

# TITANS 2021 DRAFTEE QUESTIONNAIRE



# S BRADY BREEZE (6TH ROUND, 215TH OVERALL)

#### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full name: Braden James Breeze Children's nam

Position: S
Height: 6-0

Weight: 197

Date of Birth: 10/9/97 Birthplace: Medford, Ore.

Marital status: Has a girlfriend, Maci Manos

Children's names and ages (if applicable): None

Nickname: None

Names of parents: Jim and Christy Breeze

Number of siblings: 3 brothers (one older), 1 younger sister

Agent's name: Zeke Sandhu

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# **COLLEGE**

College(s) attended: Oregon (2016-20)
College Major: Business and economics

Redshirt season(s): 2016

Degree date/credits remaining: Graduated in March 2020

College jersey number: 25

**Significance of jersey number:** Given jersey No. 25 at Oregon but also wore 25 when he was young because his

favorite player was Reggie Bush

### **HIGH SCHOOL**

**High school (city, state):** Central Catholic (Lake Oswego, Ore.) High School; transferred from South Medford (Medford,

Ore.) High School

Mascot: Rams

Year graduated: 2016

Other sports played in high school: Baseball (centerfielder),

basketball (South Medford only)

## **OFF THE FIELD**

Relatives or close childhood friends in professional sports: His father, Jim, was a receiver and punt returner at Arizona State and Southern Oregon ... uncle is former NFL safety Chad Cota (Oregon) ... cousins Chase Cota (wide receiver at UCLA), Carson Cota (tight end at Arizona) and Mason Montgomery (linebacker at Cal-Poly).

**Familiarity with fellow Titans draft picks or veteran Titans players:** Has known Titans third-rounder Elijah Molden his entire life because Breeze's uncle Chad Cota and Molden's father Alex were teammates at Oregon and later in the NFL at New Orleans.

Any charitable causes that are meaningful to you: Diabetes awareness due to his grandmother's battle ... At his Pro Day, he raised \$6,000 in "Reps for Rare Diseases" pledge drive ... enjoyed going to elementary schools and talking to students during college.

The thing(s) people find most interesting about you: "I'm a faith-based person. I like to give glory to God no matter what happens."

**Pregame rituals:** Takes a 15-minute nap about two hours before the game.

Outside of football and your family, what is something you're passionate about? "Passionate about my faith. It's something we're all working on, but I think it's important to have in your life. I've been going to a lot of Bible studies in the past year and going to church a lot more consistently, taking my faith very seriously."

**Something new you have done in the last year during quarantine/COVID-19 pandemic:** Started golfing more and playing the practicing playing the ukulele more ... "Also, last year we went to Hawaii for spring break on a family vacation. We were there right when COVID hit, and so as a family we just decided to stay. All seven of us ended up living in Hawaii for almost two months at an Airbnb for really cheap because there was nobody else to rent out the house there."

**Biggest challenge overcome in your life and/or football career:** "I wasn't getting much playing time early on in college but kept quiet and grinded through it. I made sure to play all the special teams, and that ended up being one of the reasons I got drafted. But just kept patient and waited for my opportunity, knowing I should be on the field but hadn't had the opportunity."

Football role model: His father, Jim ... He also looks up to John Lynch, Brian Dawkins, Ronnie Lott and Reggie Bush (Bush is the reason he wore 25 in elementary school).

On your "bucket list": Skydiving

Off-the-field interests and hobbies: Wakeboarding, snowboarding, anything outdoors and on the water.

Do you have any pets? None

What do you like to collect? Shoes, "just not crazy-expensive ones." ... Likes new technology, getting the latest headphones and electronics.

Hidden talent: Playing the ukulele

Career aspirations outside of playing football: Business field in sales, finance or marketing

**Prior jobs:** He has delivered for DoorDash for the past two years, even continuing up to two weeks ago. "I'll probably stop now that I won't have as much time. But you have to make money somehow."

**Most memorable sporting event you have ever watched:** "The Tom Brady comeback against the Falcons in the Super Bowl (LI) and the (2006) Rose Bowl between Texas and USC."

Movie you can always re-watch: "Jerry Maguire," "The Waterboy" and "Dumb & Dumber"

Best TV show to binge: "Hawaii Five-0"

Favorite musician or band: Kenny Chesney

**Other interesting facts:** He was recruited by the Oregon baseball team before the Oregon football team when he was in high school. Even after committing to the football team, he was presented the opportunity to play centerfield for the Ducks. Ultimately, he decided to focus solely on football.