

GAME NOTES



San Francisco 49ers at Los Angeles Rams Sunday, October 13, 2019

With the win...

- The **Niners** improved to 5-0 for the first time since 1990 and the 4th time in franchise history.
- The **49ers** improved to 70-67-3 overall against the Rams, including a 36-33-1 record on the road.
- **San Francisco** has now won 3 of 4 matchups at the Los Angeles Memorial Coliseum since the Rams returned to Los Angeles in 2016.
- QB **Jimmy Garoppolo** improved to 13-2 as a starter in the NFL, becoming the 8th QB in the Super Bowl era to win 13 of his first 15 career starts.

Most QB Wins Through 15 Career Starts, Super Bowl Era		
	Player	Wins
1.	Ben Roethlisberger, Pit.	15
2.	Roger Staubach, Dal.	14
3t.	Jimmy Garoppolo, NE/SF	13
	Dan Marino, Mia.	13
	Dak Prescott, Dal.	13
	Philip Rivers, SD	13
	Mike Tomczak, Chi.	13
	Kurt Warner, StL	13

Shutdown D

- The **49ers defense** held the Rams to 165 total net yds. the fewest allowed by the 49ers since 12/3/17 at Chi. [147 total yds. (62 rushing & 85 passing)]. It also marked the fewest net yds. by the Rams since Week 17 of the 2016 season vs. Arz. [123 total net yds. (52 rushing & 71 passing)].
- The **49ers defense** held the Rams to 56 net yds. passing, the fewest by an opponent since 1/3/10 at StL (22 yds.).
- In Weeks 5-6 this season, the **49ers defense** held each opponent to 180-or-less total net yds. [180 net yds. (102 rushing & 78 passing) vs. Cle. & 165 net yds. (109 rushing & 56 passing) at LAR]. The last time the team held an opponent to 180-or-less total net yds. in consecutive games was the 1990 [11/1/90 at Dal. [158 net yds. (78 rushing & 80 passing)] & 11/18/90 vs. TB [180 net yds. (102 rushing & 78 passing)].
- The **49ers defense** held the Rams to 22 net yds. passing in the 1st half, the lowest by the Rams in a 1st half since head coach Sean McVay was hired by Los Angeles in 2017.
- The **49ers defense's** 22 net yds. passing allowed in the 1st half were the fewest allowed in the 1st half of a game since allowing -1 net passing yds. in the 1st half vs. Chi. (11/19/12).

Pitching A Shutout On 3rd & 4th

- San Francisco held the Rams without a 3rd (0-9) or 4th (0-4) down conversion on the day. According to the Elias Sports Bureau, the last time the 49ers held an opponent without a 3rd or 4th down conversion in a game was 10/16/88 at LAR (0-7 on 3rd down & 0-1 on 4th down).

Afternoon Dee-Light

- DL **Dee Ford** registered 1.5 sacks and 1 FF. He now has 3.5 sacks and 2 FFs on the season and 34.0 sacks and 11 FFs in his career.

Filling His Belly

- On the first play of the 2nd half, DL **Arik Armstead** recovered a Rams fumble, marking the 1st FR of his career. The FR led to Jimmy Garoppolo's 1-yd. TD run.
- Armstead also registered 0.5 sack on the day. He now has 2.5 sacks on the season and 11.5 for his career.

Thomas The Tank Engine

- DL **Solomon Thomas** brought down Rams QB Jared Goff for an 8-yd. loss. He now has 2.0 sacks on the season and 6.0 in his career.

Blair The Music

- DL **Ronald Blair III** brought down Goff for a 5-yd. sack. He now has 2.0 sacks on the season and 12.5 for his career.

Coming Out Hot

- The **49ers offense** has now scored a TD on their first possession of the 2nd half in all 5 games this season. According to the Elias Sports Bureau, it marks the first time the 49ers scored a TD on their first possession of the 2nd half in the last 40 years.
- The last team to score a TD on their first possession of the 2nd half in at least 5-consecutive games was the Indianapolis Colts (6 games) from 10/23/05–12/4/05.

In The Air & On The Ground

- QB **Jimmy Garoppolo** completed 24 of 33 atts. (72.7%) for 243 yds. and a passer rating of 80.7 against the Rams.
- Garoppolo also rushed for a 1-yd. TD run, marking the 2nd rushing TD of his career.

TeCo's TD

- RB **Tevin Coleman** registered 18 carries for 45 yds. and a 2-yd. TD run, marking his 2nd TD of the season and 20th of his career.

George Of The Jungle

- TE **George Kittle** finished the day with 8 receipts. for 103 yds. (12.9 avg.). It marked his first 100-yd. game of the season and He now has 6th of his career.