

# Game 6 | NCAA Fayetteville Regional June 3, 2018 Baum Stadium



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#### Arkansas 4 (42-18)

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	ро	а	lob	avg
Granberg, Devlin If	4	2	2	1	1	0	3	0	0	.444
Hannah, Jameson cf	3	0	1	0	1	1	3	0	1	.362
Glowenke, Jimmy ss	4	0	3	1	0	0	3	4	0	.343
Wolforth, Garrett 1b	5	0	0	1	0	1	7	0	3	.233
Millard, Tim 3b	5	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	1	.269
Duce, Matt c	4	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	2	.230
Funderburk, Kody p	4	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	2	.303
Bandy, Luke rf	3	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	1	.256
Jones, Blayne 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.204
Alexander, Hill 2b	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	.270
Hines, MacGregor p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	35	3	9	3	2	8	24	7	11	

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	ро	a l	ob	avg
Eric Cole rf	4	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	.327
Casey Martin 3b	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	.330
Heston Kjerstad If	2	0	1	1	2	0	6	0	0	.345
Luke Bonfield dh	4	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	4	.298
Dominic Fletcher cf	4	1	1	0	0	1	4	0	0	.294
Carson Shaddy 2b	4	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	.324
Grant Koch c	4	0	1	1	0	0	9	0	0	.250
Jared Gates 1b	2	2	2	0	1	0	5	1	0	.262
Jax Biggers ss	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	.276
Isaiah Campbell p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-
Jake Reindl p	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	-
Matt Cronin p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	31	4	7	4	3	4	27	6	6	

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	Н	E
Dallas Baptist	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	9	0
Arkansas	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	Χ	4	7	1

E - H. Kjerstad(6). LOB - DBU 11; Arkansas 6. 2B - Granberg(17). HBP - Hannah; Bandy. SH - Jones(3). SF - Glowenke(10). SB - J. Gates(2).

Dallas Baptist	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf	np	era
Funderburk, Kody	3.2	4	3	3	2	1	15	17	52	6.88
Hines, MacGregor	4.1	3	1	1	1	3	16	17	54	3.74

Arkansas	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf	np	era
Isaiah Campbell	0.0	1	1	1	2	0	1	3	13	4.32
Jake Reindl	7.0	5	1	1	0	4	26	29	97	2.33
Matt Cronin	2.0	3	1	1	0	4	8	9	36	3.12

Win - J. Reindl (3-1). Loss - Funderburk (1-3). Save - M. Cronin (12).

WP - Hines(5); J. Reindl(8). HBP - by J. Reindl (Bandy); by J. Reindl (Hannah). Pitches/strikes: Funderburk 52/27;

Hines 54/37; I. Campbell 13/5; J. Reindl 97/61; M. Cronin 36/25.

Umpires - HP: Linus Baker 1B: David Brown 2B: Tim Rosso 3B: Kevin Sweeney

Start: 7:04 pm Time: 2:46 Attendance: 9715

Weather: Clear and 84



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Dallas Baptist starters: 14/lf Granberg; 5/cf Hannah; 13/ss Glowenke; 16/1b Wolforth; 35/3b Millard; 7/c Duce; 18/p Funderburk; 42/rf Bandy; 4/2b Jones;

Arkansas starters: 8/rf E. Cole; 15/3b C. Martin; 18/lf H. Kjerstad; 17/dh L. Bonfield; 24/cf D. Fletcher; 20/2b C. Shaddy; 33/c G. Koch; 3/1b J. Gates; 9/ss J. Biggers; 55/p I. Campbell;

Dallas Baptist 1st - Granberg walked. Hannah walked; Granberg advanced to second. Glowenke singled to right field; Hannah advanced to second; Granberg advanced to third. J. Reindl to p for I. Campbell. Wolforth out at first 1b to p, RBI; Glowenke advanced to second; Hannah advanced to third; Granberg scored. Millard struck out swinging. Duce popped up to 3b. 1 run, 1 hit, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Arkansas 1st - E. Cole grounded out to ss. C. Martin grounded out to ss. H. Kjerstad walked. L. Bonfield struck out swinging. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Dallas Baptist 2nd - Funderburk singled to right center. Bandy hit by pitch; Funderburk advanced to second. Jones grounded out to 3b, SAC, bunt; Bandy advanced to second; Funderburk advanced to third. Granberg grounded out to 2b, RBI; Bandy advanced to third; Funderburk scored. Hannah struck out swinging. 1 run, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Arkansas 2nd - D. Fletcher flied out to rf. C. Shaddy flied out to lf. G. Koch grounded out to ss. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Dallas Baptist 3rd - Glowenke singled up the middle. Wolforth lined out to rf. Millard singled to center field; Glowenke advanced to second. Duce struck out swinging. Funderburk flied out to cf. 0 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Arkansas 3rd - J. Gates singled to right field. J. Biggers grounded out to p; J. Gates advanced to second. J. Gates stole third. E. Cole grounded out to 3b, RBI; J. Gates scored. C. Martin flied out to cf. 1 run, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Dallas Baptist 4th - Bandy flied out to cf. Jones flied out to lf. Granberg singled to right field. Granberg advanced to second on a wild pitch. Hannah hit by pitch. Glowenke singled; Hannah advanced to second; Granberg advanced to third. Wolforth fouled out to c. 0 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 3 LOB.

Arkansas 4th - H. Kjerstad flied out to If. L. Bonfield singled through the left side. D. Fletcher singled through the right side, advanced to second; L. Bonfield advanced to third. C. Shaddy grounded out to ss, RBI; D. Fletcher advanced to third; L. Bonfield scored. G. Koch singled to right field, RBI; D. Fletcher scored. J. Gates walked; G. Koch advanced to second. Funderburk to dh. Hines to p. J. Biggers reached on a fielder's choice; J. Gates out at second ss unassisted. 2 runs, 3 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Dallas Baptist 5th - Millard grounded out to 3b. Duce flied out to If. Funderburk reached on a fielding error by If, advanced to second. Bandy struck out swinging. 0 runs, 0 hits, 1 error, 1 LOB.

Arkansas 5th - E. Cole flied out to rf. C. Martin flied out to lf. H. Kjerstad walked. L. Bonfield flied out to cf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0

errors, 1 LOB.

Dallas Baptist 6th - Jones grounded out to 3b. Granberg flied out to If. Hannah flied out to cf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Arkansas 6th - D. Fletcher struck out swinging. C. Shaddy struck out looking. G. Koch grounded out to 3b. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Dallas Baptist 7th - Glowenke grounded out to 3b. Wolforth flied out to If. Millard flied out to cf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Arkansas 7th - J. Gates singled through the right side. J. Biggers flied out to cf. E. Cole singled through the right side; J. Gates advanced to second. C. Martin popped up to ss. H. Kjerstad singled up the middle, RBI; E. Cole advanced to third; J. Gates scored. H. Kjerstad advanced to second on a wild pitch. L. Bonfield flied out to rf. 1 run, 3 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Dallas Baptist 8th - M. Cronin to p for J. Reindl. Duce struck out swinging. Funderburk struck out swinging. Bandy singled to left field. Alexander to 2b for Jones. Alexander struck out looking. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Arkansas 8th - Granberg to rf. Bandy to 2b. Alexander to If. D. Fletcher popped up to ss. C. Shaddy struck out looking. G. Koch lined out to If. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Dallas Baptist 9th - Granberg doubled to right center. Hannah singled to shortstop; Granberg advanced to third. Glowenke flied out to If, SF, RBI; Granberg scored. Wolforth struck out swinging. Millard flied out to If. 1 run, 2 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.



## **Arkansas Razorbacks (No. 1 Seed)**

#### **Head Coach Dave Van Horn**

Opening statement ...

"First I want to congratulate Dallas Baptist on a tremendous season. I've been on the other end of it where you have to play two games in one day. It's tough when you have to come back out for the second game, and they gave us all they could handle and really battled us. Just the ballgame itself, they came out and they came out smoking. They really swung the bat game yesterday and then their game out there today to knock off a strong Southern Miss team. They just outslugged them. They had me on high alert and we were going to get their best stuff. Isaiah (Campbell) came out and just didn't command the fastball whatsoever. It was a quick decision. I talked to coach after the first hitter, and after the second hitter we sent someone out there. The game could get away from us because they're so good offensively. In a normal game, you're going to leave your guy in there a little longer. The reason we took him out. Sometimes you either have it or you don't. It just didn't seem like Isaiah had it. I have confidence in him and he'll get the ball again. If everything goes as it could go. Just a great job by Jake Reindl coming in with bases loaded with one out and gave up one run. It could have easily been three or four. He got us in the dugout and we slowed them down a little bit. They came in in the second and cracked a run in on us. Then we scrapped together a few runs. We didn't do much tonight offensively, but with the pitching from Reindl and (Matt) Cronin coming in and finishing it up. I think that there was a really tough call there in the ninth that didn't go our way. It's interesting that we get to have replay throughout the season and in our tournament, and then in one of the biggest time of the year we don't have it. I think that Matt (Cronin) kept it together out there and kept his cool and got the job done. I'm just really proud of him for stepping it up for us and getting the job done."

#### On Kjerstad's performance ...

"He's responsible for saving a run and he drove in a big run that gave us a two-run lead that we ended up needing. We need that run to maintain the lead and ended up winning the game. It was just a great play. We we're playing him fairly deep. When (Devlin) Granberg gets up we back up a little bit obviously. When he makes that catch it changes the momentum. It kept it in our dugout obviously. It was just a tremendous job."

#### On playing a close game after a pair of 10-2 wins ...

"Well we played a lot of those this year. Way too many of those honestly. We played so many one run games and two run games that it gets you ready for this. We don't look at them as a smaller school, we look at them as a really good team. We always talk about it doesn't matter what it says across that jersey, they're a Division I team and they'll beat you if you don't play good. We just had to play solid baseball and we did that for the most part except for the ball that we didn't catch in the outfield. It was just a great game and I feel fortunate to win it."

#### On knowing Jake Reindl was ready after 13 pitches from Isaiah Campbell ...

"It's interesting you know. I'm walking out to the mound and I'm looking to the left and he's stopped throwing pitches off of the mound. In my mind he's ready. I'm thinking he threw a few more than that, I'll talk to our bullpen guy down there. He didn't have much time. I think when he ran down there he knew he was coming into the game, just the way he was told to hustle down there and get hot quick. Usually in a situation like that I'll get to the mound and I peeked again, and he's standing at the gate. I



felt like that he was a better option than we had going at the time. It looked like things were spinning pretty much out of control. You hate to make that move, and I hated to make that move I'll be honest with you. I didn't feel good because I didn't want to hurt Isaiah Campbell who is a big part of our team; but I felt in the big picture that's what we had to do. Myself personally, I just feel great that Jake (Reindl) had my back that I took out a pitcher after three pitchers and got us in the dugout. If he gives up a double and a couple of singles then it wasn't a very good move. I thought he was a little hotter than what he just said. He's a guy that doesn't take long to get loose at all. He's a reliever and he knows what he's doing. We radioed down and we got 'he's hot, he's good' so we went and got him."

#### On replay in the postseason ...

"I think it's been discussed and I think we're going to have it in the Super Regional. I may be wrong, so why not have it in the Regional. I don't get it. We might have got a call, they might have got a call and maybe it ends up even in the end; but why not just make sure you're 100% sure?"

#### On having the bullpen for this game ...

"It was huge. Our starting pitchers gave us 8 innings each, and we had a pretty good lead so we got to go with some younger guys and didn't have to use the three or four guys that we normally go to on the weekend. We still had Barrett Loseke available so if it didn't go well today we still had Loseke as a starter. Cole Ramage as a starter. We had a two run lead with six outs to give so we had to go for it so we brought Matt in."

#### #32 Matt Cronin | Sophomore | LHP

On being fully rested coming into the game ...

"It was huge being a step ahead of everyone else in the regional. Knowing you're set on pitching for the weekend knowing you have those first two games out of the way and just try to get one more and you have all of your options available."

#### On safe call at first in ninth inning ...

"At first when I saw him call him safe I was in shock and I almost lost it for a second. I remembered you have to stay cool and you have to get three more outs at that point and keep coming out and doing what you know you can do."

#### #34 Jake Reindl | Junior | RHP

On coming in early ...

"I threw six or seven down in the pen and coach walked out and said 'hey you're in'. So it was kind of a bang-bang thing going down there, throwing, getting out on the mound. It all happened so fast."

#### On Heston's catch ...

"That was quite the catch. Off of the bat I was thinking that that was probably gone. Then I saw him come down with the ball. Obviously I was really excited."



On being fully rested coming into the game ...

"I think it was big having our whole bullpen at our disposal and it gave us the opportunity to do something like we did today where I can come in early and Matt (Cronin) can come and close it out. We still had Barrett (Loseke) waiting. Great job for those first two starters for saving the bullpen."

On leaving nine men on base ...

"I didn't have very good stuff today at all. I couldn't command at all and the ball wasn't moving like it usually does. It was really a grind and I had to pull out of some jams. It was interesting having to navigate all of that."

#### #18 Heston Kjerstad | Freshman | OF

On home run saving catch...

"The guy hit it pretty well. I dropped back and had a good read on the ball. I felt my first two steps on the warning track and jumped on the last one and pulled down the ball. Just helping out Jake Reindl who was out there working his butt off for us. I just have to have his back. He had my back when I made a mistake out there in the field."

On offensive performance today ...

"It wasn't our best game offensively but we kept in there and scratched a few runs here and there. You jut have to give it to our pitchers. Every game they were keeping us in it. Especially today. To hold a team that's a good hitting team to only a few runs."



## **Dallas Baptist Patriots (No. 3 Seed)**

#### **Head Coach Dan Heefner**

Opening statement ...

"Congratulations to Arkansas. Obviously, they're a national seed and deserving of that. We saw how good of a club they are tonight. Couldn't be prouder of my guys, especially our seniors who have had a tremendous career. They've been to four regional championships. You guys saw how they competed today with no fear against anybody in any situation. I've seen that their whole careers. They've changed our program in a lot of ways. I'm really blessed to be able to coach guys like this. Obviously, I would've liked to be able to continue playing with them, but I'm really proud of them. I thought we got a great start from Kody Funderburk. Macgregor Hines did a really nice job for us. We were right in the game. We had a lot of guys on base. I thought we had good at-bats all game long as well. Just didn't get the big hit when we had some guys on base early in the game."

#### On Arkansas reliever Jake Reindl ...

"Reindl did a really nice job. He threw strikes. He didn't walk a single guy. He threw both pitches for strikes and mixed well. He has great numbers on the year and had a great outing for them. I didn't track him throughout the year, but I'm guessing it was by far his longest outing of the season. He maintained his stuff throughout and didn't look like he had a drop-off."

#### #14 Devlin Granberg | Senior | OF

On knocking out Arkansas starting pitcher Isaiah Campbell after the first three hitters ...

"We were really excited to get the starter out. I think he's had good numbers on the season. He's the third starter for an SEC team. (Jake Reindl) threw really well. I thought he threw both pitches for a strike. I thought we hit some balls right at guys that didn't fall our way."

#### #7 Matt Duce | Senior | C

On knocking out Arkansas starting pitcher Isaiah Campbell after the first three hitters ...

"It's tough to get that starter out early. We just didn't capitalize early on some scoring positions. As far as getting the starter out, I thought we did a good job."