(68,025)
10-22	CHICAGO	W	33-19	(68,146)
10-29	at Green Bay	L	7-9	(55,108)
11-5	at LA Rams	L	23-26	(55,182)
11-12	at Detroit	L	23-34	(60,320)
11-19	BUFFALO	W	31-10	(61,383)
11-26	at Chicago	L	3-14	(42,373)
12-3	GREEN BAY	L	7-17	(67,754)
12-10	at San Francisco	L	3-6	(30,931)
12-17	NEW ORLEANS	L	10-17	(51,207)

1979

Preseason (2-2)

8-4	WASHINGTON	L	7-9	(64,493)
8-11	MIAMI	L	7-13	(64,481)
8-18	NEW ORLEANS	W	14-7	(49,042)
8-25	at Cincinnati	W	24-13	(44,120)

Season (10-6)

9-1	DETROIT	W	31-16	(68,225)
9-9	at Baltimore(ot)	W	29-26	(36,374)
9-16	at Green Bay	W	21-10	(55,498)
9-23	LA RAMS	W	21-6	(69,497)
9-30	at Chicago	W	17-13	(55,258)
10-7	at N.Y. Giants	L	14-17	(72,841)
10-14	NEW ORLEANS	L	14-42	(67,640)
10-21	GREEN BAY	W	21-3	(67,186)
10-28	at Minnesota	W	12-10	(46,906)
11-4	at Atlanta	L	14-17	(55,150)
11-11	at Detroit	W	16-14	(70-461)
11-18	N.Y. GIANTS	W	31-3	(70,261)
11-25	MINNESOTA	L	22-23	(70,039)
12-2	CHICAGO	L	0-14	(69,508)

12-9	at San Francisco	L	7-23	(44,506)
12-16	KANSAS CITY	W	3-0	(63,624)

Playoffs (1-1)

12-29	PHILADELPHIA	W	24-17	(71,402)
1-6	LOS ANGELES	L	0-9	(72,033)

1980

Preseason (3-1)

8-11	at Houston	W	21-7	(48,827)
8-16	ST. LOUIS	L	14-21	(68,384)
8-23	CINN. (ot)	W	20-14	(59,113)
8-29	WASHINGTON	W	11-6	(62,555)

Season (5-10-1)

9-7	at Cincinnati	W	17-12	(35,551)
9-11	LA RAMS	W	10-9	(66,576)
9-21	at Dallas	L	17-28	(62,750)
9-28	CLEVELAND	L	27-34	(65,540)
10-6	at Chicago	L	0-23	(61,350)
10-12	GREEN BAY (ot)	T	14-14	(64,854)
10-19	at Houston	L	14-20	(48,167)
10-26	at San Francisco	W	24-23	(51,925)
11-2	N.Y. GIANTS	W	30-13	(68,256)
11-9	PITTSBURGH	L	21-24	(71,636)
11-16	at Minnesota	L	30-38	(46,032)
11-23	DETROIT	L	10-24	(64,976)
11-30	at Green Bay (Milw.)	W	20-17	(54,225)
12-7	MINNESOTA	L	10-21	(65,649)
12-14	at Detroit	L	14-27	(77,098)
12-20	CHICAGO	L	13-14	(55,298)

1981

Preseason (1-3)

8-8	CINCINNATI	L	17-24	(67,554)
8-15	NEW ENGLAND	L	16-17	(62,785)
8-22	HOUSTON	W	27-17	(64,734)
8-28	at Atlanta	L	7-27	(53,688)

Season (9-7)

9-5	MINNESOTA	W	21-13	(66,287)
9-13	at Kansas City	L	10-19	(50,555)
9-20	at Chicago	L	17-28	(60,130)
9-27	ST. LOUIS	W	20-10	(65,850)
10-4	DETROIT	W	28-10	(71,733)
10-11	at Green Bay	W	21-10	(52,264)
10-18	at Oakland	L	16-18	(42,288)
10-25	at Philadelphia	L	10-20	(70,714)
11-1	CHICAGO	W	20-10	(68,688)
11-8	at Minnesota	L	10-25	(47,038)
11-15	DENVER	L	7-24	(64,518)
11-22	GREEN BAY	W	37-3	(63,251)
11-29	at New Orleans	W	31-14	(62,209)
12-6	ATLANTA	W	24-23	(69,221)
12-13	SAN DIEGO	L	23-24	(67,388)
12-20	at Detroit	W	20-17	(80,444)

Playoffs (0-1)

1-2	at Dallas	L	0-38	(64,848)

1982

Preseason (3-1)

8-14	PHILADELPHIA	W	35-7	(65,659)
8-21	WASHINGTON	W	28-13	(63,896)
8-28	at Houston	L	6-21	(41,077)
9-3	ATLANTA	W	34-0	(62,933)

Season (5-4)

9-12	at Minnesota	L	10-17	(58,440)
9-19	WASHINGTON	L	13-21	(66,187)
*-strike (see below)				
11-21	at Dallas	L	9-14	(49,578)
11-29	MIAMI	W	23-17	(65,854)
12-5	at New Orleans	W	13-10	(61,709)
12-12	at N.Y. Jets	L	17-32	(28,147)
12-19	BUFFALO	W	24-23	(62,510)
12-26	DETROIT	W	23-21	(65,997)
*1-2	CHICAGO(ot)	W	26-23	(68,112)

Playoffs (0-1)

1-9	at Dallas	L	17-30	(65,042)

*-games not played due to 57-day players' strike

H—San Francisco (10/4), Minnesota (10/10), Green Bay (11/7), Chicago (11/14, rescheduled for 1/2).

A—at Detroit (9/26), at Green Bay (10/17), at Chicago (10/24), at Baltimore (10/31).

1983

Preseason (4-0)

8-6	NEW ORLEANS	W	20-17	(53,111)
8-13	at Houston	W	23-17	(41,107)
8-20	ATLANTA	W	17-6	(57,237)
8-26	NEW ENGLAND	W	41-21	(52,108)

Season (2-14)

9-4	DETROIT	L	0-11	(62,154)
9-11	at Chicago	L	10-17	(58,186)
9-18	MINNESOTA (ot)	L	16-19	(57,567)
9-25	CINCINNATI	L	17-23	(56,023)
10-2	at Green Bay	L	14-55	(54,272)
10-9	at Dallas (ot)	L	24-27	(63,308)
10-16	ST. LOUIS	L	27-34	(48,224)
10-23	NEW ORLEANS	L	21-24	(48,242)

10-30	at Pittsburgh	L	12-17	(57,648)
11-6	at Minnesota	W	17-12	(59,239)
11-13	at Cleveland	L	0-20	(56,091)
11-20	CHICAGO	L	0-27	(36,816)
11-27	HOUSTON	W	33-24	(38,625)
12-4	at San Francisco	L	21-35	(49,773)
12-12	GREEN BAY (ot)	L	9-12	(50,763)
12-19	at Detroit	L	20-23	(78,392)

1984

Preseason (3-2)

7-28	Seattle (Canton, OH)	L	0-38	(22,250)
8-4	HOUSTON	W	30-17	(32,774)
8-11	CINCINNATI	W	21-13	(33,588)
8-18	at Atlanta	L	21-52	(29,610)
8-24	MIAMI	W	14-13	(53,023)

Season (6-10)

9-2	at Chicago	L	14-34	(58,789)
9-9	at New Orleans	L	13-17	(54,686)
9-16	DETROIT	W	21-17	(44,560)
9-23	at N.Y. Giants	L	14-17	(72,650)
9-30	GREEN BAY (ot)	W	30-27	(44,487)
10-7	MINNESOTA	W	35-31	(47,405)
10-14	at Detroit (ot)	L	7-13	(44,308)
10-21	CHICAGO	L	9-44	(60,003)
10-28	at Kansas City	L	20-24	(41,710)
11-4	at Minnesota	L	24-27	(54,949)
11-11	N.Y. GIANTS	W	20-17	(46,534)
11-18	at San Francisco	L	17-24	(57,704)
11-25	L.A. RAMS	L	33-34	(42,242)
12-2	at Green Bay	L	14-27	(46,800)
12-9	ATLANTA	W	23-6	(33,808)
12-16	N.Y. JETS	W	41-21	(43,817)

OVERTIME GAMES

Record: 4-6-1

1979	at Baltimore	W	29-26	(Sept. 9)
1980	GREEN BAY	T	14-14	(Oct. 12)
1982	CHICAGO	W	26-23	(Jan. 2)
1983	MINNESOTA	L	16-19	(Sept. 18)
	at Dallas	L	24-27	(Oct. 9)
	GREEN BAY	L	9-12	(Dec. 12)
1984	GREEN BAY	W	30-27	(Sept. 30)
	at Detroit	L	7-13	(Oct. 14)
1985	DETROIT	W	19-16	(Nov. 24)
1986	ATLANTA	L	20-23	(Sept. 28)
	at L.A. Rams	L	20-26	(Oct. 5)

1985

Preseason (1-3)

8-10	PITTSBURGH	L	27-42	(47,447)
8-17	ATLANTA	L	17-23	(34,040)
8-24	at New Orleans	W	14-10	(49,337)
8-20	WASHINGTON	L	7-20	(33,640)

Season (2-14)

9-8	at Chicago	L	28-38	(57,828)
9-15	MINNESOTA	L	16-31	(46,188)
9-22	at New Orleans	L	13-20	(45,320)
9-29	at Detroit	L	9-30	(45,023)
10-6	CHICAGO	L	19-27	(51,795)
10-13	L.A. RAMS	L	27-31	(39,607)
10-20	at Miami	L	38-41	(62,335)
10-27	NEW ENGLAND	L	14-32	(34,661)
11-3	at N.Y. Giants	L	20-22	(72,031)
11-10	ST. LOUIS	W	16-0	(34,736)
11-17	at N.Y. Jets	L	28-62	(65,344)
11-24	DETROIT (ot)	W	19-16	(43,471)
12-1	at Green Bay	L	0-21	(19,856)
12-8	at Minnesota	L	7-26	(51,593)
12-15	INDIANAPOLIS	L	23-31	(25,577)
12-22	GREEN BAY	L	17-20	(33,992)

1986

Preseason (0-4)

8-9	ST. LOUIS	L	10-26	(31,550)
8-16	ATLANTA	L	17-20	(28,797)
8-23	WASHINGTON	L	13-21	(45,136)
8-29	Miami	L	3-21	(45,766)

Season (2-14)

9-7	SAN FRAN.	L	7-31	(50,780)
9-14	MINNESOTA	L	10-23	(34,579)
9-21	at Detroit	W	24-20	(38,453)
9-28	ATLANTA (ot)	L	20-23	(38,950)
10-5	at L.A. Rams (ot)	L	20-26	(50,585)
10-12	ST. LOUIS	L	19-30	(33,307)
10-19	at New Orleans	L	7-38	(43,355)
10-26	at Kansas City	L	20-27	(36,230)
11-2	BUFFALO	W	34-28	(32,806)
11-9	CHICAGO	L	3-23	(70,097)
11-16	at Green Bay (Milw.)	L	7-31	(48,271)
11-23	DETROIT	L	17-38	(30,029)
11-30	at Minnesota	L	13-45	(56,235)
12-7	at Chicago	L	14-48	(52,746)
12-14	GREEN BAY	L	7-21	(30,099)
12-21	at St. Louis	L	17-21	(23,957)

1987

Preseason (2-2)

8-15	CINCINNATI	L 30-31	(52,747)
8-22	N.Y. JETS	W 29-27	(56,598)
8-29	WASHINGTON	W 17-10	(63,845)
9-5	at Indianapolis	L 16-23	(50,111)

Season (4-11)

9-13	ATLANTA	W 48-10	(51,250)
9-20	at Chicago	L 3-20	(63,551)
9-27	GREEN BAY	CANCELLED	
10-4	at Detroit	W 31-27	(4,919)
10-11	SAN DIEGO	L 13-17	(23,873)
10-18	MINNESOTA	W 20-10	(20,850)
10-25	CHICAGO	L 26-27	(70,747)
11-1	at Green Bay	W 23-17	(50,308)
11-8	at St. Louis	L 28-31	(22,449)
11-15	at Minnesota	L 17-23	(48,605)
11-22	SAN FRANCISCO	L 10-24	(63,211)
11-29	at LA Rams	L 3-35	(45,188)
12-6	at New Orleans	L 34-44	(66,471)
12-13	DETROIT	L 10-20	(41,699)
12-20	ST. LOUIS	L 14-31	(32,046)
12-27	at Indianapolis	L 6-24	(60,468)

NFC CENTRAL RECORDS

1987

	W	L	T
*Chicago	11	4	0
*Minnesota	8	7	0
Green Bay	5	9	1
TAMPA BAY	4	11	0
Detroit	4	11	0

1986

	W	L	T
Chicago	14	2	0
Minnesota	8	8	0
Detroit	5	11	0
Green Bay	4	12	0
TAMPA BAY	2	14	0

1985

	W	L	T
*Chicago	15	1	0
Green Bay	8	8	0
Detroit	7	9	0
Minnesota	7	9	0
TAMPA BAY	2	14	0

*-Qualified for playoffs

1984

	W	L	T
*Chicago	10	6	0
Green Bay	8	8	0
TAMPA BAY	6	10	0
Detroit	4	11	1
Minnesota	3	13	0

1983

	W	L	T
*Detroit	9	7	0
Green Bay	8	8	0
Chicago	8	8	0
Minnesota	8	8	0
TAMPA BAY	2	14	0

1982

(No official champion due to strike)

	W	L	T
*Green Bay	5	3	1
*Minnesota	5	4	0
*TAMPA BAY	5	4	0
*Detroit	4	5	0
Chicago	4	5	0

1981

	W	L	T
*TAMPA BAY	9	7	0
Detroit	8	8	0
Green Bay	8	8	0
Minnesota	7	9	0
Chicago	6	10	0

1980

	W	L	T
*Minnesota	9	7	0
Detroit	9	7	0
Chicago	7	9	0
TAMPA BAY	5	10	1
Green Bay	5	10	1

1979

	W	L	T
*TAMPA BAY	10	6	0
*Chicago	10	6	0
Minnesota	7	9	0
Green Bay	5	11	0
Detroit	2	14	0

1978

	W	L	T
*Minnesota	8	7	1
Green Bay	8	7	1
Detroit	7	9	0
Chicago	7	9	0
TAMPA BAY	5	11	0

ATTENDANCE RECORDS

(Based on Actual Attendance)

LARGEST ATTENDANCE

Regular Season (all games):	1,002,578	(62,661 average), 1981
Home Regular Season:	545,980	(68,248 average), 1979
Road Regular Season:	476,761	(59,595 average), 1983
Home Preseason:	195,073	(65,024 average, three games), 1981
Home Game:	72,033 vs. Los Angeles Rams 1/6/80 (NFC Championship)	
Regular Season Home Game:	71,733 vs. Detroit 10/4/81	
Preseason Home Game:	68,384 vs. St. Louis 8/16/80	
Road Game:	80,444 at Detroit 12/20/81	

HOME SELLOUTS

Most Season	11, 1979 (8 season, 2 playoff, 1 preseason)
Most Regular Season	8, 1979 & 1980
Most Consecutive Reg. Season	17, 9/1/79 to 9/5/81
Last Regular Season:	10/25/87 vs. Chicago
Most Regular Season over 72 Hours Before Kickoff:	7, 1980

SMALLEST ATTENDANCE

Home Game:	25,577 vs. Indianapolis 12/15/85
Road Game:	4,919 at Detroit 10/4/87

UNUSED TICKETS

Most, Home Game:	27,839 vs. Chicago 11/20/83
Fewest, Home Game:	93 vs. Los Angeles Rams 1/6/80 (NFC Championship)
Most, Road Game:	395 vs. Detroit 10/4/81
Fewest, Road Game:	36,586 at Green Bay 12/1/85
	171 at Dallas 1/2/82 (Playoff)
	194 at Detroit 12/20/81

TOP CROWDS

Home

72,033	Los Angeles Rams (NFC Championship)	1/6/80
71,733	Detroit (4 p.m.)	10/4/81
71,636	Pittsburgh	11/9/80
71,402	Philadelphia (Playoff)	12/29/79
70,747	Chicago	10/25/87
70,261	N.Y. Giants (4 p.m.)	11/18/79
70,097	Chicago	11/9/86

Home Attendance (All Time)
4,797,459

Away

80,444 at Detroit	12/20/81
78,392 at Detroit	12/18/83
77,098 at Detroit	12/14/80
72,741 at N.Y. Giants	10/8/79
72,650 at N.Y. Giants	9/23/84

Away Attendance (All Time)
4,704,420

SERIES RESULTS

REGULAR SEASON (52-127-1) & PLAYOFF (1-3)

ATLANTA (4-3)

1977—Atlanta 17, BUCS 0 (TB)
1978—BUCS 14, Atlanta 9 (TB)
1979—Atlanta 17, BUCS 14 (A)
1981—BUCS 24, Atlanta 23 (TB)
1984—BUCS 23, Atlanta 6 (TB)
1986—Atlanta 23, BUCS 20 (OT) (TB)
1987—BUCS 48, Atlanta 10 (TB)

BUFFALO (3-1)

1976—Buffalo 14, BUCS 9 (TB)
1978—BUCS 31, Buffalo 10 (TB)
1982—BUCS 24, Buffalo 23 (TB)
1986—BUCS 34, Buffalo 28 (TB)

CHICAGO (4-16)

1977—Chicago 10, BUCS 0 (TB)
1978—BUCS 33, Chicago 19 (TB)
—Chicago 14, BUCS 3 (C)
1979—BUCS 17, Chicago 13 (C)
—Chicago 14, BUCS 0 (TB)
1980—Chicago 23, BUCS 0 (C)
—Chicago 14, BUCS 13 (TB)
1981—Chicago 28, BUCS 17 (C)
—BUCS 20, Chicago 10 (TB)
1982—BUCS 26, Chicago 23 (OT) (TB)
1983—Chicago 17, BUCS 10 (C)
—Chicago 27, BUCS 0 (TB)
1984—Chicago 34, BUCS 14 (C)
—Chicago 44, BUCS 9 (TB)
1985—Chicago 38, BUCS 28 (C)
—Chicago 27, BUCS 19 (TB)
1986—Chicago 23, BUCS 3 (TB)
—Chicago 48, BUCS 14 (C)
1987—Chicago 20, BUCS 3 (C)
—Chicago 27, BUCS 26 (TB)

CINCINNATI (1-2)

1976—Cincinnati 21, BUCS 0 (C)
1980—BUCS 17, Cincinnati 12 (C)
1983—Cincinnati 23, BUCS 17 (TB)

CLEVELAND (0-3)

1976—Cleveland 24, BUCS 7 (TB)
1980—Cleveland 34, BUCS 27 (TB)
1983—Cleveland 20, BUCS 0 (C)

DALLAS (0-6)

1977—Dallas 23, BUCS 7 (D)
1980—Dallas 28, BUCS 17 (D)
1981—**Dallas 38, BUCS 0 (D)
1982—Dallas 14, BUCS 9 (D)
—**Dallas 30, BUCS 17 (D)
1983—Dallas 27, BUCS 24 (OT) (D)

DENVER (0-2)

1976—Denver 48, Bucs 13 (D)
1981—Denver 24, BUCS 7 (TB)

DETROIT (9-11)

1977—Detroit 16, BUCS 7 (D)
1978—Detroit 15, BUCS 7 (TB)
—Detroit 34, BUCS 23 (D)
1979—BUCS 31, Detroit 16 (TB)
—BUCS 16, Detroit 14 (D)
1980—Detroit 24, BUCS 10 (TB)
—Detroit 27, BUCS 14 (D)
1981—BUCS 28, Detroit 10 (TB)
—BUCS 20, Detroit 17 (D)
1982—BUCS 23, Detroit 21 (TB)
1983—Detroit 11, BUCS 0 (TB)
—Detroit 23, BUCS 20 (D)
1984—BUCS 21, Detroit 17 (TB)
—Detroit 13, BUCS 7 (OT) (D)
1985—Detroit 30, BUCS 9 (D)
—BUCS 19, Detroit 16 (OT) (TB)
1986—BUCS 24, Detroit 20 (D)
—Detroit 38, BUCS 17 (TB)
1987—BUCS 31, Detroit 27 (D)
—Detroit 20, BUCS 10 (TB)

GREEN BAY (7-10-1)

1977—Green Bay 13, BUCS 0 (TB)
1978—Green Bay 9, BUCS 7 (GB)
—Green Bay 17, BUCS 7 (TB)
1979—BUCS 21, Green Bay 10 (GB)
—BUCS 21, Green Bay 3 (TB)
1980—BUCS 14, Green Bay 14 (OT) (TB)
—BUCS 20, Green Bay 17 (MIL)
1981—BUCS 21, Green Bay 10 (GB)
—BUCS 37, Green Bay 3 (TB)
1982—No meeting due to players' strike
1983—Green Bay 55, BUCS 14 (GB)
—Green Bay 12, BUCS 9 (OT) (TB)
1984—BUCS 30, Green Bay 27 (OT) (TB)
—Green Bay 27, BUCS 14 (GB)
1985—Green Bay 21, BUCS 0 (GB)
—Green Bay 20, BUCS 17 (TB)
1986—Green Bay 31, BUCS 7 (MIL)
—Green Bay 21, BUCS 7 (TB)
1987—BUCS 23, Green Bay 17 (MIL)

HOUSTON (1-2)

1976—Houston 20, BUCS 0 (H)
1980—Houston 20, BUCS 14 (H)
1983—BUCS 33, Houston 24 (TB)

INDIANAPOLIS/BALTIMORE (1-3)

1976—Baltimore 42, BUCS 17 (B)
1979—BUCS 29, Baltimore 26 (OT) (B)
1985—Indianapolis 31, BUCS 23 (TB)
1987—Indianapolis 24, BUCS 6 (I)

KANSAS CITY (2-4)

1976—Kansas City 28, BUCS 19 (TB)
1978—BUCS 30, Kansas City 13 (KC)
1979—BUCS 3, Kansas City 0 (TB)
1981—Kansas City 19, BUCS 10 (KC)
1984—Kansas City 24, BUCS 20 (KC)
1986—Kansas City 27, BUCS 20 (KC)

L.A.—OAKLAND RAIDERS (0-2)

1976—Oakland 49, BUCS 16 (O)
1981—Oakland 18, BUCS 16 (O)

LOS ANGELES RAMS (2-7)

1977—Los Angeles 31, BUCS 0 (LA)
1978—Los Angeles 26, BUCS 23 (LA)
1979—BUCS 21, Los Angeles 6 (TB)
—*Los Angeles 9, BUCS 0 (TB)
1980—BUCS 10, Los Angeles 9 (TB)
1984—Los Angeles 34, BUCS 33 (TB)
1985—Los Angeles 31, BUCS 27 (TB)
1986—Los Angeles 26, BUCS 20 (OT) (LA)
1987—Los Angeles 35, BUCS 3 (LA)
*—NFC Championship

MIAMI (1-2)

1976—Miami 23, BUCS 20 (TB)
1982—BUCS 23, Miami 17 (TB)
1985—Miami 41, BUCS 38 (M)

MINNESOTA (5-13)

1977—Minnesota 9, BUCS 3 (TB)
1978—BUCS 16, Minnesota 10 (M)
—Minnesota 24, BUCS 7 (TB)
1979—BUCS 12, Minnesota 10 (M)
—Minnesota 23, BUCS 22 (TB)
1980—Minnesota 38, BUCS 30 (M)
—Minnesota 21, BUCS 10 (TB)
1981—BUCS 21, Minnesota 13 (TB)
—Minnesota 25, BUCS 10 (M)
1982—Minnesota 17, BUCS 10 (M)
1983—Minnesota 19, BUCS 16 (OT) (TB)
—BUCS 17, Minnesota 12 (M)
1984—BUCS 35, Minnesota 31 (TB)
—Minnesota 27, BUCS 24 (OT) (M)
1985—Minnesota 31, BUCS 16 (TB)
—Minnesota 26, BUCS 7 (M)
1986—Minnesota 23, BUCS 10 (TB)
—Minnesota 45, BUCS 13 (M)
1987—Minnesota 10, BUCS 20 (M)
—Minnesota 23, BUCS 17 (TB)

NEW ENGLAND (0-2)

1976—New England 31, BUCS 14 (TB)
1985—New England 32, BUCS 14 (TB)

NEW ORLEANS (3-7)

1977—BUCS 33, New Orleans 14 (NO)
1978—New Orleans 17, BUCS 7 (TB)
1979—New Orleans 42, BUCS 14 (TB)
1981—BUCS 31, New Orleans 14 (NO)
1982—BUCS 13, New Orleans 10 (NO)
1983—New Orleans 24, BUCS 21 (TB)
1984—New Orleans 17, BUCS 14 (NO)
1985—New Orleans 20, BUCS 13 (NO)
1986—New Orleans 38, BUCS 7 (NO)
1987—New Orleans 44, BUCS 34 (NO)

NEW YORK GIANTS (3-6)

1977—N.Y. Giants 10, BUCS 0 (TB)
1978—N.Y. Giants 19, BUCS 13 (TB)
—N.Y. Giants 17, BUCS 14 (NY)
1979—N.Y. Giants 17, BUCS 14 (NY)
—BUCS 31, N.Y. Giants 3 (TB)
1980—BUCS 30, N.Y. Giants 13 (TB)
1984—N.Y. Giants 17, BUCS 14 (NY)
—BUCS 20, N.Y. Giants 17 (TB)
1985—N.Y. Giants 22, BUCS 20 (NY)

NEW YORK JETS (1-3)

1976—N.Y. Jets 34, BUCS 0 (NY)
1982—N.Y. Jets 32, BUCS 17 (NY)
1984—BUCS 41, N.Y. Jets 21 (TB)
1985—N.Y. Jets 62, BUCS 28 (NY)

PHILADELPHIA (1-2)

1977—Philadelphia 13, BUCS 3 (P)
1979—**BUCS 24, Philadelphia 17 (TB)
1981—Philadelphia 20, BUCS 10 (P)

PITTSBURGH (0-3)

1976—Pittsburgh 42, BUCS 0 (P)
1980—Pittsburgh 24, BUCS 21 (TB)
1983—Pittsburgh 17, BUCS 12 (P)

ST. LOUIS (3-5)-PHOENIX

1977—BUCS 17, St. Louis 7 (TB)
1981—BUCS 20, St. Louis 10 (TB)
1983—St. Louis 34, BUCS 27 (TB)
1985—BUCS 16, St. Louis 0 (TB)
1986—St. Louis 30, BUCS 19 (TB)
—St. Louis 21, BUCS 17 (SL)
1987—St. Louis 31, BUCS 28 (SL)
—St. Louis 31, BUCS 14 (TB)

SAN DIEGO (0-3)

1976—San Diego 23, BUCS 0 (TB)
1981—San Diego 24, BUCS 23 (TB)
1987—San Diego 17, BUCS 13 (TB)

SAN FRANCISCO (1-7)
1977—San Francisco 20, BUCS 10 (SF)
1978—San Francisco 6, BUCS 3 (SF)
1979—San Francisco 23, BUCS 7 (SF)
1980—BUCS 24, San Francisco 23 (SF)
1983—San Francisco 35, BUCS 21 (SF)
1984—San Francisco 24, BUCS 17 (SF)
1986—San Francisco 31, BUCS 7 (TB)
1987—San Francisco 24, BUCS 10 (TB)

SEATTLE (0-2)
1976—Seattle 13, BUCS 10 (TB)
1977—Seattle 30, BUCS 23 (S)

WASHINGTON (0-2)
1977—Washington 10, BUCS 0 (TB)
1982—Washington 21, BUCS 13 (TB)

*-NFC Championship
**-NFC Playoff

PRESEASON (25-28)

ATLANTA (3-5)
1976—BUCS 17, Atlanta 3 (JAX)
1977—Atlanta 30, BUCS 21 (ORL)
1981—Atlanta 27, BUCS 7 (A)
1982—BUCS 34, Atlanta 0 (TB)
1983—BUCS 17, Atlanta 6 (TB)
1984—Atlanta 52, BUCS 21 (A)
1985—Atlanta 23, BUCS 17 (TB)
1986—Atlanta 20, BUCS 17 (TB)

BUFFALO (0-1)
1977—Buffalo 17, BUCS 6 (B)

CHICAGO (0-1)
1976—Chicago 10, BUCS 7 (TB)

CINCINNATI (4-4)
1976—Cincinnati 24, BUCS 13 (TB)
1977—Cincinnati 45, BUCS 0 (C)
1978—BUCS 17, Cincinnati 0 (TB)
1979—BUCS 24, Cincinnati 13 (C)
1980—BUCS 20, Cincinnati 14 (OT) (TB)
1981—Cincinnati 24, BUCS 17 (TB)
1984—BUCS 21, Cincinnati 13 (TB)
1987—Cincinnati 31, BUCS 30 (TB)

GREEN BAY (1-1)
1976—Green Bay 10, BUCS 6 (MIL)
1977—BUCS 10, Green Bay 7 (TB)

HOUSTON (4-1)
1980—BUCS 21, Houston 7 (H)
1981—BUCS 27, Houston 17 (TB)
1982—Houston 21, BUCS 6 (H)
1983—BUCS 23, Houston 17 (H)
1984—BUCS 30, Houston 17 (TB)

INDIANAPOLIS/BALTIMORE (2-1)
1977—BUCS 14, Baltimore 0 (TB)
1978—BUCS 23, Baltimore 12 (TB)
1987—Indianapolis 23, BUCS 16 (I)

LOS ANGELES RAMS (0-1)
1976—Los Angeles 26, BUCS 3 (LA)

MIAMI (1-5)
1976—Miami 28, BUCS 21 (TB)
1977—Miami 13, BUCS 7 (TB)
1978—Miami 24, BUCS 20 (TB)
1979—Miami 13, BUCS 7 (TB)
1984—BUCS 14, Miami 13 (TB)
1986—Miami 24, BUCS 3 (M)

NEW ENGLAND (1-1)
1981—New England 17, BUCS 16 (TB)
1983—BUCS 41, New England 21 (TB)

NEW ORLEANS (4-0)
1978—BUCS 14, New Orleans 3 (NO)
1979—BUCS 14, New Orleans 7 (TB)
1983—BUCS 20, New Orleans 17 (TB)
1985—BUCS 14, New Orleans 10 (NO)

PHILADELPHIA (1-0)
1982—BUCS 35, Philadelphia 7 (TB)

NEW YORK JETS (1-0)
1987—BUCS 29, N.Y. Jets 27 (TB)

PITTSBURGH (0-1)
1985—Pittsburgh 42, BUCS 27 (TB)

ST. LOUIS (0-2)
1980—St. Louis 21, BUCS 14 (TB)
1986—St. Louis 26, BUCS 10 (TB)

WASHINGTON (3-3)
1979—Washington 9, BUCS 7 (TB)
1980—BUCS 11, Washington 6 (TB)
1982—BUCS 28, Washington 13 (TB)
1985—Washington 20, BUCS 7 (TB)
1986—Washington 21, BUCS 13 (TB)
1987—BUCS 17, Washington 10 (TB)

Teams in Orange are on 1988 Schedule

BUCCANEER HISTORY

FOUNDATION

November 4, 1967: Tampa Stadium is dedicated as Tennessee defeats the University of Tampa, 38-0. The dedication concludes planning begun in 1965 by the Tampa Sports Authority, an 11-member public agency formed by the Florida Legislature The price tag of the 46,700-seat stadium is $4.1 million.

August 10, 1968: The first NFL preseason game is played in Tampa Stadium as Washington defeats Atlanta before a crowd of 42,000.

November, 1968: First group attempting to secure an NFL franchise for Tampa Bay is formed. This group, known as the Suncoast Pro Football Committee, functions until 1972 when the Tampa Chamber of Commerce appoints the formal West Coast NFL task force headed by J. Leonard Levy.

Summer, 1972: The Baltimore Colts train in Tampa and play three preseason games at Tampa Stadium. Ray Perkins is a member of the Colts and while in Tampa decides to retire due to knee injuries.

April 24, 1974: Tampa Bay is awarded the NFL's 27th franchise. As part of the franchise award for the area, Tampa Stadium will be enlarged to 72,000 seats.

October 30, 1974: Philadelphia construction man Tom McCloskey is awarded the new Tampa Bay franchise, but soon backs off accepting ownership.

December 5, 1974: Hugh F. Culverhouse, Jacksonville attorney and real estate investor who had earlier declined ownership of the Seattle franchise for geographic reasons, is awarded ownership of the Tampa Bay franchise.

February 15, 1975: It is announced that the club will be known as the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, which was also the choice of a local contest to name the new team.

April 21, 1975: Tampa Sports Authority unanimously approves a 30-year lease agreement with Buc officials for Tampa Stadium. Three days later the Tampa City Council votes 6-1 for approval of the stadium lease and expansion to 72,000 seats.

July 9, 1975: Ground is broken for the Tampa Stadium expansion financed by the sale of $13 million in bonds by the Tampa Sports Authority.

October 31, 1975: John McKay, four national championships behind him at the University of Southern California, is announced as the head coach of the Buccaneers.

1976 (0-14, 5th AFC West)

March 30, 1976: The Buccaneers choose 39 players (20 offensive and 19 defensive) from other NFL rosters in the veteran allocation draft at the NFL offices.

April 8, 1976: Lee Roy Selmon, All-America defensive end from Oklahoma, is the first pick of the entire college draft.

July 5, 1976: The Bucs welcome the first rookies and free agents to training camp at their recently completed office complex known as One Buccaneer Place. By December, 140 players will have been at least briefly on the Bucs' first-year roster.

July 31, 1976: Tampa Bay's first ever action is a preseason game at the Los Angeles Coliseum with the Rams. Los Angeles wins 26-3 (Pete Rajecki's 18-yard FG).

August 14, 1976: The Buccaneers are winners for the first time, defeating Atlanta 17-3 in a preseason game at Jacksonville's Gator Bowl.

August 21, 1976: After three road preseason games, the Buccaneers open at home in expanded Tampa Stadium in a preseason match with the Miami Dolphins. As 67,466 fans watch, the Bucs drop a close one, 28-21.

September 12, 1976: Tampa Bay's first regular season game is a 20-0 defeat at Houston. One week later, San Diego spoils the home opener, 23-0.

1977 (2-12, 5th NFL Central)

December 11, 1977: The Bucs tie an NFL record with three interceptions returned for touchdowns and end 26 games of frustration with a 33-14 win at New Orleans. Over 8,000 fans greet the team when it returns to One Buccaneer Place.

December 18, 1977: Tampa Bay makes it two in a row with its first home win ever, a 17-7 triumph over the St. Louis Cardinals.

1978 (5-11, 5th NFC Central)

October 22, 1978: Tampa Bay defeats Chicago 33-19, to up its record to 4-4, but injuries cripple the team during the second half of the season.

1979 (10-6, 1st NFC Central)

September 30, 1979: The Bucs become the only undefeated team in the NFL (5-0) with a 17-13 win at Chicago. The game proves decisive in the NFL Central race when Tampa Bay and Chicago end the season tied at 10-6.

December 16, 1979: The Bucs wait until the final game of the season to clinch their first NFC Central crown. Tampa Bay edges Kansas City 3-0 in pouring rain at Tampa Stadium with Neil O'Donoghue's 19-yard fourth quarter field goal decisive

December 29, 1979: Tampa Bay is successful in its first-ever NFL playoff appearance, defeating Philadelphia, 24-17, as Ricky Bell rushes for 142 yards and two TDs.

January 6, 1980: The Bucs finish just one game short of the Super Bowl as Los Angeles wins the NFC Championship game at Tampa Stadium, 9-0.

1980 (5-10-1, 4th NFC Central)

September 11, 1980: Tampa Bay avenges January's NFC Championship Game defeat with a 10-9 victory over Los Angeles in the Buccaneers' first appearance on ABC's national television series. The game is played on a Thursday night.

1981 (9-7, 1st NFC Central)

June 3, 1981: A Tampa Bay Super Bowl Task Force, assisted by Hugh Culverhouse, makes a successful presentation at the NFL Owners' Meeting in Detroit and by a vote of 24-2 Tampa Stadium is selected as the site for Super Bowl XVIII on January 22, 1984.

December 20, 1981: Tampa Bay wins an exciting winner-take-all showdown with the Detroit Lions (20-17) for the NFC Central Division title. Two weeks later (January 2, 1982), Dallas eliminates Tampa Bay from the playoffs.

1982 (5-4, 7th in NFC, Super Bowl Tournament Qualifier)

November 29, 1982: After an 0-3 start and a 57-day interruption due to the NFL players' strike (9/21 to 11/15), Tampa Bay posts its first win of the season defeating cross-state rival Miami, 23-17, in the first nationally-televised Monday night game at Tampa Stadium.

January 2, 1983: The Bucs qualify for postseason play for the third time in four years when Bill Capece's 33-yard field goal 3:14 into overtime provides a 26-23 win over the Chicago Bears. The Buccaneers win five of their final six games in their successful late-season drive, securing each triumph in the final minute of play. The next Sunday (January 9, 1983), Dallas defeats Tampa Bay in playoff action for the second time in as many years (30-17).

1983 (2-14, 5th NFC Central)

November 6, 1984: James Wilder gains 219 yards rushing, the most in club history and the most by an NFL running back since 1977, as the injury-riddled Buccaneers break into the win column with a 17-12 victory at Minnesota.

January 22, 1984: Tampa Stadium hosts Super Bowl XVIII. The Los Angeles Raiders defeat the Washington Redskins 38-9 before a stadium record crowd of 72,920.

1984 (6-10, 3rd NFC Central)

November 5, 1984: John McKay announces his resignation as head coach, effective at the end of the season. It comes one day after a heartbreaking 27-24 loss at Minnesota on Jan Stenerud's 53-yard field goal on the last play of the game. The Bucs are 4-6 at the time.

December 16, 1984: Tampa Bay defeats the Jets 41-21 in John McKay's last game after 25 years as a head coach. McKay finishes 44-88-1 in nine regular seasons (plus 1-3 in playoffs) with the Bucs. His overall 25-year coaching record is 171-128-9.

1985 (2-14, 5th NFC Central)

January 23, 1985: Leeman Bennett, former head coach of the Atlanta Falcons is named head coach.

November 10, 1985: The Bucs post their only shutout since 1979, defeating St. Louis 16-0 to snap a nine-game losing streak.

1986 (2-14, 5th NFC Central)

September 7, 1986: Lee Roy Selmon's jersey, #63, becomes the first to be retired by the Bucs in halftime ceremonies at the season opener with San Francisco.

December 21, 1986: Bucs fall at St. Louis, 21-17, in Leeman Bennett's final game as Buccaneer coach (4-28). He is relieved of his position on December 29th.

1987 (4-11, 4th NFC Central)

December 31, 1986: Ray Perkins is hired as Head Coach/Vice President-Football Operations. He is awarded a five-year contract.

April 3, 1987: Vinny Testaverde, All-America quarterback and Heisman Trophy winner from the University of Miami, signs a six-year contract.

April 28, 1987: Including Testaverde the Bucs draft a total of 20 players. It is the most players drafted by one team since the NFL went to a 12-round draft in 1977.

May 20, 1987: Tampa Bay is awarded its second Super Bowl with the selection of Tampa Stadium to host Super Bowl XXV, the Silver Super Bowl, in January, 1991. The selection comes on the sixth ballot at a meeting of NFL owners in San Diego.

September 13, 1987: Tampa Bay routs Atlanta 48-10 in Ray Perkins' debut as head coach. Quarterback Steve DeBerg throws a team record five touchdown passes en route to a Buc record 48 points.

October 25, 1987: Following the 24-day NFLPA strike, during which the Bucs' replacement team won two of three games, Tampa Bay loses to Chicago 27-26.

December 6, 1987: Vinny Testaverde makes his debut as Tampa Bay's starting quarterback against the Saints in New Orleans. He passes for an NFL rookie record 369 yards (22-47-2) and two touchdown passes. Rookie wide receiver Mark Carrier sets a Buc record with 212 yards in receptions.

BUCCANEER DRAFTS

1976

1 - Lee Roy Selmon, DE, Oklahoma; 2 - Jimmy DuBose, RB, Florida; 2a - to San Francisco (Steve Spurrier); 2b - Dewey Selmon, DT-LB, Oklahoma; 3 - Steve Young, T, Colorado; 3a - to Baltimore (Mike Washington); 3b - Steve Maughan, LB, Utah State; 4 - to Los Angeles (Jim Peterson); 4a - Richard Appleby, WR, Georgia; 4b - Everett Little, G, Houston; 5 - Mishael Kelson, DB, West Texas State; 5a - Steve Wilson, T, Georgia; 5b - to Los Angeles (Jim Peterson); 6 - Curtis Jordan, DB, Texas Tech; 7 - Parnell Dickinson, QB, Mississippi Valley State; 8 - to N.Y. Jets (Steve Reese); 9 - Bruce Welch, G, Texas A&M; 10 - Sid Smith, LB, Brigham Young; 11 - Melvin Washington, DB, Colorado State; 12 - George Ragsdale, WR, North Carolina A&T; 13 - Brad Jenkins, TE, Nebraska; 14 - Carl Roaches, KR-WR, Texas A&M; 15 - Bob Dzierzak, DT, Utah State; 16 - Tom West; LB, Tennessee; 17 - Jack Berry, QB, Washington and Lee.

1977

1 - Ricky Bell, RB, Southern California; 2 - David Lewis, LB, Southern California; 3 - Charley Hannah, DE, Alabama; 4 - to Cincinnati (Charlie Davis); 5 - to Miami (Ray Nettles); 6 - to Chicago (Gary Huff); 6a - to Chicago (Gary Huff), from Oakland (Cedric Brown); 7 - to N.Y. Jets (Richard Wood); 8 - Randy Hedberg, QB, Minot State; 9 - Byron Hemingway, LB, Boston College; 9a - Larry Mucker (from Oakland, Cedric Brown); 10 - Robert Morgan, FB, Florida; 10a - Aaron Ball (from San Francisco, John Miller); 11 - Chuck Rodgers, DB, North Dakota State; 12 - Chip Sheffield, WR, Lenoir Rhyne.

1978

1 - Doug Williams, QB, Grambling (*-see below); 2 - Johnny Davis, RB, Alabama; 2a - Brett Moritz, G-C, Nebraska (*-see below); 3 - to Oakland (Dan Medlin); 4 - to Oakland (Jeff Winans); 5 - to Miami (Jeris White); 6 - to Oakland (Rik Bonness); 6a - Elijah Marshall (from Los Angeles, Dan Ryczek); 7 - to Atlanta (Alan Leavitt); 8 - John McGriff, LB, Miami (Fla.); 9 - Willie Taylor, WR, Pittsburgh; 10 - Aaron Brown, LB, Ohio State; 10a and 11 - to Pittsburgh (Ernie Holmes); 12 - Kevin McLee, RB, Georgia.

*-Tampa Bay traded its first choice (number one in the draft overall) to Houston for Jimmie Giles, the Oilers' first round pick (17 overall - Doug Williams), second round pick (Brett Moritz) in 1978 and their third (Reggie Lewis) and fifth round (Chuck Fusina) picks in 1979.

1979

1 - to Chicago (Wally Chambers); 2 - Greg Roberts, OG, Oklahoma (from Oakland, Dave Pear); 2a - Gordon Jones, WR, Pittsburgh; 3 - Jerry Eckwood, RB, Arkansas (from Baltimore, Don Hardeman); 3a - to Miami (Randy Crowder); 3b - Reggie Lewis, DE, North Texas State (from Houston, see 1978); 3c - Rick Berns, RB, Nebraska (from Oakland, Dave Pear); 4 - to Detroit (used by Pittsburgh, Rocky Freitas); 5 - to Seattle (used by Buffalo); 5a - Chuck Fusina, QB, Penn State (from Houston, see 1978); 6 - to Oakland (Rik Bonness); 7 - to Washington (used by Seattle, Frank Grant); 8 - to New York Jets (Darrell Austin); 8a - Eugene Sanders, DT, Texas A&M (from Miami, Council Rudolph); 9 - Henry Vereen, WR, Nevada-Las Vegas; 10 - to San Francisco (Jim Obradovich); 11 - Bob Rippentrop, TE, Fresno State; 12 - David Logan, DT, Pittsburgh.

1980

1 - Ray Snell, OT-OG, Wisconsin; 2 - Kevin House, WR, Southern Illinois; 3 - Scot Brantley, LB, Florida; 4 - to San Diego; 4a - Larry Flowers, DB, Texas Tech (from Washington for Jeris White); 5 - to Oakland; 6 - to Cincinnati; 7 - Jim Leonard, OG-C, Santa Clara; 8 - Derrick Goddard, DB, Drake; 9 - Gerald Carter, WR, Texas A&M; 10 - Andy Hawkins, LB, Texas A&I; 10a - Brett Davis, RB, Nevada-Las Vegas (from San Diego for Charles White); 11 - Terry Jones, DL, Central State (Oklahoma); 12 - Gene Coleman, DB, Miami (FL).

1981

1 - Hugh Green, LB, Pittsburgh; 2 - James Wilder, FB, Missouri; 3 - to Los Angeles (Greg Horton); 4 - John Holt, CB, West Texas State; 5 - to Oakland (Mike Rae); 6 - to New Orleans (Tom Blanchard); 7 - to Dallas (Dave Stalls); 8 - Denver Johnson, OT, Tulsa; 9 - Mike Ford, QB, Southern Methodist; 10 - Ken McCune, DE, Texas; 11 - Johnny Ray Smith, CB, Lamar; 12 - Brad White, DT, Tennessee.

1982

1 - Sean Farrell, OG, Penn State; 2 - Booker Reese, DE, Bethune-Cookman (from Chicago); 2a - to Miami (Norris Thomas and Gary Davis); 3 - Jerry Bell, TE, Arizona State; 3a - John Cannon, DE, William & Mary (from San Diego for David Lewis); 4 - to Dallas (Dave Stalls); 4a - Dave Barrett, RB, Houston (from San Diego for Ricky Bell); 5 - Jeff Davis, LB, Clemson; 6 - Andre Tyler, WR, Stanford; 7 - Tom Morris, DB, Michigan State; 8 - Kal Atkins, LB, Illinois; 9 - Robert Lane, QB, NE Louisiana; 10 - to San Francisco (Ted Vincent); 11 - to Dallas (Aaron Mitchell); 12 - Michael Morton, RB-KR, Nevada-Las Vegas.

1983

1 - to Chicago (for 2a, 1982—Booker Reese); 2 - Randy Grimes, C, Baylor; 3 - Jeremiah Castille, DB, Alabama; 4 - Kelly Thomas, OT, Southern California; 5 - Tony Chickillo, NT, Miami (Fla.); 6 - Rheugene Branton, WR, Texas Southern (from San Francisco, for 4, 1984); 6a - Ken Kaplan, OT, New Hampshire; 7 - Weldon Ledbetter, RB, Oklahoma; 8 - John Samuelson, LB, Azusa Pacific; 9 - Hasson Arbubakrr, DE, Texas Tech; 10 - Darius Durham, WR, San Diego State; 11 - Mark Witte, TE, North Texas State; 12 - John Higginbotham, NT, NE Oklahoma.

1984

1 - to Cincinnati (Jack Thompson); 2 - Keith Browner, LB, Southern California; 3 - Fred Acorn, DB, Texas; 4 - to San Francisco (Gene Branton); 4a from San Diego (David Lewis), to Denver (Steve DeBerg); 4b - Micheal Gunter, RB, Tulsa (from San Diego for Dewey Selmon); 4c - Ron Heller, OT, Penn State (from L.A. Raiders for Charley Hannah); 5 - to Dallas (Danny Spradlin); 6 - Chris Washington, LB, Iowa State; 7 - Jay Carroll, TE, Minnesota; 8 - Fred Robinson, DE, Miami; 9 - Rick Mallory, OL, Washington; 10 - Jim Gallery, PK, Minnesota; 11 - Blair Kiel, QB, Notre Dame; 12 - Thad Jemison, WR, Ohio State.

1985

1 - Ron Holmes, DE, Washington; 2 - to Denver (Steve DeBerg); 3 - Ervin Randle, LB, Baylor; 4 - Mike Heaven, DB, Illinois; 5 - to New York Jets (Scott Dierking); 6 - to Cincinnati (Don Swafford); 7 - Mike Prior, DB, Illinois State; 8 - Phil Freeman, WR, Arizona; 9 - Steve Calabria, QB, Colgate; 10 - Donald Igwebuike, PK, Clemson; 11 - Punkin Williams, RB, Memphis State; 12 - Jim Rockford, DB, Oklahoma; 12a - Jim Melka, LB, Wisconsin (from Los Angeles Rams for Booker Reese).

1986

1 - Bo Jackson, RB, Auburn; 1a - Rod Jones, DB, Southern Methodist (from Miami for Hugh Green); 2 - Jackie Walker, LB, Jackson State; 2a - Kevin Murphy, LB, Oklahoma (from Minnesota through Miami for Hugh Green); 3 - to New Orleans (David Greenwood); 4 - Craig Swoope, DB, Illinois; 5 - J. D. Maarleveld, OT, Maryland; 6 - to Denver (Brison Manor); 6a - Kevin Walker, DB, East Carolina (from New England for 5, 1987); 7 - to Buffalo (Perry Tuttle); 8 - to L.A. Rams (Ivory Sully); 9 - Tommy Barnhardt, P, North Carolina; 10 - Ben Reed, DE, Mississippi; 11 - Mark Drenth, G, Purdue; 12 - Clay Miller, G, Michigan; 12a - Mike Crawford, RB, Arizona State (from San Francisco for Jim Leonard).

1987

1 - Vinny Testaverde, QB, Miami (FL); 2 - to Buffalo; 2a - Ricky Reynolds, DB, Washington State (from Buffalo); 2b - Winston Moss, LB, Miami (FL) (from San Francisco for Steve Young); 2c - Don Smith, RB, Mississippi State (from New England for Sean Farrell); 3 - Mark Carrier, WR, Nicholls State; 4 - Don Graham, LB, Penn State; 4a - Ron Hall, TE, Hawaii (from Buffalo); 4b - Bruce Hill, WR, Arizona State (from San Francisco for Steve Young); 5 - to New England (Kevin Walker); 5a - Henry Rolling, LB, Nevada Reno (from New England); 5b - Tony Mayes, DB, Kentucky (from Washington for Doug Williams); 6 - to Pittsburgh (Dan Turk); 6a - Steve Bartalo, RB, Colorado State (from San Diego for Andy Hawkins); 7 - Curt Jarvis, NT, Alabama; 7a - Harry Swayne, DE, Rutgers (from New England for Sean Farrell); 8 - to NY Jets (Marvin Powell); 8a - Stan Mataele, NT, Arizona (from Indianapolis for John Holt); 9 - Joe Armentrout, RB, Wisconsin; 9a - Greg Davis, P, Citadel (from New England for Sean Farrell); 10 - Mike Simmonds, OL, Indiana State; 11 - Reggie Taylor, RB, Cincinnati; 12 - Scott Cooper, DE, Kearney State; 12a - Mike Shula, QB, Alabama (from St. Louis for Rick DiBernardo).

1988

1 - Paul Gruber, OT, Wisconsin; 2 - to Philadelphia; 2a - Lars Tate, RB, Georgia, (from San Francisco); 3 - choice exercised in 1987 Supplemental Draft for Dan Sileo, DT, Miami; 4 - Robert Goff, DT, Auburn (from Atlanta through Philadelphia); 4a - John Bruhin, G, Tennessee (from Kansas City for Steve DeBerg); 4b - to New England; 4c - Monte Robbins, P, Michigan (from San Francisco); 5 - William Howard, RB, Tennessee; 6 - Shawn Lee, DT, North Alabama; 7 - Kerry Goode, RB, Alabama; 8 - Anthony Simpson, RB, East Carolina (from Kansas City for Steve DeBerg); 9 - Reuben Davis, DT, North Carolina; 10 - to Pittsburgh; 11 - Frank Pillow, WR, Tennessee State; 12 - Victor Jones, LB, Virginia Tech.

ALL-TIME ROSTER

To be listed on the all-time Buccaneer roster, a player must have played in at least one regular season game. There have been 342 Buccaneers, including 47 replacement players during the 1987 NFLPA players strike, in 12 seasons.

Name	Position	College	No. of Years		Games	Starts
Acorn, Fred	DB	Texas	1	1984	16	1
Allen, Greg	RB	Florida State	1	1986	2	0
Alward, Tom	G	Nebraska	1	1976	14	9
Anderson, Don	DB	Purdue	1	1987	11	0
Anderson, Jerry	DB	Oklahoma	1	1978	1	0
Arbubakrr, Hasson	DE	Texas Tech	1	1983	16	1
Ariri, Obed	PK	Clemson	1	1984	16	0
Armstrong, Adger	RB	Texas A&M	3	1983-85	42	14
Austin, Cliff	RB	Clemson	1	1987	3	2
Austin, Darrell	OL	South Carolina	2	1970-80	24	2
Ball, Larry	LB	Louisville	1	1976	13	0
Barrett, David	RB	Houston	1	1982	7	0
Bartalo, Steve	RB	Colorado State	1	1987	9	0
Bell, Jerry	TE	Arizona State	5	1982-86	60	31
Bell, Ricky	RB	Southern California	5	1977-81	60	50
Bell, Theo	WR	Arizona	5	1981-85	70	13
Berns, Rick	RB	Nebraska	2	1979-80	32	3
Blahak, Joe	DB	Nebraska	1	1976	2	1
Blanchard, Tom	P	Oregon	3	1979-81	35	0
Bligen, Dennis	RB	St. John's	1	1986	1	0
Blount, Jeb	QB	Tulsa	1	1977	5	4
Boatner, Mack	RB	Northeast Louisiana	1	1986	7	0
Bonness, Rik	LB	Nebraska	3	1977-79	45	2
Boryla, Mike	QB	Stanford	1	1978	1	1
Braggs, Byron	DE	Alabama	1	1984	14	0
Brantley, Scot	LB	Florida	8	1980-87	114	71
Branton, Gene	TE-WR	Texas Southern	2	1983, 1985	3	0
Bright, Leon	RB-KR	Florida State	2	1984-85	21	0
Brown, Aaron	LB	Ohio State	3	1978-80	44	2
Brown, Cedric	DB	Kent State	9	1976-84	100	95
Browner, Keith	LB	Southern California	3	1984-86	47	28
Bujnoch, Glenn	G	Texas A&M	2	1983-84	14	5
Butler, Gary	TE	Rice	1	1977	4	0
Calhoun, Mike	DT-DE	Notre Dame	1	1980	3	0
Campbell, Joe	DE	Maryland	1	1981	7	0
Cannon, John	DE	William & Mary	6	1982-87	75	60
Capece, Bill	PK	Florida State	3	1981-83	37	0
Carlton, Darryl	T	Tampa	3	1977-79	43	27
Carrier, Mark	WR	Nicholls State	1	1987	10	6
Carroll, Jay	TE	Minnesota	1	1984	16	2
Carter, Blanchard	G	Nevada-Las Vegas	1	1977	13	0
Carter, Gerald	WR	Texas A&M	7	1981-87	100	61
Carter, Louis	RB	Maryland	3	1976-78	44	14
Carver, Melvin	RB	Nevada-Las Vegas	4	1982-85	32	11
Castille, Jeremiah	DB	Alabama	4	1983-86	60	45
Cesare, Billy	DB	Miami (FL)	3	1978-79; 1981	42	0
Chambers, Wally	DE	Eastern Kentucky	2	1978-79	28	18
Clark, Brian	PK	Florida	1	1982	1	0
Clark, Randy	DB	Florida	1	1984	2	0
Cobb, Robert	DE	Arizona	1	1982	3	0
Colzie, Neal	DB	Ohio State	4	1980-83	46	29
Cooper, Bert	LB	Florida State	1	1976	12	3

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Cooper, Mark	OT	Miami (FL)	1	1987	4	2
Cotney, Mark	DB	Cameron State	8	1976-80;82-84	113	92
Courson, Steve	G	South Carolina	2	1984-85	30	25
Crowder, Randy	DL	Penn State	3	1978-80	32	10
Current, Mike	DB	Ohio State	1	1976	14	14
Curry, Craig	DB	Texas	2	1984-85	18	6
Darby, Alvis	TE	Florida	1	1978	6	1
Darns, Phil	DE	Mississippi Valley St.	1	1984	2	0
Davis, Anthony	RB	Southern California	1	1977	9	6
Davis, Charlie	RB	Colorado	1	1976	8	4
Davis, Gary	RB	Cal Poly SLO	2	1980-81	22	2
Davis, Jeff	LB	Clemson	6	1982-87	83	72
Davis, Johnny	LB	Alabama	3	1978-80	46	20
Davis, Ricky	DB	Alabama	1	1976	10	0
Davis, Tony	RB	Nebraska	3	1979-81	47	2
DeBerg, Steve	QB	San Jose State	4	1984-87	55	34
Delaney, Jeff	DB	Pittsburgh	1	1981	2	0
Dickinson, Parnell	QB	Mississippi Valley St.	1	1976	8	1
Dierking, Scott	RB	Purdue	1	1984	8	2
*Dixon, Dwayne	WR	Florida	2	1984; 1987	12	0
Dombroski, Paul	DB	Linfield (OR)	1	1985	6	0
Douglas, Freddie	WR	Arkansas	1	1976	7	1
DuBose, Jimmy	RB	Florida	3	1976-78	33	15
Dunn, K. D.	TE	Clemson	2	1985-86	14	0
Easmon, Ricky	DB	Florida	2	1985-86	15	2
Eckwood, Jerry	RB	Arkansas	3	1979-81	47	30
Farmer, Dave	RB	Southern California	1	1978	3	0
Farmer, Karl	WR	Pittsburgh	1	1978	2	0
Farrell, Sean	G-T	Penn State	5	1982-86	64	59
Fest, Howard	G-T	Texas	2	1976-77	19	14
Fielder, Don	DE	Kentucky	1	1985	11	0
Franklin, Larry	WR	Jackson State	1	1978	1	0
Franklin, Pat	RB	Southwest Texas State	1	1986	8	0
Freeman, Phil	WR	Arizona	3	1985-87	38	10
Freitas, Rockne	T	Oregon State	1	1978	13	2
Fusina, Chuck	QB	Penn State	3	1979-81	7	0
Futrell, Bobby	DB	Elizabeth City State	2	1986-87	28	1
Gant, Brian	LB	Illinois State	1	1987	11	3
Garcia, Frank	P	Arizona	5	1983-87	76	0
Giles, Jimmie	TE	Alcorn State	9	1978-86	121	112
Gill, Randy	LB	San Jose State	1	1978	1	0
Gillespie, Willie	WR	Tenn.-Chattanooga	1	1986	2	0
Golsteyn, Jerry	QB	Northern Illinois	2	1982-83	6	3
Goode, Conrad	OL	Missouri	1	1987	11	2
Gordon, Sonny	DB	Ohio State	1	1987	7	0
Graham, Don	LB	Penn State	1	1987	2	0
Grant, Frank	WR	So. Colorado State	1	1978	10	4
Green, Dave	P	Ohio	3	1976-78	44	0
Green, Hugh	LB	Pittsburgh	5	1981-85	54	53
Greenwood, David	DB	Wisconsin	1	1985	16	10
Grimes, Randy	G-C	Baylor	5	1983-87	69	57
Gunn, Jimmy	LB	Southern California	1	1976	13	11
Hagins, Isaac	WR	Southern	5	1976-80	50	32
Hall, Ron	TE	Hawaii	1	1987	10	3
Hannah, C.	OT-DE	Alabama	6	1977-82	77	61
Hanratty, Terry	QB	Notre Dame	1	1976	4	1
Harris, Leonard	WR	Texas Tech	1	1986	6	0
Harris, Paul	LB	Alabama	2	1977-78	19	3
Harvey, Maurice	LB	Ball State	1	1984	15	0
Hawkins, Andy	LB	Texas A&I	4	1980-83	47	27
Hedberg, Randy	QB	Minot State	1	1977	7	4

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Heflin, Vince	WR	Central (OH) State	1	1986	6	3
Heller, Ron	T	Penn State	4	1984-87	58	56
Hewko, Bob	QB	Florida	1	1983	2	0
Hill, Bruce	WR	Arizona State	1	1987	8	1
Holloway, Derek	WR	Arkansas	1	1987	1	0
Holloway, Steve	TE	Tennessee State	1	1987	6	4
Holmes, Ron	DE	Washington	3	1985-87	41	35
Holt, John	DB	West Texas State	5	1981-85	72	53
Horton, Greg	G	Colorado	2	1978-79	30	28
House, Kevin	WR	Southern Illinois	7	1980-86	94	81
Howard, Bobby	RB	Indiana	2	1986-87	20	2
Howard, Carl	DB	Rutgers	1	1985	4	0
Huff, Gary	QB	Florida State	2	1977-78	14	6
Hunt, Charles	LB	Florida State	1	1976	5	0
Hunter, Eddie	RB	Virginia Tech	1	1987	3	0
Hutchinson, Scott	DE	Florida	1	1981	16	0
Igwebuike, Donald	PK	Clemson	3	1985-87	44	0
Inmon, Earl	LB	Bethune-Cookman	1	1978	2	0
Isom, Ray	DB	Penn State	1	1987	6	6
Jackson, Noah	G	Tampa	1	1984	6	3
Jameson, Larry	DT	Indiana	1	1976	1	0
Jarvis, Curt	NT	Alabama	1	1987	2	2
Johnson, Cecil	LB	Pittsburgh	9	1977-85	110	89
Johnson, Dennis	LB	Southern California	1	1985	8	0
Johnson, Essex	RB	Grambling	1	1976	14	1
Johnson, Greg	DE	Florida State	1	1977	1	0
Johnson, Randy	C-G	Georgia	2	1977-78	22	1
Jones, Gordon	WR	Pittsburgh	4	1979-82	49	26
Jones, Rod	DB	Southern Methodist	2	1986-87	27	27
Jordan, Curtis	DB	Texas Tech	5	1976-80	71	33
Judie, Ed	LB	Northern Arizona	1	1983	11	10
Kaplan, Ken	T	New Hampshire	2	1984-85	32	2
Kellin, Kevin	DE	Minnesota	2	1986-87	16	1
Kemp, Bobby	DB	Cal-Fullerton	1	1987	12	12
Kendrick, Vince	RB	Florida	1	1976	1	0
Keys, Tyrone	DE	Mississippi State	2	1986-87	17	2
Kiel, Blair	QB	Notre Dame	1	1984	10	0
Kollar, Bill	DE-DT	Montana State	5	1977-81	72	35
Komlo, Jeff	QB	Delaware	1	1983	2	0
Kubin, Larry	LB	Penn State	1	1985	4	0
LaBeaux, Sandy	DB	Cal State-Hayward	1	1983	3	0
Lawrence, Larry	QB	Iowa	1	1976	1	0
Leavitt, Allan	PK	Georgia	1	1977	8	0
Lemon, Mike	LB	Kansas	2	1976-77	19	1
Leonard, Jim	C	Santa Clara	4	1980-83	56	9
Levenseller, Mike	WR	Washington State	1	1978	2	0
Lewis, David	LB	Southern California	5	1977-81	75	64
Lewis, Reggie	DE	North Texas State	2	1980-81	22	0
Lindstrom, Chris	DE	Boston	1	1985	15	2
Little, Everett	G-T	Houston	1	1976	10	1
Logan, David	NT	Pittsburgh	8	1979-86	110	103
Lowry, Quentin	LB	Youngstown State	1	1986	6	0
Maarleveld, J.D.	T	Maryland	2	1986-87	25	2
Magee, Calvin	TE	Southern	3	1985-87	43	31
Mallory, Rick	G	Washington	3	1985-87	41	21
Manor, Brison	DE	Arkansas	1	1984	6	0
Martin, Don	DB	Yale	1	1976	1	0
Maxson, Alvin	RB	Southern Methodist	1	1978	1	0
McAleney, Ed	DE	Massachusetts	1	1976	2	0
McGriff, Lee	WR	Florida	1	1976	6	3
McHale, Tom	DE	Cornell	1	1987	3	1

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McKay, John	WR	Southern California	3	1976-78	43	30
McKeever, Vito	DB	Florida	2	1986-87	17	8
McNeill, Rod	RB	Southern California	1	1976	11	0
Medlin, Dan	G	North Carolina State	2	1977-78	28	22
Middleton, Terdell	RB	Memphis State	2	1982-83	9	0
Miller, Solomon	WR	Utah State	1	1987	8	0
Mitchell, Aaron	DB	Nevada-Las Vegas	1	1981	14	0
Moore, Bob	TE	Stanford	2	1976-77	15	12
Moore, Manfred	RB	Southern California	1	1976	10	0
Moore, Maulty	DT	Bethune-Cookman	1	1976	4	1
Morgan, Karl	NT	UCLA	3	1984-86	41	0
Moritz, Brett	G	Nebraska	1	1978	6	0
Morris, Thomas	DB	Michigan State	2	1982-83	20	0
Morton, M.	RB	Nevada-Las Vegas	3	1982-84	41	0
Moser, Rick	RB	Rhode Island	1	1982	1	0
Moss, Winston	LB	Miami (FL)	1	1987	12	6
Mucker, Larry	WR	Arizona State	4	1977-80	53	11
Murphy, Kevin	LB	Oklahoma	2	1986-87	25	0
Nafziger, Dana	TE	Cal Poly SLO	5	1977-79; 81-82	68	13
Nelson, Bob	DE	Miami	1	1986	16	11
Novak, Jack	TE	Wisconsin	2	1976-77	20	4
Obradovich, Jim	TE	Southern California	6	1978-83	89	23
O'Donoghue, Neil	PK	Auburn	2	1978-79	31	0
Oliver, Frank	DB	Kentucky State	1	1976	4	0
O'Steen, Dwayne	DB	San Jose State	2	1982-83	3	0
Owens, James	RB	UCLA	4	1981-84	39	12
Owens, Morris	WR	Arizona State	4	1976-79	58	48
Packer, Walter	RB	Mississippi State	1	1977	1	0
Pagac, Fred	TE-LB	Ohio State	1	1976	13	3
Pear, Dave	DT	Washington	3	1976-78	43	43
Peoples, George	RB	Auburn	2	1984-85	8	0
Peterson, Calvin	LB	UCLA	1	1976	4	4
Peterson, Jim	LB	San Diego State	1	1976	4	2
Pierson, Reggie	DB	Oklahoma State	1	1976	4	1
Powell, Marvin	T	Southern California	2	1986-87	9	7
Prior, Mike	DB	Illinois State	1	1985	16	0
Puetz, Garry	G-T	Valparaiso	1	1978	10	8
Radford, Bruce	DE-DT	Grambling	1	1980	12	0
Rae, Mike	QB	Southern California	2	1978-79	11	5
Ragsdale, George	RB	North Carolina A&T	3	1977-79	39	0
Randle, Ervin	LB	Baylor	3	1985-87	44	19
Reavis, Dave	T	Arkansas	8	1976-83	98	87
Reece, Beasley	DB	North Texas State	2	1983-84	25	22
Reece, Danny	DB	Southern California	5	1976-80	72	12
Reese, Booker	DE	Bethune-Cookman	3	1982-84	24	7
Reese, Steve	LB	Louisville	1	1976	13	10
Reynolds, Ricky	DB	Washington State	1	1987	12	12
Risher, Alan	QB	Louisiana State	1	1985	16	0
Roberts, Greg	G	Oklahoma	4	1979-82	45	42
Robinson, Glenn	DE	Oklahoma State	2	1976-77	28	3
Robinson, Greg	G	Sacramento State	1	1986	3	0
Roder, Mirro	PK	none	1	1976	2	0
Rucker, Conrad	TE	Southern	1	1980	2	0
Rudolph, Council	DE	Kentucky State	2	1976-77	28	28
Ryczek, Dan	C	Virginia	2	1976-77	28	21
Samuels, Tony	TE	Bethune-Cookman	1	1980	6	3
Sanders, Gene	DT-G-T	Texas A&M	6	1979-85	75	40
Schumacher, Kurt	G	Ohio State	1	1978	4	4
Selmon, Dewey	LB-DT	Oklahoma	5	1976-80	72	65
Selmon, Lee Roy	DE	Oklahoma	9	1976-84	121	117
Shearin, Joe	G-C	Texas	1	1985	10	0

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Short, Laval	DT	Colorado	1	1981	4	0
Shumann, Mike	WR	Florida State	1	1980	6	0
Sileo, Dan	NT	Miami (FL)	1	1987	10	0
Sims, Jimmy	LB	Southern California	1	1976	2	1
Smith, Barry	WR	Florida State	1	1976	13	1
Smith, Jeff	RB	Nebraska	1	1987	12	8
Smith, Johnny Ray	DB	Lamar	2	1982-83	25	2
Snell, Ray	G	Wisconsin	4	1980-83	45	35
Spradlin, Danny	LB	Tennessee	2	1983-84	31	2
Springs, Ron	RB	Ohio State	2	1985-86	24	10
Spurrier, Steve	QB	Florida	1	1976	14	12
Stalls, Dave	DE	Northern Colorado	4	1980-83	46	19
Stensrud, Mike	NT	Iowa State	1	1987	12	12
Stone, Ken	DB	Vanderbilt	1	1976	14	14
Studaway, Mark	DE	Tennessee	1	1985	7	0
Sully, Ivory	DB	Delaware	2	1985-86	32	27
Swayne, Harry	DE	Rutgers	1	1987	8	2
Swider, Larry	P	Pittsburgh	2	1981-82	22	0
Swoope, Craig	DB	Illinois	2	1986-87	16	11
Taylor, Gene	WR	Fresno State	1	1987	8	0
Taylor, Rob	T	Northwestern	2	1986-87	21	18
Testaverde, Vinny	QB	Miami (FL)	1	1987	6	4
Thomas, Kelly	T	Southern California	2	1983-84	24	15
Thomas, Norris	DB	Southern Mississippi	5	1980-84	66	25
Thomas, Zach	WR	South Carolina State	1	1984	2	0

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ALL-TIME ASSISTANT COACHES ROSTER

Tom Bass	1976-81	Dennis Fryzell	1976	Herb Paterra	1987-88
Larry Beightol	1987	Joe Gibbs	1978	Vic Rapp	1985-86
John Bobo	1987-88	Abe Gibron	1976-84	John Rauch	1976
Greg Brown	1985-86	Doug Graber	1987-88	Jimmy Raye	1985-86
Willie Brown	1976-78	Jim Gruden	1982-83	Dick Roach	1985-86
John Brunner	1984	Kim Helton	1983-86	Larry Seiple	1985-86
George Chaump	1979-81	Skip Husbands	1977-78	Doug Shively	1985
Bill Clay	1987	Bill Johnson	1979-82	Mike Shula	1988
Mark Cotney	1986	Kent Johnston	1987-88	Harry Smith	1976
Sylvester Croom	1987-88	Joe Kines	1987-88	Jim Stanley	1986
Joe Diange	1984-86	Bill Kollar	1984	Rodney Stokes	1987-88
Boyd Dowler	1980-84	Phil Krueger	1976-80	Howard Tippett	1981-86
Mike DuBose	1987-88	Don Lawrence	1985-86	Marc Trestman	1987
Frank Emanuel	1982-83	Chip Myers	1984	Dick Voris	1976
Wayne Fontes	1976-84	Bill Nelsen	1977-82	Richard Williamson	1987-88
Jerry Frei	1976-77				

Name	Position	College	No. of Years		Games	Starts
Thompson, Jack	QB	Washington State	2	1983-84	18	16
Thompson, Robert	LB	Michigan	2	1983-84	19	2
Toomay, Pat	DE	Vanderbilt	1	1976	14	14
Tripoli, Paul	DB	Alabama	1	1987	13	4
Turk, Dan	C	Wisconsin	1	1987	13	2
Tuttle, Perry	WR	Clemson	1	1984	3	0
Tyler, Andre	WR	Stanford	1	1983	14	0
Verser, David	WR	Kansas	1	1985	1	0
Walker, Jackie	LB	Jackson State	2	1986-87	27	9
Walker, Kevin	DB	East Carolina	1	1986	4	0
Ward, John	G-C	Oklahoma State	1	1976	4	3
Warnke, Dave	PK	Augsburg	1	1983	1	0
Washington, Chris	LB	Iowa State	4	1984-87	60	51
Washington, Mike	DB	Alabama	9	1976-84	100	97
Wender, Jack	RB	Fresno State	1	1977	2	0
White, Brad	NT	Tennessee	3	1981-83	41	0
White, Charlie	RB	Bethune-Cookman	1	1978	7	1
White, Jeris	DB	Hawaii	3	1977-79	46	46
Wilder, James	RB	Missouri	7	1981-87	91	91
Williams, David	WR	Illinois	1	1986	15	0
Williams, Doug	QB	Grambling	5	1978-82	67	67
Williams, Ed	RB	Langston	2	1976-77	26	15
Wilson, Steve	C-T-G	Georgia	10	1976-85	126	104
Winans, Jeff	T-G	Southern California	2	1977-78	12	12
Winfrey, Stan	RB	Arkansas State	1	1977	1	0
Witte, Mark	TE	North Texas State	3	1983-85	48	2
Wonsley, Nathan	RB	Mississippi	1	1986	10	2
Wood, Richard	LB	Southern California	9	1976-84	132	89
Woods, Rick	DB	Boise State	1	1987	5	5
Word, Roscoe	DB	Jackson State	1	1976	3	2
Yarno, George	G-C-T	Washington State	8	1979-83; 85-87	109	63
Yepremian, Garo	PK	none	2	1980-81	19	0
Young, Randy	T	Iowa State	1	1976	9	0
Young, Steve	T	Colorado	1	1976	11	11
Young, Steve	QB	Brigham Young	2	1985-86	19	19

* The following were members of the 1987 replacement team fielded during the NFLPA players strike. Games played and started are listed in parenthesis. The totals of Brian Gant, Steve Holloway and Paul Tripoli, who played subsequent games after the strike, are listed on the main roster:
RB Greg Boone, Duke (2,0); OG Rufus Brown (2,0); WR Steve Carter (3,1); DE Walter Carter (2,1); DE Mike Clark (3,3); DB Torin Clark (2,2); P Ray Criswell (3,0); DB Ivory Curry (3,2); DB Jeff George (2,1); RB Charles Gladman (2,0); DE Roy Harris (3,2); OT Dave Heffernan (2,0); QB Mike Hold (2,0); OG Jim Huddleston (1,1); OG John Hunt (1,0); WR David Jackson (1,0); LB Cam Jacobs (3,0); OG David Jordan (3,3); DB Tim King (3,2); RB Dan Land (3,2); LB Fred McCallister (3,3); TE Jeff Modesitt (1,0); LB Sankar Montoute (3,3); NT Fred Nordgren (3,3); OG Paul O'Connor (2,2); DB Lee Paige (3,0); LB Leon Pennington (3,0); C Chuck Pitcock (2,2); OG Donald Pumphrey (3,3); DB Marcus Quinn (3,3) DE James Ramey (3,0); QB John Reaves (2,2); RB Harold Ricks (3,1); DE Charles Riggins (3,0); Stanley Shakespeare (1,0); OT Reggie Smith (3,3); WR Eric Streater (3,3); PK Van Tiffin (3,0); LB Pat Teague (1,1); RB Derrick Thomas (1,0); DE Calvin Turner (3,0); LB Miles Turpin (3,1); DB Kevin Walker (3,3); WR Herkie Walls (2,2); TE Arthur Wells (3,0); FB Adrian Wright (3,3); QB Jim Zorn (1,1).

SCHOOLS REPRESENTED

18—Southern California
13—Florida
9—Alabama, Florida State
7—Nebraska, Ohio State, Penn State, Pittsburgh
6—Clemson, Miami (FL)
5—Arkansas, Bethune-Cookman, Oklahoma
4—Arizona, Arizona State, Colorado, Nevada-Las Vegas, Texas, Texas A&M, Washington State, Wisconsin
3—Georgia, Grambling, Iowa State, Jackson State, Maryland, North Texas State, Notre Dame, Oklahoma State, San Jose State, Southern, Stanford, Tennessee, Texas Tech, Washington, UCLA
2—Auburn, Baylor, Cal Poly SLO, Delaware, Fresno State, Hawaii, Houston, Illinois, Illinois State, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky State, Louisville, Minnesota, Mississippi Valley State, Mississippi State, Missouri, Purdue, Rutgers, South Carolina, Southern Methodist, Tampa, Vanderbilt, (None).
1—Alcorn State, Arkansas State, Augsburg, Ball State, Boise State, Boston University, Brigham Young, Cal State-Fullerton, Cal State-Hayward, Cameron State, Central (OH) State, Colorado State, Cornell, Eastern Kentucky, East Carolina, Elizabeth (NC) State, Houston, Iowa, Kent State, Kentucky, Lamar, Langston, Linfield, Louisiana State, Massachusetts, Memphis State, Michigan, Michigan State, Minot State, Mississippi, Montana State, New Hampshire, Nicholls State, North Carolina A&T, North Carolina State, Northeastern Louisiana, Northern Arizona, Northern Colorado, Northern Illinois, Northwestern, Ohio, Oregon, Oregon State, Rhode Island, Rice, St. John's, Sacramento State, San Diego State, Santa Clara, South Carolina State, Southern Colorado State, Southern Illinois, Southern Mississippi, Southwest Texas State, Tennessee-Chattanooga, Tennessee State, Texas A&I, Tulsa, Utah State, Valparaiso, Virginia, Virginia Tech, West Texas State, William & Mary, Yale, Youngstown State.

WTVT-TV (Channel 13)

The Buccaneers preseason television home is WTVT-TV, Channel 13 which as Tampa Bay's CBS affiliate will also televise the Bucs' road games. Channel 13 will also present **The Ray Perkins Show** each Saturday night at 7 p.m. during the regular season. Four special preseason editions of the Perkins show will be presented as well.

Jim Kelly and Hank Stram return to call the action of preseason Buc football including live telecasts from Atlanta on August 20th and Nashville on August 25th. Jack Harris and Andy Hardy will host **The Ray Perkins Show** which will feature up to the minute news on the Buccaneers prior to each week's game. Chip Carter is the producer of WTVT-TV's Buc coverage.

"We are very excited to have the Buccaneers," says Clarence V. McKee, President of WTVT-TV Holdings, Inc. "This is the beginning of a great community partnership."

BUILDING THE BUCS

(As of June 21, 1988)

	DRAFT (40)	TRADES (8)	WAIVERS/ FREE AGENTS (69)
1980 (1)	Gerald Carter (9)		
1981 (1)	James Wilder (2)		
1982 (2)	John Cannon (3) Jeff Davis (5)		
1983 (1)	Randy Grimes (2)		
1984 (2)	Chris Washington (6) Rick Mallory (9)		
1985 (5)	Ron Holmes (1) Ervin Randle (3) Phil Freeman (8) Donald Igwebuike (10)		Calvin Magee
1986 (8)	Rod Jones (1) Jackie Walker (2) Kevin Murphy (2a) J. D. Maarleveld (5)		Bobby Futrell Bobby Howard Kevin Kellin Rob Taylor
1987 (29)	Vinny Testaverde (1) Ricky Reynolds (2) Winston Moss (2a) Don Smith (2b) Mark Carrier (3) Don Graham (4) Ron Hall (4a) Bruce Hill (4b) Henry Rolling (5) Curt Jarvis (7) Harry Swayne (7a) Mike Simmonds (10) Dan Sileo (3)*	Cliff Austin (Atl.) Jeff Smith (K.C.) Dan Turk (Pgh.) Keith Williams (Atl.)	Mark Cooper James Evans Brian Gant Sonny Gordon Eddie Hunter Ray Isom Tom McHale Solomon Miller Gene Taylor Kevin Thomas Paul Tripoli Adrian Wright

	DRAFT (40)	TRADES (8)	WAIVERS/ FREE AGENTS (69)
1988 (68)	Paul Gruber (1) Lars Tate (2) Robert Goff (4) John Bruhin (4a) Monte Robbins (4b) William Howard (5) Shawn Lee (6) Kerry Goode (7) Anthony Simpson (8) Reuben Davis (9) Frank Pillow (11) Victor Jones (12)	Randy Edwards (Sea.) Joe Ferguson (Ind.) Eugene Marve (Buff.) Mark Robinson (K.C.)	52 signed for start of camp.

*-Sileo was drafted in Sept. '87 supplemental draft, third round ('88 pick)

MOST VALUABLE PLAYERS

Two separate awards are presented each year to the player chosen as the Bucs' Most Valuable Player. The **St. Petersburg Times** presents an award determined by a vote of writers who regularly cover the team and the Tampa Sports Club membership, a cross section of the Tampa sports community, votes for its award. The Newspaper Enterprise Association no longer conducts a poll of team members which was won in 1977 and 1979 by Lee Roy Selmon, in 1976 by Dave Pear and

	St. Petersburg Times (media)		Tampa Sports Club (fan)
1976	Dave Pear	1976	Dave Pear
1977	Lee Roy Selmon	1977	Lee Roy Selmon
1978	Dewey Selmon	1978	Mark Cotney
1979	Ricky Bell	1979	Lee Roy Selmon
1980	Doug Williams	1980	Doug Williams
1981	Doug Williams	1981	Cedric Brown
1982	Neal Colzie	1982	James Wilder
1983	Hugh Green	1983	Hugh Green
1984	James Wilder	1984	James Wilder
1985	James Wilder	1985	James Wilder
1986	Steve Young	1986	Steve Young
1987	Steve DeBerg	1987	Steve DeBerg

1987 NFL STANDINGS

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
Washington	11	4	0	.733	379	285
Dallas	7	8	0	.467	340	348
St. Louis	7	8	0	.467	362	368
Philadelphia	7	8	0	.467	337	380
N.Y. Giants	6	9	0	.400	280	312

Central Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
Chicago	11	4	0	.733	356	282
Minnesota	8	7	0	.533	336	335
Green Bay	5	9	1	.367	255	300
Tampa Bay	4	11	0	.267	286	360
Detroit	4	11	0	.267	269	384

Western Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
San Francisco	13	2	0	.867	459	253
New Orleans	12	3	0	.800	422	283
L.A. Rams	6	9	0	.400	317	361
Atlanta	3	12	0	.200	205	436

AMERICAN CONFERENCE

Eastern Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
Indianapolis	9	6	0	.600	300	238
New England	8	7	0	.533	320	293
Miami	8	7	0	.533	362	335
Buffalo	7	8	0	.467	270	305
N. Y. Jets	6	9	0	.400	334	360

Central Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
Cleveland	10	5	0	.667	390	239
Houston	9	6	0	.600	345	349
Pittsburgh	8	7	0	.533	285	299
Cincinnati	4	11	0	.267	285	370

Western Division

	W	L	T	Pct.	Pts.	OP
Denver	10	4	1	.700	379	288
Seattle	9	6	0	.600	371	314
San Diego	8	7	0	.533	253	317
L.A. Raiders	5	10	0	.333	301	289
Kansas City	4	11	0	.267	273	388

PLAYOFF RESULTS

Wild Card Games:

Minnesota 44, New Orleans 10
Houston 23, Seattle 20 (OT)

Divisional Playoffs:

Minnesota 36, San Francisco 24
Washington 21, Chicago 17
Cleveland 38, Indianapolis 21
Denver 38, Houston 10

Conference Championships:

Washington 17, Minnesota 10
Denver 38, Cleveland 33

Super Bowl XXII:

Washington 42, Denver 10

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1988 PRESEASON SCHEDULE

(ALL TIMES ARE LOCAL)

Saturday, July 30

Hall of Fame Game: Cincinnati vs. Los Angeles Rams, Canton, Ohio (ABC) 2:30

Sunday, July 31

American Bowl '88 at London, England, Miami vs. San Francisco (NBC) 6:00

PRESEASON/FIRST WEEK

Wednesday, August 3

Denver at Los Angeles Rams .. 7:00

Thursday, August 4

Buffalo at Houston 7:00
Phoenix at Seattle 7:30

Friday, August 5

Pittsburgh at Washington 8:00

Saturday, August 6

Atlanta at New England 7:00
Cincinnati at Kansas City 7:30
Detroit at Cleveland 7:00
Dallas at San Diego 6:00
Indianapolis at Tampa Bay 7:00
Los Angeles Raiders at San Francisco (CBS) 6:00
Miami at Chicago 6:00
New York Giants at Green Bay . 7:00
New York Jets at Philadelphia .. 7:30

Sunday, August 7

New Orleans at Minnesota

PRESEASON/SECOND WEEK

Thursday, August 11

Seattle at Detroit 7:30

Friday, August 12

New Orleans at Phoenix 7:30

Saturday, August 13

Cincinnati at Buffalo 7:30
Cleveland at Tampa Bay 7:00
Dallas at Los Angeles Raiders .. 1:00
Green Bay at Indianapolis 7:30
Houston vs. New England at Memphis, Tenn. 7:00
Kansas City at Atlanta 7:30
New York Jets at New York Giants 8:00
San Diego at Los Angeles Rams 8:00
San Francisco at Denver 7:00
Washington at Miami (ABC) ... 8:00

Sunday, August 14

Chicago vs. Minnesota, Goteborg, Sweden (CBS) 7:00
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh (ESPN) 8:00

PRESEASON/THIRD WEEK

Thursday, August 18

Cleveland vs. New York Jets at Montreal, Canada 7:30

Friday, August 19

Buffalo at Seattle 7:30
Denver at Miami ((NBC) 9:00
Kansas City vs. Green Bay at Milwaukee 7:00

Saturday, August 20

Detroit at Cincinnati 7:30
Houston at Los Angeles Rams .. 7:00
New England at Philadelphia .. 7:30
New Orleans at Indianapolis ... 7:30
Pittsburgh at New York Giants . 8:00
San Francisco at San Diego 6:00
Tampa Bay at Atlanta 7:30
Washington at Los Angeles Raiders (CBS) 7:00

Sunday, August 21

Minnesota at Phoenix (ESPN) .. 5:00

Monday, August 22

Chicago at Dallas (ABC) 7:00

PRESEASON/FOURTH WEEK

Thursday, August 25

Buffalo vs. Tampa Bay at Nashville, Tenn. 7:00
Phoenix at Kansas City 7:30
Indianapolis at Denver (ESPN) . 6:00
Philadelphia at Detroit 7:30

Friday, August 26

Cincinnati at New England 7:00
Los Angeles Raiders at Chicago . 8:00
Los Angeles Rams at San Diego 8:00
Miami at Minnesota 7:00
New York Giants at Cleveland (NBC) 9:00
Seattle at San Francisco 6:00

Saturday, August 27

Atlanta vs. Washington at Birmingham, Alabama 7:00
Houston at Dallas 8:00
New York Jets vs. Green Bay at Madison, Wisconsin 1:00
Pittsburgh at New Orleans (ABC) 11:30

1988 NFL SCHEDULE

(ALL TIMES LOCAL)

FIRST WEEK (NBC)

Sunday, September 4

Atlanta at Detroit 1:00
Cleveland at Kansas City 3:00
Dallas at Pittsburgh 1:00
Houston at Indianapolis 3:00
Los Angeles Rams at Green Bay . 12:00
Miami at Chicago 12:00
Minnesota at Buffalo 1:00
New York Jets at New England . 4:00
Philadelphia at Tampa Bay 1:00
Phoenix at Cincinnati 1:00
San Diego at Los Angeles Raiders 1:00
San Francisco at New Orleans .. 12:00
Seattle at Denver 2:00

Monday, September 5

Washington at New York Giants 9:00

SECOND WEEK (NBC)

Sunday, September 11

Chicago at Indianapolis 12:00
Cincinnati at Philadelphia 4:00
Detroit at Los Angeles Rams .. 1:00
Kansas City at Seattle 1:00
Los Angeles Raiders at Houston 3:00
Miami at Buffalo 1:00
New England at Minnesota 3:00
New Orleans at Atlanta 1:00
New York Jets at Cleveland 4:00
Pittsburgh at Washington 1:00
San Diego at Denver 2:00
San Francisco at New York Giants 1:00
Tampa Bay at Green Bay 12:00

Monday, September 12

Dallas at Phoenix 6:00

THIRD WEEK (CBS)

Sunday, September 18

Atlanta at San Francisco 1:00
Buffalo at New England 1:00
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh 1:00
Denver at Kansas City 12:00
Green Bay at Miami 1:00
Houston at New York Jets 1:00
Los Angeles Rams at Los Angeles Raiders 1:00
Minnesota at Chicago 12:00
New Orleans at Detroit 1:00
New York Giants at Dallas 3:00
Philadelphia at Washington ... 1:00
Phoenix at Tampa Bay 1:00
Seattle at San Diego 1:00

Monday, September 19

Indianapolis at Cleveland 9:00

FOURTH WEEK (CBS)

Sunday, September 25

Atlanta at Dallas 12:00
Chicago at Green Bay 12:00
Cleveland at Cincinnati 1:00
Los Angeles Rams at at New York Giants 4:00
Miami at Indianapolis 12:00
New England at Houston 12:00
New York Jets at Detroit 1:00
Philadelphia at Minnesota 12:00
Pittsburgh at Buffalo 1:00
San Diego at Kansas City 8:00
San Francisco at Seattle 1:00
Tampa Bay at New Orleans 12:00
Washington at Phoenix 1:00

Monday, September 26

Los Angeles Raiders at Denver . 7:00

FIFTH WEEK (CBS)

Sunday, October 2

Buffalo at Chicago 12:00
Cincinnati at Los Angeles Raiders 1:00
Cleveland at Pittsburgh 1:00
Denver at San Diego 1:00
Detroit at San Francisco 1:00
Green Bay at Tampa Bay 1:00
Houston at Philadelphia 1:00
Indianapolis at New England .. 1:00
Kansas City at New York Jets .. 4:00
Minnesota at Miami 4:00
New York Giants at Washington 1:00
Phoenix at Los Angeles Rams .. 1:00
Seattle at Atlanta 1:00

Monday, October 3

Dallas at New Orleans 8:00

SIXTH WEEK (NBC)

Sunday, October 9

Chicago at Detroit 1:00
Denver at San Francisco 1:00
Indianapolis at Buffalo 1:00
Kansas City at Houston 12:00
Los Angeles Rams at Atlanta .. 1:00
Miami at Los Angeles Raiders . 1:00
New England vs. Green Bay at Milwaukee 12:00
New Orleans at San Diego 1:00
New York Jets at Cincinnati ... 1:00
Pittsburgh at Phoenix 1:00
Seattle at Cleveland 1:00
Tampa Bay at Minnesota 12:00
Washington at Dallas 12:00

Monday, October 10

New York Giants at Philadelphia 9:00

SEVENTH WEEK (CBS)

Sunday, October 16

Atlanta at Denver 2:00
Cincinnati at New England 1:00
Dallas at Chicago 12:00
Detroit at New York Giants ... 1:00
Green Bay at Minnesota 12:00
Houston at Pittsburgh 1:00
Los Angeles Raiders at Kansas City 12:00
New Orleans at Seattle 1:00
Philadelphia at Cleveland 1:00
Phoenix at Washington 1:00
San Diego at Miami 1:00
San Francisco at Los Angeles Rams 1:00
Tampa Bay at Indianapolis 12:00

Monday, October 17

Buffalo at New York Jets 9:00

EIGHTH WEEK (NBC)

Sunday, October 23

Cleveland at Phoenix 1:00
Dallas at Philadelphia 1:00
Denver at Pittsburgh 1:00
Detroit at Kansas City 12:00
Houston at Cincinnati 1:00
Indianapolis at San Diego 1:00
Los Angeles Raiders at New Orleans 12:00
Minnesota at Tampa Bay 1:00
New England at Buffalo 1:00
New York Giants at Atlanta ... 1:00
New York Jets at Miami 4:00
Seattle at Los Angeles Rams ... 1:00
Washington vs. Green Bay at Milwaukee 12:00

Monday, October 24

San Francisco at Chicago 8:00

NINTH WEEK (CBS)

Sunday, October 30

Atlanta at Philadelphia 1:00
Chicago at New England 1:00
Cincinnati at Cleveland 1:00
Green Bay at Buffalo 1:00
Kansas City at Los Angeles Raiders 1:00
Los Angeles Rams at New Orleans 12:00
Miami at Tampa Bay 1:00
Minnesota at San Francisco 1:00
New York Giants at Detroit 1:00
Phoenix at Dallas 12:00
Pittsburgh at New York Jets ... 1:00
San Diego at Seattle 1:00

Sunday Night

Washington at Houston 7:00

Monday, October 31

Denver at Indianapolis 9:00

TENTH WEEK (CBS)

Sunday, November 6

Buffalo at Seattle 1:00
Dallas at New York Giants 1:00
Detroit at Minnesota 12:00
Green Bay at Atlanta 1:00
Kansas City at Denver 2:00
Los Angeles Rams at Philadelphia 1:00
Miami at New England 1:00
New Orleans at Washington ... 4:00
New York Jets at Indianapolis . 4:00
Pittsburgh at Cincinnati 1:00
San Francisco at Phoenix 2:00
Tampa Bay at Chicago 12:00

Sunday Night

Los Angeles Raiders at San Diego 5:00

Monday, November 7

Cleveland at Houston 8:00

ELEVENTH WEEK (NBC)

Sunday, November 13

Chicago at Washington 1:00
Cincinnati at Kansas City 12:00
Cleveland at Denver 2:00
Houston at Seattle 1:00
Indianapolis at Green Bay 12:00
Los Angeles Raiders
at San Francisco 1:00
New England at New York Jets . 1:00
New Orleans at
Los Angeles Rams 1:00
New York Giants at Phoenix .. 2:00
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh 1:00
San Diego at Atlanta 1:00
Tampa Bay at Detroit 1:00

Sunday Night

Minnesota at Dallas 7:00

Monday, November 14

Buffalo at Miami 9:00

TWELFTH WEEK (NBC)

Sunday, November 20

Atlanta at Los Angeles Raiders . 1:00
Chicago at Tampa Bay 1:00
Cincinnati at Dallas 12:00
Denver at New Orleans 12:00
Detroit vs. Green Bay
at Milwaukee 12:00
Indianapolis at Minnesota 12:00
New York Jets at Buffalo 1:00
Philadelphia at New York Giants 4:00
Phoenix at Houston 12:00
Pittsburgh at Cleveland 1:00
San Diego at Los Angeles Rams 1:00
Seattle at Kansas City 12:00

Sunday Night

New England at Miami 8:00

Monday, November 21

Washington at San Francisco .. 6:00

THIRTEENTH WEEK (CBS)

Thursday, November 24
(Thanksgiving Day)

Minnesota at Detroit 12:30
Houston at Dallas 3:00

Sunday, November 27

Buffalo at Cincinnati 1:00
Cleveland at Washington 1:00
Green Bay at Chicago 12:00
Kansas City at Pittsburgh 1:00
Los Angeles Rams at Denver .. 2:00
Miami at New York Jets 1:00
New England at Indianapolis ... 4:00
Phoenix at Philadelphia 1:00
San Francisco at San Diego ... 1:00
San Francisco at San Diego 1:00
Tampa Bay at Atlanta 1:00

Sunday Night

New York Giants at New Orleans 7:00

Monday, November 28

Los Angeles Raiders at Seattle . 6:00

FOURTEENTH WEEK (NBC)

Sunday, December 4

Buffalo at Tampa Bay 1:00
Dallas at Cleveland 1:00
Denver at Los Angeles Raiders. 1:00
Green Bay at Detroit 1:00
Indianapolis at Miami 1:00
New Orleans at Minnesota 12:00
New York Jets at Kansas City .. 3:00
Phoenix at New York Giants .. 1:00
San Diego at Cincinnati 1:00
San Francisco at Atlanta 1:00
Seattle at New England 1:00
Washington at Philadelphia 1:00

Sunday Night

Pittsburgh at Houston 7:00

Monday, December 5

Chicago at Los Angeles Rams .. 6:00

FIFTEENTH WEEK (CBS)

Saturday, December 10

Indianapolis at New York Jets .12:30
Philadelphia at Phoenix 2:00

Sunday, December 11

Atlanta at Los Angeles Rams .. 1:00
Cincinnati at Houston 12:00
Dallas at Washington 1:00
Detroit at Chicago 12:00
Kansas City at New York Giants 1:00
Los Angeles Raiders at Buffalo . 1:00
Minnesota at Green Bay 12:00
New Orleans at San Francisco .. 1:00
Pittsburgh at San Diego 1:00
Tampa Bay at New England ... 1:00

Sunday Night

Denver at Seattle 5:00

Monday, December 12

Cleveland at Miami 9:00

SIXTEENTH WEEK (NBC)

Saturday, December 17

New England at Denver 2:00
Washington at Cincinnati 12:30

Sunday, December 18

Atlanta at New Orleans 12:00
Buffalo at Indianapolis 1:00
Detroit at Tampa Bay 1:00
Green Bay at Phoenix 2:00
Houston at Cleveland 1:00
Kansas City at San Diego 1:00
Miami at Pittsburgh 1:00
New York Giants
at New York Jets 1:00
Philadelphia at Dallas 12:00
Seattle at Los Angeles Raiders .. 1:00

Sunday Night

Los Angeles Rams
at San Francisco 5:00

Monday, December 19

Chicago at Minnesota 8:00

1988 CUTDOWN DATES

August 23 — Cut to 60 players

August 29 — Cut to 47 players

PLAYOFF DATES

Dec. 24-26—Wild Card Playoffs

Dec. 31-Jan. 1—Divisional Playoffs

Jan. 8—Championship Games

Jan. 22—Super Bowl XXIII

SUPER BOWL RESULTS

GAME	DATE	SITE	RESULTS
I	1/15/67	Los Angeles	Green Bay (N) 35, Kansas City (A) 10
II	1/14/68	Miami	Green Bay (N) 33, Oakland (A) 14
III	1/12/69	Miami	N.Y. Jets (A) 16, Baltimore (N) 7
IV	1/11/70	New Orleans	Kansas City (A) 23, Minnesota (N) 7
V	1/17/71	Miami	Baltimore (A) 16, Dallas (N) 13
VI	1/16/72	New Orleans	Dallas (N) 24, Miami (A) 3
VII	1/14/73	Los Angeles	Miami (A) 14, Washington (N) 7
VIII	1/13/74	Houston	Miami (A) 24, Minnesota (N) 7
IX	1/12/75	New Orleans	Pittsburgh (A) 16, Minnesota (N) 6
X	1/18/76	Miami	Pittsburgh (A) 21, Dallas (N) 17
XI	1/ 9/77	Pasadena	Oakland (A) 32, Minnesota (N) 14
XII	1/15/78	New Orleans	Dallas (N) 27, Denver (A) 10
XIII	1/21/79	Miami	Pittsburgh (A) 35, Dallas (N) 31
XIV	1/20/80	Pasadena	Pittsburgh (A) 31, L.A. Rams (N) 19
XV	1/25/81	New Orleans	Oakland (A) 27, Philadelphia (N) 10
XVI	1/24/82	Pontiac	San Francisco (N) 26, Cincinnati (A) 21
XVII	1/30/83	Pasadena	Washington (N) 27, Miami (A) 17
XVIII	**1/22/84**	**Tampa**	**L.A. Raiders (A) 38, Washington (N) 9**
XIX	1/20/85	Palo Alto	San Francisco (N) 38, Miami (A) 16
XX	1/26/86	New Orleans	Chicago (N) 46, New England (A) 10
XXI	1/25/87	Pasadena	N.Y. Giants (N) 39, Denver (A) 20
XXII	1/31/88	San Diego	Washington (N) 42, Denver (A) 10
FUTURE SUPER BOWLS			
XXIII	1/22/89	Joe Robbie Stadium, Miami, FL	
XXIV	1990	Louisiana Superdome, New Orleans, LA	
XXV	**1991**	**Tampa Stadium, Tampa, FL**	

Bold—Games played at Tampa Stadium

PLAYOFF INFORMATION

Division Ties

If, at the end of the regular season, two or more clubs in the same division finish with the best won-lost-tied percentage, the following steps will be taken until a CHAMPION is determined:

TWO CLUBS

1. Head-to-Head (best won-lost-tied percentage in games between the clubs).
2. Best won-lost-tied percentage in games played with the division.
3. Best won-lost-tied percentage in games played within the conference.
4. Best won-lost-tied percentage in common games, if applicable.
5. Best net points in division games.
6. Best net points in all games.
7. Strength of schedule.
8. Best net touchdowns in all games.
9. Coin toss.

THREE-OR-MORE CLUBS

(Note: If two clubs remain tied after a third club is eliminated during any step, tie-breaker reverts to Step One of two-club format.

1. Head-to-Head (best won-lost-tied pct. in games among the clubs).
2. Best won-lost-tied percentage in games within the division.
3. Best won-lost-tied percentage in games within the conference.
4. Best won-lost-tied percentage in common games.
5. Best net points in division games.
6. Best net touchdowns in all games.
7. Strength of schedule.
8. Best net touchdowns in all games.
9. Coin toss.

Wild Card Ties

If necessary to break ties to determine the two Wild Card clubs from each conference, the following steps will be taken:

1. If all the tied clubs are from the same division, apply division tie-breaker.
2. If the tied clubs are from different divisions, apply the following steps:

TWO CLUBS

1. Head-to-Head, if applicable.
2. Best won-lost-tied percentage in games played within the conference.
3. **Best won-lost-tied percentage in common games, minimum of four.**
4. **Best average net points in conference games.**
5. Best net points in all games.
6. **Strength of schedule.**
7. Best net touchdowns in all games
8. Coin toss.

THREE-OR-MORE-CLUBS

(Note: If two clubs remain tied after third or other clubs eliminated, tie-breaker reverts to Step One of applicable two-club format).

1. Head-to-Head sweep (applicable only if one club has defeated each of the others or one club has lost to each of the others).
2. Best won-lost-tied percentage in games played within the conference.
3. **Best won-lost-tied percentage in common games, minimum of four.**
4. **Best average net points in conference games.**
5. Best net points in all games.
6. **Strength of schedule.**
7. Best net touchdowns in all games.
8. Coin toss.

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On May 20, 1987 Tampa Stadium was designated as the host stadium for Silver Anniversary Super Bowl XXV to be played in January, 1991. Tampa Stadium first proved it could host the NFL's championship game on January 22, 1984 when the Los Angeles Raiders defeated the Washington Redskins, 38-9, in Super Bowl XVIII.

With a minimum of excess area around the field, seats clustered around midfield and no pillars obstructing view, Tampa Stadium offers excellent sightlines for fans of any event. The high grade Bermuda grass with its 18-inch crown has excellent drainage and ranks high on all lists of outstanding playing surfaces in the NFL.

With the addition of extra seating in 1983 Tampa Stadium now seats 74,314 for Buccaneer games (including 57 private boxes over the east stands). With the addition, Tampa Stadium is now the third largest stadium in the NFC. Only the Pontiac Silverdome and Giants Stadium can boast greater capacity.

The Super Bowl game between the Los Angeles Raiders and the Washington Redskins set a new stadium attendance record of 72,920. The prior mark of 72,033 was set at the January 6, 1980 NFC Championship Game between the Buccaneers and the Los Angeles Rams.

The stadium originally seated 46,500 fans in concrete stands along either sideline. Construction started in October, 1966 and Tampa Stadium was dedicated on November 7, 1967. The initial structure cost only $4.6 million. In this configuration it served as home to the University of Tampa as well as other college football games and professional preseason contests.

As part of the awarding of an NFL franchise to Tampa Bay in 1975, the end zones were enclosed to raise seating capacity to over 72,000. Other additions in 1975 were new computerized scoreboards at either end and an additional level on the press box above the west stands.

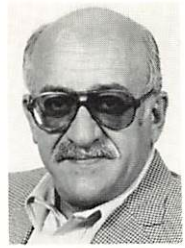
The complex is administered by the Tampa Sports Authority, a public board composed of 11 members from both the city of Tampa and Hillsborough County which was established by the State of Florida in 1965.

Tampa Stadium is also the home of the College Hall of Fame Bowl inaugurated in December, 1986.

BUCCANEER BAND & SWASH-BUC-LERS



Patti Bean



Tony Polacelli

The Buccaneer Band is one of only three NFL team bands. From a quiet beginning in 1977 the band has grown to nearly 100 members with a rapidly diversifying skilled musical sound. A volunteer organization, the Buc Band practices twice a week most of the year under direction of director Tony Polacelli.

The Buccaneer Band participates in much more than just game day functions. Sponsored by Paragon Music Centers, the Band is often asked to entertain at various functions.

Leading cheers and dancing to the sound of the Buccaneer Band are the Swash-buc-lers. The group was founded with the team in 1976 and has 36 members. The squad performs many complicated dance routines during breaks in the game action in addition to leading the crowd in cheers. The squad's talented and dedicated director and choreographer is Pattie Bean, in her ninth year with the squad. J.C. Penney's again sponsors the squad's uniform.

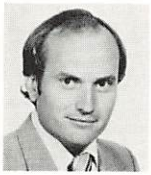
BUCCANEER HOTELS

Home Games	Airport Hilton	813/877-6688
Atlanta (Preseason)	Marriott Marquis	404/521-0000
Buffalo (in Nashville)	Vanderbilt Plaza	615/320-1700
Green Bay	Paper Valley Inn	414/733-8000
New Orleans	Inter-Continental	504/525-5566
Minnesota	Hilton	612/331-1900
Indianapolis	Hilton	317/635-2000
Chicago	Oak Brook Marriott	312/573-8555
Detroit	Northfield Hilton	313/879-2100
Atlanta	Marriott Marquis	404/521-0000
New England	Providence Marriott	401/272-2400

VISITING TEAM HOTELS

Indianapolis	Bay Harbor Inn	813/885-2541
Cleveland	Bay Harbor Inn	813/885-2541
Philadelphia	Bay Harbor Inn	813/885-2541
Phoenix	Bay Harbor Inn	813/885-2541
Green Bay	Bay Harbor Inn	813/885-2541
Minnesota	Bay Harbor Inn	813/885-2541
Miami	Bay Harbor Inn	813/885-2541
Chicago	Bay Harbor Inn	813/885-2541
Buffalo	Marriott Westshore	813/876-9611
Detroit	Bay Harbor Inn	813/885-2541

RADIO NETWORK



CHAMPION



CURCI



LANE



CRIPPEN

For the second season, all Tampa Bay Buccaneers' games will be carried on radio flagship station, WRBQ (1380 AM and 105 FM), the leader in Bay Area radio. WRBQ heads a network which includes 29 stations.

Mark Champion enters his 10th year as the play-by-play voice of the Bucs and again will be joined in the booth by anaylst Fran Curci, while Ron "Night Train" Lane and Dick Crippen will handle pregame, halftime and postgame locker room duties as well as reporting on other NFL action.

Champion, 37, also serves as network coordinator for WRBQ. Prior to joining WRBQ in 1987, he spent three years as sports director at WSUN and 11 years in that same capacity at WDAE in Tampa. Known for his enthusiasm, authority, accuracy and resonant voice, Champion first joined the Buc broadcast team in 1979. He is a graduate of Ball State.

Curci, a former head coach at the University of Tampa, Miami (FL) and Kentucky, is presently athletic director at Tampa, where he has overseen nationally ranked basketball, baseball and soccer teams. He also analyzes many college games for the Mutual Radio Network.

Crippen is sports director at WXFL-TV (since 1981) after 15 years in the same position with WTSP-TV.

Lane, 31, who joins the radio team this year, is a native of Paris, Tennessee and a graduate of Murray State University. He is in his third year as a WRBQ on-air personality after six years at WKDQ in Evansville, Indiana. He worked on WRBQ's Hall of Fame Bowl broadcast last year and was part of the Murray State radio team.

1988 RADIO AFFILIATES

Belle Glade .....WSWN AM 900
Bonifay .....WTBB FM 97.7
Clewiston .....WAFC FM 106.3
Cocoa .....WRKT AM 1300
Daytona .....WZIP AM 1590
Delray Beach .....WDBF AM 1420
Englewood .....WENG AM 1530
Eustis .....WLCF AM 1240
Ft. Myers .....WOOJ FM 107.1
Gainesville .....WGGG AM 1230
Jacksonville .....WZAZ AM 1400
Key West .....WKWF AM 1600
Lakeland .....WPCV FM 97.5
Leesburg .....WLBE AM 790
Madison .....WIMV FM 104.9
Miami/Ft. Lauderdale ...WSRF AM 1580
Ocala .....WMFQ FM 92.9
Orlando .....WDBO AM 580
Plant City .....WPLA AM 910
Port St. Lucie .....WPSL AM 1590
Punta Gorda/
Port Charlotte .....WCCF AM 1580
Sarasota .....WQSA AM 1220
Sebring .....WITS AM 1340
Tampa/St. Petersburg ..WRBQ AM 1380
Titusville .....WSCF FM 98.3
Wauchula .....WAUC AM 1310
Zephyrhills .....WPAS AM 1400

ALABAMA

Montgomery .....WACV AM 1170

GEORGIA

Griffin .....WHIE

LEE ROY SELMON

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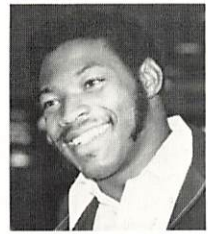
(Jersey retired September 7, 1986)



Pro: The foundation of the Buccaneer franchise as the team's first ever draft choice in 1976, he retired from football on April 23, 1986 after missing entire 1985 season with herniated disc in his back... injury was originally noticed in 1985 Pro Bowl, his sixth consecutive selection to that game... most celebrated Buc in team history, his career accomplishments are detailed below... drafted out of Oklahoma where he was 1975 Outland and Lombardi Trophy winner and a member of eight All-America teams... perennial contender for NFL Man of the Year and Byron "Whizzer" White Award for humanitarian service... born and raised in Eufaula, OK... now a cash management officer with First Florida Bank... he and his wife, Claybra, have three children, Brandy (9), Lee Roy, Jr. (6) and Christopher (4).

LEAGUE-WIDE HONORS WON BY LEE ROY SELMON

ALL-PRO: 1979, 1980, 1982, 1984
NFC PRO BOWL: 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984
ALL-NFC: 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1982, 1984

OTHER HONORS BY YEAR

1976—All-Rookie (AP, **Football Digest**)
1978—All-Pro, second team (AP, NEA)
1979—AP NFL Defensive Player of the Year, **The Sporting News** NFL Defensive Most Valuable Player, NEA NFL Defensive Most Valuable Player, NFL and NFC Players Assoc. Defensive Lineman of the Year, Seagram's Seven Crowns of Sport NFL Defensive Player of the Year, UPI NFC Defensive Player of the Year, **Pro Football Weekly** Defensive Player of the Year.
1980—Players Association NFC Defensive Lineman of the Year
1982—Players Association NFC Defensive Lineman of the Year
1983—Players Association NFC Defensive Lineman of the Year, Byron "Whizzer" White Award finalist.

LEE ROY SELMON'S STATISTICS

	G	(Starts)	Tackles	Sacks	QB Pressures	Fumbles Caused-Recovered
1976	8	(6)	24	5	NA	5 - 0
1977	14	(14)	110	13	32	5 - 2
1978	14	(14)	92	11	62	2 - 0
1979	16	(16)	117	11	60	3 - 2 (1 TD)
1980	16	(16)	97	9	72	4 - 2
1981	14	(13)	73	6½	38	5 - 0
1982	9	(9)	58	4	32	2 - 1
1983	14	(14)	71	11	36	3 - 1
1984	16	(16)	100	8	48	4½- 2
TOTALS	121	(118)	742	78½	380	28½-10 (1 TD)

INSTANT REPLAY APPROVED FOR 1988

For the third consecutive year, NFL clubs have approved a limited system of Instant Replay on a one-year basis.

The system basically stays the same as in 1987 with the exception that the Replay Official will now be assigned to a regular officiating crew and will attend crew meetings the day before each game. League office personnel will no longer be used as Replay Officials. In 1987, there were 490 plays closely reviewed (defined as a contact to the field, but not necessarily stoppage of play). There were 57 reversals in 210 games for an average of one reversal in each four games. In 1986, there were 374 plays closely reviewed resulting in 38 reversals in 224 games.

In 1986, the system was approved by a 23-4-1 vote. In 1987, the vote was 21-7. In 1988, replay was cleared by a 23-5 margin.

The NFL has discussed Instant Replay in some degree or other since the early 1970s. The League experimented in 1976 and 1978 using two basic frameworks—an independent system using cameras, replay machines, and technicians separate from the network covering the game, and a "no frills" approach using existing television coverage.

In 1985, the NFL used the network feed of nine nationally televised preseason games to experiment with the basic system that later was adopted for 1986 and 1987. A total of 28 plays were examined closely in 1985 (17 confirmed call, 4 were inconclusive, 1 was reversed, and 6 had no replay shown).

What is the objective of this system?

The clubs feel that on certain plays the telecast viewed by the general public should be used to correct an indisputable error. The system will be used to reverse an on-field decision only when the Replay Official has *indisputable visual evidence* available to him that warrants the change.

Is the television network carrying the game part of the review process?

No. Although the Replay Official will be viewing the live network feed, there is no communication to television personnel as to what plays to show or not to show.

What is the step-by-step procedure of play review?

The Replay Official will view game action and a play will be replayed immediately on one of the two monitors, while the other monitor continues to record the live feed.

The Replay Official makes a determination if further study of the play is needed. If not, there is no contact with the field and play continues without interruption.

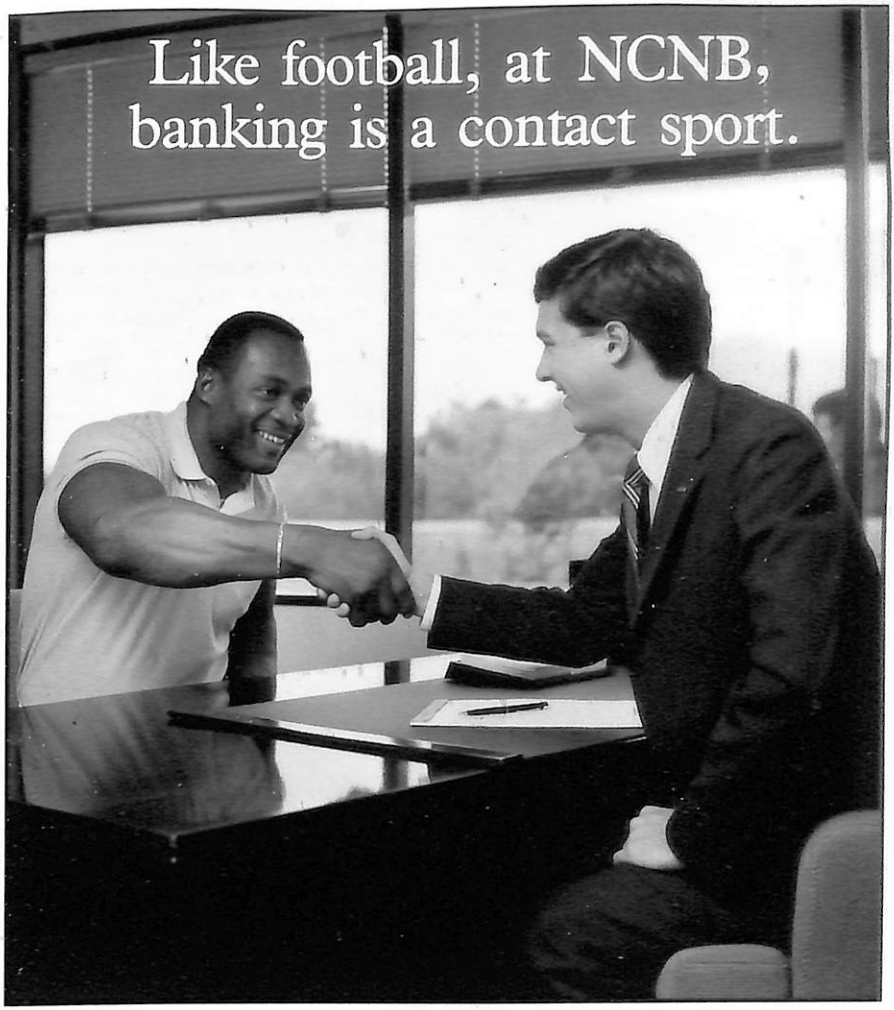
If the Replay Official believes an error may have been made, the Umpire will be contacted via a headset.

The Replay Official will watch replay(s) on one or both monitors and complete his review within a reasonable period after the play is over.

The Replay Official will inform the Umpire of his decision, and the Referee will make the appropriate announcement on the wireless microphone.

The limited Instant Replay system concentrates on plays of possession or touching (e.g., fumbles, receptions, interceptions, muffs) and most plays governed by the sidelines, goal lines, end lines, and line of scrimmage (e.g., receiver or runner in or out of bounds, forward or backward passes, breaking the plane of the goal line).

However, the Instant Replay system will *not* include the following fouls: clipping; encroachment and offsides; grasp of facemask; false start; defensive pass interference; offensive pass interference; offensive holding and illegal use of hands; illegal batting or punching ball; illegal block on free kick or scrimmage kick; illegal crackback; illegal motion; illegal use of forearm or elbow; illegal use of hands by defense; illegally kicking the ball; illegally snapping the ball; intentional grounding; member of the punting team downfield early; illegal formation; palpably unfair act; piling on; roughing the passer; running into or roughing the kicker; striking, kicking, or kneeing; unnecessary roughness; unsportsmanlike conduct; and use of the helmet as a weapon.



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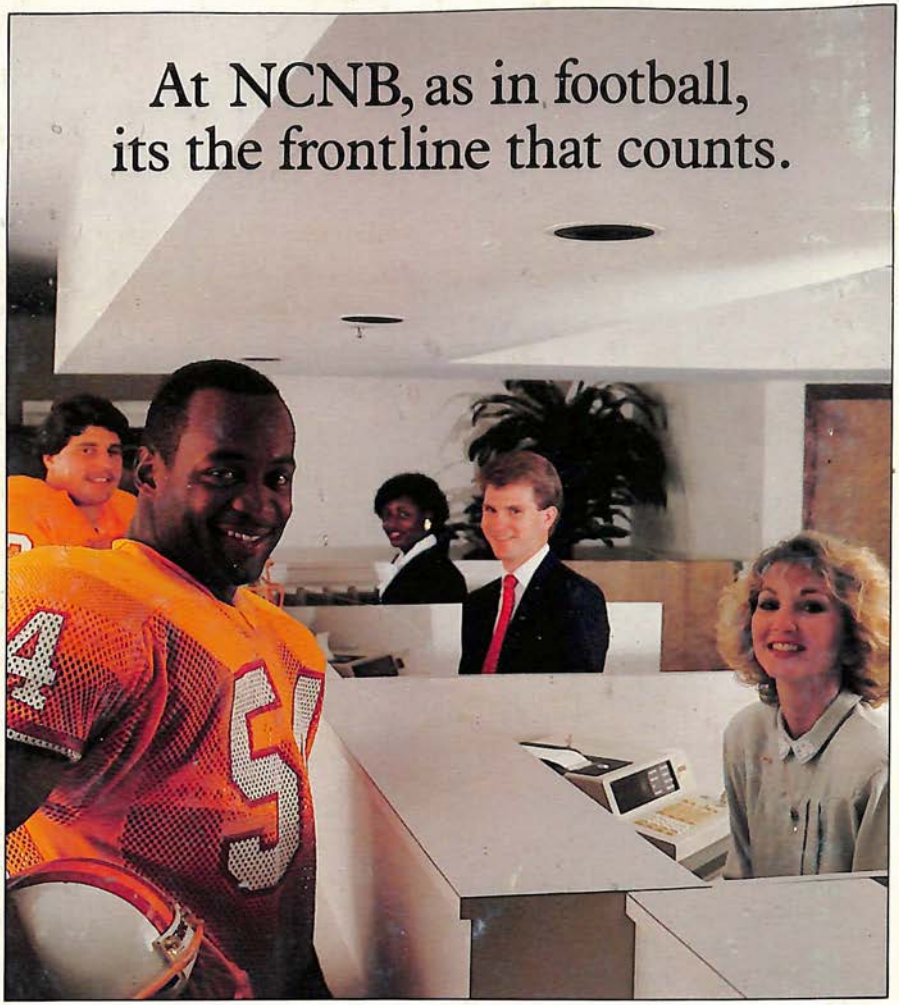

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