



NOTRE DAME
THE HISTORY

It has been 80 years since a dramatic nickname transformed Notre Dame's 1924 backfield into the most fabled quartet in college football history - "The Four Horsemen": Don Miller, Elmer Layden, Jim Crowley and Harry Stuhldreher.

All-Time Scores

Key to Abbreviations

W-L-T	Game won, lost or tied
H	Home game
A	Away game, played at opponent's home stadium
N	Game played at a neutral site; see footnote for city
Nt	Night game
HC	Homecoming game
TH	Game played on Thanksgiving Day
R	Game played in rain
S	Game played in snow
0:00	Time remaining in games decided in the final minutes; in case of ties, time followed by team scoring last
C	Capacity crowd
AP	Beginning with the 1936 season, the number in front of the opponent name indicates Notre Dame's ranking in the Associated Press poll coming into the game. The number following the opponent name indicates its ranking.

Scoring Values

Seasons	Touchdown	Field Goal	Point After	Safety
1887-1897	4 points	5 points	2 points	2 points
1898-1903	5 points	5 points	1 point	2 points
1904-1908	5 points	4 points	1 point	2 points
1909-1911	5 points	3 points	1 point	2 points
1912-1957	6 points	3 points	1 point	2 points
1958 to date	6 points	3 points	1 point for kick 2 points for run or pass	2 points

1887

Coach: None	Captain: Henry Luhn	Record: 0-1-0
November 23	L	Michigan0-8 H

1888

Coach: None	Captain: Edward Prudhomme	Record: 1-2-0
April 20	L	Michigan6-26 H
April 21	L	Michigan4-10 H
December 6	W	Harvard Prep20-0 H
Total Points30-36		

1889

Coach: None	Captain: Edward Prudhomme	Record: 1-0-0
November 14	W	Northwestern9-0 A

1890-1891 - NO TEAM

1892

Coach: None	Captain: Pat Coady	Record: 1-0-1
October 19	W	South Bend High School56-0 H
November 24	T	Hillsdale10-10 H
Total Points66-10		

1893

Coach: None	Captain: Frank Keough	Record: 4-1-0
October 25	W	Kalamazoo34-0 H
November 11	W	Albion8-6 H
November 23	W	De LaSalle (S)28-0 H
November 30	W	Hillsdale (S)22-10 H
January 1	L	Chicago0-8 A
Total Points92-24		

1894

Coach: James L. Morrison	Captain: Frank Keough	Record: 3-1-1
October 13	W	Hillsdale14-0 H
October 20	T	Albion6-6 H
November 15	W	Wabash30-0 H
November 22	W	Rush Medical18-6 H
November 29	L	Albion12-19 H
Total Points80-31		

1895

Coach: H. G. Hadden	Captain: Dan Casey	Record: 3-1-0
October 19	W	Northwestern Law20-0 H
November 7	W	Illinois Cycling Club18-2 H
November 22	L	Indianapolis Artillery (S)0-18 H
November 28	W	Chicago Physicians & Surgeons32-0 H
Total Points70-20		

1896

Coach: Frank E. Hering	Captain: Frank E. Hering	Record: 4-3-0
October 8	L	Chicago Physicians & Surgeons0-4 H
October 14	L	Chicago0-18 H
October 27	W	South Bend Commercial Athletic Club46-0 H
October 31	W	Albion24-0 H
November 14	L	Purdue22-28 H
November 20	W	Highland Views82-0 H
November 26	W	Beloit (R)8-0 H
Total Points182-50		

1897

Coach: Frank E. Hering	Captain: Jack Mullen	Record: 4-1-1
October 13	T	Rush Medical0-0 H
October 23	W	DePauw4-0 H
October 28	W	Chicago Dental Surgeons62-0 H
November 6	L	Chicago5-34 A
November 13	W	St. Viator60-0 H
November 25	W	Michigan State (R)34-6 H
Total Points165-40		

1898

Coach: Frank E. Hering	Captain: Jack Mullen	Record: 4-2-0
October 8	W	Illinois5-0 A
October 15	W	Michigan State53-0 H
October 23	L	Michigan0-23 A
October 29	W	DePauw32-0 H
November 5	L	Indiana5-11 H
November 19	W	Albion60-0 A
Total Points155-34		

1899

Coach: James McWeeney	Captain: Jack Mullen	Record: 6-3-1
September 27	W	Englewood High School29-5 H
September 30	W	Michigan State40-0 H
October 4	L	Chicago6-23 A
October 14	W	Lake Forest38-0 H
October 18	L	Michigan0-12 A
October 23	W	Indiana17-0 H
October 27	W	Northwestern (R)12-0 H
November 4	W	Rush Medical17-0 H
November 18	T	Purdue10-10 A
November 30	L	Chicago Physicians & Surgeons0-5 H
Total Points169-55		

1900

Coach: Pat O'Dea	Captain: John Farley	Record: 6-3-1
September 29	W	Goshen55-0 H
October 6	W	Englewood High School68-0 H
October 13	W	South Bend Howard Park64-0 H
October 20	W	Cincinnati58-0 H
October 25	L	Indiana0-6 A
November 3	T	Beloit6-6 H
November 10	L	Wisconsin0-54 A
November 17	L	Michigan0-7 A
November 24	W	Rush Medical (R)5-0 H
November 29	W	Chicago Physicians & Surgeons5-0 H
Total Points261-73		

1901

Coach: Pat O'Dea		Captain: Al Fortin		Record: 8-1-1	
September	28	T	South Bend Athletic Club	0-0	H
October	5	W	Ohio Medical University	6-0	A
October	12	L	Northwestern (R)	0-2	A
October	19	W	Chicago Medical College	32-0	H
October	26	W	Beloit	5-0	A
November	2	W	Lake Forest	16-0	H
November	9	W	Purdue	12-6	H
November	16	W	Indiana (R)	18-5	H
November	23	W	Chicago Physicians & Surgeons	34-0	H
November	28	W	South Bend Athletic Club	22-6	H
Total Points				145-19	

1902

Coach: James F. Faragher		Captain: Louis (Red) Salmon		Record: 6-2-1	
September	27	W	Michigan State	33-0	H
October	11	W	Lake Forest	28-0	H
October	18	L	Michigan (at Toledo)	0-23	A
October	25	W	Indiana	11-5	A
November	1	W	Ohio Medical University	6-5	A
November	8	L	Knox	5-12	A
November	15	W	American Medical	92-0	H
November	22	W	DePauw	22-0	H
November	27	T	Purdue	6-6	A
Total Points				203-51	

1903

Coach: James F. Faragher		Captain: Louis (Red) Salmon		Record: 8-0-1	
October	3	W	Michigan State	12-0	H
October	10	W	Lake Forest	28-0	H
October	17	W	DePauw (R)	56-0	H
October	24	W	American Medical	52-0	H
October	29	W	Chicago Physicians & Surgeons	46-0	H
November	7	W	Missouri Osteopaths	28-0	H
November	14	T	Northwestern (at South Side Park, Chicago)	0-0	N
November	21	W	Ohio Medical University	35-0	A
November	26	W	Wabash	34-0	A
Total Points				291-0	

1904

Coach: Louis (Red) Salmon		Captain: Frank Shaughnessy		Record: 5-3-0	
October	1	W	Wabash	12-4	H
October	8	W	American Medical	44-0	H
October	15	L	Wisconsin (at Milwaukee)	0-58	N
October	22	W	Ohio Medical University	17-5	A
October	27	W	Toledo Athletic Association	6-0	H
November	5	L	Kansas	5-24	A
November	19	W	DePauw	10-0	H
November	24	L	Purdue	0-36	A
Total Points				94-127	

1905

Coach: Henry J. McGlew		Captain: Pat Beacom		Record: 5-4-0	
September	30	W	North Division High School (Chicago)	44-0	H
October	7	W	Michigan State	28-0	H
October	14	L	Wisconsin (at Milwaukee)	0-21	N
October	21	L	Wabash	0-5	H
October	28	W	*American Medical	142-0	H
November	4	W	DePauw	71-0	H
November	11	L	Indiana	5-22	A
November	18	W	Bennett Medical College (Chicago)	22-0	H
November	24	L	Purdue	0-32	A
Total Points				312-80	

* After a 25-minute first half, with Notre Dame leading 111-0, the second half was shortened to only eight minutes to permit the "Doctors" time to eat before catching a train to Chicago. Notre Dame scored 27 touchdowns, but missed 20 extra points.

1906

Coach: Thomas A. Barry		Captain: Bob Bracken		Record: 6-1-0	
October	6	W	Franklin	26-0	H
October	13	W	Hillsdale	17-0	H
October	20	W	Chicago Physicians & Surgeons	28-0	H
October	27	W	Michigan State	5-0	H
November	3	W	Purdue	2-0	A
November	10	L	Indiana (at Indianapolis)	0-12	N
November	24	W	Beloit (R)	29-0	H
Total Points				107-12	

1907

Coach: Thomas A. Barry		Captain: Dom Callicrate		Record: 6-0-1	
October	12	W	Chicago Physicians & Surgeons (R)	32-0	H
October	19	W	Franklin	23-0	H
October	26	W	Olivet	22-4	H
November	2	T	Indiana	0-0	H
November	9	W	Knox	22-4	H
November	23	W	Purdue	17-0	A
November	28	W	St. Vincent's (Chicago)	21-12	A
Total Points				137-20	

1908

Coach: Victor M. Place		Captain: Harry Miller		Record: 8-1-0	
October	3	W	Hillsdale	39-0	H
October	10	W	Franklin	64-0	H
October	17	L	Michigan	6-12	A
October	24	W	Chicago Physicians & Surgeons	88-0	H
October	29	W	Ohio Northern	58-4	H
November	7	W	Indiana (at Indianapolis)	11-0	N
November	13	W	Wabash	8-4	A
November	18	W	St. Viator	46-0	H
November	26	W	Marquette	6-0	A
Total Points				326-20	

1909

Coach: Frank C. Longman		Captain: Howard Edwards		Record: 7-0-1	
October	9	W	Olivet	58-0	H
October	16	W	Rose Poly	60-11	H
October	23	W	Michigan State	17-0	H
October	30	W	Pittsburgh	6-0	A
November	6	W	Michigan	11-3	A
November	13	W	Miami (Ohio)	46-0	H
November	20	W	Wabash	38-0	H
November	25	T	Marquette	0-0	A
Total Points				236-14	

"The Notre Dame Victory March" was introduced this season.



Chuck Collins played end for Head Coach Knute Rockne from 1922-1924.



George Melinkovich played fullback for the Irish from 1931-1934.

1910

Coach: Frank C. Longman		Captain: Ralph Dimmick		Record: 4-1-1	
October	8	W	Olivet	48-0	H
October	22	W	Butchel (Akron)	51-0	H
October	29	L	Michigan State	0-17	A
November	12	W	Rose Poly	41-3	A
November	19	W	*Ohio Northern	47-0	H
November	24	T	Marquette	5-5	A
Total Points				192-25	

*Notre Dame's 100th victory

1911

Coach: John L. Marks		Captain: Luke Kelly		Record: 6-0-2	
October	7	W	Ohio Northern	32-6	H
October	14	W	St. Viator	43-0	H
October	21	W	Butler (R)	27-0	H
October	28	W	Loyola (Chicago)	80-0	H
November	4	T	Pittsburgh	0-0	A
November	11	W	St. Bonaventure	34-0	H
November	20	W	Wabash	6-3	A
November	30	T	Marquette	0-0	A
Total Points				222-9	

1912

Coach: John L. Marks		Captain: Charles (Gus) Dorais		Record: 7-0-0	
October	5	W	St. Viator	116-7	H
October	12	W	Adrian	74-7	H
October	19	W	Morris Harvey	39-0	H
October	26	W	Wabash	41-6	H
November	2	W	Pittsburgh (S)	3-0	A
November	9	W	St. Louis	47-7	A
November	28	W	Marquette (at Comiskey Park, Chicago) ..	69-0	N
Total Points				389-27	

The Jesse Harper Years 5 seasons: 34-5-1 (.863)



1913

Coach: Jesse Harper		Captain: Knute Rockne		Record: 7-0-0	
October	4	W	Ohio Northern	87-0	H
October	18	W	South Dakota	20-7	H
October	25	W	Alma	62-0	H
November	1	W	Army	35-13	A
November	7	W	Penn State (R)	14-7	A
November	22	W	Christian Brothers (St. Louis)	20-7	A
November	27	W	Texas	30-7	A
Total Points				268-41	

1914

Coach: Jesse Harper		Captain: Keith Jones		Record: 6-2-0	
October	3	W	Alma	56-0	H
October	10	W	Rose Poly	102-0	H
October	17	L	Yale	0-28	A
October	24	W	South Dakota (at Sioux Falls)	33-0	N
October	31	W	Haskell	20-7	H
November	7	L	Army	7-20	A
November	14	W	Carlisle (at Comiskey Park, Chicago)	48-6	N
November	26	W	Syracuse	20-0	A
Total Points				286-61	

1915

Coach: Jesse Harper		Captain: Freeman Fitzgerald		Record: 7-1-0	
October	2	W	Alma	32-0	H
October	9	W	Haskell	34-0	H
October	23	L	Nebraska	19-20	A
October	30	W	South Dakota	6-0	H
November	6	W	Army	7-0	A
November	13	W	Creighton	41-0	A
November	25	W	Texas	36-7	A
November	27	W	Rice	55-2	A
Total Points				230-29	

1916

Coach: Jesse Harper		Captain: Stan Cofall		Record: 8-1-0	
September	30	W	Case Tech	48-0	H
October	7	W	Western Reserve	48-0	A
October	14	W	Haskell	26-0	H
October	28	W	Wabash	60-0	H
November	4	L	Army	10-30	A
November	11	W	South Dakota (at Sioux Falls)	21-0	N
November	18	W	Michigan State	14-0	A
November	25	W	Alma	46-0	H
November	30	W	Nebraska	20-0	A
Total Points				293-30	

1917

Coach: Jesse Harper		Captain: Jim Phelan		Record: 6-1-1	
October	6	W	Kalamazoo	55-0	H
October	13	T	Wisconsin	0-0	A
October	20	L	Nebraska	0-7	A
October	27	W	South Dakota (R)	40-0	H
November	3	W	Army	7-2	A
November	10	W	Morningside	13-0	A
November	17	W	Michigan State	23-0	H
November	24	W	Washington & Jefferson	3-0	A
Total Points				141-9	

The Knute Rockne Years

13 seasons: 1910-12-5 (.881)



1918

Coach: Knute Rockne		Captain: Leonard Bahan		Record: 3-1-2	
September	28	W	Case Tech	26-6	A
November	2	W	Wabash	67-7	A
November	9	T	Great Lakes	7-7	H
November	16	L	Michigan State (R)	7-13	A
November	23	W	Purdue	26-6	A
November	28	T	Nebraska (S)	0-0	A
Total Points				133-39	

1919

Coach: Knute Rockne		Captain: Leonard Bahan		Record: 9-0-0	
October	4	W	Kalamazoo	14-0	H 5,000
October	11	W	Mount Union	60-7	H 4,000
October	18	W	Nebraska	14-9	A 10,000
October	25	W	Western Michigan	53-0	H 2,500
November	1	W	Indiana (R) (at Indianapolis)	16-3	N 5,000
November	8	W	Army	12-9	A 8,000
November	15	W	Michigan State	13-0	H 5,000
November	22	W	Purdue	33-13	A 7,000
November	27	W	Morningside (S)	14-6	A 10,000
Total Points/Attendance				229-47	56,500

1920

Coach: Knute Rockne		Captain: Frank Coughlin		Record: 9-0-0	
October	2	W	Kalamazoo	39-0	H 5,000
October	9	W	Western Michigan	41-0	H 3,500
October	16	W	Nebraska	16-7	A 9,000
October	23	W	Valparaiso	28-3	H 8,000
October	30	W	Army	27-17	A 10,000
November	6	W	Purdue (HC)	28-0	H 12,000
November	13	W	Indiana (at Indianapolis)	13-10	N 14,000
November	20	W	*Northwestern	33-7	A c20,000
November	25	W	Michigan State	25-0	A 8,000
Total Points/Attendance				250-44	89,500

*George Gipp's last game. He contracted a strep throat and died from complications of the disease on December 14 at the age of 25.

1921

Coach: Knute Rockne		Captain: Eddie Anderson		Record: 10-1-0	
September	24	W	Kalamazoo	56-0	H 8,000
October	1	W	DePauw	57-10	H 8,000
October	8	L	Iowa	7-10	A 7,500
October	15	W	Purdue	33-0	A 7,500
October	22	W	Nebraska (HC)	7-0	H 14,000
October	29	W	Indiana (at Indianapolis) (R)	28-7	N 10,000
November	5	W	Army	28-0	A 7,000
November	8	W	Rutgers (at Polo Grounds, NYC)	48-0	N 12,000
November	12	W	Haskell	42-7	H 5,000
November	19	W	Marquette	21-7	A 11,000
November	24	W	Michigan State	48-0	H 15,000
Total Points/Attendance				375-41	105,000

1922

Coach: Knute Rockne		Captain: Glen Carberry		Record: 8-1-1	
September	30	W	Kalamazoo	46-0	H 5,000
October	7	W	St. Louis	26-0	H 7,000
October	14	W	Purdue	20-0	A 9,000
October	21	W	DePauw	34-7	H 5,000
October	28	W	Georgia Tech	13-3	A 20,000
November	4	W	Indiana (HC)	27-0	H c22,000
November	11	T	Army	0-0	A 15,000
November	18	W	Butler	31-3	A 12,000
November	25	W	Carnegie Tech (S)	19-0	A 30,000
November	30	L	Nebraska	6-14	A 16,000
Total Points/Attendance				222-27	141,000

1923

Coach: Knute Rockne		Captain: Harvey Brown		Record: 9-1-0	
September	29	W	Kalamazoo	74-0	H 10,000
October	6	W	Lombard	14-0	H 8,000
October	13	W	Army (at Ebbets Field, Brooklyn)	13-0	N c30,000
October	20	W	Princeton	25-2	A 30,000
October	27	W	Georgia Tech	35-7	H 20,000
November	3	W	Purdue (HC)	34-7	H 20,000
November	10	L	Nebraska	7-14	A 30,000
November	17	W	Butler	34-7	H 10,000
November	24	W	Carnegie Tech	26-0	A 30,000
November	29	W	St. Louis (R)	13-0	A 9,000
Total Points/Attendance				275-37	197,000

1924

Coach: Knute Rockne		Captain: Adam Walsh		Record: 10-0-0	
October	4	W	Lombard	40-0	H 8,000
October	11	W	Wabash	34-0	H 10,000
October	18	W	Army (at Polo Grounds)	13-7	N c55,000
October	25	W	Princeton	12-0	A 40,000
November	1	W	*Georgia Tech (HC)	34-3	H c22,000
November	8	W	Wisconsin	38-3	A 28,425
November	15	W	Nebraska	34-6	H c22,000
November	22	W	Northwestern (at Soldier Field)	13-6	N 45,000
November	29	W	Carnegie Tech	40-19	A 35,000
Total Points/Attendance				258-44	265,425

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January	1	W	Stanford (at Pasadena, Calif.)	27-10	N c53,000
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*Notre Dame's 200th victory

1925

Coach: Knute Rockne		Captain: Clem Crowe		Record: 7-2-1	
September	26	W	Baylor (R)	41-0	H 13,000
October	3	W	Lombard	69-0	H 10,000
October	10	W	Beloit	19-3	H 10,000
October	17	L	Army (at Yankee Stadium, NYC)	0-27	N c65,000
October	24	W	Minnesota	19-7	A c49,000
October	31	W	Georgia Tech (R)	13-0	A 12,000
November	7	T	Penn State (R)	0-0	A c20,000
November	14	W	Carnegie Tech (HC)	26-0	H c27,000
November	21	W	Northwestern	13-10	H c27,000
November	26	L	Nebraska	0-17	A c45,000
Total Points/Attendance				200-64	278,000

1926

Coach: Knute Rockne		Captains: Gene Edwards and Tom Hearden		Record: 9-1-0	
October	2	W	Beloit	77-0	H 8,000
October	9	W	Minnesota	20-7	A c48,648
October	16	W	Penn State (R)	28-0	H 18,000
October	23	W	Northwestern	6-0	A c41,000
October	30	W	Georgia Tech (R)	12-0	H 11,000
November	6	W	Indiana	26-0	H 20,000
November	13	W	Army	7-0	YS c63,029
November	20	W	Drake (HC) (S)	21-0	H 20,000
November	27	L	Carnegie Tech	0-19	A c45,000
December	4	W	USC (2:00)	13-12	A c74,378
Total Points/Attendance				210-38	349,055

1927

Coach: Knute Rockne		Captain: John Smith		Record: 7-1-1	
October	1	W	Coe (R)	28-7	H 10,000
October	8	W	Detroit	20-0	A c28,000
October	15	W	Navy (at Baltimore)	19-6	N 45,101
October	22	W	Indiana	19-6	A 16,000
October	29	W	Georgia Tech	26-7	H 17,000
November	5	T	Minnesota (S) (1:00-M)	7-7	H 25,000
November	12	L	Army	0-18	YS c65,678
November	19	W	Drake	32-0	A 8,412
November	26	W	USC (at Soldier Field)	7-6	N *c120,000
Total Points/Attendance				158-57	335,191

*Paid attendance: 99,573

1928

Coach: Knute Rockne		Captain: Fred Miller		Record: 5-4-0	
September 29	W	Loyola (New Orleans)	12-6	H	15,000
October 6	L	Wisconsin	6-22	A	29,885
October 13	W	Navy (at Soldier Field)	7-0	N	*c120,000
October 20	L	Georgia Tech	0-13	A	c35,000
October 27	W	Drake	32-6	H	12,000
November 3	W	Penn State (R) (at Philadelphia)	9-0	N	30,000
November 10	W	Army (2:30) (at Yankee Stadium)	12-6	N	c78,188
November 17	L	Carnegie Tech (R)	7-27	H†	c27,000
December 1	L	USC	14-27	A	c72,632
Total Points/Attendance				99-107	419,705

*Paid attendance: 103,081 †First defeat at home since 1905

1929

Coach: Knute Rockne		Captain: John Law		Record: 9-0-0	
October 5	W	Indiana	14-0	A	16,111
October 12	W	Navy (at Baltimore)	14-7	N	c64,681
October 19	W	Wisconsin (at Soldier Field)	19-0	N	90,000
October 26	W	Carnegie Tech	7-0	A	c66,000
November 2	W	Georgia Tech	26-6	A	22,000
November 9	W	Drake (at Soldier Field)	19-7	N	50,000
November 16	W	USC (at Soldier Field)	13-12	N*	c112,912
November 23	W	Northwestern	26-6	A	c50,000
November 30	W	Army (at Yankee Stadium)	7-0	N	c79,408
Total Points/Attendance				145-38	551,112

No home games; Notre Dame Stadium was under construction

*Paid attendance: 99,351

1930

Coach: Knute Rockne		Captain: Tom Conley		Record: 10-0-0	
October 4	W	SMU (4:00)	20-14	H	14,751
October 11	W	Navy@	26-2	H	40,593
October 18	W	Carnegie Tech	21-6	H	30,009
October 25	W	Pittsburgh	35-19	A	c66,586
November 1	W	Indiana	27-0	H	11,113
November 8	W	Pennsylvania	60-20	A	c75,657
November 15	W	Drake	28-7	H	10,106
November 22	W	Northwestern	14-0	A	c44,648
November 29	W	Army (R-S)(3:30) (at Soldier Field)	7-6	N*	c110,000
December 6	W	USC	27-0	A	c73,967
Total Points/Attendance				265-74	477,430

@Dedication of Notre Dame Stadium *Paid attendance: 103,310



The Hunk Anderson Years

3 seasons: 16-9-2 (.630)

1931

Coach: Heartley (Hunk) Anderson		Captain: Tommy Yarr		Record: 6-2-1	
October 3	W	Indiana	25-0	A	12,098
October 10	T	Northwestern (R) (at Soldier Field)	0-0	N	65,000
October 17	W	Drake	63-0	H	23,835
October 24	W	Pittsburgh	25-12	H	37,394
October 31	W	Carnegie Tech	19-0	A	42,271
November 7	W	Pennsylvania	49-0	H	39,173
November 14	W	Navy (at Baltimore)	20-0	N	56,861
November 21	L	USC (1:00)	14-16	H	*50,731
November 28	L	Army (at Yankee Stadium)	0-12	N	c78,559
Total Points/Attendance				215-40	405,922

*First capacity crowd in Notre Dame Stadium

1932

Coach: Heartley (Hunk) Anderson		Captain: Paul Host		Record: 7-2-0	
October 8	W	Haskell	73-0	H	8,369
October 15	W	Drake	62-0	H	6,663
October 22	W	Carnegie Tech	42-0	H	16,015
October 29	L	Pittsburgh	0-12	A	55,616
November 5	W	Kansas	24-6	A	18,062
November 12	W	Northwestern	21-0	H	31,853
November 19	W	Navy (at Cleveland)	12-0	N	61,122
November 26	W	Army (at Yankee Stadium)	21-0	N	c78,115
December 10	L	USC	0-13	A	c93,924
Total Points/Attendance				255-31	369,739

1933

Coach: Heartley (Hunk) Anderson		Captains: Hugh Devore & Tom Gorman			
Record: 3-5-1					
October	7	T	Kansas0-0	H	9,221
October	14	W	Indiana.....12-2	A	15,152
October	21	L	Carnegie Tech0-7	A	45,890
October	28	L	Pittsburgh0-14	H	16,627
November	4	L	Navy (at Baltimore)0-7	N	34,579
November	11	L	Purdue0-19	H	27,476
November	18	W	Northwestern7-0	A	31,182
November	25	L	USC0-19	H	25,037
December	2	W	Army (at Yankee Stadium)13-12	N	c73,594
Total Points/Attendance				32-80	278,758



The Elmer Layden Years

7 seasons: 47-13-3 (.770)

1934

Coach: Elmer Layden		Captain: Dom Vairo		Record: 6-3-0	
October 6	L	Texas	6-7	H	20,353
October 13	W	Purdue	18-7	H	34,263
October 20	W	Carnegie Tech (R)	13-0	H	11,242
October 27	W	Wisconsin	19-0	H	25,354
November 3	L	Pittsburgh	0-19	A	56,556
November 10	L	Navy (R) (at Cleveland)	6-10	N	54,571
November 17	W	Northwestern	20-7	A	38,413
November 24	W	Army (4:00) (at Yankee Stadium)	12-6	N	c78,757
December 8	W	USC	14-0	A	45,568
Total Points/Attendance				108-56	365,077

1935

Coach: Elmer Layden		Captain: *Joe Sullivan		Record: 7-1-1	
September 28	W	Kansas	28-7	H	11,102
October 5	W	Carnegie Tech	14-3	A	27,542
October 12	W	Wisconsin	27-0	A	19,863
October 19	W	Pittsburgh (3:00)	9-6	H	39,989
October 26	W	Navy (at Baltimore)	14-0	N	c57,810
November 2	W	Ohio State (0:32)	18-13	A	c81,018
November 9	L	Northwestern (R)	7-14	H	34,430
November 16	T	Army (0:29-ND) (at Yankee Stadium)	6-6	N	c78,114
November 23	W	USC	20-13	H	38,305
Total Points/Attendance				143-62	388,173

*Died from complications of pneumonia, March, 1935

1936

Coach: Elmer Layden		Captains: *Bill Smith and John Lautar		Record: 6-2-1	
October 3	W	Carnegie Tech	21-7	H	15,673
October 10	W	Washington (St. Louis)	14-6	H	9,879
October 17	W	Wisconsin (R)	27-0	H	16,423
October 24	L	(7) Pittsburgh (9)	0-26	A	c66,622
October 31	W	Ohio State (R)	7-2	H	50,017
November 7	L	(13) Navy (at Baltimore)	0-3	N	51,126
November 14	W	Army (at Yankee Stadium)	20-6	N	c74,423
November 21	W	(11) Northwestern (1)	26-6	H	52,131
December 5	T	(9) USC	13-13	A	71,201
Total Points/Attendance				128-69	407,495

*Captain-elect Smith resigned his captaincy because of illness and Lautar was elected acting captain.



Notre Dame Stadium, 1931.

1937

Coach: Elmer Layden		Captain: Joe Zwiers		Record: 6-2-1	
October	2	W	Drake	21-0	H 14,955
October	9	T	Illinois	0-0	A 42,253
October	16	L	Carnegie Tech	7-9	A 30,418
October	23	W	Navy (S) (2:00)	9-7	H 45,000
October	30	W	Minnesota (4)	7-6	A c63,237
November	6	L	(12) Pittsburgh (3)	6-21	H c54,309
November	13	W	(18) Army (R) (at Yankee Stadium)	7-0	N c76,359
November	20	W	(12) Northwestern	7-0	A 42,573
November	27	W	(9) USC (1:45)	13-6	H 28,920
Total Points/Attendance				77-49	398,024

1938

Coach: Elmer Layden		Captain: Jim McGoldrick		Record: 8-1-0	
October	1	W	Kansas	52-0	H 25,615
October	8	W	Georgia Tech	14-6	A 26,533
October	15	W	Illinois	14-6	H 29,142
October	22	W	(5) Carnegie Tech (13)	7-0	H 25,934
October	29	W	(7) Army (at Yankee Stadium)	19-7	N c76,338
November	5	W	(4) Navy (R) (at Baltimore)	15-0	N 58,271
November	12	W	(2) *Minnesota (12)	19-0	H c55,245
November	19	W	(1) Northwestern (16)	9-7	A c46,348
December	3	L	(1) USC (8)	0-13	A c97,146
Total Points/Attendance				149-39	440,572

*Notre Dame's 300th victory

1939

Coach: Elmer Layden		Captain: Johnny Kelly		Record: 7-2-0	
September	30	W	Purdue	3-0	H 31,341
October	7	W	Georgia Tech	17-14	H 17,322
October	14	W	SMU	20-19	H 29,730
October	21	W	(2) Navy (at Cleveland)	14-7	N c78,257
October	28	W	(2) Carnegie Tech (S)	7-6	A c61,420
November	4	W	(4) Army (at Yankee Stadium)	14-0	N c75,632
November	11	L	(3) Iowa	6-7	A c42,380
November	18	W	(9) Northwestern (3:30)	7-0	H 49,204
November	25	L	(7) USC (4)	12-20	H c54,799
Total Points/Attendance				100-73	440,085

1940

Coach: Elmer Layden		Captain: Milt Piepul		Record: 7-2-0	
October	5	W	Col. of Pacific	25-7	H 22,670
October	12	W	Georgia Tech	26-20	H 32,492
October	19	W	(6) Carnegie Tech	61-0	H 29,515
October	26	W	(2) Illinois	26-0	A c68,578
November	2	W	(2) Army (R) (at Yankee Stadium)	7-0	N c75,474
November	9	W	(7) Navy (4:00) (at Baltimore)	13-7	N c61,579
November	16	L	(7) Iowa (5:00)	0-7	H 45,960
November	23	L	(14) Northwestern (10)	0-20	A c46,273
December	7	W	USC	10-6	A 85,808
Total Points/Attendance				168-67	468,349

The Frank Leahy Years
11 seasons: 87-11-9 (.855)



1941

Coach: Frank Leahy		Captain: Paul Lillis		Record: 8-0-1	
September	27	W	Arizona	38-7	H 19,567
October	4	W	Indiana (R)	19-6	H 34,713
October	11	W	Georgia Tech	20-0	A c28,986
October	18	W	(8) Carnegie Tech (R)	16-0	A 17,208
October	25	W	(7) Illinois	49-14	H 34,896
November	1	T	(6) Army (R) (14) (at Yankee Stadium)	0-0	N c75,226
November	8	W	(7) Navy (6) (at Baltimore)	20-13	N c62,074
November	15	W	(5) Northwestern (8)	7-6	A c46,211
November	22	W	(4) USC	20-18	H c54,967
Total Points/Attendance				189-64	373,848

1942

Coach: Frank Leahy		Captain: George Murphy		Record: 7-2-2	
September	26	T	Wisconsin	7-7	A 23,243
October	3	L	Georgia Tech	6-13	H 20,545
October	10	W	Stanford	27-0	H 22,374
October	17	W	Iowa Pre-Flight	28-0	H 26,800
October	24	W	(8) Illinois (5)	21-14	A 43,476
October	31	W	(4) Navy (R) (at Cleveland)	9-0	N 66,699
November	7	W	(4) Army (19) (at Yankee Stadium)	13-0	N c74,946
November	14	L	(4) Michigan (6)	20-32	H c54,379
November	21	W	(8) Northwestern	27-20	H 26,098
November	28	W	(8) USC (14)	13-0	A 94,519
December	5	T	(6) Great Lakes (S) (at Soldier Field)	13-13	N 19,225
Total Points/Attendance				184-99	472,304

1943

Coach: Frank Leahy		Captain: Pat Filley		Record: 9-1-0	
September	25	W	Pittsburgh	41-0	A 43,437
October	2	W	Georgia Tech	55-13	H 26,497
October	9	W	(1) Michigan (2)	35-12	A c86,408
October	16	W	(1) Wisconsin	50-0	A 16,235
October	23	W	(1) Illinois (R)	47-0	H 24,676
October	30	W	(1) Navy (3) (at Cleveland)	33-6	N c77,900
November	6	W	(1) Army (3) (at Yankee Stadium)	26-0	N c75,121
November	13	W	(1) Northwestern (8)	25-6	A c49,124
November	20	W	(1) Iowa Pre-Flight (2)	14-13	H 39,446
November	27	L	(1) Great Lakes (0:33)	14-19	A c23,000
Total Points/Attendance				340-69	461,844

1944

Coach: Ed McKeever		Captain: Pat Filley		Record: 8-2-0	
September	30	W	Pittsburgh	58-0	A 46,069
October	7	W	Tulane	26-0	H 32,909
October	14	W	(1) Dartmouth (R) (at Fenway Park, Boston)	64-0	N c38,167
October	21	W	(1) Wisconsin	28-13	H 36,086
October	28	W	(1) Illinois (14)	13-7	A 57,122
November	4	L	(2) Navy (6) (at Baltimore)	13-32	N c60,938
November	11	L	(5) Army (1) (at Yankee Stadium)	0-59	N c75,142
November	18	W	(11) Northwestern	21-0	H 39,701
November	25	W	(18) Georgia Tech (10)	21-0	A 28,662
December	2	W	(9) Great Lakes (12)	28-7	H 36,900
Total Points/Attendance				272-118	451,696

1945

Coach: Hugh Devore		Captain: Frank Dancewicz		Record: 7-2-1	
September	29	W	Illinois	7-0	H 41,569
October	6	W	Georgia Tech	40-7	A 30,157
October	13	W	(3) Dartmouth	34-0	H 34,645
October	20	W	(3) Pittsburgh	39-9	A c57,542
October	27	W	(2) Iowa	56-0	H 42,841
November	3	T	(2) Navy (3) (at Cleveland)	6-6	N c82,020
November	10	L	(2) Army (1) (at Yankee Stadium)	0-48	N c74,621
November	17	W	(7) Northwestern	34-7	A c46,294
November	24	W	(5) Tulane	32-6	A 51,368
December	1	L	(5) Great Lakes	7-39	A c23,000
Total Points/Attendance				255-122	484,057

1946

Coach: Frank Leahy		Captains: Game-by-Game		Record: 8-0-1	
September	28	W	Illinois	26-6	A c75,119
October	5	W	Pittsburgh	33-0	H 50,350
October	12	W	(3) Purdue	49-6	H c55,452
October	26	W	(2) Iowa (17)	41-6	A 52,311
November	2	W	(2) Navy (at Baltimore)	28-0	N c63,909
November	9	T	(2) Army (1) (at Yankee Stadium)	0-0	N c74,121
November	16	W	(2) Northwestern (R)	27-0	H c56,000
November	23	W	(2) Tulane	41-0	A 65,841
November	30	W	(2) USC (16)	26-6	H c55,298
Total Points/Attendance				271-24	548,401



George Connor was the lone captain of the 1947 team that finished a perfect 9-0-0 and won the national championship.

1947

Coach: Frank Leahy		Captain: George Connor		Record: 9-0-0	
October 4	W	Pittsburgh	40-6	A	c64,333
October 11	W	(1) Purdue	22-7	A	42,000
October 18	W	(2) Nebraska	31-0	H	c56,000
October 25	W	(2) Iowa	21-0	H	c56,000
November 1	W	(1) Navy (at Cleveland)	27-0	N	c84,070
November 8	W	(1) Army (9)	27-7	H	c59,171
November 15	W	(1) Northwestern (R)	26-19	A	c48,000
November 22	W	(2) Tulane	59-6	H	c57,000
December 6	W	(1) USC (3)	38-7	A	c104,953
		Total Points/Attendance	291-52		571,527

1948

Coach: Frank Leahy		Captain: Bill Fischer		Record: 9-0-1	
September 25	W	Purdue	28-27	H	c59,343
October 2	W	Pittsburgh	40-0	A	c64,000
October 9	W	(1) Michigan State	26-7	H	c58,126
October 16	W	(2) Nebraska	44-13	A	c38,000
October 23	W	(2) Iowa	27-12	A	c53,000
October 30	W	(2) Navy (at Baltimore)	41-7	N	c63,314
November 6	W	(1) Indiana (R)	42-6	A	c34,000
November 13	W	(2) Northwestern (8)	12-7	H	c59,305
November 27	W	(2) Washington	46-0	H	50,609
December 4	T	(2) USC (0:35-ND)	14-14	A	c100,571
		Total Points/Attendance	320-93		580,268

1949

Coach: Frank Leahy		Captains: Leon Hart and Jim Martin		Record: 10-0-0	
September 24	W	Indiana	49-6	H	53,844
October 1	W	Washington	27-7	A	c41,500
October 8	W	(2) Purdue	35-12	A	c52,000
October 15	W	(1) Tulane (4)	46-7	H	c58,196
October 29	W	(1) Navy (at Baltimore)	40-0	N	c62,000
November 5	W	(1) Michigan State (10)	34-21	A	c51,277
November 12	W	(1) North Carolina (at Yankee Stadium)	42-6	N	c67,000
November 19	W	(1) Iowa	28-7	H	c56,790
November 26	W	(1) USC (17)	32-0	H	c57,214
December 3	W	(1) SMU	27-20	A	75,457
		Total Points/Attendance	360-86		575,278

1950

Coach: Frank Leahy		Captain: Jerry Groom		Record: 4-4-1	
September 30	W	(1) North Carolina (2:40) (20)	14-7	H	c56,430
October 7	L	(1) Purdue (R)	14-28	H	c56,746
October 14	W	(10) Tulane	13-9	A	73,159
October 21	L	(11) Indiana	7-20	A	c34,000
October 28	L	Michigan State (15)	33-36	H	c57,866
November 4	W	Navy (R-S) (at Cleveland)	19-10	N	71,074
November 11	W	Pittsburgh	18-7	H	c56,966
November 18	T	Iowa	14-14	A	c52,863
December 2	L	USC	7-9	A	70,177
		Total Points/Attendance	139-140		529,281

1951

Coach: Frank Leahy		Captain: Jim Mutscheller		Record: 7-2-1	
September 29	W	(14) Indiana	48-6	H	55,790
October 5	W	(5) Detroit (Nt) (at Briggs Stadium, Detroit)	40-6	N	52,331
October 13	L	(5) SMU	20-27	H	c58,240
October 20	W	Pittsburgh	33-0	A	c60,127
October 27	W	(15) Purdue	30-9	H	c57,890
November 3	W	(13) Navy (at Baltimore)	19-0	N	44,237
November 10	L	(11) Michigan State (5)	0-35	A	c51,296
November 17	W	*North Carolina	12-7	A	c44,500
November 24	T	Iowa (0:55-ND)	20-20	H	40,685
December 1	W	USC (R) (20)	19-12	A	55,783
		Total Points/Attendance	241-122		520,879

*Notre Dame's 400th victory

1952

Coach: Frank Leahy		Captain: Jack Alessandrini		Record: 7-2-1	
September 27	T	(10) Pennsylvania (12)	7-7	A	c74,518
October 4	W	(19) Texas (5)	14-3	A	c67,666
October 11	L	(8) Pittsburgh	19-22	H	45,507
October 18	W	Purdue (9)	26-14	A	49,000
October 25	W	(16) North Carolina	34-14	H	54,338
November 1	W	(13) Navy (at Cleveland)	17-6	N	61,927
November 8	W	(10) Oklahoma (4)	27-21	H	c57,446
November 15	L	(6) Michigan State (1)	3-21	A	c52,472
November 22	W	(9) Iowa	27-0	A	46,600
November 29	W	(7) USC (2)	9-0	H	c58,394
		Total Points/Attendance	183-108		567,868

1953

Coach: Frank Leahy		Captain: Don Penza		Record: 9-0-1	
September 26	W	(1) Oklahoma (6)	28-21	A	c59,500
October 3	W	(1) Purdue	37-7	A	49,135
October 17	W	(1) Pittsburgh (15)	23-14	H	c57,998
October 24	W	(1) Georgia Tech (4)	27-14	H	c58,254
October 31	W	(1) Navy (20)	38-7	H	c58,154
November 7	W	(1) Pennsylvania	28-20	A	c74,711
November 14	W	(1) North Carolina	34-14	A	c43,000
November 21	T	(1) Iowa (0:06-ND) (20)	14-14	H	c56,478
November 28	W	(2) USC (20)	48-14	A	97,952
December 5	W	(2) SMU	40-14	H	55,522
		Total Points/Attendance	317-139		610,704

The Terry Brennan Years 5 seasons: 32-18-0 (.640)



1954

Coach: Terry Brennan		Captains: Paul Matz and Dan Shannon		Record: 9-1-0	
September 25	W	(2) Texas (4)	21-0	H	c57,594
October 2	L	(1) Purdue (19)	14-27	H	c58,250
October 9	W	(8) Pittsburgh	33-0	A	c60,114
October 16	W	(8) Michigan State (R)	20-19	H	c57,238
October 30	W	(6) Navy (15) (at Baltimore)	6-0	N	c60,000
November 6	W	(5) Pennsylvania	42-7	A	61,189
November 13	W	(5) North Carolina	42-13	H	55,410
November 20	W	(4) Iowa (19)	34-18	A	c56,576
November 27	W	(4) USC (R) (5:57) (17)	23-17	H	c56,438
December 4	W	(4) SMU	26-14	A	c75,501
		Total Points/Attendance	261-115		598,310

1955

Coach: Terry Brennan		Captain: Ray Lemek		Record: 8-2-0	
September	24	W	(11) SMU	17-0	H c56,454
October	1	W	(4) Indiana	19-0	H c56,494
October	7	W	(5) Miami (Fla.)(Nt) (15)	14-0	A c75,685
October	15	L	(4) Michigan State (13)	7-21	A c52,007
October	22	W	(11) Purdue	22-7	A c55,000
October	29	W	(9) Navy (R) (4)	21-7	H c59,475
November	5	W	(6) Pennsylvania	46-14	A 45,226
November	12	W	(5) North Carolina	27-7	A 38,000
November	19	W	(4) Iowa (2:15)	17-14	H c59,955
November	26	L	(5) USC	20-42	A 94,892
Total Points/Attendance				210-112	593,188

1956

Coach: Terry Brennan		Captain: Jim Morse		Record: 2-8-0	
September	22	L	(3) SMU (Nt)(1:50)	13-19	A 61,000
October	6	W	(17) Indiana	20-6	H c58,372
October	13	L	(18) Purdue	14-28	H c58,778
October	20	L	Michigan State (2)	14-47	H c59,378
October	27	L	Oklahoma (1)	0-40	H c60,128
November	3	L	Navy (R) (at Baltimore)	7-33	N 57,773
November	10	L	Pittsburgh (20)	13-26	A c58,697
November	17	W	North Carolina (1:16)	21-14	H c56,793
November	24	L	Iowa (3)	8-48	A c56,632
December	1	L	USC (17)	20-28	A 64,538
Total Points/Attendance				130-289	592,089

1957

Coach: Terry Brennan		Captains: Dick Prendergast and Ed Sullivan		Record: 7-3-0	
September	28	W	Purdue	12-0	A c52,108
October	5	W	(16) Indiana	26-0	H 54,026
October	12	W	(12) Army (10) (at Philadelphia)	23-21	N 95,000
October	26	W	(7) Pittsburgh	13-7	H c58,775
November	2	L	(5) Navy (R) (16)	6-20	H c58,922
November	9	L	(15) Michigan State (4)	6-34	A c75,391
November	16	W	Oklahoma (3:50) (2)	7-0	A c63,170
November	23	L	(9) Iowa (8)	13-21	H c58,734
November	30	W	(12) USC (S)	40-12	H 54,793
December	7	W	(10) SMU	54-21	A 51,000
Total Points/Attendance				200-136	621,919

1958

Coach: Terry Brennan		Captains: Al Ecuyer and Chuck Puntillo		Record: 6-4-0	
September	27	W	(5) Indiana	18-0	H 49,347
October	4	W	(7) SMU (17)	14-6	A 61,500
October	11	L	(4) Army	2-14	H c60,564
October	18	W	(12) Duke	9-7	H c59,068
October	25	L	(11) Purdue (R) (15)	22-29	H c59,563
November	1	W	Navy (15) (at Baltimore)	40-20	N c57,773
November	8	L	(14) Pittsburgh (0:11)	26-29	A 55,330
November	15	W	North Carolina (11)	34-24	H c56,839
November	22	L	(15) Iowa (6)	21-31	A c58,230
November	29	W	(18) USC	20-13	A 66,903
Total Points/Attendance				206-173	585,117

The Joe Kuharich Years 4 seasons: 17-23 (.425)



1959

Coach: Joe Kuharich		Captains: Ken Adamson		Record: 5-5-0	
September	26	W	North Carolina (R)	28-8	H 56,746
October	3	L	(8) Purdue	7-28	A c50,362
October	10	W	California	28-6	A 68,500
October	17	L	Michigan State	0-19	A 73,480
October	24	L	Northwestern (R) (2)	24-30	H c59,078
October	31	W	Navy (0:32)	25-22	H c58,652
November	7	L	Georgia Tech (4:27) (19)	10-14	H c58,575
November	14	L	Pittsburgh (R)	13-28	A 52,337
November	21	W	Iowa (3:25) (16)	20-19	A c58,500
November	28	W	USC (7)	16-6	H 48,684
Total Points/Attendance				171-180	584,914

1960

Coach: Joe Kuharich		Captain: Myron Pottios		Record: 2-8-0	
September	24	W	California	21-7	H 49,286
October	1	L	(12) Purdue	19-51	H c59,235
October	8	L	North Carolina (R)	7-12	A 41,000
October	15	L	Michigan State (14)	0-21	H c59,133
October	22	L	Northwestern	6-7	A c55,682
October	29	L	Navy (R) (4) (at Philadelphia)	7-14	N 63,000
November	5	L	Pittsburgh (14)	13-20	H 55,696
November	12	L	Miami (Fla.)(Nt)	21-28	A 58,062
November	19	L	Iowa	0-28	H 45,000
November	26	W	USC (R)	17-0	A 54,146
Total Points/Attendance				111-188	540,240

1961

Coach: Joe Kuharich		Captains: Norb Roy and Nick Buoniconti		Record: 5-5-0	
September	30	W	Oklahoma	19-6	H 55,198
October	7	W	Purdue	22-20	A c51,295
October	14	W	(8) USC	30-0	H 50,427
October	21	L	(6) Michigan State (1)	7-17	A c76,132
October	28	L	(8) Northwestern	10-12	H c59,075
November	4	L	Navy	10-13	H c59,075
November	11	W	Pittsburgh	26-20	A 50,527
November	18	W	Syracuse (0:00) (10)	17-15	H 49,246
November	25	L	Iowa	21-42	A c58,000
December	2	L	Duke	13-37	A 35,000
Total Points/Attendance				175-182	543,975

1962

Coach: Joe Kuharich		Captain: Mike Lind		Record: 5-5-0	
September	29	W	Oklahoma	13-7	A c60,500
October	6	L	Purdue	6-24	H *c61,296
October	13	L	Wisconsin	8-17	A c61,098
October	20	L	Michigan State (R)	7-31	H c60,116
October	27	L	Northwestern (3)	6-35	A c55,752
November	3	W	Navy (R) (at Philadelphia)	20-12	N 35,000
November	10	W	Pittsburgh	43-22	H 52,215
November	17	W	North Carolina	21-7	H 35,553
November	24	W	Iowa	35-12	H 42,653
December	1	L	USC (1)	0-25	A 81,676
Total Points/Attendance				159-192	545,859

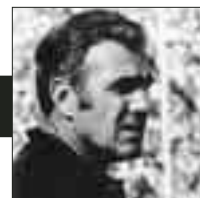
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1963

Coach: Hugh Devore		Captain: Bob Lehmann		Record: 2-7-0	
September	28	L	Wisconsin (1:07) (6)	9-14	H 56,806
October	5	L	Purdue	6-7	A c51,723
October	12	W	USC (6:28) (7)	17-14	H c59,135
October	19	W	UCLA	27-12	H 42,948
October	26	L	Stanford	14-24	A 55,000
November	2	L	Navy (4)	14-35	H c59,362
November	9	L	Pittsburgh (8)	7-27	H 41,306
November	16	L	Michigan State (4)	7-12	A 70,128
November	23		Iowa*		A
November	28	L	Syracuse (3:28) (at Yankee Stadium)	7-14	N 56,972
Total Points/Attendance				108-159	493,380

*Game cancelled because of the death of President John F. Kennedy

The Ara Parseghian Years 11 seasons: 95-17-4 (.836)



1964

Coach: Ara Parseghian		Captain: Jim Carroll		Record: 9-1-0	
September	26	W	Wisconsin (R)	31-7	A c64,398
October	3	W	(9) Purdue	34-15	H c59,611
October	10	W	(6) Air Force	34-7	A c44,384
October	17	W	(4) UCLA	24-0	H 58,335
October	24	W	(2) Stanford	28-6	H 56,721
October	31	W	(2) Navy (at Philadelphia)	40-0	N 66,752
November	7	W	(1) Pittsburgh	17-15	A 56,628
November	14	W	(1) Michigan State	34-7	H c59,265
November	21	W	(1) Iowa	28-0	H c59,135
November	28	L	(1) USC (1:33)	17-20	A 83,840
Total Points/Attendance				287-77	609,069

1965

Coach: Ara Parseghian		Captain: Phil Sheridan		Record: 7-2-1	
September 18	W	(3) California	48-6	A	53,000
September 25	L	(1) Purdue (6)	21-25	A	c61,291
October 2	W	(8) Northwestern	38-7	H	c59,273
October 9	W	(7) Army (Nt) (at Shea Stadium, NYC)	17-0	N	c61,000
October 23	W	(7) USC (R) (4)	28-7	H	c59,235
October 30	W	(4) Navy	29-3	H	c59,206
November 6	W	(4) Pittsburgh	69-13	A	c57,169
November 13	W	(4) North Carolina	17-0	H	c59,216
November 20	L	(4) Michigan State (1)	3-12	H	c59,291
November 27	T	(6) Miami (Fla.) (Nt)	0-0	A	68,077
		Total Points/Attendance	270-73		596,758

1966

Coach: Ara Parseghian		Captain: Jim Lynch		Record: 9-0-1	
September 24	W	(6) Purdue (8)	26-14	H	c59,075
October 1	W	(4) Northwestern	35-7	A	c55,356
October 8	W	(3) Army	35-0	H	c59,075
October 15	W	(2) North Carolina	32-0	H	c59,075
October 22	W	(1) Oklahoma (10)	38-0	A	c63,439
October 29	W	(1) Navy (at Philadelphia)	31-7	N	70,101
November 5	W	(1) Pittsburgh	40-0	H	c59,075
November 12	W	(1) Duke	64-0	H	c59,075
November 19	T	(1) Michigan State (2)	10-10	A	c80,011
November 26	W	(1) USC (10)	51-0	A	88,520
		Total Points/Attendance	362-38		652,802

1967

Coach: Ara Parseghian		Captain: Bob (Rocky) Bleier		Record: 8-2-0	
September 23	W	(1) California	41-8	H	c59,075
September 30	L	(1) Purdue (10)	21-28	A	c62,316
October 7	W	(6) Iowa	56-6	H	c59,075
October 14	L	(5) USC (1)	7-24	H	c59,075
October 21	W	Illinois	47-7	A	c71,227
October 28	W	Michigan State	24-12	H	c59,075
November 4	W	(10) Navy	43-14	H	c59,075
November 11	W	(9) Pittsburgh	38-0	A	54,075
November 18	W	(9) *Georgia Tech	36-3	A	c60,024
November 24	W	(6) Miami (Fla.) (Nt)	24-22	A	c77,265
		Total Points/Attendance	337-124		620,282

*Notre Dame's 500th victory

1968

Coach: Ara Parseghian		Captains: George Kunz and Bob Olson		Record: 7-2-1	
September 21	W	(3) Oklahoma (5)	45-21	H	c59,075
September 28	L	(2) Purdue (1)	22-37	H	c59,075
October 5	W	(5) Iowa	51-28	A	58,043
October 12	W	(5) Northwestern	27-7	H	c59,075
October 19	W	(6) Illinois	58-8	H	c59,075
October 26	L	(5) Michigan State	17-21	A	c77,339
November 2	W	(12) Navy (at Philadelphia)	45-14	N	63,738
November 9	W	(12) Pittsburgh	56-7	H	c59,075
November 16	W	(9) Georgia Tech	34-6	H	c59,075
November 30	T	(9) USC (2)	21-21	A	82,659
		Total Points/Attendance	376-170		636,229

1969

Coach: Ara Parseghian		Captains: Bob Olson and Mike Oriard		Record: 8-2-1	
September 20	W	(11) Northwestern	35-10	H	c59,075
September 27	L	(9) Purdue (16)	14-28	A	c68,179
October 4	W	Michigan State (14)	42-28	H	c59,075
October 11	W	(15) Army (at Yankee Stadium)	45-0	N	c63,786
October 18	T	(11) USC (3)	14-14	H	c59,075
October 25	W	(12) Tulane (Nt)	37-0	A	40,250
November 1	W	(10) Navy	47-0	H	c59,075
November 8	W	(8) Pittsburgh (R)	49-7	A	44,084
November 15	W	(9) Georgia Tech (Nt)	38-20	A	41,104
November 22	W	(8) Air Force	13-6	H	c59,075
		Total Points/Attendance	334-113		552,778

COTTON BOWL

January 1	L	(9) Texas (1:08) (1) (at Dallas, Texas)	17-21	N	c73,000
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1970

Coach: Ara Parseghian		Captains: Larry DiNardo and Tim Kelly		Record: 10-1-0	
September 19	W	(6) Northwestern	35-14	A	50,049
September 26	W	(6) Purdue	48-0	H	c59,075
October 3	W	(4) Michigan State	29-0	A	c76,103
October 10	W	(3) Army	51-10	H	c59,075
October 17	W	(3) Missouri (18)	24-7	A	c64,200
October 31	W	(3) Navy (at Philadelphia)	56-7	N	45,226
November 7	W	(2) Pittsburgh	46-14	H	c59,075
November 14	W	(1) Georgia Tech (6:28)	10-7	H	c59,075
November 21	W	(2) LSU (2:54) (7)	3-0	H	c59,075
November 28	L	(4) USC (R)	28-38	A	64,694
		Total Points/Attendance	330-97		595,647

COTTON BOWL

January 1	W	(6) Texas (1) (at Dallas, Texas)	24-11	N	c73,000
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1971

Coach: Ara Parseghian		Captains: Walt Patulski and Tom Gatewood		Record: 8-2-0	
September 18	W	(2) Northwestern	50-7	H	c59,075
September 25	W	(2) Purdue (2:58) (R)	8-7	A	c69,765
October 2	W	(4) Michigan State	14-2	H	c59,075
October 9	W	(7) Miami (Fla.) (Nt)	17-0	A	c66,039
October 16	W	(7) North Carolina	16-0	H	c59,075
October 23	L	(6) USC	14-28	H	c59,075
October 30	W	(12) Navy	21-0	H	c59,075
November 6	W	(8) Pittsburgh	56-7	A	55,528
November 13	W	(8) Tulane	21-7	H	c59,075
November 20	L	(7) LSU (Nt) (14)	8-28	A	c66,936
		Total Points/Attendance	225-86		612,718

1972

Coach: Ara Parseghian		Captains: John Dampier and Greg Marx		Record: 8-3-0	
September 23	W	(13) Northwestern	37-0	A	c55,155
September 30	W	(10) Purdue	35-14	H	c59,075
October 7	W	(7) Michigan State	16-0	A	c77,828
October 14	W	(7) Pittsburgh	42-16	H	c59,075
October 21	L	(8) Missouri (R)	26-30	H	c59,075
October 28	W	(13) TCU	21-0	H	c59,075
November 4	W	(12) Navy (at Philadelphia)	42-23	N	43,089
November 11	W	(12) Air Force	21-7	A	c48,671
November 18	W	(10) Miami (Fla.)	20-17	H	c59,075
December 2	L	(10) USC (1)	23-45	A	75,243
		Total Points/Attendance	283-152		595,361

ORANGE BOWL

January 1	L	(12) Nebraska (Nt) (9) (at Miami, Florida)	6-40	N	c80,010
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1973

Coach: Ara Parseghian		Captains: Dave Casper, Frank Pomarico and Mike Townsend		Record: 11-0-0	
September 22	W	(8) Northwestern	44-0	H	c59,075
September 29	W	(7) Purdue	20-7	A	c69,391
October 6	W	(8) Michigan State	14-10	H	c59,075
October 13	W	(9) Rice (Nt)	28-0	A	50,321
October 20	W	(8) Army	62-3	A	c42,503
October 27	W	(8) USC (R) (6)	23-14	H	c59,075
November 3	W	(5) Navy	44-7	H	c59,075
November 10	W	(5) Pittsburgh (S) (20)	31-10	A	c56,593
November 22	W	(5) Air Force	48-15	H	57,236
December 1	W	(5) Miami (Fla.) (Nt)	44-0	A	42,968
		Total Points/Attendance	358-66		555,312

SUGAR BOWL

December 31	W	(3) Alabama (4:26) (Nt) (1) (at New Orleans)	24-23	N	c85,161
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1974

Coach: Ara Parseghian		Captains: Tom Clements and Greg Collins		Record: 10-2-0	
September 9	W	(2) Georgia Tech (Nt)	31-7	A	45,228
September 21	W	(1) Northwestern	49-3	A	c55,000
September 28	L	(2) Purdue (R)	20-31	H	c59,075
October 5	W	(7) Michigan State	19-14	A	c77,431
October 12	W	(6) Rice (3:08)	10-3	H	c59,075
October 19	W	(7) Army (S)	48-0	H	c59,075
October 26	W	(7) Miami (Fla.)	38-7	H	c59,075
November 2	W	(7) Navy (at Philadelphia)	14-6	N	48,634
November 16	W	(5) Pitt (R) (2:49) (17)	14-10	H	c59,075
November 23	W	(5) Air Force (R)	38-0	H	c59,075
November 30	L	(5) USC (6)	24-55	A	83,522
		Total Points/Attendance	305-136		664,265

ORANGE BOWL

January 1	W	(9) Alabama (U) (2) (at Miami, Florida)	13-11	N	71,801
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The Dan Devine Years 6 seasons: 53-16-1 (.764)



1975

Coach: Dan Devine		Captains: Ed Bauer and Jim Stock		Record: 8-3-0	
September 15	W	(9) Boston College (Nt) (at Foxboro)	17-3	N	c61,501
September 20	W	(9) Purdue	17-0	A	c69,795
September 27	W	(7) Northwestern	31-7	H	c59,075
October 4	L	(8) Michigan State (3:50)	3-10	H	c59,075
October 11	W	(15) North Carolina (1:03)	21-14	A	c49,500
October 18	W	(15) Air Force (3:23)	31-30	A	43,204
October 25	L	(9) Pittsburgh	17-24	H	c59,075
November 1	W	(15) Navy (R)	31-10	H	c59,075
November 8	W	(12) Georgia Tech	24-3	H	c59,075
November 15	L	(9) Pittsburgh	20-34	A	c56,480
November 22	W	Miami (Fla.)(Nt)	32-9	A	24,944
Total Points/Attendance				244-144	600,799

1976

Coach: Dan Devine		Captains: Mark McLane and Willie Fry		Record: 9-3-0	
September 11	L	(11) Pittsburgh (9)	10-31	H	c59,075
September 18	W	Purdue (1:39)	23-0	H	c59,075
September 25	W	Northwestern	48-0	A	44,396
October 2	W	(18) Michigan State	24-6	A	c77,081
October 16	W	(14) Oregon	41-0	H	c59,075
October 23	W	(12) South Carolina (19)	13-6	A	c56,721
October 30	W	(11) Navy (at Cleveland)	27-21	N	61,172
November 6	L	(11) Georgia Tech	14-23	A	50,079
November 13	W	(18) Alabama (10)	21-18	H	c59,075
November 20	W	(13) Miami (Fla.)	40-27	H	c59,075
November 27	L	(13) USC (3)	13-17	A	76,561
Total Points/Attendance				274-149	661,925

GATOR BOWL

December 27	W	(15) Penn State (Nt) (20) (at Jacksonville)	20-9	N	67,827
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1977

Coach: Dan Devine		Captains: Ross Browner, Terry Eurick, Willie Fry & Steve Orsini		Record: 11-1-0	
September 10	W	(3) Pittsburgh (7)	19-9	A	c56,500
September 17	L	(3) Mississippi (3:28) (at Jackson)	13-20	N	c48,200
September 24	W	(11) Purdue (1:39)	31-24	A	c68,966
October 1	W	(14) Michigan State	16-6	H	c59,075
October 15	W	(11) Army (at Giants Stadium, N.J.)	24-0	N	c72,594
October 22	W	(11) USC (5)	49-19	H	c59,075
October 29	W	(5) Navy	43-10	H	c59,075
November 5	W	(5) Georgia Tech	69-14	H	c59,075
November 12	W	(5) Clemson (15)	21-17	A	c54,189
November 19	W	(6) Air Force	49-0	H	c59,075
December 3	W	(5) Miami (Fla.)(Nt)	48-10	A	35,789
Total Points/Attendance				382-129	631,613

COTTON BOWL

January 2	W	(5) Texas (1) (at Dallas, Texas)	38-10	N	c76,701
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1978



Tom Clements served as a team captain along with Greg Collins in 1974 when the Irish finished the season 10-2 and defeated second-ranked Alabama in the Orange Bowl. (photo by Dennis Luczak)

Coach: Dan Devine Captains: Bob Golic, Jerome Heavens & Joe Montana

Record: 9-3-0

September 9	L	(5) Missouri (12:50)	0-3	H	c59,075
September 23	L	(14) Michigan (5)	14-28	H	c59,075
September 30	W	Purdue	10-6	H	c59,075
October 7	W	Michigan State	29-25	A	c77,087
October 14	W	Pittsburgh (9)	26-17	H	c59,075
October 21	W	(20) Air Force	38-15	A	35,425
October 28	W	(19) Miami (Fla.)	20-0	H	c59,075
November 4	W	(15) Navy (11) (at Cleveland)	27-7	N	63,780
November 11	W	(14) Tennessee	31-14	H	c59,075
November 18	W	(10) Georgia Tech (20)	38-21	A	54,526
November 25	L	(8) USC (0:02) (3)	25-27	A	84,256

Total Points/Attendance 258-163 669,524

COTTON BOWL

January 1	W	(10) Houston (0:00) (9) (at Dallas, Texas)	35-34	N	32,500
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**Notre Dame's 600th victory*

1979

Coach: Dan Devine Captains: Vagas Ferguson, Tim Foley & Dave Waymer

Record: 7-4-0

September 15	W	(9) Michigan (6)	12-10	A	c105,111
September 22	L	(5) Purdue (17)	22-28	A	c70,567
September 29	W	(15) Michigan State (7)	27-3	H	c59,075
October 6	W	(10) Georgia Tech (R)	21-13	H	c59,075
October 13	W	(10) Air Force	38-13	A	34,881
October 20	L	(9) USC (4)	23-42	H	c59,075
October 27	W	(14) South Carolina (:42)	18-17	H	c59,075
November 3	W	(13) Navy	14-0	H	c59,075
November 10	L	(13) Tennessee	18-40	A	c86,489
November 17	L	Clemson (14)	10-16	H	c59,075
November 24	W	Miami (Fla.)(R)	40-15	N*	62,574
Total Points/Attendance				243-197	714,072

**National Olympic Stadium, Tokyo, Japan*

1980

Coach: Dan Devine Captains: Bob Crable, Tom Gibbons & John Scully

Record: 9-2-1

September 6	W	(11) Purdue (9)	31-10	H	c59,075
September 20	W	(8) Michigan (0:00) (14)	29-27	H	c59,075
October 4	W	(7) Michigan State	26-21	A	c76,821
October 11	W	(7) Miami (13)	32-14	H	c59,075
October 18	W	(5) Army	30-3	H	c59,075
October 25	W	(4) Arizona (Nt)	20-3	A	c56,211
November 1	W	(3) Navy (at Giants Stadium)	33-0	N	c76,891
November 8	T	(1) Georgia Tech (ND 4:44)	3-3	A	41,266
November 15	W	(6) Alabama (5)	7-0	A*	c78,873
November 22	W	(2) Air Force	24-10	H	c59,075
December 6	L	(2) USC (17)	3-20	A	82,663
Total Points/Attendance				238-111	708,100

SUGAR BOWL

January 1	L	(7) Georgia (1) (at New Orleans)	10-17	N	c77,895
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**Legion Field, Birmingham, Ala.*

The Gerry Faust Years 5 seasons: 30-26-1 (.535)



1981

Coach: Gerry Faust Captains: Bob Crable and Phil Carter

Record: 5-6-0

September 12	W	(4) LSU	27-9	H	c59,075
September 19	L	(1) Michigan (11)	7-25	A	c105,888
September 26	L	(13) Purdue (0:19)	14-15	A	c70,007
October 3	W	Michigan State	20-7	H	c59,075
October 10	L	Florida State (7:41) (20)	13-19	H	c59,075
October 24	L	USC (4:52) (5)	7-14	H	c59,075
October 31	W	Navy	38-0	H	c59,075
November 7	W	Georgia Tech	35-3	H	c59,075
November 14	W	Air Force	35-7	A	36,700
November 21	L	Penn State (3:48) (13)	21-24	A	c84,175
November 27	L	Miami (9)	15-37	A	50,681
Total Points/Attendance				232-160	701,901

1982

Coach: Gerry Faust **Captains:** Phil Carter, Dave Duerson and Mark Zavagnin

Record: 6-4-1

September 18	W	(20) Michigan (Nt) (10)	23-17	H	c59,075
September 25	W	(10) Purdue	28-14	H	c59,075
October 2	W	(11) Michigan St.	11-3	A	c77,119
October 9	W	(10) Miami (0:11) (17)	16-14	H	c59,075
October 16	L	(9) Arizona (0:00)	13-16	H	c59,075
October 23	T	(15) Oregon (0:11 ND)	13-13	A	40,381
October 30	W	Navy (at Giants Stadium)	27-10	N	72,201
November 6	W	Pittsburgh (1)	31-16	A	c60,162
November 13	L	(13) Penn State (5)	14-24	H	c59,075
November 20	L	(18) Air Force	17-30	A	46,712
November 27	L	USC (0:48) (17)	13-17	A	76,459

Total Points/Attendance206-174 **668,409**

* First night game at Notre Dame Stadium

1983

Coach: Gerry Faust **Captains:** Blair Kiel and Stacey Toran **Record:** 7-5-0

September 10	W	(5) Purdue	52-6	A	c69,782
September 17	L	(4) Michigan St. (8:59)	23-28	H	c59,075
September 24	L	(13) Miami (Nt)	0-20	A	52,480
October 1	W	Colorado	27-3	A	c52,692
October 8	W	South Carolina (Nt) (7)	30-6	A	c74,500
October 15	W	Army (at Giants Stadium, N.J.)	42-0	N	75,131
October 22	W	USC	27-6	H	c59,075
October 29	W	(19) Navy	28-12	H	c59,075
November 5	L	(18) Pittsburgh (13:54)	16-21	H	c59,075
November 12	L	Penn State (0:19)	30-34	A	c85,899
November 19	L	Air Force (1:35)	22-23	H	c59,075

Total Points/Attendance297-159 **705,859**

LIBERTY BOWL

December 29	W	Boston Col. (Nt) (13) (at Memphis, Tenn.)	19-18	N	47,071
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1984

Coach: Gerry Faust **Captains:** Mike Golic, Joe Johnson & Larry Williams

Record: 7-5-0

September 8	L	(8) Purdue (at Hoosier Dome, Indianapolis)	21-23	N	c60,672
September 15	W	Michigan St. (8:16)	24-20	A	c76,919
September 22	W	Colorado	55-14	H	c59,075
September 29	W	(19) Missouri	16-14	A	c70,915
October 6	L	(17) Miami (Nt)(R) (14)	13-31	H	c59,075
October 13	L	Air Force (R)	7-21	H	c59,075
October 20	L	South Carolina (R) (11)	32-36	H	c59,075
October 27	W	LSU (6)	30-22	A	c78,033
November 3	W	Navy (0:14) (at Giants Stadium)	18-17	N	61,795
November 17	W	Penn State	44-7	H	c59,075
November 24	W	USC (R) (14)	19-7	A	66,342

Total Points/Attendance279-212 **668,274**

ALOHA BOWL

December 29	L	(17) SMU (10) (at Honolulu)	20-27	N	41,777
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1985

Coach: Gerry Faust **Captains:** Tony Furjanic, Mike Larkin, Allen Pinkett, Tim Scannell **Record:** 5-6-0

September 14	L	(13) Michigan	12-20	A	c105,523
September 21	W	Michigan St. (Nt)	27-10	H	c59,075
September 28	L	Purdue	17-35	A	c69,338
October 5	L	Air Force (5:16) (17)	15-21	A	c52,123
October 19	W	Army (19)	24-10	H	c59,075
October 26	W	USC	37-3	H	c59,075
November 2	W	Navy	41-17	H	c59,075
November 9	W	Mississippi (R)	37-14	H	c59,075
November 16	L	Penn State (R) (1)	6-36	A	c84,000
November 23	L	LSU (3:26) (17)	7-10	H	c59,075
November 30	L	Miami (4)	7-58	A	49,236

Total Points/Attendance230-234 **714,670**

The Lou Holtz Years

11 seasons: 100-30-2 (.765)



1986

Coach: Lou Holtz **Captain:** Mike Kovaleski **Record:** 5-6-0

September 13	L	Michigan (3)	23-24	H	c59,075
September 20	L	(20) Michigan State	15-20	A	c79,895
September 27	W	Purdue	41-9	H	c59,075
October 4	L	Alabama (2)	10-28	A*	c75,808
October 11	L	Pittsburgh (1:25)	9-10	H	c59,075
October 18	W	Air Force	31-3	H	c59,075
November 1	W	Navy (Nt) (at Memorial Stadium, Balt.)	33-14	N	c61,335
November 8	W	SMU	61-29	H	c59,075
November 15	L	Penn State (3)	19-24	H	c59,075
November 22	L	LSU (Nt) (8)	19-21	A	c78,197
November 29	W	USC (0:00) (17)	38-37	A	70,614

Total Points/Attendance299-219 **720,299**

*Legion Field, Birmingham, Ala.

1987

Coach: Lou Holtz **Captains:** Chuck Lanza, Byron Spruell **Record:** 8-4-0

September 12	W	(16) Michigan (9)	26-7	A	c106,098
September 19	W	(9) Michigan St. (Nt) (17)	31-8	H	c59,075
September 26	W	(8) Purdue	44-20	A	c68,528
October 10	L	(4) Pittsburgh (Nt)(R)	22-30	A	c56,400
October 17	W	(11) Air Force	35-14	A	c51,112
October 24	W	(10) USC	26-15	H	c59,075
October 31	W	(9) Navy	56-13	H	c59,075
November 7	W	(9) Boston College (5:25)	32-25	H	c59,075
November 14	W	(7) Alabama (10)	37-6	H	c59,075
November 21	L	(7) Penn State	20-21	A	c84,000
November 28	L	(10) Miami (2)	0-24	A	c76,640

Total Points/Attendance329-183 **738,153**

COTTON BOWL

January 1	L	(12) Texas A&M (13) (at Dallas, Texas)	10-35	N	c73,006
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1988

Coach: Lou Holtz **Captains:** Ned Bolcar, Mark Green, Andy Heck **Record:** 12-0-0

September 10	W	(13) Michigan (1:13) (Nt) (9)	19-17	H	c59,075
September 17	W	(8) Michigan State	20-3	A	c77,472
September 24	W	(8) Purdue	52-7	H	c59,075
October 1	W	(5) Stanford (Nt)	42-14	H	c59,075
October 8	W	(5) Pittsburgh	30-20	A	c56,500
October 15	W	(4) Miami (1)	31-30	H	c59,075
October 22	W	(2) Air Force	41-13	H	c59,075
October 29	W	(2) Navy (at Memorial Stadium, Balt.)	22-7	N	54,929
November 5	W	(1) Rice	54-11	H	c59,075
November 19	W	(1) Penn State	21-3	H	c59,075
November 26	W	(1) USC (2)	27-10	A	c93,829

Total Points/Attendance359-135 **696,255**

FIESTA BOWL

January 2	W	(1) West Virginia (3) (at Tempe, Ariz.)	34-21	N	c74,911
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Lou Holtz was carried off the field at Sun Devil Stadium in Tempe, Ariz., after the Irish defeated West Virginia in the Sunkist Fiesta Bowl to win the 1988 national championship.



1989

Coach: Lou Holtz	Captains: Ned Bolcar, Anthony Johnson, Tony Rice	Record: 12-1-0
August 31	W (2) Virginia (Nt) (at Giants Stadium)	36-13 N c77,323
September 16	W (1) Michigan (2)	24-19 A c105,912
September 23	W (1) Michigan State	21-13 H c59,075
September 30	W (1) Purdue	40-7 A c67,861
October 7	W (1) Stanford	27-17 A c86,019
October 14	W (1) Air Force (Nt) (17)	41-27 A c53,533
October 21	W (1) USC (5:18) (9)	28-24 H c59,075
October 28	W (1) Pittsburgh (7)	45-7 H c59,075
November 4	W (1) Navy	41-0 H c59,075
November 11	W (1) SMU	59-6 H c59,075
November 18	W (1) Penn State (17)	34-23 A c86,025
November 25	L (1) Miami (7)	10-27 A c81,634
Total Points/Attendance		406-173 853,682

ORANGE BOWL

January 1	W (4) Colorado (1) (at Miami, Florida)	21-6 N c81,191
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1990

Coach: Lou Holtz	Captains: Mike Heldt, Todd Lyght, Ricky Watters, Chris Zorich	Record: 9-3-0
September 15	W (1) Michigan (Nt)(1:40) (4)	28-24 H c59,075
September 22	W (1) Michigan St.(0:34) (24)	20-19 A c80,401
September 29	W (1) Purdue	37-11 H c59,075
October 6	L (1) Stanford (0:36)	31-36 H c59,075
October 13	W (8) Air Force	57-27 H c59,075
October 20	W (6) Miami (2)	29-20 H c59,075
October 27	W (3) Pittsburgh (Nt)	31-22 A c56,500
November 3	W (2) Navy (at Giants Stadium)	52-31 N 70,382
November 10	W (1) Tennessee (9)	34-29 A c97,123
November 17	L (1) Penn State (0:04) (18)	21-24 H c59,075
November 24	W (7) USC (Nt) (18)	10-6 A c91,639
Total Points/Attendance		350-249 750,495

ORANGE BOWL

January 1	L (5) Colorado (Nt) (at Miami, Florida) (1)	9-10 N c77,062
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1991

Coach: Lou Holtz	Captain: Rodney Culver	Record: 10-3-0
September 7	W (7) Indiana	49-27 H c59,075
September 14	L (7) Michigan (3)	14-24 A c106,138
September 21	W (11) Michigan State	49-10 H c59,075
September 28	W (8) Purdue	45-20 A c67,861
October 5	W (8) Stanford (Nt)	42-26 A 70,798
October 12	W (7) Pittsburgh (12)	42-7 H c59,075
October 19	W (5) Air Force (Nt)	28-15 A c52,024
October 26	W (5) USC	24-20 H c59,075
November 2	W (5) @ Navy	38-0 H c59,075
November 9	L (5) *Tennessee (4:03) (13)	34-35 H c59,075
November 16	L (12) Penn State (8)	13-35 A c96,672
November 30	W (17) Hawaii (Nt)	48-42 A c50,000
Total Points/Attendance		426-261 797,943

SUGAR BOWL

January 1	W (18) Florida (Nt) (3) (at New Orleans)	39-28 N c76,447
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* 300th game played in Notre Dame Stadium

@ Notre Dame's 700th victory

1992

Coach: Lou Holtz	Captains: Demetrius DuBose, Rick Mirer	Record: 10-1-1
September 5	W (3) Northwestern (at Soldier Field)	42-7 N 64,877
September 12	T (3) Michigan (5:28 ND) (6)	17-17 H c59,075
September 19	W (7) Michigan State	52-31 A c76,188
September 26	W (6) Purdue (R)	48-0 H c59,075
October 3	L (7) Stanford (19)	16-33 H c59,075
October 10	W (14) Pittsburgh (Nt)	52-21 A 52,155
October 24	W (10) Brigham Young	42-16 H c59,075
October 31	W (10) Navy (at Giants Stadium, N.J.)	38-7 N 58,769
November 7	W (8) Boston College (9)	54-7 H c59,075
November 14	W (8) Penn State (S) (0:20) (22)	17-16 H c59,075
November 28	W (5) USC (Nt) (19)	31-23 A 90,063
Total Points/Attendance		409-178 696,502

COTTON BOWL

January 1	W (5) Texas A & M (at Dallas, Texas) (4)	28-3 N c71,615
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Safety Shawn Wooden was a team captain with Paul Grasmanis, Ryan Leahy, Derrick Mayes and Dusty Zeigler for the 1995 season when the Irish went 9-3 and played Florida State in the Orange Bowl. (photo by Cheryl Ertelt)

1993

Coach: Lou Holtz	Captains: Jeff Burris, Tim Ruddy, Aaron Taylor, Bryant Young	Record: 11-1-0
September 4	W (7) Northwestern	27-12 H c59,075
September 11	W (11) Michigan (3)	27-23 A # c106,851
September 18	W (4) Michigan State	36-14 H c59,075
September 25	W (4) Purdue (R)	17-0 A 67,861
October 2	W (4) Stanford	48-20 A 80,300
October 9	W (4) Pittsburgh	44-0 H c59,075
October 16	W (3) Brigham Young (Nt)	45-20 A c66,247
October 23	W (2) USC	31-13 H c59,075
October 30	W (2) Navy (R) (at Veterans Stadium, Pa.)	58-27 N 61,813
November 13	W (2) Florida State (1)	31-24 H c59,075
November 20	L (1) Boston College (0:00) (16)	39-41 H c59,075
Total Points/Attendance		403-194 737,522

COTTON BOWL

January 1	W (4) Texas A&M (2:22) (at Dallas, Texas) (7)	24-21 N 69,855
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largest regular-season attendance in NCAA history at time of game

1994

Coach: Lou Holtz	Captains: Lee Becton, Justin Goheen, Brian Hamilton, Ryan Leahy	Record: 6-5-1
September 3	W (3) Northwestern (Nt) (at Soldier Field)	42-15 N c66,946
September 10	L (3) Michigan (6) (-:02)	24-26 H c59,075
September 17	W (8) Michigan State	21-20 A c74,183
September 24	W (9) Purdue (R)	39-21 H c59,075
October 1	W (8) Stanford	34-15 H c59,075
October 8	L (8) Boston College	11-30 A c44,500
October 15	L (17) BYU	14-21 H c59,075
October 29	W Navy	58-21 H c59,075
November 12	L Florida State (8) (at Citrus Bowl, Orlando) (2:53)	16-23 N c72,868
November 19	W Air Force	42-30 H c59,075
November 26	T USC (Nt) (17) (4:53 USC)	17-17 A c90,217
Total Points/Attendance		318-239 703,164

FIESTA BOWL

January 2	L Colorado (4) (at Tempe, Ariz.)	24-41 N c73,698
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1995

Coach: Lou Holtz	Captains: Paul Grasmanis, Ryan Leahy, Derrick Mayes, Shawn Wooden, Dusty Zeigler	Record: 9-3-0
September 2	L (9) Northwestern	15-17 H c59,075
September 9	W (25) Purdue	35-28 A c70,559
September 16	W (24) Vanderbilt	41-0 H c59,075
September 23	W (21) Texas (13)	55-27 H c59,075
September 30	L (15) Ohio State (7)	26-45 A c95,537
October 7	W (23) Washington (1:24, 0:28) (15)	29-21 A c74,023
October 14	W (17) Army (at Giants Stadium)	28-27 N c74,218
October 21	W (17) USC (5)	38-10 H c59,075
October 28	W (12) Boston College	20-10 H c59,075
November 4	W (8) Navy	35-17 H c59,075
November 18	W (8) Air Force (Nt)	44-14 A c54,182
Total Points/Attendance		366-216 723,269

ORANGE BOWL

January 1	L (6) Florida State (8) (Nt) (at Miami, Fla.)	26-31 N 72,198
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1996

Coach: Lou Holtz		Captains: Lyron Cobbins, Marc Edwards, Ron Powlus		Record: 8-3	
September 5	W	(6) Vanderbilt (Nt)	14-7	A	c41,523
September 14	W	(9) Purdue	35-0	H	c59,075
September 21	W	(9) Texas (0:00) (6)	27-24	A	c83,312
September 28	L	(5) Ohio State (4)	16-29	H	c59,075
October 12	W	(11) Washington (16)	54-20	H	c59,075
October 19	L	(8) Air Force	17-20 (1 OT)	H	c59,075
November 2	W	(19) Navy (Croke Park, Dublin, Ireland)	54-27	N	38,651
November 9	W	(17) Boston College	48-21	A	c44,500
November 16	W	(14) Pittsburgh	60-6	H	c59,075
November 23	W	(10) Rutgers	62-0	H	c59,075
November 30	L	(10) USC (Nt)	20-27 (1 OT)	A	c90,296
		Total Points/Attendance	407-181		652,732

* Notre Dame's 1,000th game

The Bob Davie Years 5 seasons: 35-25 (.583)



1997

Coach: Bob Davie		Captains: Melvin Dansby, Ron Powlus, Allen Rossum		Record: 7-6	
September 6	W	(11) *Georgia Tech (2:37)	17-13	H	c80,225
September 13	L	(12) Purdue	17-28	A	c68,789
September 20	L	Michigan State (17)	7-23	H	c80,225
September 27	L	Michigan (6)	14-21	A	c106,508
October 4	L	Stanford (19)	15-33	A	75,651
October 11	W	Pittsburgh	45-21	A	47,306
October 18	L	USC (1:05)	17-20	H	c80,225
October 25	W	Boston College	52-20	H	c80,225
November 1	W	Navy (R) (5:48)	21-17	H	c80,225
November 15	W	LSU (11)	24-6	A	c80,556
November 22	W	West Virginia (22) (4:56)	21-14	H	c80,225
November 29	W	Hawaii (0:05) (Nt)	23-22	A	41,509
		Total Points/Attendance	273-238		901,669

INDEPENDENCE BOWL

December 28	L	LSU (15) (Nt) (at Shreveport, La.)	9-27	N	c50,459
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* Rededication of Notre Dame Stadium

1998

Coach: Bob Davie		Captains: Bobbie Howard, Kory Minor, Mike Rosenthal		Record: 9-3	
September 5	W	(22) Michigan (5)	36-20	H	c80,012
September 12	L	(10) Michigan State (Nt)	23-45	A	c74,267
September 26	W	(23) Purdue (0:57)	31-30	H	c80,225
October 3	W	(23) Stanford	35-17	H	c80,012
October 10	W	(22) Arizona State	28-9	A	c73,501
October 24	W	(18) Army (1:06)	20-17	H	c80,012
October 31	W	(16) Baylor	27-3	H	c80,012
November 7	W	(13) Boston College (5:54)	31-26	A	c44,500
November 14	W	(12) Navy (at Jack Kent Cooke Stadium, Raljon, Md.)	30-0	N	c78,844
November 21	W	(10) LSU (1:27)	39-36	H	c80,012
November 28	L	(9) USC (Nt)	0-10	A	90,069
		Total Points/Attendance	300-213		841,253

GATOR BOWL

January 1	L	(17) Georgia Tech (12) (at Jacksonville, Fla.)	28-35	N	70,790
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1999

Coach: Bob Davie		Captain: Jarious Jackson		Record: 5-7	
August 28	W	(18) * Kansas	48-13	H	c80,012
September 4	L	(16) Michigan (7) (1:38)	22-26	A	c111,523
September 11	L	(16) Purdue (20)	23-28	A	c69,843
September 18	L	(24) Michigan State	13-23	H	c80,012
October 2	W	Oklahoma (23)	34-30	H	c80,012
October 9	W	Arizona State	48-17	H	c80,012
October 16	W	USC (2:40) (R)	25-24	H	c80,012
October 30	W	Navy (0:36)	28-24	H	c80,012
November 6	L	(24) Tennessee (4) (Nt)	14-38	A	c107,619
November 13	L	Pittsburgh	27-37	A	c60,190
November 20	L	Boston College (25)	29-31	H	c80,012
November 27	L	Stanford (Nt) (0:00)	37-40	A	57,980
		Total Points/Attendance	348-331		967,239

* State of Indiana Eddie Robinson Classic

largest regular-season attendance in NCAA history at time of game

2000

Coach: Bob Davie		Captains: Anthony Denman, Jabari Holloway, Grant Irons, Dan O'Leary		Record: 9-3	
September 2	W	Texas A&M (23)	24-10	H	c80,232
September 9	L	(23) Nebraska (1)	24-27 (1 OT)	H	c80,232
September 16	W	(21) Purdue (13) (0:00)	23-21	H	c80,232
September 23	L	(16) Michigan State (23) (1:48)	21-27	A	c74,714
October 7	W	(25) Stanford	20-14	H	c80,232
October 14	W	(20) Navy (Citrus Bowl, Orlando, Fla.)	45-14	N	47,291
October 21	W	(20) West Virginia	42-28	A	c64,424
October 28	W	(19) Air Force	34-31 (1 OT)	H	c80,232
November 11	W	(11) Boston College	28-16	H	c80,653
November 18	W	(11) Rutgers	45-17	A	c40,011
November 25	W	(11) USC	38-21	A	81,342
		Total Points/Attendance	344-226		865,023

TOSTITOS FIESTA BOWL

January 1	L	(10) Oregon State (5) (Nt) (Tempe, Ariz.)	9-41	N	c75,428
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2001

Coach: Bob Davie		Captains: Rocky Boiman, David Givens, Grant Irons, Anthony Weaver		Record: 5-6	
September 8	L	(23) Nebraska (5) (Nt)	10-27	A	c78,118
September 22	L	(23) Michigan State	10-17	H	c80,795
September 29	L	Texas A&M	3-24	A	c87,206
October 6	W	Pittsburgh	24-7	H	c80,795
October 13	W	West Virginia (R)	34-24	H	c80,795
October 20	W	USC	27-16	H	c80,795
October 27	L	Boston College (Nt)	17-21	A	c44,500
November 3	L	Tennessee (7)	18-28	H	c80,795
November 17	W	Navy	34-16	H	c80,795
November 24	L	Stanford (13) (1:08) (Nt) (R)	13-17	A	51,780
December 1	W	Purdue (Nt)	24-18	A	c68,750
		Total Points/Attendance	214-215		815,124

The Tyrone Willingham Years 2 seasons: 15-10 (.600)



2002

Coach: Tyrone Willingham		Captains: Arnaz Battle, Sean Mahan, Jerome Sapp, Shane Walton		Record: 10-3	
August 31	W	Maryland (21) (Nt) *(at Giants Stadium)	22-0	N	c72,903
September 7	W	(23) Purdue	24-17	H	c80,795
September 14	W	(20) Michigan (7)	25-23	H	c80,795
September 21	W	(12) Michigan State (1:15)	21-17	A	c75,182
October 5	W	(9) Stanford	31-7	H	c80,795
October 12	W	(8) Pittsburgh	14-6	H	c80,795
October 19	W	(7) Air Force (18) (Nt)	21-14	A	c56,409
October 26	W	(6) Florida State (11)	34-24	A	c84,106
November 2	L	(4) Boston College	7-14	H	c80,935
November 9	W	(9) Navy (at Ravens Stadium) (2:08)	30-23	N	c70,260
November 23	W	(8) Rutgers	42-0	H	c80,795
November 30	L	(7) USC (6) (Nt)	13-44	A	c91,432
		Total Points/Attendance	290-207		1,008,693

GATOR BOWL

January 1	L	(11) NC State (17) (at Alltel Stadium)	6-28	N	c73,491
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* Kickoff Classic, East Rutherford, N.J.

2003

Coach: Tyrone Willingham		Captains: Darrell Campbell, Vontez Duff		Record: 5-7	
September 6	W	Washington State	29-26 (1 OT)	H	c80,795
September 13	L	(5) Michigan	0-38	A	c111,726
September 20	L	Michigan State	16-22	H	c80,795
September 27	L	(22) Purdue	10-23	A	c64,614
October 11	W	(15) Pittsburgh (Nt)	20-14	A	c66,421
October 18	L	(5) USC	14-45	H	c80,795
October 25	L	Boston College (0:38)	25-27	A	c44,500
November 1	L	(5) Florida State	0-37	H	c80,795
November 8	W	Navy (0:00)	27-24	H	c80,795
November 15	W	Brigham Young	33-14	H	c80,795
November 29	W	Stanford (Nt)	57-7	A	c46,500
December 6	L	Syracuse	12-38	A	c48,170
		Total Points/Attendance	243-315		866,701

No. 1 Matchups

Since the Associated Press began its national collegiate football poll in 1936, Notre Dame has faced the top ranked team on 23 occasions. Here are the results of those confrontations:

November 21, 1936	NORTHWESTERN	W	26-6
November 11, 1944	Army (Yankee Stadium)	L	0-59
November 10, 1945	Army (Yankee Stadium)	L	0-48
November 9, 1946	Army (Yankee Stadium)	T	0-0
November 15, 1952	at Michigan State	L	3-21
October 21, 1961	at Michigan State	L	7-17
December 1, 1962	at USC	L	0-25
November 20, 1965	MICHIGAN STATE	L	3-12
October 14, 1967	USC	L	7-24
September 28, 1968	PURDUE	L	22-37
January 1, 1970	Texas (Cotton Bowl)	L	17-21
January 1, 1971	Texas (Cotton Bowl)	W	24-11
December 2, 1972	at USC	L	23-45
December 31, 1973	Alabama (Sugar Bowl)	W	24-23
January 2, 1978	Texas (Cotton Bowl)	W	38-10
January 1, 1981	Georgia (Sugar Bowl)	L	10-17
November 6, 1982	at Pittsburgh	W	31-16
November 16, 1985	at Penn State	L	6-36
October 15, 1988	MIAMI	W	31-30
January 1, 1990	Colorado (Orange Bowl)	W	21-6
January 1, 1991	Colorado (Orange Bowl)	L	9-10
November 13, 1993	FLORIDA STATE	W	31-24
September 9, 2000	NEBRASKA	L	24-27 (ot)

In addition to compiling that 8-14-1 record when facing the number-one-ranked teams, Notre Dame has come into 77 other games as the top-ranked team itself. Here's how the Irish fared in compiling a 62-12-3 record:

November 19, 1938	at Northwestern	W	9-7
December 3, 1938	at USC	L	0-13
October 9, 1943	at Michigan	W	35-12
October 16, 1943	at Wisconsin	W	50-0
October 23, 1943	ILLINOIS	W	47-0
October 30, 1943	Navy (Cleveland)	W	33-6
November 6, 1943	Army (Yankee Stadium)	W	26-0
November 13, 1943	at Northwestern	W	25-6
November 20, 1943	IOWA PRE-FLIGHT	W	14-13
November 27, 1943	at Great Lakes	L	14-19
October 14, 1944	Dartmouth (Boston)	W	64-0
October 21, 1944	WISCONSIN	W	28-13
October 28, 1944	at Illinois	W	13-7
October 11, 1947	at Purdue	W	22-7
November 1, 1947	Navy (Cleveland)	W	27-0
November 8, 1947	ARMY	W	27-7
November 15, 1947	at Northwestern	W	26-19
December 6, 1947	at USC	W	38-7
October 9, 1948	MICHIGAN STATE	W	26-7
November 6, 1948	at Indiana	W	42-6
October 15, 1949	TULANE	W	46-7
October 29, 1949	Navy (Baltimore)	W	40-0
November 5, 1949	at Michigan State	W	34-21
November 12, 1949	North Carolina (Yankee Stadium)	W	42-6
November 19, 1949	IOWA	W	28-7
November 26, 1949	USC	W	32-0
December 3, 1949	at SMU	W	27-20
September 30, 1950	NORTH CAROLINA	W	14-7
October 7, 1950	PURDUE	L	14-28
September 26, 1953	at Oklahoma	W	28-21
October 3, 1953	at Purdue	W	37-7
October 17, 1953	PITTSBURGH	W	23-14
October 24, 1953	GEORGIA TECH	W	27-14

October 31, 1953	NAVY	W	38-7
November 7, 1953	at Pennsylvania	W	28-20
November 14, 1953	at North Carolina	W	34-14
November 21, 1953	IOWA	T	14-14
October 2, 1954	PURDUE	L	14-27
November 7, 1964	at Pittsburgh	W	17-15
November 14, 1964	MICHIGAN STATE	W	34-7
November 21, 1964	IOWA	W	28-0
November 28, 1964	at USC	L	17-20
September 25, 1965	at Purdue	L	21-25
October 22, 1966	at Oklahoma	W	38-0
October 29, 1966	Navy (Philadelphia)	W	31-7
November 5, 1966	PITTSBURGH	W	40-0
November 12, 1966	DUKE	W	64-0
November 19, 1966	at Michigan State	T	10-10
November 26, 1966	at USC	W	51-0
September 23, 1967	CALIFORNIA	W	41-8
September 30, 1967	at Purdue	L	21-28
November 14, 1970	GEORGIA TECH	W	10-7
September 21, 1974	at Northwestern	W	49-3
November 8, 1980	at Georgia Tech	T	3-3
September 19, 1981	at Michigan	L	7-25
November 5, 1988	RICE	W	54-11
November 19, 1988	PENN STATE	W	21-3
November 26, 1988	at USC	W	27-10
January 2, 1988	West Virginia (Fiesta Bowl)	W	34-21
September 16, 1989	at Michigan	W	24-19
September 23, 1989	MICHIGAN STATE	W	21-13
September 30, 1989	at Purdue	W	40-7
October 7, 1989	at Stanford	W	27-17
October 14, 1989	at Air Force	W	41-27
October 21, 1989	USC	W	28-24
October 28, 1989	PITTSBURGH	W	45-7
November 4, 1989	NAVY	W	41-0
November 11, 1989	SMU	W	59-6
November 18, 1989	at Penn State	W	34-23
November 25, 1989	at Miami	L	10-27
September 15, 1990	MICHIGAN	W	28-24
September 22, 1990	at Michigan State	W	20-19
September 29, 1990	PURDUE	W	37-11
October 6, 1990	STANFORD	L	31-36
November 10, 1990	at Tennessee	W	34-29
November 17, 1990	PENN STATE	L	21-24
November 20, 1993	BOSTON COLLEGE	L	39-41

Since the AP poll began in '36, Notre Dame has played 260 games against teams ranked in the wire service's top 25 at the time of the game. The Irish record stands at 136-114-10 against those ranked teams, with individual Notre Dame coaches compiling the following records in those games as well as in games while their teams were top-ranked or were facing top-ranked opponents:

Coach	Years	Vs. Top 25	Vs. #1	As #1
Elmer Layden	'34-'40	5-5-0	1-0-0	1-1-0
Frank Leahy	'41-'43, '46-'53	30-4-4	0-1-1	29-2-1
Ed McKeever	'44	3-2-0	0-1-0	3-0-0
Hugh Devore	'45-'63	1-5-1	0-1-0	0-0-0
Terry Brennan	'54-'58	11-13-0	0-0-0	0-1-0
Joe Kuharich	'59-'62	3-9-0	0-2-0	0-0-0
Ara Parseghian	'64-'74	14-11-3	2-5-0	1-3-1
Dan Devine	'75-'80	17-10-0	1-1-0	0-0-1
Gerry Faust	'81-'85	7-14-0	1-1-0	0-1-0
Lou Holtz	'86-'96	34-20-2	3-1-0	18-4-0
Bob Davie	'97-2001	6-15-0	0-1-0	0-0-0
Tyrone Willingham	2002-present	5-6-0	0-0-0	0-0-0
Totals		136-114-10	8-14-1	62-12-3

Notre Dame holds the distinction of being ranked in the Associated Press poll 667 times in history and being ranked number one by the AP more than any other team.

Since the poll began in '36, rankings have been published on 899 occasions. Notre Dame has been ranked 667 times or in 74.1 percent of all polls taken. Here's a top 10 listing of teams and how many times they've appeared in the AP rankings through the years:

1. Michigan	693
2. Notre Dame	667
3. Ohio State	661
4. Nebraska	614
5. Oklahoma	603
6. Alabama	587
7. USC	572
8. Texas	565
9. Penn State	513
10. UCLA	453

Here's a decade-by-decade listing of who has appeared most in the AP rankings:

1936-39 (31 polls)

1. Duke	30
2. Notre Dame	27
3. Santa Clara	25

1940-49 (89 polls)

1. Michigan	87
2. Notre Dame	85
3. Pennsylvania	72

1950-59 (116 polls)

1. Oklahoma	110
2. Michigan St.	86
3. Notre Dame	83

1960-69 (125 polls)

1. Alabama	98
2. Texas	89
3. Arkansas	79
4. Notre Dame	77

1970-79 (148 polls)

1. Michigan	148
2. Nebraska	147
3. Oklahoma	138
4. Texas	138
6. Notre Dame	135

1980-89 (161 polls)

1. Nebraska	149
2. Oklahoma	136
3. Michigan	132
4. Alabama	130
5. Georgia	122
Notre Dame	95

1990-99 (161 polls)

1. Florida State	161
Nebraska	161
3. Tennessee	150
4. Colorado	130
5. Miami	127
6. Notre Dame	127

2000-2003 (68 polls)

1. Miami (Fla.)	68
Florida State	68
Michigan	68
Oklahoma	68
Virginia Tech	68
6. Texas	67
7. Georgia	63
8. Florida	61
9. Washington	47
10. Oregon	43

Since '36, Notre Dame has enjoyed number-one rankings more than any other team. In the 849 AP polls taken, Notre Dame has been atop the standings on 95 different occasions with Oklahoma second at 78. Here's a top 10 listing of teams and how many times they've been ranked first through the years:

1. Notre Dame	95
2. Oklahoma	91
3. Ohio State	72
4. Nebraska	62
5. Florida State	57
6. Miami (Fla.)	51
7. USC	48
8. Texas	40
9. Michigan	33
10. Alabama	31

Here's a decade-by-decade listing of who has appeared most atop the AP listings:

1936-39 (31 polls)

1. Pittsburgh	8
2. Minnesota	4
Tennessee	4
Texas A&M	4
5. Notre Dame	3
Northwestern	3
California	3

1940-49 (89 polls)

1. Notre Dame	30
2. Army	22
3. Minnesota	11

1950-59 (116 polls)

1. Oklahoma	26
2. Michigan State	16
3. LSU	14
4. Notre Dame	13

1960-69 (125 polls)

1. Texas	22
2. USC	19
3. Ohio State	17
4. Notre Dame	16

1970-79 (148 polls)

1. Ohio State	32
2. USC	25
3. Oklahoma	22
8. Notre Dame	5

1980-89 (161 polls)

1. Notre Dame	21
Oklahoma	21
3. Nebraska	20
Miami (Fla.)	20

1990-99 (161 polls)

(Note: Washington and Miami were tied for one week during 1992)

1. Florida State	56
2. Florida	20
3. Nebraska	19
4. Miami	17
5. Ohio State	10
6. Penn State	8
7. Notre Dame	7
8. Michigan	6
9. Washington	5
10. Colorado	4

2000-2003 (51 polls)

1. Miami	29
2. Oklahoma	25
3. Nebraska	9
4. Florida	3
5. USC	1
Florida State	1
Ohio State	1

Notre Dame also boasts the fourth-longest streak for consecutive rankings by appearing somewhere in the AP rankings in 159 consecutive polls beginning with the poll published September 28, 1964 and ending on November 17, 1975. Nebraska owns the longest consecutive ranking streak with 330, which ended in 2002, followed by Florida State with 237 and Michigan with 194.



Win-Loss Margins

ALL-TIME WINS

142	American Medical (142-0)	1905
109	St. Viator (116-7)	1912
103	Rose Poly (103-0)	1914
92	American Medical (92-0)	1902
88	Chi. Phys. & Surgeons (88-0)	1908
87	Ohio Northern (87-0)	1913
82	Highland Views (82-0)	1896
80	Loyola (80-0)	1911
77	Beloit (77-0)	1926
74	Kalamazoo (74-0)	1923

MODERN WINS

64	Duke (64-0)	1966
64	Dartmouth (64-0)	1944
62	Rutgers (62-0)	1996
61	Carnegie Tech (61-0)	1940
59	Army (62-3)	1973
58	Pittsburgh (58-0)	1944
56	Pittsburgh (69-13)	1965
56	Iowa (56-0)	1945
55	Georgia Tech (69-14)	1977
54	Pittsburgh (60-6)	1996

ALL-TIME LOSSES

59	Army (59-0)	1944
58	Wisconsin (58-0)	1904
54	Wisconsin (54-0)	1900
51	Miami (58-7)	1985
48	Army (48-0)	1945
40	Oklahoma (40-0)	1956
40	Iowa (48-8)	1956
38	Michigan (38-0)	2003
37	Florida State (37-0)	2003
35	Michigan State (35-0)	1951

The Big Games



Notre Dame end Knute Rockne is shown running for a touchdown after taking a pass from teammate Gus Dorais as Notre Dame defeated Army 35-13 on Nov. 1, 1913. That contest helped make the forward pass a standard part of the game.

A number of games in Notre Dame history have been heralded as among the greatest and most exciting in college football history.

Among the most acclaimed have been Irish bowl wins over Alabama in the '73 Sugar Bowl, Texas in the '78 Cotton Bowl, Houston in the '79 Cotton Bowl, West Virginia in the '89 Fiesta Bowl and Colorado in the '90 Orange Bowl. The wins over Alabama, Texas and West Virginia (all over unbeaten opponents) clinched national championships for Notre Dame. The triumph over Houston has been called the most incredible comeback in Notre Dame history, while the Colorado contest marked the latest in a series against top-ranked and unbeaten bowl opponents.

There are many more games—such as the 1993 win over top-ranked Florida State, the 29-27 win over Michigan in '80 on Harry Oliver's 51-yard field goal as time ran out—that have featured fantastic finishes and others—like the '88 triumph over Miami—that have broken lengthy winning streaks by Irish opponents. Here are details of some of the most memorable games in Notre Dame's record books:

Notre Dame 35, Army 13 November 1, 1913

When Army reluctantly agreed to pay Notre Dame \$1,000 for its long journey to the plains of West Point, the good-but stingy-generals conceded the hefty sum would be worth a victory.

Although the Cadets knew coach Jesse Harper's Irish were a Midwestern powerhouse (they'd lost just one game the previous three seasons), most Army fans felt Notre Dame would serve merely as a tasty appetizer for the West Pointers' annual picnic with Navy. The Irish might be able to give Army a run for its money, but surely the Cadets' gridiron superiority would crush the Hoosier hayseeds who had arrived from their all-day train trip with 18 players—and just 14 pairs of cleats.

Army, which had scouted Notre Dame's 62-0 thrashing of Alma, was expecting a hard-hitting, powerful running attack, led by a strong line. Instead, the Cadets found themselves in the middle of an unrelenting blitzkrieg.

Notre Dame got off to a rocky start. After winning the coin toss and electing to receive (a bold move in those days), quarterback Gus Dorais fumbled during the opening series, and Army recovered on the Irish 27-yard line. But the potent Cadet offense gained just one yard on three tries, and the Army began to realize that \$1,000 was a steep price tag for humiliation.

"After we had stood terrific pounding by the Army line, and a trio of backs that charged in like locomotives, we held them on downs," said Knute Rockne, then a senior end. "Dorais, in a huddle said, 'Let's open up.' It was amusing to see the Army boys huddle after a first, snappy 11-yard pass had been completed for a first down. Their guards and tackles went tumbling into us to stop line bucks and plunges. Instead, Dorais stepped neatly back and flipped the ball to an uncovered end or halfback. This we did on a march up the field, gaining three first downs in almost as many minutes."

Notre Dame's surprising passing game helped the visitors stake claim to a 14-13 lead at halftime. The Cadets certainly weren't strangers to the aerial toss; in fact, Army was the premier passing team of the East. But the Cadets, along with the rest of the football world, thought passes were thrown only in desperation—as a last resort. The West Pointers couldn't adjust to a team using the pass as its bread and butter.

So the Irish offense continued to shoot rockets in the second half, and Army, with a young cadet named Dwight Eisenhower sitting on the bench, failed miserably on defense.

When Dorais wasn't hurling spirals to Rockne (a technique the pair had mastered during the summer when they worked as lifeguards at the beach resort of Cedar Point, Ohio), Ray Eichenlaub would break through the line for a long gain. Even the Army partisans oohed and aahed at Notre Dame's amazing versatility.

By game's end, Dorais had completed 14 of 17 passes (he misfired on his first two tries) for 243 yards—unheard of—of totals in 1913. And his 40-yard toss to Rockne was the longest pass ever completed to that day. Notre Dame had rocked the football world with its stunning 35-13 victory.

The win revolutionized college football as the forward pass, a legal weapon since 1906, gained popularity as a legitimate offensive tool.

"The press and the football public hailed this new game, and Notre Dame received credit as the originator of a style of play that we simply systematized," said Rockne.

Notre Dame also earned a national reputation with its victory, and teams from all over the East were clamoring for a matchup. Notre Dame had made it to the big top.

Notre Dame 12, Army 6 November 10, 1928

Knute Rockne was desperate.

His 1928 team, decimated by injuries, already had lost two of its first six games. Three powerful teams—Army, Carnegie Tech and Southern California—loomed on the schedule before the season (the worst in Rockne's illustrious coaching career) would mercifully draw to a close.

Rockne knew that if his Ramblers could upend Army—winner of six straight games—in Yankee Stadium, a losing record could be averted. His critics were claiming he'd lost his touch; the magic was gone. But Rockne knew better. The week of the game he quietly told his neighbor that Notre Dame would beat Army. Rockne had a plan. His team might not be able to win on talent, but Notre Dame would win on emotion and spirit. Rockne would deliver what would later become the most famous pep talk in sports history.

After pregame warm-ups, Rockne huddled his players in the locker room. They laid down on World War I blankets that covered the cold, clammy floor. Rockne waited until the room was silent. He lowered his head before speaking.

He began slowly—telling the team about George Gipp, a Notre Dame player who had died during his senior season eight years ago. Although none of the players had known Gipp personally, each and every one of them had heard of his exploits. They knew Gipp had been the greatest player of his time.

Rockne, who had been at Gipp's bedside, repeated the young athlete's last wish.

"I've got to go, Rock. It's all right. I'm not afraid. Sometime, Rock, when the team is up against it, when things are wrong and the breaks are beating the boys—tell them to go in there with all they've got and win just one for the Gipper. I don't know where I'll be then, Rock. But I'll know about it, and I'll be happy."

Rockne continued.

"The day before he died George Gipp asked me to wait until the situation seemed hopeless—then ask a Notre Dame team to go out and beat Army for him. This is the day, and you are the team."

"There was no one in the room that wasn't crying," recalled line coach Ed Healey. "There was a moment of silence, and then all of a sudden those players ran out of the dressing room and almost tore the hinges off the door. They were all ready to kill someone."

Army didn't have a chance.

After falling behind 6-0 in the third period, Notre Dame scored two touchdowns and held off a last-chance rally by the Cadets for a 12-6 win.

Jack Chevigny tied the score at 6-6 with a one-yard plunge. As he picked himself up in the end zone, he jumped up and shouted, "That's one for the Gipper."

The emotional Chevigny was helping Notre Dame drive toward its final and winning score in the last quarter when he was injured. Rockne was forced to take him out and replace Chevigny with Bill Drew. Reserve Johnny O'Brien, a willowy hurdler for the track team, took Johnny Colrick's place at left end.

The Irish were 32 yards from the goal line. Left halfback Butch Niemiec took the ball, looked downfield to O'Brien and flung a wobbly pass over an Army defender. O'Brien hauled the ball in on the 10-yard line, squeezed past two tacklers and dove into the end zone for the winning touchdown. O'Brien never became a starter in his career with Notre Dame, but "One-Play" was a legitimate hero to Irish fans.

As O'Brien scored, the Notre Dame bench erupted in whoops and hollers. The injured Chevigny cried on the sidelines, "That's one for the Gipper, too."

Even Rockne showed his satisfaction with the play.

"You could see a great, big smile on his face," said quarterback Frank Carideo. "He was happy when things created during the week were used to perfection in the ballgame."

But O'Brien's touchdown didn't put the game safely away. Army had another chance with less than two minutes to go. The Cadets drove methodically through the Notre Dame defense, helped by a 55-yard kickoff return by All-American Chris Cagle. Cagle, who had played all of the game, collapsed at the 10-yard line because of exhaustion and had to be carried from the field. Dick Hutchinson took the ball to the four and then to the one. But time ran out before the Cadets could get off another play, and Notre Dame had indeed "won one for the Gipper."

Notre Dame 18, Ohio State 13 November 2, 1935

More than 60 years have passed since Notre Dame's unbelievable 18-13 upset of Ohio State, but the 1935 confrontation is still labeled "The Game of the Century."

Although both teams were undefeated heading into the clash, the top-ranked Buckeyes were heavy favorites. One sportswriter picked Ohio State by 40 points since coach Francis "Close the Gates of Mercy" Schmidt had his Bucks riding rampant over every foe. The Irish, good but not that good, weren't given much of a chance.

But coach Elmer Layden, a former member of the Four Horsemen, said, "The 1935 team

was one that believed in itself to an extraordinary extent. It was fired emotionally because death walked with it in every game."

Captain-elect Joe Sullivan, a starting tackle, had died of pneumonia several months before the season began. His teammates didn't elect another captain. Instead, they dedicated each contest to Sullivan.

Electricity had been generating in Columbus for weeks before the big game. There were parades and pep rallies. University officials and city politicians went into hiding to avoid "friends" seeking tickets. Scalpers were scoffing at any offer less than \$50.

On the Friday before the game, Layden took his team to a secluded seminary outside the city for workouts, hoping to avoid the carnival-like atmosphere on campus. But when the Irish arrived, they were greeted by thousands of Buckeye fans shouting, "Catholics, go home."

When Saturday came, over 81,000 fans jammed into Ohio Stadium. The Buckeyes got off to a quick start and owned a commanding 13-0 lead at halftime. The pregame predictions were coming true. Ohio State's offense operated at will, and Notre Dame couldn't do anything right.

"I had never seen a Notre Dame offense so completely stopped," said writer Francis Wallace. "When the Irish passed, the ball was intercepted and converted into a touchdown. It was difficult to get a running play started against the hard-charging Ohio State line. It was even hard to get a punt away."

In the dressing room, Layden announced that the second team would start the second half. He ended his analytical pep talk by saying, "They won the first half. Now it's your turn. Go out and win this half for yourselves."

The defense finally figured out how to stop Ohio State's razzle-dazzle, and the offense, behind the superb antics of Andy Pilney, got on track. At the end of the third quarter, Ohio State still was ahead 13-0, but the Irish were driving. Notre Dame was on the Buckeyes' 12-yard line.

Pilney passed to Francis Gaul at the two-yard line. On the next play, Steve Miller went over for the touchdown. The conversion attempt hit the crossbar and wobbled back onto the field, but Notre Dame had cracked the scoreboard.

The Irish were threatening again, but Miller fumbled in the end zone and Ohio State recovered. Notre Dame's hopes dimmed as the Bucks moved downfield. But the defense finally forced Ohio State to punt, and Notre Dame was back in the business of creating miracles.

With three minutes to go, the Irish started from their own 20-yard line. Pilney's zig-zag running brought the Irish quickly into Ohio State territory. Then he tossed a 33-yard touchdown pass to Mike Layden. A kick would tie the game. But the Irish missed again, and the Buckeyes clung to a 13-12 advantage.

Layden called for an onside kick, but Ohio State wasn't fooled and recovered the ball. All the Buckeyes had to do was maintain possession for a win. But on Dick Beltz' drive off right tackle, he was hit hard by Pilney and lost the football. Notre Dame's second-string center Henry Pojman recovered on the Ohio State 49.

The crowd was out of control. Layden was crouching on the sidelines, chain-smoking. He sent in a play. The ball came back to Pilney, who dropped back to throw. But all his receivers were covered. He took off, swerving to avoid a rush of Buckeye defenders. They finally forced him out of bounds on the Ohio State 19-yard line. But Pilney didn't get up. He had torn cartilage in his knee and had to be carried from the field on a stretcher.

Bill Shakespeare entered the game with half a minute remaining. He threw straight at Buckeye defender Beltz, who had his hands on the ball, but couldn't hang on.

Layden sent in scrub quarterback Jim McKenna with another play. McKenna had sneaked aboard the team train to Columbus, and his teammates had helped hide him in a berth. When he couldn't scrounge up a ticket for the game, he talked his way into the Notre Dame locker room. When Layden saw him, he ordered the industrious youth to get dressed. He did, but in his excitement he forgot his pads. Now he was bringing in the winning play.

Shakespeare threw another pass. Wayne Millner caught the ball in the end zone. The miracle was almost complete.

"I've thought a lot about the pass. But I wake up nights dreaming about the one before it—the one the Ohio State guy had in his hands and dropped," said Shakespeare years after the game. "If he'd held it, Wayne and I both would have been bums."

Pilney, the game's hero, missed the touchdown. He was being carried to the locker room.

"While they were carrying me toward the dressing room door, I was trying to turn my head, even though I was in intense pain, to see what was happening," he remembered. "I heard the crowd and the trainer says to me, 'Andy, it's over. We won.' That's the last thing I remember. Then I went out."

Notre Dame 0, Army 0 November 9, 1946

Once again Notre Dame found itself in the middle of a classic confrontation. Old rivals Army and Notre Dame were scheduled to meet in New York City's Yankee Stadium. Although the Cadets had won 25 straight and appeared headed for their third straight national championship, World War II was over, Frank Leahy was back from the Navy and many former Irish players were trading in their military uniforms for football jerseys.

The Army-Notre Dame game would be the game of the year. Yankee Stadium had been sold out since June even though tickets didn't go on sale publicly until August 1. Over \$500,000 in refund checks were issued to disappointed fans. Requests for press credentials reached record levels, and many lucky ticket holders were blatantly scalping them for \$200.

While Leahy was serving in the Navy, Notre Dame had been whitewashed twice by the Cadets—59-0 in 1944 and 48-0 in 1945. Leahy had listened to those games overseas, and now that he was back, he was determined to change things.



Empty seats aren't to be found in Yankee Stadium as Notre Dame and Army square off in the famous 0-0 deadlock in 1946.

His Irish methodically pounded their first five opponents into the ground, setting the stage for a battle of the unbeaten in Yankee Stadium. The week before the game, his squad would take periodical breaks during practice to chant, "Fifty-nine and forty-eight, this is the year we retaliate." Notre Dame students sent daily postcards to Army coach Earl "Red" Blaik. All were signed "SPATNC" — Society for the Prevention of Army's Third National Championship.

But the game of the year failed to answer any questions about supremacy in the college football world. The brutal, hard-fought struggle ended in a disappointing and frustrating 0-0 tie.

"I suppose I should be elated over the tie," mused Leahy after the game. "After all, we didn't lose, but I'm not."

Blaik echoed his thoughts.

"There is no jubilation in this dressing room. It was a vigorously-fought, terrific defensive game. Both teams played beautifully on the defense and that affected both teams' attacks."

Neither squad mustered much of a scoring threat all afternoon. Notre Dame drove all the way to the Army four-yard line in the second quarter, but the Black Knights stopped the Irish on downs. Notre Dame had moved the ball mostly by running down the right side. When the Irish got the ball to the Navy four-yard line, the Irish ran two quarterback sneaks. Following those attempts, the Irish ran two plays to the left, but failed to score.

Notre Dame's defense contained Army's touchdown twins — Doc Blanchard and Glenn Davis — who were often caught behind the line of scrimmage.

But Blanchard, frustrated by an Irish line that refused to budge, made a last ditch effort to score, and he almost succeeded. Army crossed into Notre Dame territory for the first and only time all day as Blanchard, "Mr. Inside," broke around the end, cut for the sideline and had a clear path to the end zone. Only one man was in a position to try and stop him. As 74,000 fans leaped to their feet, Johnny Lujack sped across the field, closed in on his prey and dove for Blanchard's ankles. The All-American was dragged down on the Notre Dame 37-yard line.

"They said Blanchard couldn't be stopped one-on-one in the open field, yet I did it," said an exhausted Lujack after the game. "I really can't understand all the fuss. I simply pinned him against the sideline and dropped him with a routine tackle."

Army then moved the ball to the Notre Dame 12-yard line and Davis threw an option pass, which was intercepted by future Irish head coach Terry Brennan at the eight-yard line. One play later, Brennan ran the ball past the Irish 30 and Notre Dame was out of trouble.

Even the statistics couldn't pinpoint a clear-cut winner. Notre Dame had 10 first downs to Army's nine; the Cadets gained 224 yards, while Notre Dame managed 219. Each team had 52 yards passing and 40 yards punting. Army completed four of 16 passes; the Irish were five of 17.

Notre Dame 27, Oklahoma 21 November 8, 1952

The first meeting of the Fighting Irish of Notre Dame and the Oklahoma Sooners sold out Notre Dame Stadium's 60,000 seats weeks before kickoff. A total of 10,000 fans made the journey to South Bend, including 2,500 who came by special trains. The much anticipated clash pitted Notre Dame, the dominant force in college football for nearly half a century, against an Oklahoma team which had posted the best record in the nation over the past five years.

Oklahoma entered the game as a heavy favorite, hailing a 13-game unbeaten streak and boasting an average of 42 points per contest. The game featured two of the best backfields in college football history. Oklahoma's Eddie Crowder, Billy Vessels, Buddy Leake, and Buck McPhail comprised one of the most well-balanced and versatile units the game had ever seen.

"Beyond a doubt, Oklahoma had the best offensive platoon of the season and as far as I know the best ever," wrote veteran Minnesota sportswriter Dick Callum.

Although perhaps less experienced, the Irish backfield of Ralph Gugliemi, Tom Carey, John

Lattner, Joe Heap, and Neil Worden was no less talented.

Oklahoma opened the scoring in the first period as Eddie Crowder hit Vessels with a 27-yard touchdown pass. Notre Dame answered back in the second quarter with a bruising drive capped by Gugliemi's touchdown pass to Heap. Shortly afterward, it was Vessels again for Oklahoma who broke through the Notre Dame line and danced 62 yards for a touchdown. After a wild opening half that saw 10 turnovers, the Sooners took a seven-point lead into the lockerroom.

Notre Dame took its opening drive all the way to the Oklahoma seven-yard line, but Lattner fumbled the ball away to Oklahoma. He redeemed himself on defense, however, snaring an Oklahoma pass at the 30 and taking it all the way down to the Oklahoma seven-yard line. Worden tied the game at 14-14 with a one-yard burst into the endzone. Not to be outdone, Vessels and the Sooners answered back on their next possession with a 44-yard touchdown romp down the sidelines. Notre Dame answered right back with a long drive that featured Worden carrying eight consecutive times to punch the ball into the endzone.

On the ensuing kickoff, Notre Dame's Dan Shannon hit Oklahoma's Larry Grigg with a mammoth tackle, knocking both players unconscious and jarring loose the football. Irish reserve Al Kohanowich made the biggest play of his career, pouncing on the ball at the Oklahoma 25. Notre Dame drove down to the one and Tom Carey smashed through for the touchdown. The game was not over yet, however, as Oklahoma's Carl Allison blocked the extra point, leaving the score 27-21. Over 13 minutes remained on the clock and Oklahoma's high-powered offense needed only seven points to take back the lead.

On the next drive, Oklahoma went down to the Irish 29 where Crowder narrowly missed Max Boydston with a touchdown pass, but the Irish held strong. On its next drive, Oklahoma busted down to the ND 25, but turned the ball over. The Sooners got the ball back in time for one more desperate try. With 40 seconds to play, Larry Grigg raced back down to the ND 25. Vessels tried two passes for the endzone, but neither found the mark. When the clock ran out, Notre Dame was victorious, 27-21.

Jack Clowser of the Cleveland press called this game, "a duel between a bulldog and a wolfhound."

He went on to remark that, "In my 30 years of covering football, [I have] never seen a more inspiring performance."

"We are naturally extremely gratified and thrilled," commented Irish coach Frank Leahy, "Most of all it was a wonderful lesson for our lads. It proved to them that if you want something bad enough, and if you are willing to dig in and work for it, almost any objective is possible. Oklahoma is a fine team and very well-coached by Bud Wilkinson. That Vessels boy is one of the best runners we've ever seen."

Vessels, who went on to win the Heisman Trophy that year, ran for nearly 200 yards and scored all three Sooner touchdowns. In a moment that truly captures the meaning of college football, Vessels left the field arm and arm with his successor as Heisman Trophy winner in Lattner, as jubilant Notre Dame students leaped onto the field in celebration.

Notre Dame 7, Oklahoma 0 November 16, 1957

The odds were stacked heavily against the Irish.

The Sooners, defending national champions and number-two in the weekly polls, boasted the country's longest winning streak at 47 games. Oklahoma had not lost since the 1953 home opener when Notre Dame ruined the Sooners' season debut, 28-21.

Powerful Oklahoma, which had blasted the Irish 40-0 the year before in South Bend, had scored in 123 consecutive contests and was averaging 300 yards a game. The Sooners, playing in their own massive stadium, were favored by at least 19 points.

Notre Dame, which suffered through its first losing season in 24 years in 1956, had dropped two straight to Navy and Michigan State (the Irish were outscored 54-12 in those two contests). Coach Terry Brennan was under fire.

Although the Sooners moved all the way down to the Irish 13-yard line on their first possession, the Notre Dame defense dug in and held. Oklahoma would get no closer the rest of the afternoon.

Both teams threatened with several offensive drives, but strong defensive stands keep the score at a standstill until late in the fourth quarter.

"I was willing to settle for a scoreless tie in the third quarter," admitted Oklahoma coach Bud Wilkinson. "I felt at the start of the second half we had a good chance. But after we couldn't get going, even with our tremendous punting to their goal, I was ready to settle for a scoreless tie."

The Irish, however, had other plans. With 3:50 left in the game, Notre Dame needed three yards on fourth down to cross the goal line. Quarterback Bob Williams, who had executed nearly every play perfectly all afternoon, faked to Nick Pietrosante in the middle and then pitched to halfback Dick Lynch. Lynch went wide around right end for the touchdown. Monty Stickles kicked the extra point, and Notre Dame had its 7-0 upset.

Williams, who engineered the 80-yard drive in 20 plays, explained, "They were in tight, real tight, just waiting for me to give the ball to Pietrosante. Well, I just faked to him and tossed out to Lynch and it worked like a charm."

Brennan, who often called the victory the "greatest thrill of my athletic career," credited the defense with the win.

"We prepared for them in detail," he admitted. "We didn't have a whole lot of speed and we tried to be as basic as possible. There were only four or five basic plays — and if you stopped them you had a chance to win. The big thing was to stop their running game."

The Irish indeed halted the Sooners' ground attack. Oklahoma managed 98 yards rushing.

When the team arrived back in South Bend after the victory, the Irish were met by over 5,000 fans. That hearty welcome was richly deserved as Oklahoma's 47-game winning skein still remains the longest in college football.



The scoreboard tells the story after the 10-10 tie between Notre Dame and Michigan State during the Irish 1966 national championship season. (Photo courtesy of the Michigan State Sports Information Department)

Notre Dame 10, Michigan State 10 November 19, 1966

When the brutal battle in East Lansing was finally over, there was nothing left but incon-solable emptiness and frustration.

The epic battle between number-one-ranked Notre Dame and number-two Michigan State didn't settle much of anything for either team. When the clock ticked its last second-hand sweep, exhausted and battered players, emotionally-drought coaches and frenzied fans could only look at the 10-10 tie in exasperation and disappointment.

"Nobody can be happy with a tie," said Irish quarterback Terry Hanratty who had to leave the game in the first quarter after Bubba Smith rearranged his shoulder. "It was a helluva ballgame, but we were all so tired. I don't think anyone wanted to go into a fifth quarter."

The Irish, who had rallied from a 10-0 deficit early in the second quarter, had a chance to go for the win. Notre Dame had the ball on its 30-yard line with time for at least four passing plays. The Spartans were expecting the Irish to go for broke. But under coach Ara Parseghian's strict orders, the Irish played it safe.

"We'd fought hard to come back and tie it up," he explained. "After all that, I didn't want to risk giving it to them cheap. They get reckless and it could cost them the game. I wasn't going to do a jackass thing like that at this point."

His players agreed.

"It was the worst kind of depression coming off the field after working that hard and coming out with a tie," remembered pass-catching sensation Jim Seymour, who had a particularly disappointing day by dropping the only pass that ever came near him. "What people don't realize is that we couldn't throw the ball because they had set up a specific defense to stop the pass. Our quarterback was so run down because of his diabetic problem that he couldn't throw the ball more than 10 yards. And they were really set for it. So why throw the ball for an interception and really hang yourself? Ara's been questioned many times about that decision. . . . But there was nothing else he could do under the circumstances."

Seymour was right. The Irish probably were lucky to survive with a tie. Their best halfback, Nick Eddy, had slipped getting off the train in East Lansing and fell on an already banged-up shoulder. He wouldn't even get in the game. Center George Goeddeke's ankle fell victim to Bubba Smith in the first quarter, along with Hanratty.

But Coley O'Brien, who required two insulin shots a day to keep his diabetes in check, and sophomore Bob Gladioux proved able replacements.

After the Spartans had taken a 10-0 lead on Regis Cavender's four-yard run and Dick Kenney's 47-yard field goal, O'Brien directed the Irish 54 yards in four plays. He hit Gladioux with an 11-yard strike and Rocky Bleier for a nine-yard gain. O'Brien then lofted a perfect 34-yard spiral to Gladioux, who caught it on the goal line and stepped into the end zone.

The Irish finally caught up with the Spartans on the first play of the fourth quarter. After Notre Dame stalled on the Michigan State 10-yard line, Joe Azzaro kicked a 28-yard field goal to knot the score.

Notre Dame was dominating the second half, and the defense hadn't let the Spartans any closer than they were when they had kicked the field goal. Linebackers Jim Lynch and Jim Horney nailed the talented Spartan runners for either minus yardage or no yardage on 16 rushing plays.

With five minutes left in the game, the Irish got a big break — the kind that decides ball-games. Safety Tom Schoen intercepted a wild Jimmy Raye pass and ran it back to the Spartan 18-yard line. Larry Conjar went straight ahead for two yards. But on the second play, halfback Dave Haley went wide to his left. Phil Hoag and Bubba Smith nailed him for an eight-yard loss. O'Brien's third down pass wobbled incomplete, and Notre Dame had to settle for a 42-yard field goal try. Azzaro's kick went wide to the right.

Notre Dame 31, Miami 30 October 15, 1988

The edge of the seats in Notre Dame Stadium may be worn thin, but the Stadium's magic is alive and well.

And so is Notre Dame's football program.

When Pat Terrell batted away Steve Walsh's two-point conversion pass with 45 seconds to play, the Irish locked up a stunning 31-30 upset of No. 1-ranked Miami.

Erased was Miami's mystique and all the embarrassment it has handed the Irish in recent

years.

Walsh had his most prolific day and was saddled with his first loss in 17 college starts. The Miami regular-season winning streak is over at 36 games and its road win streak is ended at 20.

Notre Dame had lost the last four emotional encounters by an embarrassing 133-20 margin and made it seem like ancient history with the one-point triumph.

Both clubs made mistakes and caused mistakes. Notre Dame made the big play that counted.

Its defense was on the spot in the final two minutes.

The Irish led 31-24 when Tony Rice was hit hard to force a fumble on third-and-17 from the 21. The Hurricanes' Greg Mark recovered and the Irish were in trouble.

Miami got four yards in three plays, then faced a fourth-and-six from the 11. Walsh, who completed 31 of 50 for 424 yards, four TDs and three interceptions, lofted a pass to the right front corner of the end zone and Andre Brown made a lunging reception for the touchdown.

Miami coach Jimmy Johnson said there was never any doubt about the choice of going for the two-point conversion.

Walsh dropped back and had time. But as he started to get pressure from tackle George Williams, he lofted the pass toward tailback Leonard Conley in the end zone. Terrell, in man-to-man coverage, had him blanketed and stepped in front to knock it away.

Miami went with an onside-kick attempt — it had won at Michigan, 31-30, after recovering an onside kick — but Anthony Johnson smothered it at the Miami 44. All Notre Dame had to do was ride out 42 seconds to sign another chapter to its glorious history.

The Irish couldn't stop Miami unless it took the ball away. It did seven times — three on interceptions and four on fumble recoveries. The Irish gave it back three times.

The most controversial Miami miscue came with seven minutes to go. On fourth-and-seven at the Irish 11, Walsh hit Cleveland Gary with a short pass. Strong safety George Streeter hit Gary near the end zone and the ball popped loose at the one. Mike Stonebreaker recovered.

Notre Dame, shuffling in eight offensive linemen because of injuries, drew first blood with a 75-yard, 12-play drive capped by Rice's seven-yard run.

Walsh answered early in the second quarter when he drove the Hurricanes 68 yards in eight plays. Brown caught the eight-yard TD pass for a 7-7 tie.

Notre Dame got a couple in the second quarter. Rice hooked up with Raghib Ismail on a 57-yard pass on third and 13 from the Irish 17 then finished off the 80-yard drive with a 9-yard scoring toss to Braxton Banks.

Less than two minutes later, Terrell stepped in front of a Walsh pass that was tipped by defensive end Frank Stams and returned it 60 yards for the score. Reggie Ho's third PAT gave the Irish a 21-7 lead.

Walsh only needed five minutes to erase it, ending one drive with a 23-yard TD pass to Conley on fourth and five, and the other on a 15-yard pass to Gary.

The Irish could have felt good about the halftime tie had it not been the ease with which Miami punched in its second and third touchdowns.

They started over at half and it got crazier.

Rice was intercepted by Bubba McDowell at the Miami 42. But on first down, Conley was hammered by Jeff Alm and Stams recovered the fumble.

The Irish got into field-goal range, but Bill Hackett's 43-yard attempt was blocked.

The Irish defense held. On fourth-and-three at the 47, Miami tried a fake punt and failed. Reserve quarterback Steve Belles made the stop on upback Matt Britton.

From the 46, the Irish took two plays to get in. Rice and Ricky Watters hooked up on a 44-yard pass play and Pat Eilers went the final two yards.

Miami drove again to the Irish 25 when 6-foot-6 defensive lineman Alm picked off a Walsh pass two yards off the line.

The Irish took the momentum and marched, 65 yards in nine plays before stalling at the 11. Ho hit the 27-yarder to give the Irish their 31-21 lead.

Miami made good on its first possession of the final quarter when Carlos Huerta hit a 23-yard field goal to close the gap to 31-24.

Notre Dame 31, Florida State 24 November 13, 1993

This was one matchup where the game lived up to the pregame hype, maybe even beat it. Notre Dame and Florida State entered this "Game of the Century" with undefeated records, identical 16-game winning streaks and the top two rankings in the Associated Press poll as the Seminoles held the top spot.

The buildup for this game was an all-time high, thanks in part to the two teams entering the game undefeated and thanks in part to the ever expanding electronic and print media. As each week during the college football season went by, and as the Fighting Irish and Seminoles both remained unblemished, it became clear that Nov. 13 was not going to be just another football game at Notre Dame Stadium.

National media began rolling in for this event on Monday and by the time kickoff came on Saturday, there were over 700 media credentials issued. Personalities from television talk show host Regis Philbin to movie producer Spike Lee converged on Notre Dame Stadium, as did athletes like baseball's Roger Clemens and golf's Paul Azinger. On Friday night, the Joyce Athletic and Convocation Center was jam-packed for a pep rally two hours before it was scheduled to start.

And through all the hype, all the glitter, all the celebrities, the most exciting part of the whole week was undoubtedly clear — the actual 60 minutes of football played on the Notre Dame Stadium turf.

"I thought with all the hype, the game might not live up to it," said Notre Dame head coach

Lou Holtz. "I don't know how it looked from the press box and I don't know how it looked from the stands. But I want to tell you I wouldn't want it any more exciting from the sidelines. I can promise you that."

After controlling and leading most of the game, it all came down — as if the football gods wanted to put a spike in the heart of the hype once and for all — to the final play before the Irish won 31-24.

With three seconds left to play Florida State quarterback and eventual Heisman Trophy winner Charlie Ward had one last chance. The previous series, on a fourth and goal from the 20, he had found a miracle by hitting Kez McConvey for a touchdown pass that had bounced off the hands of Notre Dame safety Brian Magee to cut the lead to seven with 1:39 left to play.

After a three-and-out series for the Irish, Florida State got the ball back with 51 seconds, no timeouts, and the ball at its own 37. Three plays and 41 seconds later, the Seminoles were at the Irish 14 and Ward's first try for the touchdown was batted down by defensive end Thomas Knight.

That left three seconds and one play. "I was scared a little bit there," said Irish quarterback Kevin McDougal. "You can have no control when you're on the sidelines and with Charlie Ward on the field, anything can happen."

"I had watched the drive where they got the touchdown before so I said I'll switch up and not watch it. I just watched the clock and on the last play I waited for the crowd reaction."

He liked what he heard because here's what everyone else in Notre Dame Stadium saw. Ward went back, got some pressure from the Irish defensive line, scrambled and fired for the end zone toward Kevin Knox. Notre Dame cornerback Shawn Wooden, inserted as a sixth defensive back, batted the pass down and bedlam followed.

Amid jubilant fans who swarmed the field, linebacker Pete Bercich fell to his knees in thanks and Wooden raised his hand in the No. 1 salute and shouted: "How's it feel! How's it feel!"

"We had to throw the ball in the end zone," said Ward. "I missed my guy who was wide open (Matt Frier at the five), but that's part of making the decision and the ball was batted down. I can't go back and rethink what I did."

Said Wooden: "Coach Holtz just told us to stay fundamentally sound, read your keys. Charlie came to my side. I looked at No. 1, he did a square-in, so I just stayed underneath. When Ward was scrambling, I just tried to stay under No. 1. I was staying there, no matter what. The pass was right to me. I was surprised."

"I just wanted to knock it down and make sure."

Florida State scored on its first possession and then was chasing from behind for the rest of the afternoon. The Irish came right back with an 80-yard drive, capped by a 32-yard romp on a reverse by Adrian Jarrell behind the escort of linemen Aaron Taylor, Ryan Leahy and Todd Norman downfield.

A 26-yard touchdown run by Lee Becton keyed the second Irish drive and three minutes later, the Irish cashed in on John Covington's interception. Coupled with a personal foul on FSU, Notre Dame took over on the Seminoles 23, and a third down pass to Michael Miller from McDougal set up a six-yard TD run by Jeff Burris. Entering the game, the Seminoles had given up just two rushing TDs the entire season.

"I've got no excuses about the game. Notre Dame won the game. I thought they deserved to win the game," said Florida State head coach Bobby Bowden. "They did the things to us I was afraid they were going to do to us. And there's no doubt about the great spirit they have here. I think it helps them. I do not think it hurt us. Their kids just played possessed."

By halftime it was 21-7 Irish, marking the first time in 23 games that the Seminoles had been behind at the half. Ward had been picked off for just the second time in the season, breaking a streak of 159 passes without an interception. It didn't get any better for the Seminoles in the third quarter, as the Irish received a 47-yard field goal from Kevin Pendergast.

But Ward, who was 31 of 50 for 297 yards and three touchdowns, led FSU back with an 80-yard scoring drive, concluded with a six-yard pass to Warrick Dunn. Scott Bentley made a 24-yard field goal with 10:40 left to play for a 24-17 score.

McDougal then went to work through the air. Becton made a one-handed catch on a screen that was good for 15 yards and on third down McDougal double-clutched and stepped under a heavy blitz to find Lake Dawson for a first down, setting up Burris' second touchdown of the day.

"Just when it looked like we were going to give them a knockout, they came right back and then it looked like we were on the ropes and we put on a 80-yard drive against the wind," said Holtz.

Becton led all rushers in the game with 122 yards while McDougal was nine of 18 in the air for the Irish for 108 yards.



With three seconds left in the 1993 battle for number one between Notre Dame and Florida State, the Seminoles had the ball at the Irish 14. On the final play of the game, Irish cornerback Shawn Wooden broke up a Charlie Ward pass to preserve the Irish victory. (Photo by Brother Charles McBride)

Last Minute Wins and Losses

Memorable finishes and heart-breaking losses have been part of Notre Dame football lore for more than 100 years. Nine Irish victories since 1961 have occurred on the game's final play; six of those wins as time expired were produced by Notre Dame placekickers. Among the most famous of those kicks were Harry Oliver's 51-yard field goal against Michigan on Sept. 20, 1980, which propelled the Irish to a 29-27 victory and former walk-on Pat Dillingham's slant pattern to Arnaz Battle in which Battle ran for the game-winning score against Michigan State in 2002.

In its long and storied history, 24 wins have come with under a minute to play in the game. Rick Mirer's two-point conversion to Reggie Brooks following his three-yard pass to Jerome Bettis, which produced a come-from-behind 17-16 win against Penn State in 1992 with 20 seconds remaining, ranks as one of the more memorable finishes for the Irish in the 1990s.

Below is a listing of the Notre Dame victories and some losses decided with under five minutes to play.

Memorable Finishes Resulting in Wins or Ties...

OT	Nicholas Setta 40-yard field goal vs. Washington State, 29-26 (2003)
OT	Joey Getherall 9-yard run vs. Air Force, 34-31 (2000)
0:00	D.J. Fitzpatrick 40-yard field goal vs. Navy, 27-24 (2003)
0:00	Nicholas Setta 38-yard field goal vs. Purdue, 23-21 (2000)
0:00	Jim Sanson 39-yard field goal vs. Texas, 27-24 (1996)
0:00	John Carney 19-yard field goal vs. USC, 38-37 (1986)
0:00	Harry Oliver 51-yard field goal vs. Michigan, 29-27 (1980)
0:00	Joe Unis extra point following a Joe Montana to Kris Haines eight-yard pass in Cotton Bowl vs. Houston, 35-34 (1979)
0:00	Joe Perkowski 41-yard field goal vs. Syracuse, 17-15 (1961)
0:05	Scott Cengia 20-yard field goal vs. Hawaii, 23-22 (1997)
0:06	Don Schaefer extra point following Ralph Guglielmi nine-yard pass to Dan Shannon vs. Iowa, 14-14 (1953)
0:11	Mike Johnston 32-yard field goal vs. Miami, 16-14 (1982)
0:11	Mike Johnston 35-yard field goal vs. Oregon, 13-13 (1982)
0:14	John Carney 44-yard field goal vs. Navy, 18-17 (1984)
0:20	Rick Mirer two-point conversion to Reggie Brooks following three-yard pass from Mirer to Jerome Bettis vs. Penn State, 17-16 (1992)
0:31	Bill Shakespeare 19-yard pass to Wayne Millner vs. Ohio State, 18-13 (1935)
0:32	Monty Stickles 43-yard field goal vs. Navy, 25-22 (1959)
0:34	Rodney Culver one-yard run vs. Michigan State, 20-19 (1990)
0:35	Steve Oracko extra point following Red Sitko one-yard run vs. USC, 14-14 (1948)
0:36	Jarious Jackson 16-yard pass to Jay Johnson vs. Navy, 28-24 (1999)
0:42	Rusty Lisch two-point conversion to Pete Holohan following 14-yard pass from Lisch to Dean Maszta vs. South Carolina, 18-17 (1979)
0:55	Bob Joseph extra point following John Lattner one-yard run vs. Iowa, 20-20 (1951)
0:57	Jim Sanson 17-yard field goal vs. Purdue, 31-30 (1998)
1:03	Joe Montana 80-yard pass to Ted Burgmeier vs. North Carolina, 21-14 (1975)
1:06	Jim Sanson 48-yard field goal vs. Army, 20-17 (1998)
1:13	Reggie Ho 26-yard field goal vs. Michigan, 19-17 (1988)
1:15	Pat Dillingham 60-yard pass to Arnaz Battle vs. Michigan State, 21-17 (2002)
1:16	Paul Hornung one-yard run vs. North Carolina, 21-14 (1956)
1:24	Ron Powlus two-point conversion to Derrick Mayes after an Autry Denson seven-yard run followed by an Allen Rossum 76-yard interception return with 0:28 remaining vs. Washington, 29-21 (1995)
1:27	Jarious Jackson 10-yard pass to Raki Nelson followed by a safety of Jackson with 0:03 remaining vs. LSU, 39-36 (1998)
1:39	David Mitchell 5-yard td run vs. Purdue 31-24 (1977)
1:40	Rick Mirer 18-yard pass to Adrian Jarrell vs. Michigan, 28-24 (1990)
2:00	Chuck Sweeney safety of Alan McFarland in end zone vs. Navy, 9-7 (1937)
2:00	Art Parisien 23-yard pass to Johnny Niemiec vs. USC, 13-12 (1926)
2:08	Carlyle Holiday 67-yard pass to Omar Jenkins vs. Navy, 30-23, (2002)
2:15	Paul Hornung 25-yard field goal vs. Iowa, 17-14 (1955)
2:22	Kevin Pendergast 31-yard field goal in Cotton Bowl vs Texas A&M, 24-21 (1994)
2:30	Butch Niemiec 32-pass to Johnny O'Brien vs. Army, 12-6 (1928)
2:37	Autry Denson one-yard run vs. Georgia Tech, 17-13 (1997)
2:40	Jabari Halloway recovers Jarious Jackson fumble in the end zone vs. USC, 25-24 (1999)
2:40	Bob Williams 30-yard pass to Jim Mutscheller vs. North Carolina, 14-7 (1950)
2:49	Tom Clements three-yard run vs. Pittsburgh, 14-10 (1974)

2:54	Scott Hempel 24-yard field goal vs. LSU, 3-0 (1970)
2:58	Pat Steenberge two-point conversion to Mike Creaney after Fred Swendsen's fumble recovery in end zone vs. Purdue, 8-7 (1971)
3:08	Wayne Bullock two-yard run vs. Rice, 10-3 (1974)
3:23	Jerome Heavens one-yard run vs. Air Force, 31-30 (1975)
3:25	George Izo 44-yard pass to George Sefcik vs. Iowa, 20-19 (1959)
3:50	Dick Lynch three-yard run vs. Oklahoma, 7-0 (1957)
4:26	Bob Thomas 19-yard field goal in Sugar Bowl vs. Alabama, 24-23 (1973)
4:44	Harry Oliver 47-yard field goal vs. Georgia Tech, 3-3 (1980)
4:56	Ron Powlus 11-yard pass to Bobby Brown vs. West Virginia, 21-14 (1997)
4:59	Marc Edward three-yard run vs. Vanderbilt, 14-7 (1996)

Some of the Losses...

OT	Eric Crouch seven-yard run for Nebraska, 27-24 (2000)
OT	Brad Otten five-yard pass to Rodney Sermons for USC, 27-20 (1996)
OT	Dallas Thompson 27-yard field goal for Air Force, 20-17 (1996)
0:00	Mike Biselli 22-yard field goal for Stanford, 40-37 (1999)
0:00	Max Zendejas 48-yard field goal for Arizona, 16-13 (1982)
0:00	David Gordon 41-yard field goal for Boston College, 41-39 (1993)
0:02	Remy Hamilton 42-yard field goal for Michigan, 26-24 (1994)
0:02	Frank Jordan 37-yard field goal for USC, 27-25 (1978)
0:04	Craig Fayak 34-yard field goal for Penn State, 24-21 (1990)
0:11	Bill Kaliden five-yard run for Pittsburgh, 29-26 (1958)
0:19	Doug Strang eight-yard run for Penn State, 34-30 (1983)
0:19	Scott Campbell seven-yard pass to Steve Bryant for Purdue, 15-14 (1981)
0:33	Steve Lach five-yard pass to Paul Anderson for Great Lakes, 19-14 (1943)
0:36	Tommy Vardell one-yard run for Stanford, 36-31 (1990)
0:38	Sandro Sciortino 26-yard field goal for Boston College, 27-25 (2003)
0:48	Michael Harper one-yard run for USC, 17-13 (1982)
1:00	Johnny Baker 23-yard field goal for USC, 16-14 (1931)
1:05	Adam Abrams 37-yard field goal for USC, 20-17 (1997)
1:07	Ralph Kurek one-yard run for Wisconsin, 14-9 (1963)
1:08	Kenneth Toulon one-yard run for Stanford, 17-13 (2001)
1:08	Billy Dale one-yard run for Texas, 21-17 (1970 Cotton Bowl)
1:25	Jeff VanHorne 29-yard field goal for Pittsburgh, 10-9 (1986)
1:33	Craig Fertig 15-yard pass to Rod Sherman for USC, 20-17 (1964)
1:35	Sean Pavlich extra point following a John Kerschner one-yard run for Air Force, 23-22 (1983)
1:38	Anthony Thomas one-yard run for Michigan, 26-22 (1999)
1:48	Jeff Smoker 68-yard pass to Herb Haygood for Michigan State, 27-21 (2000)
1:50	Charlie Arnold 31-yard pass to Lon Slaughter for SMU, 19-13 (1956)
2:53	Warrick Dunn five-yard run for Florida State, 23-16 (1985)
3:26	Garry James two-yard run for LSU, 10-7 (1985)
3:28	Richard King 35-yard pass to Michael Koski for Syracuse, 14-7 (1963)
3:28	Jim Ellis 10-yard pass to Jim Story for Mississippi, 20-13 (1977)
3:48	Todd Blackledge one-yard run for Penn State, 24-21 (1981)
3:50	Levi Jackson four-yard run for Michigan State, 10-3 (1975)
4:03	John Becksvoort extra point following Andy Kelly 26-yard pass to Aaron Hayden for Tennessee, 35-34 (1991)
4:27	Marvin Tibbetts six-yard run for Georgia Tech, 13-10 (1959)
4:52	Todd Spencer 26-yard run for USC, 14-7 (1981)

Overtime History (2-3)...

Wins...

OT	Joey Getherall nine-yard run after an Air Force field goal, 34-31, (2000)
OT	Nicholas Setta 40-yard field goal after Washington State missed a 34-yard field goal attempt, 29-26 (2003)

Losses...

OT	Eric Crouch seven-yard run for Nebraska after a Notre Dame field goal, 27-24 (2000)
OT	Brad Otten five-yard pass to Rodney Sermons for USC, 27-20 (1996)
OT	Dallas Thompson 27-yard field goal for Air Force, 20-17 (1996)

Streak Breakers



Notre Dame fans celebrate the 31-24 Irish victory over top-ranked Florida State on November 13, 1993.

Notre Dame has helped build its football tradition with impressive records against top-ranked opponents and against teams entering with lengthy winning streaks. The Fighting Irish own eight victories over number-one-ranked teams (most recently over unbeaten Florida State in 1993)—with five of those coming in bowl games beginning with the 1971 Cotton Bowl. Notre Dame also has played the spoiler role on numerous occasions—eight times coming up with a victory or tie in an opponent's final game of the season to end a potential perfect season (Michigan State '66, Texas in '71 Cotton Bowl, Alabama in '73 Sugar Bowl, Alabama in '75 Orange Bowl, Texas in '78 Cotton Bowl, West Virginia in '89 Fiesta Bowl, Colorado in '90 Orange Bowl, Texas A&M in '93 Cotton Bowl). Here is a listing of games in which the Irish have put an end to an especially impressive winning streak maintained by an opponent:

Notre Dame 0, Army 0
November 9, 1946 **Yankee Stadium**

The Irish snapped the Cadets' 25-game victory string with this tie before 74,000 fans at Yankee Stadium in New York. Notre Dame defenders were the heroes—in particular Johnny Lujack on a late solo tackle of Doc Blanchard—as they successfully contained Blanchard and Glenn Davis. Each team barely eclipsed the 200-yard mark in total offense. The Irish avenged 59-0 and 48-0 defeats to Army the previous two years and thwarted the Cadets' chances for a third straight national title. At the time there had been only 10 longer winning streaks in the history of college football.

Notre Dame 27, Georgia Tech 14
October 24, 1953 **Notre Dame Stadium**

Heisman Trophy winner John Lattner and fullback Neil Worden keyed a dominating Notre Dame ground attack that helped the top-ranked Irish end fourth-rated Georgia Tech's 31-game unbeaten streak, then the longest current streak in college football. The Irish finished with a 323-131 edge in rushing yardage—led by Lattner's 96 yards and 101 by Worden. Notre Dame's four touchdowns marked the most by a Tech opponent during the streak—and a third period Ralph Guglielmi TD pass marked the first against Tech in 22 games. The win came despite the loss of Irish coach Frank Leahy, who fainted due to a lower chest muscle spasm while walking into the dressing room at halftime.

Irish Play Spoiler Role

Here are details of the eight games in which Notre Dame has ended an otherwise perfect season by an opponent in the final game of the season:

Date	Opponent	Site	Result
Nov. 19, 1966	Michigan State	East Lansing	T 10-10
Jan. 1, 1971	Texas	Dallas (Cotton Bowl)	W 24-11
Dec. 31, 1973	Alabama	New Orleans (Sugar Bowl)	W 24-23
Jan. 1, 1975	Alabama	Miami (Orange Bowl)	W 13-11
Jan. 2, 1978	Texas	Dallas (Cotton Bowl)	W 38-10
Jan. 2, 1989	West Virginia	Tempe (Fiesta Bowl)	W 34-21
Jan. 1, 1990	Colorado	Miami (Orange Bowl)	W 21-6
Jan. 1, 1993	Texas A&M	Dallas (Cotton Bowl)	W 28-3

Notre Dame 7, Oklahoma 0
November 16, 1957

Owen Field

Notre Dame halfback Dick Lynch scored the only touchdown of the day as the unranked and twice-beaten Irish ended the second-ranked and defending national champion Sooners' 47-game winning streak, still the longest in college football history. The Irish had been the last team to defeat Oklahoma before that contest, as they had been victorious on September 26, 1953, by a 28-21 count. Lynch's score came on a fourth-down pitch from the three-yard line with just 3:50 left on the clock. The Sooners drove to the Irish 13 on their first possession but never got closer.

Notre Dame 24, Texas 11
January 1, 1971

Cotton Bowl

Joe Theismann paced the sixth-rated Irish to victory in the Cotton Bowl that ended the top-ranked Longhorns' 30-game winning streak and their bid for a second straight perfect season. Theismann accounted for three scores in the first 16 minutes of the game—throwing once to Tom Gatewood for a score and running twice for TDs himself—to give Notre Dame a 24-11 lead at halftime. The Irish defense, led by Walt Patulski and Mike Kadish, shut out the potent Texas offense in the second half, forcing nine fumbles, five of them recovered by Notre Dame.

Notre Dame 23, USC 14
October 27, 1973

Notre Dame Stadium

Eric Penick's 85-yard burst early in the third quarter keyed eighth-ranked Notre Dame's triumph that ended the sixth-rated Trojans' 23-game unbeaten string. The victory in Notre Dame Stadium was the pivotal triumph in Notre Dame's 1973 national championship season. The Irish held USC's Anthony Davis to 55 rushing yards, got field goals from Bob Thomas in each of the first three periods—then watched Penick deliver the deciding blow.

Notre Dame 31, Miami 30
October 15, 1988

Notre Dame Stadium

Despite giving up a record 424 passing yards to Miami's Steve Walsh, the Notre Dame defense forced seven turnovers to help the fourth-ranked Irish end the top-rated Hurricanes' 36-game regular-season winning streak. Miami also came into the game having won 20 straight road games and 16 games overall. The Hurricanes had not lost in an opponent's stadium since traveling to Michigan in 1984. Irish safety Pat Terrell made the deciding play, batting down a two-point conversion pass attempt by Walsh with 45 seconds to play.

Notre Dame 31, Florida State 24
November 13, 1993

Notre Dame Stadium

Second-ranked Notre Dame rolled to a 21-7 halftime lead, then held on down the stretch until Shawn Wooden knocked down a Charlie Ward pass attempt as time ran out to ensure the 31-24 triumph over unbeaten Florida State. The Irish victory ended the longest winning streak in the country at 16 (Notre Dame also had won 16 straight coming in), with the Seminoles having lost only once to a team outside the state of Florida since 1989. Notre Dame rushed for 239 yards and scored four rushing touchdowns, two more than Florida State had allowed in its first nine games combined.



Notre Dame played the spoiler as it defeated Texas A&M 28-3 at the 1993 Cotton Bowl. The Aggies were undefeated coming into the game. (Photo by Lighthouse Imaging)

Super Seasons

In 114 seasons of football beginning in 1887, Notre Dame has had 99 winning years, only 11 seasons with a losing record (1887, '88, 1933, '56, '60, '63, '81, '85, '86, '99, '01) and only four others with a .500 mark (1950, '59, '61, '62).

The Fighting Irish have had 12 unbeaten, untied seasons, 10 others in which they were unbeaten but suffered one or more ties—and 28 seasons in which only a single loss spoiled an unbeaten record.

Here is a compilation of Notre Dame's outstanding seasons in its football history:

UNBEATEN, UNTIED

Year	Record	Coach
1889	1-0	None
1912	7-0	John L. Marks
1913	7-0	Jesse Harper
1919	9-0	Knute Rockne
1920	9-0	Knute Rockne
1924	10-0	Knute Rockne
1929	9-0	Knute Rockne
1930	10-0	Knute Rockne
1947	9-0	Frank Leahy

1949	10-0	Frank Leahy
1973	11-0	Ara Parseghian
1988	12-0	Lou Holtz

UNBEATEN

Year	Record	Tie
1892	1-0-1	Hillsdale (10-10)
1903	8-0-1	Northwestern (0-0)
1907	6-0-1	Indiana (0-0)
1909	7-0-1	Marquette (0-0)
1911	6-0-2	Pittsburgh (0-0) Marquette (0-0)
1941	8-0-1	Army (0-0)
1946	8-0-1	Army (0-0)
1948	9-0-1	USC (14-14)
1953	9-0-1	Iowa (14-14)
1966	9-0-1	Michigan State (10-10)

ONE LOSS

Year	Record	Loss
1887	0-1	Michigan (8-0)
1893	4-1	Chicago (8-0)
1894	3-1-1	Albion (19-12)
1895	3-1	Indiana Artillery (18-0)

1897	4-1-1	Chicago (34-5)
1901	8-1-1	Northwestern (2-0)
1906	6-1	Indiana (12-0)
1908	8-1	Michigan (12-6)
1910	4-1-1	Michigan State (17-0)
1915	7-1	Nebraska (20-19)
1916	8-1	Army (30-10)
1917	6-1-1	Nebraska (7-0)
1918	3-1-2	Michigan State (13-7)
1921	10-1	Iowa (10-7)
1922	8-1-1	Nebraska (14-6)
1923	9-1	Nebraska (14-7)
1926	9-1	Carnegie Tech (19-0)
1927	7-1-1	Army (18-0)
1935	7-1-1	Northwestern (14-7)
1938	8-1	USC (13-0)
1943	9-1	Great Lakes (19-14)
1954	9-1	Purdue (27-14)
1964	9-1	USC (20-17)
1970	10-1	USC (38-28)
1977	11-1	Mississippi (20-13)
1989	12-1	Miami (27-10)
1992	10-1-1	Stanford (33-16)
1993	11-1	Boston College (41-39)

Irish Top Winning Percentage List

Notre Dame ranks as the winningest team in college football history based on its .746 winning percentage over 115 seasons of football and a 796-258-41 record during that period. While Michigan (833 wins) is the only team with more overall wins than Notre Dame, the Irish stand atop the winning percentage column with 18 fewer losses than the Wolverines.

Here's the NCAA top 25 teams in terms of winning percentage heading into the 2004 season (year Boise State moved up to Division I):

Team	Years	W	L	T	Pct.	Bowl Games		
						W	L	T
1. Notre Dame	115	796	258	41	.746	13	12	0
2. Michigan	124	833	274	38	.744	18	17	0
3. Alabama	109	758	293	43	.713	28	19	3
4. Oklahoma	109	737	284	53	.711	23	12	1
5. Ohio State	114	757	294	53	.710	16	19	0
6. Nebraska	114	789	311	42	.709	21	20	0
7. Texas	111	775	311	35	.707	20	21	2
8. Tennessee	107	737	303	53	.699	23	21	0
9. Southern California	111	707	297	54	.694	27	15	0
10. Penn State	117	757	331	42	.688	23	12	2
11. Boise State (1996)	36	284	135	2	.677	3	0	0
12. Florida State	57	419	197	17	.675	17	11	2
13. South Florida	xx	51	26	0	.662	x	x	x
14. Washington	114	640	351	50	.639	15	14	1
15. Miami (Ohio)	115	625	344	44	.639	6	2	0
16. Georgia	110	673	370	54	.638	18	15	3
17. Miami (Florida)	77	507	285	19	.637	17	13	0
18. LSU	110	650	369	47	.632	17	17	1
19. Auburn	111	635	379	47	.621	16	12	2
20. Florida	97	590	359	40	.617	14	18	0
21. Colorado	114	636	391	36	.615	11	14	0
22. Central Michigan	103	523	326	36	.611	0	2	0
23. Arizona State	91	503	316	24	.611	10	9	1
24. Texas A&M	109	627	404	48	.603	13	14	0
25. Army	114	622	406	51	.600	2	2	0

Here's the NCAA top 20 teams in victories heading into 2004:

1.	Michigan	833
2.	Notre Dame	796
3.	Nebraska	789
4.	Texas	775
5.	Alabama	758
6.	Ohio State	757
	Penn State	757
8.	Oklahoma	737
	Tennessee	737
10.	Southern California	707
11.	Georgia	673
12.	Syracuse	659
13.	LSU	650
14.	Washington	640
15.	Colorado	636
16.	Auburn	635
17.	Texas A&M	627
18.	Georgia Tech	625
19.	Miami (Ohio)	625
20.	West Virginia	623

Final Polls

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1936

1. Minnesota
2. LSU
3. Pittsburgh
4. Alabama
5. Washington
6. Santa Clara
7. Northwestern
8. **NOTRE DAME**
9. Nebraska
10. Pennsylvania
11. Duke
12. Yale
13. Dartmouth
14. Duquesne
15. Fordham
16. TCU
17. Tennessee
18. Arkansas
19. Navy
20. Marquette

1937

1. Pittsburgh
2. California
3. Fordham
4. Alabama
5. Minnesota
6. Villanova
7. Dartmouth
8. LSU
9. **NOTRE DAME**
10. Santa Clara
11. Nebraska
12. Yale
13. Ohio State
14. Holy Cross
15. Arkansas
16. TCU
17. Colorado
18. Rice
19. North Carolina
20. Duke

1938

1. TCU
2. Tennessee
3. Duke
4. Oklahoma
5. **NOTRE DAME**
6. Carnegie Tech
7. USC
8. Pittsburgh
9. Holy Cross
10. Minnesota
11. Texas Tech
12. Cornell
13. Alabama
14. California
15. Fordham
16. Michigan
17. Northwestern
18. Villanova
19. Tulane
20. Dartmouth

1939

1. Texas A&M
2. Tennessee
3. USC
4. Cornell
5. Tulane
6. Missouri
7. UCLA
8. Duke
9. Iowa
10. Duquesne
11. Boston College
12. Clemson
13. **NOTRE DAME**
14. Santa Clara

15. Ohio State
16. Georgia Tech
17. Fordham
18. Nebraska
19. Oklahoma
20. Michigan

1940

1. Minnesota
2. Stanford
3. Michigan
4. Tennessee
5. Boston College
6. Texas A&M
7. Northwestern
8. Nebraska
9. Mississippi State
10. Washington
11. Santa Clara
12. Fordham
13. Georgetown
14. Pennsylvania
15. Cornell
16. SMU
17. Hardin-Simmons
18. Duke
19. Lafayette

Only 19 teams ranked

1941

1. Minnesota
2. Duke
3. **NOTRE DAME**
4. Texas
5. Michigan
6. Fordham
7. Missouri
8. Duquesne
9. Texas A&M
10. Navy
11. Northwestern
12. Oregon State
13. Ohio State
14. Georgia
15. Pennsylvania
16. Mississippi State
17. Mississippi
18. Tennessee
19. Washington State
20. Alabama

1942

1. Ohio State
2. Georgia
3. Wisconsin
4. Tulsa
5. Georgia Tech
6. **NOTRE DAME**
7. Tennessee
8. Boston College
9. Michigan
10. Alabama
11. Texas
12. Stanford
13. UCLA
14. William & Mary
15. Santa Clara
16. Auburn
17. Washington State
18. Mississippi State
19. Minnesota
20. Holy Cross
21. Penn State

1943

1. **NOTRE DAME**
2. Iowa Pre-Flight
3. Michigan
4. Navy
5. Purdue
6. Great Lakes
7. Duke
8. Del Monte P-F
9. Northwestern
10. March Field
11. Army
12. Washington
13. Georgia Tech
14. Texas
15. Tulsa
16. Dartmouth
17. Bainbridge
18. Colorado College
19. Pacific
20. Pennsylvania

8. Del Monte P-F
9. Northwestern
10. March Field
11. Army
12. Washington
13. Georgia Tech
14. Texas
15. Tulsa
16. Dartmouth
17. Bainbridge
18. Colorado College
19. Pacific
20. Pennsylvania

1944

1. Army
2. Ohio State
3. Randolph Field
4. Navy
5. Bainbridge
6. Iowa Pre-Flight
7. USC
8. Michigan
9. **NOTRE DAME**
10. 4th AAF
11. Duke
12. Tennessee
13. Georgia Tech
14. Norman P-F
15. Illinois
16. El Toro Marines
17. Great Lakes
18. Fort Pierce
19. St. Mary's P-F
20. Second Air Force

1945

1. Army
2. Alabama
3. Navy
4. Indiana
5. Oklahoma State
6. Michigan
7. St. Mary's
8. Pennsylvania
9. **NOTRE DAME**
10. Texas
11. USC
12. Ohio State
13. Duke
14. Tennessee
15. LSU
16. Holy Cross
17. Tulsa
18. Georgia
19. Wake Forest
20. Columbia

1946

1. **NOTRE DAME**
2. Army
3. Georgia
4. UCLA
5. Illinois
6. Michigan
7. Tennessee
8. LSU
9. North Carolina
10. Rice
11. Georgia Tech
12. Yale
13. Pennsylvania
14. Oklahoma
15. Texas
16. Arkansas
17. Tulsa
18. North Carolina State
19. Rice
20. Columbia

11. Georgia Tech
12. Yale
13. Pennsylvania
14. Oklahoma
15. Texas
16. Arkansas
17. Tulsa
18. North Carolina State
19. Delaware
20. Indiana

1947

1. **NOTRE DAME**
2. Michigan
3. SMU
4. Penn State
5. Texas
6. Alabama
7. Pennsylvania
8. USC
9. North Carolina
10. Georgia Tech
11. Army
12. Kansas
13. Mississippi
14. William & Mary
15. California
16. Oklahoma
17. North Carolina State
18. Rice
19. Duke
20. Columbia

1948

1. Michigan
2. **NOTRE DAME**
3. North Carolina
4. California
5. Oklahoma
6. Army
7. Northwestern
8. Georgia
9. Oregon
10. SMU
11. Clemson
12. Vanderbilt
13. Tulane
14. Michigan State
15. Mississippi
16. Minnesota
17. William & Mary
18. Penn State
19. Cornell
20. Wake Forest

1949

1. **NOTRE DAME**
2. Oklahoma
3. California
4. Army
5. Rice
6. Ohio State
7. Michigan
8. Minnesota
9. LSU
10. Pacific
11. Kentucky
12. Cornell
13. Villanova

14. Maryland
15. Santa Clara
16. North Carolina
17. Tennessee
18. Princeton
19. Michigan State
20. Missouri

1950

1. Oklahoma
2. Army
3. Texas
4. Tennessee
5. California
6. Princeton
7. Kentucky
8. Michigan State
9. Michigan
10. Clemson
11. Washington
12. Wyoming
13. Illinois
14. Ohio State
15. Miami (Fla.)
16. Alabama
17. Nebraska
18. Washington & Lee
19. Tulane
20. Tulane

1951

1. Tennessee
2. Michigan State
3. Maryland
4. Illinois
5. Georgia Tech
6. Princeton
7. Stanford
8. Wisconsin
9. Baylor
10. Oklahoma
11. TCU
12. California
13. Virginia
14. San Francisco
15. Kentucky
16. Boston Univ.
17. UCLA
18. Washington State
19. Holy Cross
20. Clemson

1952

1. Michigan State
2. Georgia Tech
3. **NOTRE DAME**
4. Oklahoma
5. USC
6. UCLA
7. Mississippi
8. Tennessee
9. Alabama
10. Texas
11. Tulsa
12. Maryland
13. Syracuse
14. Florida

16. Duke
17. Ohio State
18. Purdue
19. Princeton
20. Kentucky

1953

1. Maryland
2. **NOTRE DAME**
3. Michigan State
4. Oklahoma
5. UCLA
6. Rice
7. Illinois
8. Georgia Tech
9. Iowa
10. West Virginia
11. Texas
12. Texas Tech
13. Alabama
14. Army
15. Wisconsin
16. Kentucky
17. Auburn
18. Duke
19. Stanford
20. Michigan

1954

1. Ohio State
2. UCLA
3. Oklahoma
4. **NOTRE DAME**
5. Navy
6. Mississippi
7. Army
8. Maryland
9. Wisconsin
10. Arkansas
11. Miami (Fla.)
12. West Virginia
13. Auburn
14. Duke
15. Michigan
16. Virginia Tech
17. USC
18. Baylor
19. Rice
20. Penn State

1955

1. Oklahoma
2. Michigan State
3. Maryland
4. UCLA
5. Ohio State
6. TCU
7. Georgia Tech
8. Auburn
9. **NOTRE DAME**
10. Mississippi
11. Pittsburgh
12. Michigan
13. USC
14. Miami (Fla.)
15. Miami (Ohio)
16. Stanford
17. Texas A&M
18. Navy

George Connor received his Outland Trophy Award from the Omaha Sports Committee during a halftime presentation at the 2000 Notre Dame - Texas A&M football game.



19. West Virginia
20. Army

1956

1. Oklahoma
2. Tennessee
3. Iowa
4. Georgia Tech
5. Texas A&M
6. Miami (Fla.)
7. Michigan
8. Syracuse
9. Michigan State
10. Oregon State
11. Baylor
12. Minnesota
13. Pittsburgh
14. TCU
15. Ohio State
16. Navy
17. George Washington
18. USC
19. Clemson
20. Colorado

1957

1. Auburn
2. Ohio State
3. Michigan State
4. Oklahoma
5. Navy
6. Iowa
7. Mississippi
8. Rice
9. Texas A&M
10. **NOTRE DAME**
11. Texas
12. Arizona State
13. Tennessee
14. Mississippi State
15. North Carolina State
16. Duke
17. Florida
18. Army
19. Wisconsin
20. VMI

1958

1. LSU
2. Iowa
3. Army
4. Auburn
5. Oklahoma
6. Air Force
7. Wisconsin
8. Ohio State
9. Syracuse
10. TCU
11. Mississippi
12. Clemson
13. Purdue
14. Florida
15. South Carolina
16. California
17. **NOTRE DAME**
18. SMU
19. Oklahoma State
20. Rutgers

1959

1. Syracuse
2. Mississippi
3. LSU
4. Texas
5. Georgia
6. Wisconsin
7. TCU
8. Washington
9. Arkansas
10. Alabama
11. Clemson
12. Penn State
13. Illinois
14. USC
15. Oklahoma
16. Wyoming
17. **NOTRE DAME**
18. Missouri
19. Florida

20. Pittsburgh

1960

1. Minnesota
2. Mississippi
3. Iowa
4. Navy
5. Missouri
6. Washington
7. Arkansas
8. Ohio State
9. Alabama
10. Duke
11. Kansas
12. Baylor
13. Auburn
14. Yale
15. Michigan State
16. Penn State
17. New Mexico State
18. Florida
19. Syracuse
- Purdue

1961

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. Texas
4. LSU
5. Mississippi
6. Minnesota
7. Colorado
8. Michigan State
9. Arkansas
10. Utah State
11. Missouri
12. Purdue
13. Georgia Tech
14. Syracuse
15. Rutgers
16. UCLA
17. Rice
- Penn State
- Arizona
20. Duke

1962

1. USC
2. Wisconsin
3. Mississippi
4. Texas
5. Alabama
6. Arkansas
7. LSU
8. Oklahoma
9. Penn State
10. Minnesota

1963

1. Texas
2. Navy
3. Illinois
4. Pittsburgh
5. Auburn
6. Nebraska
7. Mississippi
8. Alabama
9. Michigan State
10. Oklahoma

1964

1. Alabama
2. Arkansas
3. **NOTRE DAME**
4. Michigan
5. Texas
6. Nebraska
7. LSU
8. Oregon State
9. Ohio State
10. USC

1965

1. Alabama
2. Michigan State
3. Arkansas

4. UCLA
5. Nebraska
6. Missouri
7. Tennessee
8. LSU

9. NOTRE DAME

10. USC

Only top 10 ranked

1966

1. **NOTRE DAME**
2. Michigan State
3. Alabama
4. Georgia
5. UCLA
6. Nebraska
7. Purdue
8. Georgia Tech
9. Miami (Fla.)
10. SMU

Only top 10 ranked

1967

1. USC
2. Tennessee
3. Oklahoma
4. Indiana
5. **NOTRE DAME**
6. Wyoming
7. Oregon State
8. Alabama
9. Purdue
10. Penn State

Only top 10 ranked

*1968

1. Ohio State
2. Penn State
3. Texas
4. USC
5. **NOTRE DAME**
6. Arkansas
7. Rice
8. Georgia
9. Missouri
10. Purdue
11. Oklahoma
12. Michigan
13. Tennessee
14. SMU
15. Oregon State
16. Auburn
17. Alabama
18. Houston
19. LSU
20. Ohio University

**first year final poll taken after bowl games*

1969

1. Texas
2. Penn State
3. USC
4. Ohio State
5. **NOTRE DAME**
6. Missouri
7. Arkansas
8. Mississippi
9. Michigan
10. LSU
11. Nebraska
12. Houston
13. UCLA
14. Florida
15. Tennessee
16. Colorado
17. West Virginia
18. Purdue
19. Stanford
20. Auburn

1970

1. Nebraska
2. **NOTRE DAME**
3. Texas
4. Tennessee
5. Ohio State
6. Arizona State

7. LSU
8. Stanford
9. Michigan
10. Auburn
11. Arkansas
12. Toledo
13. Georgia Tech
14. Dartmouth
15. USC
16. Air Force
17. Tulane
18. Penn State
19. Houston
20. Oklahoma
- Mississippi

1971

1. Nebraska
2. Oklahoma
3. Colorado
4. Alabama
5. Penn State
6. Michigan
7. Georgia
8. Arizona State
9. Tennessee
10. Stanford
11. LSU
12. Auburn
13. **NOTRE DAME**
14. Toledo
15. Mississippi
16. Arkansas
17. Houston
18. Texas
19. Washington
20. USC

1972

1. USC
2. Oklahoma
3. Texas
4. Nebraska
5. Auburn
6. Michigan
7. Alabama
8. Tennessee
9. Ohio State
10. Penn State
11. LSU
12. North Carolina
13. Arizona State
14. **NOTRE DAME**
15. UCLA
16. Colorado
17. North Carolina State
18. Louisville
19. Washington State
20. Georgia Tech

1973

1. **NOTRE DAME**
2. Ohio State
3. Oklahoma
4. Alabama
5. Penn State
6. Michigan
7. Nebraska
8. USC
9. Arizona State
10. Houston
11. Texas Tech
12. UCLA
13. LSU
14. Texas
15. Miami (Ohio)
16. North Carolina State
17. Missouri
18. Kansas
19. Tennessee
20. Maryland
- Tulane

1974

1. Oklahoma
2. USC
3. Michigan
4. Ohio State

5. Alabama
6. **NOTRE DAME**
7. Penn State
8. Auburn
9. Nebraska
10. Miami (Ohio)
11. North Carolina State
12. Michigan State
13. Maryland
14. Baylor
15. Florida
16. Texas A&M
17. Mississippi State
18. Texas
19. Houston
20. Tennessee

1975

1. Oklahoma
2. Arizona State
3. Alabama
4. Ohio State
5. UCLA
6. Texas
7. Arkansas
8. Michigan
9. Nebraska
10. Penn State
11. Texas A&M
12. Miami (Ohio)
13. Maryland
14. California
15. Pittsburgh
16. Colorado
17. USC
18. Arizona
19. Georgia
20. West Virginia

1976

1. Pittsburgh
2. USC
3. Michigan
4. Houston
5. Oklahoma
6. Ohio State
7. Texas A&M
8. Maryland
9. Nebraska
10. Georgia
11. Alabama
12. **NOTRE DAME**
13. Texas Tech
14. Oklahoma State
15. UCLA
16. Colorado
17. Rutgers
18. Kentucky
19. Iowa State
20. Mississippi State

1977

1. **NOTRE DAME**
2. Alabama
3. Arkansas
4. Texas

5. Penn State
6. Kentucky
7. Oklahoma
8. Pittsburgh
9. Michigan
10. Washington
11. Ohio State
12. Nebraska
13. USC
14. Florida State
15. Stanford
16. San Diego State
17. North Carolina
18. Arizona State
19. Clemson
20. Brigham Young

1978

1. Alabama
2. USC
3. Oklahoma
4. Penn State
5. Michigan
6. Clemson
7. **NOTRE DAME**
8. Nebraska
9. Texas
10. Houston
11. Arkansas
12. Michigan State
13. Purdue
14. UCLA
15. Missouri
16. Georgia
17. Stanford
18. North Carolina State
19. Texas A&M
20. Maryland

1979

1. Alabama
2. USC
3. Oklahoma
4. Ohio State
5. Houston
6. Florida State
7. Pittsburgh
8. Arkansas
9. Nebraska
10. Purdue
11. Washington
12. Texas
13. Brigham Young
14. Baylor
15. North Carolina
16. Auburn
17. Temple
18. Michigan
19. Indiana
20. Penn State

1980

1. Georgia
2. Pittsburgh
3. Oklahoma
4. Michigan



Tom Lopienski, Sr., (above) was a starter for the Irish at linebacker in 1975. Lopienski's son, Tom Jr., also played for the Irish, graduating in 2002.

5. Florida State
6. Alabama
7. Nebraska
8. Penn State
9. **NOTRE DAME**
10. North Carolina
11. USC
12. Brigham Young
13. UCLA
14. Baylor
15. Ohio State
16. Washington
17. Purdue
18. Miami (Fla.)
19. Mississippi State
20. SMU

1981

1. Clemson
2. Texas
3. Penn State
4. Pittsburgh
5. SMU
6. Georgia
7. Alabama
8. Miami (Fla.)
9. North Carolina
10. Washington
11. Nebraska
12. Michigan
13. Brigham Young
14. USC
15. Ohio State
16. Arizona State
17. West Virginia
18. Iowa
19. Missouri
20. Oklahoma

1982

1. Penn State
2. SMU
3. Nebraska
4. Georgia
5. UCLA
6. Arizona State
7. Washington
8. Clemson
9. Arkansas
10. Pittsburgh
11. LSU
12. Ohio State
13. Florida State
14. Auburn
15. USC
16. Oklahoma
17. Texas
18. North Carolina
19. West Virginia
20. Maryland

1983

1. Miami (Fla.)
2. Nebraska
3. Auburn
4. Georgia
5. Texas
6. Florida
7. Brigham Young
8. Michigan

9. Ohio State
10. Illinois
11. Clemson
12. SMU
13. Air Force
14. Iowa
15. Alabama
16. West Virginia
17. UCLA
18. Pittsburgh
19. Boston College
20. East Carolina

1984

1. Brigham Young
2. Washington
3. Florida
4. Nebraska
5. Boston College
6. Oklahoma
7. Oklahoma State
8. SMU
9. UCLA
10. USC
11. South Carolina
12. Maryland
13. Ohio State
14. Auburn
15. LSU
16. Iowa
17. Florida State
18. Miami (Fla.)
19. Kentucky
20. Virginia

1985

1. Oklahoma
2. Michigan
3. Penn State
4. Tennessee
5. Florida
6. Texas A&M
7. UCLA
8. Air Force
9. Miami (Fla.)
10. Iowa
11. Nebraska
12. Arkansas
13. Alabama
14. Ohio State
15. Florida State
16. Brigham Young
17. Baylor
18. Maryland
19. Georgia Tech
20. LSU

1986

1. Penn State
2. Miami (Fla.)
3. Oklahoma
4. Arizona State
5. Nebraska
6. Auburn
7. Ohio State
8. Michigan
9. Alabama
10. LSU
11. Arizona
12. Baylor

13. Texas A&M
14. UCLA
15. Arkansas
16. Iowa
17. Clemson
18. Washington
19. Boston College
20. Virginia Tech

1987

1. Miami (Fla.)
2. Florida State
3. Oklahoma
4. Syracuse
5. LSU
6. Nebraska
7. Auburn
8. Michigan State
9. UCLA
10. Texas A&M
11. Oklahoma State
12. Clemson
13. Georgia
14. Tennessee
15. South Carolina
16. Iowa
17. **NOTRE DAME**
18. USC
19. Michigan
20. Arizona State

1988

1. **NOTRE DAME**
2. Miami (Fla.)
3. Florida State
4. Michigan
5. West Virginia
6. UCLA
7. USC
8. Auburn
9. Clemson
10. Nebraska
11. Oklahoma State
12. Arkansas
13. Syracuse
14. Oklahoma
15. Georgia
16. Washington State
17. Alabama
18. Houston
19. LSU
20. Indiana

1989

1. Miami (Fla.)
2. **NOTRE DAME**
3. Florida State
4. Colorado
5. Tennessee
6. Auburn
7. Michigan
8. USC
9. Alabama
10. Illinois
11. Nebraska
12. Clemson
13. Arkansas
14. Houston
15. Penn State
16. Michigan State
17. Pittsburgh
18. Virginia
19. Texas Tech
20. Texas A&M
21. West Virginia
22. Brigham Young
23. Washington
24. Ohio State
25. Arizona

1990

1. Colorado
2. Georgia Tech
3. Miami (Fla.)
4. Florida State
5. Washington
6. **NOTRE DAME**
7. Michigan

8. Tennessee
9. Clemson
10. Houston
11. Penn State
12. Texas
13. Florida
14. Louisville
15. Texas A&M
16. Michigan State
17. Oklahoma
18. Iowa
19. Auburn
20. USC
21. Mississippi
22. Brigham Young
23. Virginia
24. Nebraska
25. Illinois

1991

1. Miami (Fla.)
2. Washington
3. Penn State
4. Florida State
5. Alabama
6. Michigan
7. Florida
8. California
9. East Carolina
10. Iowa
11. Syracuse
12. Texas A&M
13. **NOTRE DAME**
14. Tennessee
15. Nebraska
16. Oklahoma
17. Georgia
18. Clemson
19. UCLA
20. Colorado
21. Tulsa
22. Stanford
23. Brigham Young
24. North Carolina State
25. Air Force

1992

1. Alabama
2. Florida State
3. Miami (Fla.)
4. **NOTRE DAME**
5. Michigan
6. Syracuse
7. Texas A&M
8. Georgia
9. Stanford
10. Florida
11. Washington
12. Tennessee
13. Colorado
14. Nebraska
15. Washington State
16. Mississippi
17. North Carolina State
18. Ohio State
19. North Carolina
20. Hawaii
21. Boston College
22. Kansas
23. Mississippi State
24. Fresno State
25. Wake Forest

1993

1. Florida State
2. **NOTRE DAME**
3. Nebraska
4. Auburn
5. Florida
6. Wisconsin
7. West Virginia
8. Penn State
9. Texas A&M
10. Arizona
11. Ohio State
12. Tennessee
13. Boston College
14. Alabama

AP RECAP

1. Eight times	1943, '46, '47, '49, '66, '73, '77, '88
2. Five times	1948, '53, '70, '89, '93
3. Three times	1941, '52, '64
4. Two times	1954, '92
5. Four times	1938, '67, '68, '69
6. Three times	1942, '74, '90
7. One time	1978
8. Two times	1936, '55
9. Five times	1937, '44, '45, '65, '80
10. One time	1957

15. Miami (Fla.)
16. Colorado
17. Oklahoma
18. UCLA
19. North Carolina
20. Kansas State
21. Michigan
22. Virginia Tech
23. Clemson
24. Louisville
25. California

1994

1. Nebraska
2. Penn State
3. Colorado
4. Florida State
5. Alabama
6. Miami (Fla.)
7. Florida
8. Texas A&M
9. Auburn
10. Utah
11. Oregon
12. Michigan
13. USC
14. Ohio State
15. Virginia
16. Colorado State
17. North Carolina State
18. BYU
19. Kansas State
20. Arizona
21. Washington State
22. Tennessee
23. Boston College
24. Mississippi State
25. Texas

1995

1. Nebraska
2. Florida
3. Tennessee
4. Florida State
5. Colorado
6. Ohio State
7. Kansas State
8. Northwestern
9. Kansas
10. Virginia Tech
11. **NOTRE DAME**
12. USC
13. Penn State
14. Texas
15. Texas A&M
16. Florida
17. Michigan
18. Oregon
19. Syracuse
20. Miami
21. Alabama
22. Auburn
23. Texas Tech
24. Toledo
25. Iowa

1996

1. Florida
2. Ohio State
3. Florida State
4. Arizona State

5. BYU
6. Nebraska
7. Penn State
8. Colorado
9. Tennessee
10. North Carolina
11. Alabama
12. LSU
13. Virginia Tech
14. Miami (Fla.)
15. Northwestern
16. Washington
17. Kansas State
18. Iowa
19. **NOTRE DAME**
20. Michigan
21. Syracuse
22. Wyoming
23. Texas
24. Auburn
25. Army

1997

1. Michigan
2. Nebraska
3. Florida State
4. Florida
5. UCLA
6. North Carolina
7. Tennessee
8. Kansas State
9. Washington State
10. Georgia
11. Auburn
12. Ohio State
13. LSU
14. Arizona State
15. Purdue
16. Penn State
17. Colorado State
18. Washington
19. Southern Mississippi
20. Texas A&M
21. Syracuse
22. Mississippi
23. Missouri
24. Oklahoma State
25. Georgia Tech

1998

1. Tennessee
2. Ohio State
3. Florida State
4. Arizona
5. Wisconsin
6. Florida
7. Tulane
8. UCLA
9. Kansas State
10. Air Force
11. Georgia Tech
12. Michigan
13. Texas A&M
14. Georgia
15. Penn State
16. Texas
17. Arkansas
18. Virginia
19. Virginia Tech
20. Nebraska



Notre Dame has finished first in the final Associated Press poll eight times in its history, more than any other school. (photo by Lighthouse Imaging)

21. Miami, Fla.
- 22. NOTRE DAME**
23. Purdue
24. Syracuse
25. Missouri

1999

1. Florida State
2. Virginia Tech
3. Nebraska
4. Wisconsin
5. Michigan
6. Kansas State
7. Michigan State
8. Alabama
9. Tennessee
10. Marshall
11. Penn State
12. Florida
13. Mississippi State
14. Southern Mississippi
15. Miami (Fla.)
16. Georgia
17. Arkansas
18. Minnesota
19. Oregon
20. Georgia Tech
21. Texas
22. Mississippi
23. Texas A&M
24. Illinois
25. Purdue

2000

1. Oklahoma
2. Miami
3. Washington
4. Oregon State
5. Florida State
6. Virginia Tech
7. Oregon
8. Nebraska
9. Kansas State
10. Florida
11. Michigan
12. Texas
13. Purdue
14. Colorado State
- 15. NOTRE DAME**
16. Clemson
17. Georgia Tech
18. Auburn
19. South Carolina
20. Georgia
21. TCU
22. LSU
23. Wisconsin
24. Mississippi State
25. Iowa State

2001

1. Miami
2. Oregon
3. Florida
4. Tennessee
5. Texas
6. Oklahoma
7. LSU
8. Nebraska
9. Colorado
10. Washington State
11. Maryland
12. Illinois
13. South Carolina
14. Syracuse
15. Florida State
16. Stanford
17. Louisville
18. Virginia Tech
19. Washington
20. Michigan
21. Boston College
22. Georgia
23. Toledo
24. Georgia Tech
25. BYU

2002

1. Ohio State
2. Miami
3. Georgia
4. USC
5. Oklahoma
6. Texas
7. Kansas State
8. Iowa
9. Michigan
10. Washington State
11. Alabama
12. North Carolina State
13. Maryland
14. Auburn
15. Boise State
16. Penn State
- 17. NOTRE DAME**
18. Virginia Tech
19. Pittsburgh
20. Colorado
21. Florida State
22. Virginia
23. TCU
24. Marshall
25. West Virginia

2003

1. USC
2. LSU
3. Oklahoma
4. Ohio State
5. Miami (Fla.)
6. Michigan
7. Georgia
8. Iowa
9. Washington State
10. Miami (Ohio)
11. Florida State
12. Texas
13. Mississippi
14. Kansas State
15. Tennessee
16. Boise State
17. Maryland
18. Purdue
19. Nebraska
20. Minnesota
21. Utah
22. Clemson
23. Bowling Green
24. Florida
25. TCU

10. Ohio State
11. Illinois
12. Clemson
13. Miami (Fla.)
14. Wyoming
15. Washington
16. Baylor
17. Alabama
18. Washington & Lee
19. Navy
20. Nebraska
- Wisconsin
- Cornell

1951

1. Tennessee
2. Michigan State
3. Illinois
4. Maryland
5. Georgia Tech
6. Princeton
7. Stanford
8. Wisconsin
9. Baylor
10. TCU
11. Oklahoma
12. California
- 13. NOTRE DAME**
14. San Francisco
15. Purdue
16. Washington State
17. Holy Cross
18. UCLA
19. Kentucky
20. Kansas

1952

1. Michigan State
2. Georgia Tech
- 3. NOTRE DAME**
4. Oklahoma
5. USC
6. UCLA
7. Mississippi
8. Tennessee
9. Alabama
10. Wisconsin
11. Texas
12. Purdue
13. Maryland
14. Princeton
15. Ohio State
16. Pittsburgh
17. Navy
18. Duke
19. Houston
20. Kentucky

4. NOTRE DAME

5. Navy
6. Mississippi
7. Army
8. Arkansas
9. Miami (Fla.)
10. Wisconsin
11. USC
12. Maryland
13. Georgia Tech
14. Duke
15. Michigan
16. Penn State
17. SMU
18. Denver
19. Rice
20. Minnesota

1955

1. Oklahoma
2. Michigan State
3. Maryland
4. UCLA
5. Ohio State
6. TCU
7. Georgia Tech
8. Auburn
9. Mississippi
- 10. NOTRE DAME**
11. Pittsburgh
12. USC
13. Michigan
14. Texas A&M
15. Army
16. Duke
17. West Virginia
18. Miami (Fla.)
19. Iowa
20. Navy
- Stanford
- Miami (Ohio)

1956

1. Oklahoma
2. Tennessee
3. Iowa
4. Georgia Tech
5. Texas A&M
6. Miami (Fla.)
7. Michigan
8. Syracuse
9. Minnesota
10. Michigan State
11. Baylor
12. Pittsburgh
13. Oregon State
14. TCU
15. USC
16. Wyoming
17. Yale
18. Colorado
19. Navy
20. Duke

1957

1. Ohio State
2. Auburn
3. Michigan State
4. Oklahoma
5. Iowa
6. Navy
7. Rice
8. Mississippi
- 9. NOTRE DAME**
10. Texas A&M
11. Texas
12. Arizona State
13. Army
14. Duke
15. Wisconsin
16. Tennessee
17. Oregon
18. Clemson
19. UCLA
20. North Carolina State

1958

1. LSU
2. Iowa
3. Army
4. Auburn
5. Oklahoma
6. Wisconsin
7. Ohio State
8. Air Force
9. TCU
10. Syracuse
11. Purdue
12. Mississippi
13. Clemson
- 14. NOTRE DAME**
15. Florida
16. California
17. Northwestern
18. SMU

Only 18 teams ranked

1959

1. Syracuse
2. Mississippi
3. LSU
4. Texas
5. Georgia
6. Wisconsin
7. Washington
8. TCU
9. Arkansas
10. Penn State
11. Illinois
12. USC
13. Alabama
14. Pittsburgh
15. Oklahoma
16. Northwestern
17. Michigan State
18. Wyoming
19. Auburn
20. Missouri

1960

1. Minnesota
2. Iowa
3. Mississippi
4. Missouri
5. Wisconsin
6. Navy
7. Arkansas
8. Ohio State
9. Kansas
10. Alabama
11. Duke
12. Baylor
13. Michigan State
14. Auburn
15. Purdue
16. Florida
17. Texas
18. Yale
19. New Mexico State
20. Tennessee

1961

1. Alabama
2. Ohio State
3. LSU
4. Texas
5. Mississippi
6. Minnesota
7. Colorado
8. Arkansas
9. Michigan State
10. Utah State
11. Purdue
12. Missouri
13. Georgia Tech
14. Duke
15. Kansas
16. Syracuse
17. Wyoming
18. Wisconsin
19. Miami (Fla.)
20. Penn State

1962

1. USC
2. Wisconsin
3. Mississippi
4. Texas
5. Alabama
6. Arkansas
7. Oklahoma
8. LSU
9. Penn State
10. Minnesota
11. Georgia Tech
12. Missouri
13. Ohio State
14. Duke
15. Washington
16. Northwestern
17. Oregon State
18. Arizona State
19. Illinois
20. Miami (Fla.)

1963

1. Texas
2. Navy
3. Pittsburgh
4. Illinois
5. Nebraska
6. Auburn
7. Mississippi
8. Oklahoma
9. Alabama
10. Michigan State
11. Mississippi State
12. Syracuse
13. Arizona State
14. Memphis State
15. Washington
16. Penn State
17. USC
18. Missouri
19. North Carolina
20. Baylor

1964

1. Alabama
2. Arkansas
- 3. NOTRE DAME**
4. Michigan
5. Texas
6. Nebraska
7. LSU
8. Oregon State
9. Ohio State
10. USC
11. Florida State
12. Syracuse
13. Princeton
14. Penn State
15. Utah
16. Illinois
17. New Mexico
18. Tulsa
19. Missouri
20. Mississippi
- Michigan State

1965

1. Michigan State
2. Arkansas
3. Nebraska
4. Alabama
5. UCLA
6. Missouri
7. Tennessee
- 8. NOTRE DAME**
9. USC
10. Texas Tech
11. Ohio State
12. Florida
13. Purdue
14. LSU
15. Georgia
16. Tulsa
17. Mississippi
18. Kentucky
19. Syracuse
20. Colorado

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1950

1. Oklahoma
2. Texas
3. Tennessee
4. California
5. Army
6. Michigan
7. Kentucky
8. Princeton
9. Michigan State

1953

1. Maryland
- 2. NOTRE DAME**
3. Michigan State
4. UCLA
5. Oklahoma
6. Rice
7. Illinois
8. Texas
9. Georgia Tech
10. Iowa
11. Alabama
12. Texas Tech
13. West Virginia
14. Wisconsin
15. Kentucky
16. Army
17. Stanford
18. Duke
19. Michigan
20. Ohio State

1954

1. UCLA
2. Ohio State
3. Oklahoma

1966

- 1. NOTRE DAME**
- Michigan State
- Alabama
- Georgia
- UCLA
- Purdue
- Nebraska
- Georgia Tech
- SMU
- Miami (Fla.)
- Florida
- Mississippi
- Arkansas
- Tennessee
- Wyoming
- Syracuse
- Houston
- USC
- Oregon State
- Virginia Tech

1967

- USC
- Tennessee
- Oklahoma
- 4. NOTRE DAME**
- UCLA
- Indiana
- Alabama
- Oregon State
- Purdue
- UCLA
- Penn State
- Syracuse
- Colorado
- Minnesota
- Florida State
- Miami (Fla.)
- North Carolina State
- Georgia
- Houston
- Arizona State

1968

- Ohio State
- USC
- Penn State
- Georgia
- Texas
- Kansas
- Tennessee
- 8. NOTRE DAME**
- Arkansas
- Oklahoma
- Purdue
- Alabama
- Oregon State
- Florida State
- Michigan
- SMU
- Missouri
- Ohio University
- Minnesota
- Houston
- Stanford

1969

- Texas
- Penn State
- Arkansas
- USC
- Ohio State
- Missouri
- LSU
- Michigan
- 9. NOTRE DAME**
- UCLA
- Tennessee
- Nebraska
- Mississippi
- Stanford
- Auburn
- Houston
- Florida
- Purdue

San Diego State
West Virginia
Mississippi

1970

- Texas
- Ohio State
- Nebraska
- Tennessee
- 5. NOTRE DAME**
- LSU
- Michigan
- Arizona State
- Auburn
- Stanford
- Air Force
- Arkansas
- Houston
- Dartmouth
- Oklahoma
- Colorado
- Georgia Tech
- Toledo
- Penn State
- USC

1971

- Nebraska
- Alabama
- Oklahoma
- Michigan
- Auburn
- Arizona State
- Colorado
- Georgia
- Tennessee
- LSU
- Penn State
- Texas
- Toledo
- Houston
- 15. NOTRE DAME**
- Iowa State
- North Carolina
- Florida State
- Arkansas

1972

- USC
- Oklahoma
- Ohio State
- Alabama
- Texas
- Michigan
- Auburn
- Penn State
- Nebraska
- LSU
- Tennessee
- 12. NOTRE DAME**
- Arizona State
- Colorado
- North Carolina
- Louisville
- UCLA
- Washington State
- Utah State
- San Diego State

1973

- Alabama
- Oklahoma
- Ohio State
- 4. NOTRE DAME**
- Penn State
- Michigan
- USC
- Texas
- UCLA
- Arizona State
- Nebraska
- Texas Tech
- Houston
- LSU
- Kansas
- Tulane

- Miami (Ohio)
- Maryland
- San Diego State
- Florida

1974

- USC
- Alabama
- Ohio State
- 4. NOTRE DAME**
- Michigan
- Auburn
- Penn State
- Nebraska
- North Carolina State
- Miami (Ohio)
- Florida
- Maryland
- Baylor
- Texas A&M
- Tennessee
- Mississippi State
- Michigan State
- Tulsa
- USC

1975

- Oklahoma
- Arizona State
- Alabama
- Ohio State
- UCLA
- Arkansas
- Texas
- Michigan
- Nebraska
- Penn State
- Maryland
- Texas A&M
- Arizona
- Pittsburgh
- California
- Miami (Ohio)
- 17. NOTRE DAME**
- West Virginia
- Georgia
- USC

1976

- Pittsburgh
- USC
- Michigan
- Houston
- Ohio State
- Oklahoma
- Nebraska
- Texas A&M
- Alabama
- Georgia
- Tennessee
- Maryland
- 12. NOTRE DAME**
- Texas Tech
- Oklahoma State
- UCLA
- Colorado
- Rutgers
- Iowa State
- Baylor
- North Carolina State

1977

- 1. NOTRE DAME**
- Alabama
- Arkansas
- Penn State
- Texas
- Oklahoma
- Pittsburgh
- Michigan
- Washington
- Nebraska
- Florida State
- Ohio State
- USC
- North Carolina
- Stanford

- North Texas State
- Brigham Young
- Arizona State
- San Diego State
- North Carolina State

1978

- USC
- Alabama
- Oklahoma
- Penn State
- Michigan
- 6. NOTRE DAME**
- Clemson
- Nebraska
- Texas
- Houston
- Houston
- UCLA
- Purdue
- Missouri
- Georgia
- Stanford
- Navy
- Texas A&M
- Arizona State
- Missouri

1979

- Alabama
- USC
- Oklahoma
- Ohio State
- Houston
- Pittsburgh
- Nebraska
- Florida State
- Arkansas
- Purdue
- Washington
- Brigham Young
- Texas
- North Carolina
- Baylor
- Indiana
- Temple
- Penn State
- Michigan
- Missouri

1980

- Georgia
- Pittsburgh
- Oklahoma
- Michigan
- Florida State
- Alabama
- Nebraska
- Penn State
- North Carolina
- 10. NOTRE DAME**
- Brigham Young
- USC
- Baylor
- UCLA
- Ohio State
- Purdue
- Washington
- Miami (Fla.)
- Florida
- SMU

1981

- Clemson
- Pittsburgh
- Penn State
- Texas
- Georgia
- Alabama
- Washington
- North Carolina
- Nebraska
- Michigan
- Brigham Young
- Ohio State
- USC
- Oklahoma
- Iowa
- Arkansas
- Mississippi State
- West Virginia
- Southern Miss.
- Missouri

1982

- Penn State
- SMU
- Nebraska
- Georgia
- UCLA
- Arizona State
- Washington
- Arkansas
- Pittsburgh
- Florida State
- LSU
- Ohio State
- North Carolina
- Auburn
- Michigan
- Oklahoma
- Alabama
- Texas
- West Virginia
- Maryland

1983

- Miami (Fla.)
- Nebraska
- Auburn
- Georgia
- Texas
- Florida
- Brigham Young
- Ohio State
- Michigan
- Illinois
- SMU
- Alabama
- Nebraska
- UCLA
- Iowa
- Air Force
- West Virginia
- Penn State
- Oklahoma State
- Pittsburgh
- Boston College

1984

- Brigham Young
- Washington
- Nebraska
- Boston College

- Oklahoma State
- Oklahoma
- Florida
- SMU
- USC
- UCLA
- Maryland
- Ohio State
- South Carolina
- Auburn
- Iowa
- LSU
- Virginia
- West Virginia
- Kentucky
- Florida State

1985

- Oklahoma
- Michigan
- Penn State
- Tennessee
- Air Force
- UCLA
- Texas A&M
- Miami (Fla.)
- Iowa
- Nebraska
- Ohio State
- Arkansas
- Florida State
- Alabama
- Baylor
- Fresno State
- Brigham Young
- Georgia Tech
- Maryland
- LSU

1986

- Penn State
- Miami (Fla.)
- Oklahoma
- Nebraska
- Arizona State
- Ohio State
- Michigan
- Auburn
- Alabama
- Arizona
- LSU
- Texas A&M
- Baylor
- UCLA
- Iowa
- Arkansas
- Washington
- Boston College
- Clemson
- Florida State

1987

- Miami (Fla.)
- Florida State
- Oklahoma
- Syracuse
- LSU
- Nebraska
- Auburn
- Michigan State
- Texas A&M



The captains from the 1980 Irish squad that finished 9-2-1 were (left to right) John Scully, Bob Crable and Tom Gibbons.

10. Clemson
11. UCLA
12. Oklahoma State
13. Tennessee
14. Georgia
15. South Carolina
16. Iowa
17. USC
18. Michigan
19. Texas
20. Indiana

1988

1. **NOTRE DAME**
2. Miami (Fla.)
3. Florida State
4. Michigan
5. West Virginia
6. UCLA
7. Auburn
8. Clemson
9. USC
10. Nebraska
11. Oklahoma State
12. Syracuse
13. Arkansas
14. Oklahoma
15. Georgia
16. Washington State
17. N.C. State
18. Alabama
19. Indiana
20. Wyoming

1989

1. Miami (Fla.)
2. Florida State
3. **NOTRE DAME**
4. Colorado
5. Tennessee
6. Auburn
7. Alabama
8. Michigan
9. USC
10. Illinois
11. Clemson
12. Nebraska
13. Arkansas
14. Penn State
15. Virginia
16. Texas Tech
17. Michigan State
18. Brigham Young
19. Pittsburgh
20. Washington

1990

1. Georgia Tech
2. Colorado
3. Miami (Fla.)
4. Florida State
5. Washington
6. **NOTRE DAME**
7. Tennessee
8. Michigan
9. Clemson
10. Penn State
11. Texas
12. Louisville
13. Texas A&M

14. Michigan State
15. Virginia
16. Iowa
17. Brigham Young
18. Nebraska
19. Auburn
20. San Jose State
21. Syracuse
22. USC
23. Mississippi
24. Illinois
25. Virginia Tech

1991

1. Washington
2. Miami (Fla.)
3. Penn State
4. Florida State
5. Alabama
6. Michigan
7. Florida
8. California
9. East Carolina
10. Iowa
11. Syracuse

1992

1. **NOTRE DAME**
2. Texas A&M
3. Tennessee
4. Nebraska
5. Oklahoma
6. Clemson
7. Colorado
8. UCLA
9. Georgia
10. Tulsa
11. Stanford
12. North Carolina State
13. Brigham Young
14. Ohio State

1993

1. Alabama
2. Florida State
3. Miami (Fla.)
4. **NOTRE DAME**
5. Michigan
6. Syracuse
7. Texas A&M
8. Georgia
9. Stanford
10. Florida
11. Washington
12. Tennessee
13. Colorado
14. Nebraska
15. Washington State
16. Mississippi
17. North Carolina State
18. North Carolina
19. Ohio State
20. Hawaii
21. Boston College
22. Kansas
23. Fresno State
24. Penn State
25. Mississippi State

1994

1. Florida State
2. **NOTRE DAME**

3. Nebraska
4. Florida
5. Wisconsin
6. Texas A&M
7. Penn State
8. West Virginia
9. Ohio State
10. Arizona
11. Boston College
12. Tennessee
13. Alabama
14. Miami (Fla.)
15. Oklahoma
16. Colorado
17. UCLA
18. Kansas State
19. Michigan
20. North Carolina
21. Virginia Tech
22. Louisville
23. Clemson
24. California
25. USC

1995

1. Nebraska
2. Penn State
3. Colorado
4. Florida State
5. Alabama
6. Miami (Fla.)
7. Florida
8. Utah
9. Michigan
10. Ohio State
11. Oregon
12. BYU
13. USC
14. Colorado State
15. Virginia
16. Kansas State
17. North Carolina State
18. Tennessee
19. Washington State
20. Arizona
21. North Carolina
22. Boston College
23. Texas
24. Virginia Tech
25. Mississippi State

1996

1. Nebraska
2. Florida
3. Tennessee
4. Colorado
5. Florida State
6. Ohio State
7. Kansas State
8. Northwestern
9. Virginia Tech
10. Kansas
11. USC
12. Penn State
13. **NOTRE DAME**
14. Texas A&M
15. Texas
16. Virginia
17. Syracuse
18. Oregon
19. Michigan
20. Texas Tech
21. Auburn
22. Toledo
23. Iowa
24. East Carolina
25. LSU

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1975

1. Arizona State
2. Oklahoma
3. Ohio State
4. Alabama
5. Nebraska
6. Texas
7. Arkansas
8. UCLA
9. Michigan
10. Pittsburgh

1976

1. Pittsburgh
2. USC
3. Texas A&M
4. Oklahoma
5. Oklahoma State
6. Nebraska
7. Texas Tech
8. Michigan
9. Ohio State
10. Georgia

1977

1. **NOTRE DAME**
2. Alabama
3. Texas
4. Arkansas
5. Kentucky
6. Penn State
7. Oklahoma
8. Pittsburgh
9. Washington
10. USC

1978

1. USC
2. Alabama
3. Oklahoma
4. Michigan
5. Nebraska
6. **NOTRE DAME**
7. Penn State
8. Michigan State
9. Clemson
10. Houston

1979

1. Alabama
2. USC
3. Ohio State
4. Houston
5. Arkansas
6. Oklahoma
7. Nebraska
8. Pittsburgh
9. Michigan
10. Florida State

1980

1. Georgia
2. Pittsburgh
3. Michigan
4. Oklahoma
5. Florida State
6. Nebraska
7. Penn State
8. **NOTRE DAME**
9. Alabama
10. North Carolina

1981

1. Clemson
2. Texas
3. Penn State
4. Miami (Fla.)
5. SMU
6. Alabama
7. Pittsburgh
8. Georgia
9. Washington
10. North Carolina

1982

1. Penn State
2. Nebraska
3. UCLA
4. Georgia
5. SMU
6. Arizona State
7. Washington
8. Clemson
9. Pittsburgh
10. Auburn

1983

1. Miami (Fla.)
2. Nebraska
3. Auburn
4. Georgia
5. Florida
6. Texas
7. Illinois
8. Michigan
9. Ohio State
10. Iowa

1984

1. Florida
2. Nebraska
3. Washington
4. Brigham Young
5. Boston College
6. Oklahoma
7. Oklahoma State
8. South Carolina
9. SMU
10. Maryland

1985

1. Oklahoma
2. Michigan
3. Penn State
4. Florida
5. Tennessee
6. Miami (Fla.)
7. Texas A&M
8. UCLA
9. Air Force
10. Iowa
11. Alabama
12. Nebraska
13. Arkansas
14. Baylor
15. Ohio State
16. Florida State
17. Georgia Tech
18. Auburn
19. Louisiana State
20. Brigham Young

1986

1. Penn State
2. Miami (Fla.)
3. Oklahoma
4. Arizona State
5. Michigan
6. Nebraska
7. Ohio State
8. LSU
9. Auburn
10. Alabama
11. Baylor
12. Texas A&M
13. UCLA
14. Washington
15. Clemson
16. Boston College
17. Stanford
18. Arizona
19. Iowa
20. Arkansas

1987

1. Miami (Fla.)
2. Oklahoma
3. Florida State
4. Penn State
5. Alabama
6. Nebraska
7. LSU
8. Auburn
9. UCLA
10. Michigan State
11. Tennessee
12. Georgia
13. Texas A&M
14. Oklahoma State
15. USC
16. South Carolina

17. NOTRE DAME

18. Michigan
19. Iowa
20. Virginia

1988

1. NOTRE DAME

2. Miami (Fla.)
3. Florida State
4. Nebraska
5. Michigan
6. USC
7. UCLA
8. Auburn
9. West Virginia
10. Oklahoma State
11. Arkansas
12. Clemson
13. Oklahoma
14. Washington State
15. Syracuse
16. Houston
17. Alabama
18. Georgia
19. LSU
20. Indiana

1989

1. Miami (Fla.)

2. NOTRE DAME

3. Colorado
4. Tennessee
5. Florida State
6. Michigan
7. Illinois
8. Alabama
9. USC
10. Auburn
11. Nebraska
12. Virginia
13. Michigan State
14. Clemson
15. Houston
16. Arkansas
17. Texas Tech
18. Pittsburgh
19. Fresno State
20. Mississippi

1990

1. Georgia Tech
2. Colorado
3. Miami (Fla.)
4. Florida State
5. Washington
6. **NOTRE DAME**
7. Tennessee
8. Clemson
9. Michigan
10. Texas
11. Houston
12. Penn State
13. Florida
14. Louisville
15. Texas A&M
16. Michigan State
17. Oklahoma
18. Brigham Young
19. Nebraska
20. Auburn

1991

1. Washington
2. Miami (Fla.)
3. Florida State
4. Penn State
5. Alabama
6. Michigan
7. Florida
8. California
9. East Carolina
10. Iowa
11. Texas A&M
12. Syracuse
13. **NOTRE DAME**
14. Tennessee
15. Nebraska
16. Oklahoma
17. Clemson

UPI/CNN-USA TODAY ESPN RECAP

1. Three times	1966, '77, '88
2. Two times	1953, '93
3. Three times	1952, '64, '89
4. Five times	1954, '67, '73, '74, '92
5. One time	1970
6. Two times	1978, '90
7. None	
8. Two times	1965, '68
9. Two times	1957, '69
10. Two times	1955, '80

18. UCLA
19. Colorado
20. Tulsa
21. Georgia
22. Stanford
23. Brigham Young
24. Air Force
25. North Carolina State

1992

1. Alabama
2. Florida State
3. Miami (Fla.)
4. **NOTRE DAME**
5. Michigan
6. Texas A&M
7. Georgia
8. Syracuse
9. Stanford
10. Colorado
11. Nebraska
12. Mississippi
13. Florida
14. Washington
15. Tennessee
16. North Carolina State
17. Washington State
18. North Carolina
19. Ohio State
20. Hawaii
21. Boston College
22. Kansas
23. Fresno State
24. Wake Forest
25. Southern Mississippi

1993

1. Florida State
2. **NOTRE DAME**
3. Nebraska
4. Florida
5. Auburn
6. Wisconsin
7. Texas A&M
8. Penn State
9. Arizona
10. West Virginia
11. Ohio State
12. Tennessee
13. Boston College
14. Alabama
15. Miami (Fla.)
16. Colorado
17. Michigan
18. UCLA
19. Oklahoma
20. North Carolina
21. Kansas State
22. Virginia Tech
23. Clemson
24. California
25. Louisville

1994

1. Nebraska
2. Penn State
3. Colorado
4. Alabama
5. Miami (Fla.)
6. Florida State
7. Florida
8. Texas A&M
9. Auburn
10. Utah
11. Oregon
12. Michigan
13. USC
14. Ohio State
15. Colorado State
16. BYU
17. North Carolina State
18. Virginia
19. Washington State
20. Arizona
21. Boston College
22. Tennessee
23. Kansas State

24. Virginia Tech
25. Mississippi State

1995

1. Nebraska
2. Florida
3. Tennessee
4. Colorado
5. Florida State
6. Kansas State
7. Northwestern
8. Ohio State
9. Virginia Tech
10. Kansas
11. Penn State
12. **NOTRE DAME**
13. USC
14. Texas
15. Texas A&M
16. Virginia
17. Syracuse
18. Michigan
19. Oregon
20. Auburn
21. Miami
22. Alabama
23. Texas Tech
24. Toledo
25. East Carolina

1996

1. Florida
2. Ohio State
3. Florida State
4. Arizona State
5. Nebraska
6. Colorado
7. Penn State
8. Tennessee
9. North Carolina
10. BYU
11. Alabama
12. Virginia Tech
13. LSU
14. Washington
15. Iowa
16. Northwestern
17. Miami (Fla.)
18. **NOTRE DAME**
19. Kansas State
20. Syracuse
21. Michigan
22. Texas
23. Auburn
24. Stanford
25. Wisconsin

1997

1. Michigan
2. Nebraska
3. Florida State
4. UCLA
5. Florida
6. Tennessee
7. Washington State
8. North Carolina
9. Kansas State
10. Ohio State
11. Georgia
12. Auburn
13. Penn State
14. Colorado State
15. Arizona State
16. LSU
17. Washington
18. Purdue
19. Southern Mississippi
20. Mississippi
21. Colorado State
22. Missouri
23. Texas A&M
24. Mississippi State
25. Marshall

1998

1. Tennessee
2. Ohio State
3. Florida State

4. Arizona
5. Florida
6. Wisconsin
7. UCLA
8. Tulane
9. Michigan
10. Texas A&M
11. Georgia Tech
12. Kansas State
13. Georgia
14. Arkansas
15. Penn State
16. Air Force
17. Virginia
18. Texas
19. Syracuse
20. USC
21. Virginia Tech
22. Purdue
23. **NOTRE DAME**
24. Missouri
25. Nebraska

1999

1. Florida State
2. Virginia Tech
3. Nebraska
4. Wisconsin
5. Michigan
6. Kansas State
7. Michigan State
8. Alabama
9. Tennessee
10. Marshall
11. Florida
12. Mississippi State
13. Penn State
14. Georgia
15. Southern Mississippi
16. Miami (Fla.)
17. Mississippi
18. Arkansas
19. Texas
20. Texas A&M
21. Georgia Tech
22. Oregon
23. Minnesota
24. Purdue
25. Illinois

2000

1. Oklahoma
2. Miami
3. Washington
4. Oregon State
5. Florida State
6. Virginia Tech
7. Nebraska
8. Oregon
9. Kansas State
10. Florida
11. Michigan
12. Texas
13. Purdue
14. Georgia Tech
15. South Carolina
16. Colorado State
17. Clemson
18. **NOTRE DAME**
19. Iowa State
20. Auburn
21. LSU
22. Wisconsin
23. Northwestern
24. TCU
25. Tennessee

2001

1. Miami
2. Oregon
3. Florida
4. Tennessee
5. Oklahoma
6. Texas
7. Colorado
8. Nebraska
9. Washington State

10. LSU
11. South Carolina
12. Maryland
13. Illinois
14. Syracuse
15. Stanford
16. Florida State
17. Georgia
18. Michigan
19. Washington
20. BYU
21. Virginia Tech
22. Ohio State
23. Boston College
24. Louisville
25. Toledo

2002

1. Ohio State
2. Miami
3. Georgia
4. USC
5. Oklahoma
6. Kansas State
7. Iowa
8. Texas
9. Michigan
10. Washington State
11. North Carolina State
12. Maryland
13. Auburn
14. Boise State
15. Alabama
16. **NOTRE DAME**
17. Penn State
18. Pittsburgh
19. Virginia
20. TCU
21. Colorado
22. West Virginia
23. Virginia Tech
24. Texas Tech
25. Marshall

10. Clemson
11. Illinois
12. SMU
13. Alabama
14. Air Force
15. West Virginia
16. Iowa
17. Tennessee
18. UCLA
19. Pittsburgh
20. Penn State
21. Oklahoma
22. Boston College
23. Oklahoma State
24. Maryland
25. East Carolina

1984

1. Brigham Young
2. Washington
3. Florida
4. Nebraska
5. Oklahoma
6. Boston College
7. Oklahoma State
8. SMU
9. Maryland
10. South Carolina
11. USC
12. UCLA
13. LSU
14. Ohio State
15. Auburn
16. Miami (Fla.)
17. Florida State
18. Virginia
19. Kentucky
20. Iowa
21. West Virginia
22. Army
23. Georgia
24. Air Force
25. **NOTRE DAME**

ESPN/USA TODAY (CNN/USA TODAY FROM 1982-96)

1982

1. Penn State
2. SMU
3. Nebraska
4. Georgia
5. UCLA
6. Arizona State
7. Pittsburgh
8. Arkansas
9. Clemson
10. Washington
11. LSU
12. Florida State
13. Ohio State
14. USC
15. Oklahoma
16. Auburn
17. West Virginia
18. Maryland
19. North Carolina
20. Texas
21. Michigan
22. Alabama
23. Tulsa
24. Iowa
25. Florida

1983

1. Miami (Fla.)
2. Auburn
3. Nebraska
4. Georgia
5. Texas
6. Brigham Young
7. Michigan
8. Ohio State
9. Florida

1985

1. Oklahoma
2. Penn State
3. Michigan
4. Tennessee
5. Florida
6. Miami (Fla.)
7. Air Force
8. Texas A&M
9. UCLA
10. Iowa
11. Nebraska
12. Alabama
13. Ohio State
14. Florida State
15. Arkansas
16. Brigham Young
17. Maryland
18. Georgia Tech
19. Baylor
20. Auburn
21. LSU
22. Army
23. Fresno State
24. Georgia
25. Oklahoma State

1986

1. Penn State
2. Miami (Fla.)
3. Oklahoma
4. Nebraska
5. Arizona State
6. Ohio State
7. Auburn
8. Michigan
9. Alabama

10. LSU
11. Arizona
12. Texas A&M
13. UCLA
14. Baylor
15. Boston College
16. Iowa
17. Arkansas
18. Clemson
19. Washington
20. Virginia Tech
21. Florida State
22. Stanford
23. Georgia
24. North Carolina State
25. San Diego State

1987

1. Miami (Fla.)
2. Florida State
3. Oklahoma
4. Syracuse
5. Nebraska
6. LSU
7. Auburn
8. Michigan State
9. Texas A&M
10. UCLA
11. Clemson
12. Oklahoma State
13. Georgia
14. Tennessee
15. Iowa
16. **NOTRE DAME**
17. USC
18. South Carolina
19. Michigan
20. Texas
21. Pittsburgh
22. Indiana
23. Penn State
24. Ohio State
25. Alabama

1988

1. **NOTRE DAME**
2. Miami (Fla.)
3. Florida State
4. UCLA
5. Michigan
6. West Virginia
7. USC
8. Nebraska
9. Auburn
10. Clemson
11. Oklahoma State
12. Syracuse
13. Oklahoma
14. Arkansas
15. Washington State
16. Georgia
17. Alabama
18. North Carolina State
19. Houston
20. Indiana
21. Wyoming
22. LSU
23. Colorado
24. Southern Miss.
25. Brigham Young

1989

1. Miami (Fla.)
2. **NOTRE DAME**
3. Florida State
4. Colorado
5. Tennessee
6. Auburn
7. USC
8. Michigan
9. Alabama
10. Illinois
11. Nebraska
12. Clemson
13. Arkansas
14. Houston
15. Penn State
16. Virginia

17. Michigan State
18. Texas Tech
19. Pittsburgh
20. Texas A&M
21. West Virginia
22. Brigham Young
23. Syracuse
24. Ohio State
25. Washington

1990

1. Colorado
2. Georgia Tech
3. Miami (Fla.)
4. Florida State
5. Washington

6. NOTRE DAME

7. Tennessee
8. Michigan
9. Clemson
10. Texas
11. Penn State
12. Houston
13. Florida
14. Louisville
15. Michigan State
16. Texas A&M
17. Oklahoma
18. Iowa
19. Auburn
20. Brigham Young
21. Mississippi
22. USC
23. Nebraska
24. Illinois
25. Virginia

1991

1. Washington
2. Miami (Fla.)
3. Penn State
4. Florida State
5. Alabama
6. Michigan
7. California
8. Florida
9. East Carolina
10. Iowa
11. Syracuse

12. NOTRE DAME

13. Texas A&M
14. Oklahoma
15. Tennessee
16. Nebraska
17. Clemson
18. UCLA
19. Georgia
20. Colorado
21. Tulsa
22. Stanford
23. Brigham Young
24. Air Force
25. North Carolina State

1992

1. Alabama
2. Florida State
3. Miami (Fla.)
4. NOTRE DAME
5. Michigan
6. Texas A&M
7. Syracuse
8. Georgia
9. Stanford
10. Washington
11. Florida
12. Tennessee
13. Colorado
14. Nebraska
15. North Carolina State
16. Mississippi
17. Washington State
18. North Carolina
19. Ohio State
20. Hawaii
21. Boston College
22. Fresno State

23. Kansas
24. Penn State
25. Wake Forest

1993

1. Florida State
2. NOTRE DAME
3. Nebraska
4. Florida
5. Wisconsin
6. West Virginia
7. Penn State
8. Texas A&M
9. Arizona
10. Ohio State
11. Tennessee
12. Boston College
13. Alabama
14. Oklahoma
15. Miami (Fla.)
16. Colorado
17. UCLA
18. Kansas State
19. Michigan
20. Virginia Tech
21. North Carolina
22. Clemson
23. Louisville
24. California
25. USC

1994

1. Nebraska
2. Penn State
3. Colorado
4. Alabama
5. Florida State
6. Miami (Fla.)
7. Florida
8. Utah
9. Ohio State
10. BYU
11. Oregon
12. Michigan
13. Virginia
14. Colorado State
15. USC
16. Kansas State
17. North Carolina State
18. Tennessee
19. Washington State
20. Arizona
21. North Carolina
22. Boston College
23. Texas
24. Virginia Tech
25. Mississippi State

1995

1. Nebraska
2. Tennessee
3. Florida
4. Colorado
5. Florida State
6. Kansas State
7. Northwestern
8. Ohio State
9. Virginia Tech
10. Kansas
11. USC
12. Penn State
13. NOTRE DAME
14. Texas
15. Texas A&M
16. Syracuse
17. Virginia
18. Oregon
19. Michigan
20. Texas Tech
21. Auburn
22. Iowa
23. East Carolina
24. Toledo
25. LSU

1996

1. Florida
2. Ohio State

3. Florida State
4. Arizona State
5. BYU
6. Nebraska
7. Penn State
8. Colorado
9. Tennessee
10. North Carolina
11. Auburn
12. Virginia Tech
13. LSU
14. Miami (Fla.)
15. Washington
16. Northwestern
17. Kansas State
18. Iowa
19. Syracuse
20. Michigan
21. NOTRE DAME
22. Wyoming
23. Texas
24. Army
25. Auburn

1997

1. Nebraska
2. Michigan
3. Florida State
4. North Carolina
5. UCLA
6. Florida
7. Kansas State
8. Tennessee
9. Washington State
10. Georgia
11. Auburn
12. Ohio State
13. LSU
14. Arizona State
15. Purdue
16. Colorado State
17. Penn State
18. Washington
19. Southern Mississippi
20. Syracuse
21. Texas A&M
22. Mississippi
23. Missouri
24. Oklahoma State
25. Air Force

1998

1. Tennessee
2. Ohio State
3. Florida State
4. Arizona
5. Wisconsin
6. Florida
7. Tulane
8. UCLA
9. Kansas State
10. Air Force
11. Georgia Tech
12. Michigan
13. Texas A&M
14. Georgia
15. Penn State
16. Texas
17. Arkansas
18. Virginia
19. Virginia Tech
20. Nebraska
21. Miami, Fla.
22. NOTRE DAME
23. Purdue
24. Stanford
25. Missouri

1999

1. Florida State
2. Nebraska
3. Virginia Tech
4. Wisconsin
5. Michigan
6. Kansas State
7. Michigan State
8. Alabama

WIRE SERVICE REVIEW

Here's a comprehensive listing of wire-service poll titles won, combining the Associated Press (1936-2002), United Press International (1950-1990) and *USA Today/CNN* (1991-1990) versions. The *USA Today/CNN* poll replaced UPI as the coaches' poll in 1991 and became the *USA Today/ESPN* poll in 1997.

School	Total Titles	AP	UPI CNN/USA ESPN/USA	First	Last
1. Oklahoma	13	7	6	1950	2000
2. Notre Dame	11	8	3	1943	1988
Alabama	11	6	5	1961	1992
4. Miami (Fla.)	9	5	4	1983	2001
USC	9	4	5	1962	2003
6. Nebraska	8	4	4	1970	1997
7. Ohio State	7	4	3	1942	2002
8. Texas	5	2	3	1963	1970
Minnesota	5	4	1	1936	1960
10. Penn State	4	2	2	1982	1986
Tennessee	4	2	2	1951	1998
Florida State	4	2	2	1993	1999
13. Pittsburgh	3	2	1	1937	1976
Michigan State	3	1	1	1952	1965
LSU	3	1	2	1958	2003
16. Army	2	2	0	1944	1945
Maryland	2	1	1	1953	1953
Syracuse	2	1	1	1959	1959
Georgia	2	1	1	1980	1980
Clemson	2	1	1	1981	1981
BYU	2	1	1	1984	1984
Florida	2	1	1	1996	1996
Michigan	2	2	0	1948	1997

Another seven titles went to seven different schools: Texas Christian (AP — '38), Texas A&M (AP — '39), UCLA (UPI — '54), Auburn (AP — '57), Colorado (AP — '90), Georgia Tech (UPI — '90), Washington (UPI — '91).

Overall, the 120 titles have been shared by 30 schools, with 88 of the 122 going to 12 teams. There have been 11 disputed titles—1954-57-65-70-73-74-78-90-91-97-03.

9. Tennessee
10. Marshall
11. Penn State
12. Mississippi State
13. Southern Mississippi
14. Florida
15. Miami (Fla.)
16. Georgia
17. Minnesota
18. Oregon
19. Arkansas
20. Texas A&M
21. Georgia Tech
22. Mississippi
23. Texas
24. Stanford
25. Illinois

2000

1. Oklahoma
2. Miami
3. Washington
4. Florida State
5. Oregon State
6. Virginia Tech
7. Nebraska
8. Kansas State
9. Oregon
10. Michigan
11. Florida
12. Texas
13. Purdue
14. Clemson
15. Colorado State
16. NOTRE DAME
17. Georgia
18. TCU
19. Georgia Tech
20. Auburn
21. South Carolina
22. Mississippi State
23. Iowa State

24. Wisconsin
25. Tennessee
- 2001
1. Miami
2. Oregon
3. Florida
4. Tennessee
5. Texas
6. Oklahoma
7. Nebraska
8. LSU
9. Colorado
10. Maryland
11. Washington State
12. Illinois
13. South Carolina
14. Syracuse
15. Florida State
16. Louisville
17. Stanford
18. Virginia Tech
19. Washington
20. Michigan
21. Marshall
22. Toledo
23. Boston College
24. BYU
25. Georgia

2002

1. Ohio State
2. Miami
3. Georgia
4. USC
5. Oklahoma
6. Kansas State
7. Texas
8. Iowa
9. Michigan
10. Washington State
11. North Carolina State
12. Boise State

13. Maryland
14. Virginia Tech
15. Penn State
16. Auburn
17. NOTRE DAME
18. Pittsburgh
19. Marshall
20. West Virginia
21. Colorado
22. TCU
23. Florida State
24. Florida
25. Virginia

2003

1. LSU
2. USC
3. Oklahoma
4. Ohio State
5. Miami (Fla.)
6. Georgia
7. Michigan
8. Iowa
9. Washington State
10. Florida State
11. Texas
12. Miami (Ohio)
13. Kansas State
14. Mississippi
15. Boise State
16. Tennessee
17. Minnesota
18. Nebraska
19. Purdue
20. Maryland
21. Utah
22. Clemson
23. Bowling Green
24. TCU
25. Florida

Series Scores

KEY — Numbers following season and before result indicate AP rankings for both teams coming into game. For example, 17-10 indicates Notre Dame stood 17th and the Irish opponent 10th in the AP poll that week.

ADRIAN (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1912		W	74	7

AIR FORCE (21-5-0)

Home: 10-3-0; Away 11-2-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1964	6-	W	34	7
*	1969	8-	W	13	6
	1972	12-	W	21	7
*	1973	5-	W	48	15
*	1974	5-	W	38	0
	1975	15-	W	31	30
*	1977	6-	W	49	0
	1978	20-	W	38	15
	1979	10-	W	38	13
*	1980	2-	W	24	10
	1981		W	35	7
	1982	18-	L	17	30
*	1983		L	22	23
*	1984		L	7	21
	1985	-17	L	15	21
*	1986		W	31	3
	1987	11-	W	35	14
*	1988	2-	W	41	13
	1989	1-17	W	41	27
*	1990	1-	W	57	27
	1991	5-	W	28	15
*	1994		W	42	30
	1995	8-	W	44	14
*	1996	8-	L (ot)	17	20
*	2000	19-	W (ot)	34	31
	2002	7-18	W	21	14

AKRON (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1910		W	51	0

ALABAMA (5-1-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 1-1-0; Neutral 2-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
SB	1973	3-1	W	24	23
OB	1974	9-2	W	13	11
*	1976	18-10	W	21	18
BM	1980	6-5	W	7	0
BM	1986	-2	L	10	28
*	1987	7-10	W	37	6

ALBION (3-1-1)

Home: 2-1-1; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1893		W	8	6
*	1894		T	6	6
*	1894		L	12	19
*	1896		W	24	0
	1898		W	60	0

ALMA (4-0-0)

Home: 4-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1913		W	62	0
*	1914		W	56	0
*	1915		W	32	0
*	1916		W	46	0

AMERICAN MED. COL. (5-0-0)

Home: 5-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1901		W	32	0
*	1902		W	92	0
*	1903		W	52	0
*	1904		W	44	0
*	1905		W	142	0

ARIZONA (2-1-0)

Home: 1-1-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1941		W	38	7
	1980	4-	W	20	3
*	1982	9-	L	13	16

ARIZONA STATE (2-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1998	22-	W	28	9
*	1999		W	48	17

ARMY (36-8-4)

Home: 7-1-0; Away: 7-2-1; Neutral: 22-5-3

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1913		W	35	13
	1914		L	7	20
	1915		W	7	0
	1916		L	10	30
	1917		W	7	2
	1919		W	12	9
	1920		W	27	17
	1921		W	28	0
	1922		T	0	0
EF	1923		W	13	0
PG	1924		W	13	7
YS	1925		L	0	27
YS	1926		W	7	0
YS	1927		L	0	18
YS	1928		W	12	6
YS	1929		W	7	0
SF	1930		W	7	6
YS	1931		L	0	12
YS	1932		W	21	0
YS	1933		W	13	12
YS	1934		W	12	6
YS	1935		T	6	6
YS	1936		W	20	6
YS	1937	18-	W	7	0
YS	1938	7-	W	19	7
YS	1939	4-	W	14	0
YS	1940	2-	W	7	0
YS	1941	6-14	T	0	0
YS	1942	4-19	W	13	0
YS	1943	1-3	W	26	0
YS	1944	5-1	L	0	59
YS	1945	2-1	L	0	48
YS	1946	2-1	T	0	0
*	1947	1-9	W	27	7
P	1957	12-10	W	23	21
*	1958	4-3	L	2	14
SS	1965	7-	W	17	0
*	1966	3-	W	35	0
YS	1969	15-	W	45	0
*	1970	3-	W	51	10
	1973	8-	W	62	3
*	1974	7-	W	48	0
GS	1977	11-	W	24	0
*	1980	5-	W	30	3
GS	1983		W	42	0
*	1985	-19	W	24	10



Notre Dame and Army played to a 0-0 tie in the 1919 season.

GS	1995	17-	W	28	27
*	1998	18-	W	20	17

BAYLOR (2-0-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1925		W	41	0
*	1998	16-	W	27	3

BELOIT (5-0-1)

Home: 4-0-1; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1896		W	8	0
*	1900		T	6	6
	1901		W	5	0
*	1906		W	29	0
*	1925		W	19	3
*	1926		W	77	0

BENNETT MED. COL. (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away: 0-0-0; Neutral: 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1905		W	22	0

BOSTON COLLEGE (9-6-0)

Home: 5-3-0; Away: 2-3-0; Neutral: 2-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
FX	1975	9-	W	17	3
LB	1983	-13	W	19	18
*	1987	9-	W	32	25
*	1992	8-9	W	54	7
*	1993	1-16	L	39	41
	1994	8-	L	11	30
*	1995	12-	W	20	10
	1996	17-	W	48	21
*	1997		W	52	20
	1998	13-	W	31	26
*	1999	-25	L	29	31
*	2000	11-	W	28	16
	2001		L	17	21
*	2002	4-	L	7	14
	2003		L	25	27

BRIGHAM YOUNG (3-1-0)

Home: 1-1-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1992	10-	W	42	16
	1993	3-	W	45	20
*	1994	17-	L	14	21
*	2003		W	33	14

BUTLER (3-0-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1911		W	27	0
	1922		W	31	3
*	1923		W	34	7

CALIFORNIA (4-0-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 2-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1959		W	28	6
*	1960		W	21	7
	1965	3-	W	48	6
*	1967	1-	W	41	8

CARLISLE (1-0-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 1-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
C	1914		W	48	6

CARNEGIE TECH (15-4-0)

Home: 7-1-0; Away 8-3-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1922		W	19	0
	1923		W	26	0
	1924		W	40	19
*	1925		W	26	0
	1926		L	0	19
*	1928		L	7	27
	1929		W	7	0
*	1930		W	21	6
	1931		W	19	0
*	1932		W	42	0
	1933		L	0	7
*	1934		W	13	0
	1935		W	14	3

* 1936		W	21	7
1937		L	7	9
* 1938	5-13	W	7	0
1939	2-	W	7	6
* 1940	6-	W	61	0
1941	8-	W	16	0

CASE TECH (2-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1916		W	48	0
	1918		W	26	6

CHICAGO (0-4-0)

Home: 0-1-0; Away 0-3-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1893		L	0	8
*	1896		L	0	18
	1897		L	5	34
	1899		L	6	23

CHICAGO DENTAL (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1897		W	62	0

CHICAGO PHYSICIANS & SURGEONS (7-2-0)

Home: 7-2-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1895		W	32	0
	* 1896		L	0	4
	* 1899		L	0	5
	* 1900		W	5	0
	* 1901		W	34	0
	* 1903		W	46	0
	* 1906		W	28	0
	* 1907		W	32	0
	* 1908		W	88	0

CHRISTIAN BROTHERS (ST. LOUIS) (1-0-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1913		W	20	7

CINCINNATI (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1900		W	58	0

CLEMSON (1-1-0)

Home: 0-1-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1977	5-15	W	21	17
	* 1979	-14	L	10	16

COE (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1927		W	28	7

COLORADO (3-2-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 1-2-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1983		W	27	3
	* 1984		W	55	14
OB	1989	4-1	W	21	6
OB	1990	5-1	L	9	10
FB	1994	-4	L	24	41

CREIGHTON (1-0-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1915		W	41	0

DARTMOUTH (2-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 1-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
FP	1944	1-	W	64	0
	* 1945	3-	W	34	0

DE LA SALLE (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1893		W	28	0

DEPAUW (8-0-0)

Home: 8-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1897		W	4	0
	* 1898		W	32	0
	* 1902		W	22	0
	* 1903		W	56	0
	* 1904		W	10	0
	* 1905		W	71	0
	* 1921		W	57	10
	* 1922		W	34	7

DETROIT (2-0-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 1-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1927		W	20	0
BS	1951	5-	W	40	6

DRAKE (8-0-0)

Home: 6-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 1-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1926		W	21	0
	1927		W	32	0
	* 1928		W	32	6
SF	1929		W	19	7
	* 1930		W	28	7
	* 1931		W	63	0
	* 1932		W	62	0
	* 1937		W	21	0

DUKE (2-1-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 0-1-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1958	12-	W	9	7
	1961		L	13	37
	* 1966	1-	W	64	0

ENGLEWOOD HIGH SCHOOL (CHICAGO) (2-0-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1899		W	29	5
	* 1900		W	68	0

FLORIDA (1-0-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 1-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
SD	1991	18-3	W	39	28

FLORIDA STATE (2-4-0)

Home: 1-1-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-2-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1981	-20	L	13	19
	* 1993	2-1	W	31	24
O	1994	-8	L	16	23
OB	1995	6-8	L	26	31
	2002	6-11	W	34	24
	* 2003	-5	L	0	37

FRANKLIN (3-0-0)

Home: 3-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1906		W	26	0
	* 1907		W	23	0
	* 1908		W	64	0



The first game in newly renovated Notre Dame Stadium saw the Irish defeat Georgia Tech 17-13. Over 80,000 people were in attendance on Sept. 6, 1997. (photo by Lighthouse Imaging)

GEORGIA (0-1-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-1-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
SD	1980	7-1	L	10	17

GEORGIA TECH (26-5-1)

Home: 15-2-0; Away 11-2-1; Neutral 0-1-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1922		W	13	3
	* 1923		W	35	7
	* 924		W	34	3
	1925		W	13	0
	* 1926		W	12	0
	* 1927		W	26	7
	1928		L	0	13
	1929		W	26	6
	1938		W	14	6
	* 1939		W	17	14
	* 940		W	26	20
	1941		W	20	0
	* 1942		L	6	13
	* 1943		W	55	13
	1944	18-10	W	21	0
	1945		W	40	7
	* 1953	1-4	W	27	14
	* 1959	-19	L	10	14
	1967	9-	W	36	3
	* 1968	9-	W	34	6
	1969	9-	W	38	20
	* 1970	1-	W	10	7
	1974	2-	W	31	7
	* 1975	12-	W	24	3
	1976	11-	L	14	23
	* 1977	5-	W	69	14
	1978	10-20	W	38	21
	* 1979	10-	W	21	13
	1980	1-	T	3	3
	* 1981		W	35	3
	* 1997	11-	W	17	13
GB	1998	17-12	L	28	35

GOSHEN (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1900		W	55	0

GREAT LAKES (1-2-2)

Home: 1-0-1; Away 0-2-0; Neutral 0-0-1

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1918		T	7	7
SF	1942	6-	T	13	13
	1943	1-	L	14	19
	* 1944	9-12	W	28	7
	1945	5-	L	7	39

HARVARD PREP (CHICAGO) (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1888		W	20	0

HASKELL (5-0-0)

Home: 5-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1914		W	20	7
	* 1915		W	34	0
	* 1916		W	26	0
	* 1921		W	42	7
	* 1932		W	73	0

HAWAII (2-0-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 2-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1991	17-	W	48	42
	1997		W	23	22

HIGHLAND VIEWS (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1896		W	82	0

HILLSDALE (4-0-1)

Home: 4-0-1; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	* 1892		T	10	10
	* 1893		W	22	10
	* 1894		W	14	0
	* 1906		W	17	0
	* 1908		W	39	0

HOUSTON (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
CB	1979	10-9	W	35	34

ILLINOIS (11-0-1)

Home: 5-0-0; Away 6-0-1; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1898		W	5	0
	1937		T	0	0
*	1938		W	14	6
	1940	2-	W	26	0
*	1941	7-	W	49	14
	1942	8-5	W	21	14
*	1943	1-	W	47	0
	1944	1-14	W	13	7
*	1945		W	7	0
	1946		W	26	6
	1967		W	47	7
*	1968	6-	W	58	8

ILLINOIS CYCLING CLUB (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1895		W	18	2

INDIANA (23-5-1)

Home: 13-1-1; Away 6-3-0; Neutral 4-1-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1898		L	5	11
*	1899		W	17	0
	1900		L	0	6
*	1901		W	18	5
	1902		W	11	5
	1905		L	5	22
Ind	1906		L	0	12
*	1907		T	0	0
Ind	1908		W	11	0
Ind	1919		W	16	3
Ind	1920		W	13	10
Ind	1921		W	28	7
*	1922		W	27	0
*	1926		W	26	0
	1927		W	19	6
	1929		W	14	0
*	1930		W	27	0
	1931		W	25	0
	1933		W	12	2
*	1941		W	19	6
	1948	1-	W	42	6
*	1949		W	49	6
	1950	11-	L	7	20
*	1951	14-	W	48	6
*	1955	4-	W	19	0
*	1956	17-	W	20	6
*	1957	16-	W	26	0
*	1958	5-	W	18	0
*	1991	7-	W	49	27

INDIANAPOLIS ARTILLERY (0-1-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 0-1-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*1895			L	0	18

IOWA (13-8-3)

Home: 7-3-2; Away 6-5-1; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1921		L	7	10
	1939	3-	L	6	7
*	1940	7-	L	0	7
*	1945	2-	W	56	0
	1946	2-17	W	41	6
*	1947	2-	W	21	0
	1948	2-	W	27	12
*	1949	1-	W	28	7
	1950		T	14	14
*	1951		T	20	20
	1952	9-	W	27	0
*	1953	1-20	T	14	14
	1954	4-19	W	34	18
*	1955	4-	W	17	14
	1956	-3	L	8	48
*	1957	9-8	L	13	21
	1958	15-6	L	21	31
	1959	-16	W	20	19
*	1960	-2	L	0	28
	1961		L	21	42
*	1962		W	35	12
*	1964	1-	W	28	0
*	1967	6-	W	56	6
	1968	5-	W	51	28

IOWA PRE-FLIGHT (2-0-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1942		W	28	0
*	1943	1-2	W	14	13

KALAMAZOO (7-0-0)

Home: 7-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1893		W	34	0
*	1917		W	55	0
*	1919		W	14	0
*	1920		W	39	0
*	1921		W	56	0
*	1922		W	46	0
*	1923		W	74	0

KANSAS (4-1-1)

Home: 3-0-1; Away 1-1-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1904		L	5	24
	1932		W	24	6
*	1933		T	0	0
*	1935		W	28	7
*	1938		W	52	0
ERC*	1999	18-	W	48	13

KNOX (1-1-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-1-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1902		L	5	12
*	1907		W	22	4

LAKE FOREST (4-0-0)

Home: 4-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1899		W	38	0
*	1901		W	16	0
*	1902		W	28	0
*	1903		W	28	0

LOMBARD (3-0-0)

Home: 3-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1923		W	14	0
*	1924		W	40	0
*	1925		W	69	0

LSU (5-4-0)

Home: 3-1-0; Away 2-2-0; Neutral 0-1-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1970	2-7	W	3	0
	1971	7-14	L	8	28
*	1981	4-	W	27	9
	1984	-6	W	30	22
*	1985	-17	L	7	10
	1986	-8	L	19	2
	1997	-11	W	24	6
IS	1997	-15	L	9	27
*	1998	10-	W	39	36

LOYOLA (CHICAGO) (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1911		W	80	0

LOYOLA (NEW ORLEANS) (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1928		W	12	6

MARQUETTE (3-0-3)

Home: 2-0-3; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 1-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1908		W	6	0
	1909		T	0	0
	1910		T	5	5
	1911		T	0	0
C	1912		W	69	0
	1921		W	21	7

MARYLAND (1-0-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 1-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
2002	W	-21	22	0	

MIAMI (FLORIDA) (15-7-1)

Home: 8-1-0; Away 6-6-1; Neutral 1-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1955	5-15	W	14	0
	1960		L	21	28
	1965	6-	T	0	0
	1967	6-	W	24	22
	1971	7-	W	17	0
*	1972	10-	W	20	17
	1973	5-	W	44	0
*	1974	7-	W	38	7
	1975		W	32	9
*	1976	13-	W	40	27
	1977	5-	W	48	10
*	1978	19-	W	20	0
MB	1979		W	40	15
*	1980	7-13	W	32	14
	1981	-9	L	15	37
*	1982	10-17	W	16	14
	1983	13-	L	0	20
*	1984	17-14	L	13	31
	1985	-4	L	7	58
	1987	10-2	L	0	24
*	1988	4-1	W	31	30
	1989	1-7	L	10	27
*	1990	6-2	W	29	20



Joe Gramke made Notre Dame's legendary comeback against Houston in the 1979 Cotton Bowl possible with a spectacular stop on a late fourth down play.

MIAMI (OHIO) (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1909		W	46	0

MICHIGAN (12-18-1)

Home: 6-7-1; Away 6-10-0; Neutral 0-1-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1887		L	0	8
*	1888		L	6	26
*	1888		L	4	10
	1898		L	0	23
	1899		L	0	12
	1900		L	0	7
T	1902		L	0	23
	1908		L	6	12
	1909		W	11	3
*	1942	4-6	L	20	32
	1943	1-2	W	35	12
*	1978	14-5	L	14	28
	1979	9-6	W	12	10
*	1980	8-14	W	29	27
	1981	1-11	L	7	25
*	1982	20-10	W	23	17
	1985	13-	L	12	20
*	1986	-3	L	23	24
	1987	16-9	W	26	7
*	1988	13-9	W	19	17
	1989	1-2	W	24	19
*	1990	1-4	W	28	24
	1991	7-3	L	14	24
*	1992	3-6	T	17	17
	1993	11-3	W	27	23
*	1994	3-6	L	24	26
	1997	-6	L	14	21
*	1998	22-5	W	36	20
	1999	16-7	L	22	26
*	2002	20-7	W	25	23
	2003	15-5	L	0	38

MICHIGAN STATE (42-24-1)**Home: 26-11-0; Away 16-13-1; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1897		W	34	6
*	1898		W	53	0
*	1899		W	40	0
*	1902		W	33	0
*	1903		W	12	0
*	1905		W	28	0
*	1906		W	5	0
*	1909		W	17	0
	1910		L	0	17
	1916		W	14	0
*	1917		W	23	0
	1918		L	7	13
*	1919		W	13	0
	1920		W	25	0
*	1921		W	48	0
*	1948	1-	W	26	7
	1949	1-10	W	34	21
*	1950	-15	L	33	36
	1951	11-5	L	0	35
	1952	6-1	L	3	21
*	1954	8-	W	20	19
	1955	4-13	L	7	21
*	1956	-2	L	14	47
	1957	15-4	L	6	34
	1959		L	0	19
*	1960	-14	L	0	21
	1961	6-1	L	7	17
*	1962		L	7	31
	1963	-4	L	7	12
*	1964	1-	W	34	7
*	1965	4-1	L	3	12
	1966	1-2	T	10	10
*	1967		W	24	12
	1968	5-	L	17	21
*	1969	-14	W	42	28
	1970	4-	W	29	0
*	1971	4-	W	14	2
	1972	7-	W	16	0
*	1973	8-	W	14	10
	1974	7-	W	19	14
*	1975	8-	L	3	10
	1976	18-	W	24	6
*	1977	14-	W	16	6
	1978		W	29	25
*	1979	15-7	W	27	3
	1980	7-	W	26	21
*	1981		W	20	7
	1982	11-	W	11	3
*	1983	4-	L	23	28
	1984		W	24	20
*	1985		W	27	10
	1986	20-	L	15	20
*	1987	9-17	W	31	8
	1988	8-	W	20	3
*	1989	1-	W	21	13
	1990	1-24	W	20	19
*	1991	11-	W	49	10
	1992	7-	W	52	31
*	1993	4-	W	36	14
	1994	8-	W	21	20
*	1997	-17	L	7	23
	1998	10-	L	23	45
*	1999	24-	L	13	23
	2000	16-23	L	21	27
*	2001	23-	L	10	17
	2002	12-	W	21	17
*	2003		L	16	22



The rivalry between Navy and Notre Dame is the longest intrasectional rivalry in the country with games every season since 1927, with this year's meeting being the 78th straight contest. Notre Dame and Navy took their rivalry international in 1996 when the teams squared off at Croke Park (above) in Dublin, Ireland. (photo by Sportsfile - Dublin, Ireland)

MINNESOTA (4-0-1)**Home: 1-0-1; Away 3-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1925		W	19	7
	1926		W	20	7
*	1927		T	7	7
	1937	-4	W	7	6
*	1938	2-12	W	19	0

MISSISSIPPI (1-1-0)**Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-1-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
J	1977	3-	L	13	20
*	1985		W	37	14

MISSOURI (2-2-0)**Home: 0-2-0; Away 2-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1970	3-18	W	24	7
*	1972	8-	L	26	30
*	1978	5-	L	0	3
	1984	19-	W	16	14

MISSOURI OSTEOPATHS (1-0-0)**Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1903		W	28	0

MORNINGSIDE (2-0-0)**Home: 0-0-0; Away 2-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1917		W	13	0
	1919		W	14	6

MORRIS HARVEY (1-0-0)**Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1912		W	39	0

MOUNT UNION (1-0-0)**Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1919		W	60	7

NAVY (67-9-1)**Home: 25-3-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 42-6-1**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
B	1927		W	19	6
SF	1928		W	7	0
B	1929		W	14	7
*	1930		W	26	2
B	1931		W	20	0
CL	1932		W	12	0
B	1933		L	0	7
CL	1934		L	6	10
B	1935		W	14	0
B	1936	13-	L	0	3
*	1937		W	9	7
B	1938	4-	W	15	0
CL	1939	2-	W	14	7
B	1940	7-	W	13	7
B	1941	7-6	W	20	13
CL	1942	4-	W	9	0
CL	1943	1-3	W	33	6
B	1944	2-6	L	13	32
CL	1945	2-3	T	6	6
B	1946	2-	W	28	0
CL	1947	1-	W	27	0
B	1948	2-	W	41	7
B	1949	1-	W	40	0
CL	1950		W	19	10
B	1951	13-	W	19	0
CL	1952	13-	W	17	6
*	1953	1-20	W	38	7
B	1954	6-15	W	6	0
*	1955	9-4	W	21	7
B	1956		L	7	33
*	1957	5-16	L	6	20
B	1958	-15	W	40	20
*	1959		W	25	22
PK	1960	-4	L	7	14
*	1961		L	10	13
PK	1962		W	20	12
*	1963	-4	L	14	35
PK	1964	2-	W	40	0

*	1965	4-	W	29	3
PK	1966	1-	W	31	7
*	1967	10-	W	43	14
PK	1968	12-	W	45	14
*	1969	10-	W	47	0
PK	1970	3-	W	56	7
*	1971	12-	W	21	0
PV	1972	12-	W	42	23
*	1973	5-	W	44	7
PV	1974	7-	W	14	6
*	1975	15-	W	31	10
CL	1976	11-	W	27	21
*	1977	5-	W	43	10
CL	1978	15-11	W	27	7
*	1979	13-	W	14	0
GS	1980	3-	W	33	0
*	1981		W	35	0
GS	1982		W	27	10
*	1983	19-	W	28	12
GS	1984		W	18	17
*	1985		W	41	17
B	1986		W	33	14
*	1987	9-	W	56	13
B	1988	2-	W	22	7
*	1989	1-	W	41	0
GS	1990	2-	W	52	31
*	1991	5-	W	38	0
GS	1992	10-	W	38	7
PV	1993	2-	W	58	27
*	1994		W	58	21
*	1995	8-	W	35	17
CP	1996	19-	W	54	27
*	1997		W	21	17
JC	1998	12-	W	30	0
*	1999		W	28	24
CIT	2000	20-	W	45	14
*	2001		W	34	16
RS	2002	9-	W	30	23
*	2003		W	27	24

NEBRASKA (7-8-1)**Home: 3-1-0; Away 4-6-1; Neutral 0-1-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1915		L	19	20
	1916		W	20	0
	1917		L	0	7
	1918		T	0	0
	1919		W	14	9
	1920		W	16	7
*	1921		W	7	0
	1922		L	6	14
	1923		L	7	14
*	1924		W	34	6
	1925		L	0	17
*	1947	2-	W	31	0
	1948	2-	W	44	13
OB	1972	12-9	L	6	40
*	2000	23-1	L (ot)	24	27
	2001	23-5	L	10	27

NORTH CAROLINA (15-1-0)**Home: 10-0-0; Away 4-1-0; Neutral 1-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
YS	1949	1-	W	42	6
*	1950	1-20	W	14	7
	1951		W	12	7
*	1952	16-	W	34	14
	1953	1-	W	34	14
*	1954	5-	W	42	13
	1955	5-	W	27	7
*	1956		W	21	14
*	1958	-11	W	34	24
*	1959		W	28	8
	1960		L	7	12
*	1962		W	21	7
*	1965	4-	W	17	0
*	1966	2-	W	32	0
*	1971	7-	W	16	0
	1975	15-	W	21	14

NORTH CAROLINA ST. (0-1-0)**Home: 0-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-1-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
GB	2002	11-17	L	6	28

NORTH DIVISION H.S. (1-0-0)**Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1905		W	44	0

NORTHWESTERN (37-8-2)**Home: 16-4-0; Away 18-4-1; Neutral 3-0-1**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1889		W	9	0
*	1899		W	12	0
	1901		L	0	2
SP	1903		T	0	0
	1920		W	33	7
SF	1924		W	13	6
*	1925		W	13	10
	1926		W	6	0
	1929		W	26	6
	1930		W	14	0
SF	1931		T	0	0
*	1932		W	21	0
	1933		W	7	0
	1934		W	20	7
*	1935		L	7	14
*	1936	11-1	W	26	6
	1937	12-	W	7	0
	1938	1-16	W	9	7
*	1939	9-	W	7	0
	1940	14-10	L	0	20

	1941	5-8	W	7	6
*	1942	8-	W	27	20
	1943	1-8	W	25	6
*	1944	11-	W	21	0
	1945	7-	W	34	7
*	1946	2-	W	27	0
	1947	1-	W	26	19
*	1948	2-8	W	12	7
*	1959	-2	L	24	30
	1960		L	6	7
*	1961	8-	L	10	12
	1962	-3	L	6	35
*	1965	8-	W	38	7
	1966	4-	W	35	7
*	1968	5-	W	27	7
*	1969	11-	W	35	10
	1970	6-	W	35	14
*	1971	2-	W	50	7
	1972	13-	W	37	0
*	1973	8-	W	44	0
	1974	1-	W	49	3
*	1975	7-	W	31	7
	1976		W	48	0
SF	1992	3-	W	42	7
*	1993	7-	W	27	12
SF	1994	3-	W	42	15
*	1995	9-	L	15	17

NORTHWESTERN LAW SCHOOL (1-0-0)**Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1895		W	20	0

OHIO MEDICAL UNIV. (4-0-0)**Home: 4-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1901		W	6	0
	1902		W	6	5
	1903		W	35	0
	1904		W	17	5

OHIO NORTHERN (4-0-0)**Home: 4-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1908		W	58	4
*	1910		W	47	0
*	1911		W	32	6
*	1913		W	87	0

OHIO STATE (2-2-0)**Home: 1-1-0; Away 1-1-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1935		W	18	13
*	1936		W	7	2
	1995	15-7	L	26	45
*	1996	5-4	L	16	29

OKLAHOMA (8-1-0)**Home: 4-1-0; Away 4-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1952	10-4	W	27	21
	1953	1-6	W	28	21
*	1956	-2	L	0	40
	1957	-2	W	7	0
*	1961		W	19	6
	1962		W	13	7
	1966	1-10	W	38	0
*	1968	3-5	W	45	21
*	1999	-23	W	34	30

OLIVET (3-0-0)**Home: 3-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1907		W	22	4
*	1909		W	58	0
*	1910		W	48	0

OREGON (1-0-1)**Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-1; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1976	14-	W	41	0
	1982	15-	T	13	13

OREGON STATE (0-1-0)**Home: 0-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-1-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
FB	2000	10-5	L	9	41

PACIFIC (1-0-0)**Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1940		W	25	7

PENN STATE (8-8-1)**Home: 4-3-0; Away 2-5-1; Neutral 2-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1913		W	14	7
	1925		T	0	0
*	1926		W	28	0
P	1928		W	9	0
GB	1976	15-20	W	20	9
	1981	-13	L	21	24
*	1982	13-5	L	14	24
	1983		L	30	34
*	1984		W	44	7
	1985	-1	L	6	36
*	1986	-3	L	19	24
	1987	7-	L	20	21
*	1988	1-	W	21	3
	1989	1-17	W	34	23
*	1990	1-18	L	21	24
	1991	12-8	L	13	35
*	1992	8-22	W	17	16

PENNSYLVANIA (5-0-1)**Home: 1-0-0; Away 4-0-1; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1930		W	60	20
*	1931		W	49	0
	1952	10-12	T	7	7
	1953	1-15	W	28	20
	1954	5-	W	42	7
	1955	6-	W	46	14

PITTSBURGH (43-17-1)**Home: 19-8-0; Away 24-9-1; Neutral 0-0-0**

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1909		W	6	0
	1911		T	0	0
	1912		W	3	0
	1930		W	35	19
*	1931		W	25	12
	1932		L	0	12
*	1933		L	0	14
	1934		L	0	19
*	1935		W	9	6
	1936	7-9	L	0	26
*	1937	12-3	L	6	21
	1943		W	41	0
	1944		W	58	0
	1945	3-	W	39	9
*	1946		W	33	0
	1947		W	40	6
	1948		W	40	0



The Notre Dame - Penn State rivalry, in which Chris Zorich helped the Irish claim victories in 1988 and '89, will be renewed in 2006.

*	1950		W	18	7
	1951		W	33	0
*	1952	8-	L	19	22
*	1953	1-15	W	23	14
	1954	8-	W	33	0
	1956	-20	L	13	26
*	1957	7-	W	13	7
	1958	14-	L	26	29
	1959		L	13	28
*	1960	-14	L	13	20
	1961		W	26	20
*	1962		W	43	22
*	1963	-8	L	7	27
	1964	1-	W	17	15
	1965	4-	W	69	13
*	1966	1-	W	40	0
	1967	9-	W	38	0
*	1968	12-	W	56	7
	1969	8-	W	49	7
*	1970	2-	W	46	14
	1971	8-	W	56	7
*	1972	7-	W	42	16
	1973	5-20	W	31	10
*	1974	5-17	W	14	10
	1975	9-	L	20	34
*	1976	11-9	L	10	31
	1977	3-7	W	19	9
*	1978	-9	W	26	17
	1982	-1	W	31	16
*	1983	18-	L	16	21
*	1986		L	9	10
	1987	4-	L	22	30
	1988	5-	W	30	20
*	1989	1-7	W	45	7
	1990	3-	W	31	22
*	1991	7-12	W	42	7
	1992	14-	W	52	21
*	1993	4-	W	44	0
*	1996	14-	W	60	6
	1997		W	45	21
	1999		L	27	37
*	2001		W	24	7
*	2002	8-	W	14	6
	2003	-15	W	20	14



With Nick Buoniconti as team captain in 1961 the Irish knocked off #10 Syracuse in Notre Dame Stadium late in the season.

PRINCETON (2-0-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 2-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1923		W	25	2
	1924		W	12	0

PURDUE (49-24-2)

Home: 25-10-0; Away 24-13-2; Neutral 0-1-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1896		L	22	28
	1899		T	10	10
*	1901		W	12	6
	1902		T	6	6
	1904		L	0	36
	1905		L	0	32
	1906		W	2	0
	1907		W	17	0
	1918		W	26	6
	1919		W	33	13
*	1920		W	28	0
	1921		W	33	0
	1922		W	20	0
*	1923		W	34	7
*	1933		L	0	19
*	1934		W	18	7
*	1939		W	3	0
*	1946	3-	W	49	6
	1947	1-	W	22	7
*	1948		W	28	27
	1949	2-	W	35	12
*	1950	1-	L	14	28
*	1951	15-	W	30	9
	1952	-9	W	26	14
	1953	1-	W	37	7
*	1954	1-19	L	14	27
	1955	11-	W	22	7
*	1956	18-	L	14	28
	1957		W	12	0
*	1958	11-15	L	22	29
	1959	8-	L	7	28
*	1960	12-	L	19	51
	1961		W	22	20
*	1962		L	6	24
	1963		L	6	7
*	1964	9-	W	34	15
	1965	1-6	L	21	25

*	1966	6-8	W	26	14
	1967	1-10	L	21	28
*	1968	2-1	L	22	37
	1969	9-16	L	14	28
*	1970	6-	W	48	0
	1971	2-	W	8	7
*	1972	10-	W	35	14
	1973	7-	W	20	7
*	1974	2-	L	20	31
	1975	9-	W	17	0
*	1976		W	23	0
	1977	11-	W	31	24
*	1978		W	10	6
	1979	5-17	L	22	28
*	1980	11-9	W	31	10
	1981	13-	L	14	15
*	1982	10-	W	28	14
	1983	5-	W	52	6
HD	1984	8-	L	21	23
	1985		L	17	35
*	1986		W	41	9
	1987	8-	W	44	20
*	1988	8-	W	52	7
	1989	1-	W	40	7
*	1990	1-	W	37	11
	1991	8-	W	45	20
*	1992	6-	W	48	0
	1993	4-	W	17	0
*	1994	8-	W	39	21
	1995	25-	W	35	28
*	1996	9-	W	35	0
	1997	12-	L	17	28
*	1998	t23-	W	31	30
	1999	16-20	L	23	28
*	2000	21-13	W	23	21
	2001		W	24	18
*	2002	23-	W	24	17
	2003	-22	L	10	23

RICE (4-0-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 2-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1915		W	55	2
	1973	9-	W	28	0
*	1974	6-	W	10	3
*	1988	1-	W	54	11

ROSE POLY (3-0-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1909		W	60	11
	1910		W	41	3
*	1914		W	103	0

RUSH MEDICAL (3-0-1)

Home: 3-0-1; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1894		W	18	6
*	1897		T	0	0
*	1899		W	17	0
*	1900		W	5	0

RUTGERS (4-0-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 1-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
PG	1921		W	48	0
*	1996	10-	W	62	0
	2000	11-	W	45	17
*	2002	8-	W	42	0

ST. BONAVENTURE (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1911		W	34	0

SAINT LOUIS (3-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 2-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1912		W	47	7
*	1922		W	26	0
	1923		W	13	0

ST. VIATOR (4-0-0)

Home: 4-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1897		W	60	0
*	1908		W	46	0
*	1911		W	43	0
*	1912		W	116	7

ST. VINCENT'S (CHICAGO) (1-0-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1907		W	21	12

SOUTH BEND ATHLETIC CLUB (1-0-1)

Home: 1-0-1; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1901		T	0	0
*	1901		W	22	6

SOUTH BEND COMMERCIAL ATHLETIC CLUB (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1896		W	46	0

SOUTH BEND HIGH SCHOOL (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1892		W	56	0

SOUTH BEND HOWARD PARK (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1900		W	64	0

SOUTH CAROLINA (3-1-0)

Home: 1-1-0; Away 2-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1976	12-19	W	13	6
*	1979	14-	W	18	17
	1983		W	30	6
*	1984	-11	L	32	36

SOUTH DAKOTA (5-0-0)

Home: 3-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 2-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1913		W	20	7
SFS	1914		W	33	0
*	1915		W	6	0
SFS	1916		W	21	0
*	1917		W	40	0

SMU (10-3-0)

Home: 6-1-0; Away 4-1-0; Neutral 0-1-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1930		W	20	14
*	1939		W	20	19
	1949	1-	W	27	20
*	1951	5-	L	20	27
*	1953	2-	W	40	14
	1954	4-	W	26	14
*	1955	11-	W	17	0
	1956	3-	L	13	19
	1957	10-	W	54	21
	1958	7-17	W	14	6

AS	1984	17-10	L	20	27
*	1986		W	61	29
*	1989	1-	W	59	6

STANFORD (12-6-0)

Home: 7-2-0; Away 4-4-0; Neutral 1-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
RB	1924		W	27	10
*	1942		W	27	0
	1963		L	14	24
*	1964	2-	W	28	6
*	1988	5-	W	42	14
	1989	1-	W	27	17
*	1990	1-	L	31	36
	1991	8-	W	42	26
*	1992	7-19	L	16	33
	1993	4-	W	48	20
*	1994	8-	W	34	15
	1997	-19	L	15	33
*	1998	t23-	W	35	17
	1999		L	37	40
*	2000	25-	W	20	14
	2001	-13	L	13	17
*	2002	9-	W	31	7
	2003		W	57	7

SYRACUSE (2-2-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 1-1-0; Neutral 0-1-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1914		W	20	0
*	1961	-10	W	17	15
YS	1963		L	7	14
	2003		L	12	38

TENNESSEE (2-4-0)

Home: 1-2-0; Away 1-2-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1978	14-	W	31	14
	1979	13-	L	18	40
	1990	1-9	W	34	29
*	1991	5-13	L	34	35
	1999	24-4	L	14	38
*	2001	-7	L	18	28

TEXAS (8-2-0)

Home: 2-1-0; Away 4-0-0; Neutral 2-1-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1913		W	30	7
	1915		W	36	7
*	1934		L	6	7
	1952	19-5	W	14	3
*	1954	2-4	W	21	0
CB	1969	9-1	L	17	21
CB	1970	6-1	W	24	11
CB	1977	5-1	W	38	10
*	1995	21-13	W	55	27
	1996	9-6	W	27	24

TEXAS A&M (3-2-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-1-0; Neutral 2-1-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
CB	1987	12-13	L	10	35
CB	1992	5-4	W	28	3
CB	1993	4-7	W	24	21
*	2000	-23	W	24	10
	2001		L	3	24

TEXAS CHRISTIAN (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1972	13-	W	21	0

TOLEDO ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1904		W	6	0

TULANE (8-0-0)

Home: 4-0-0; Away 4-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1944		W	26	0
	1945	5-	W	32	6
	1946	2-	W	41	0
*	1947	2-	W	59	6
*	1949	1-4	W	46	7
	1950	10-	W	13	9
	1969	12-	W	37	0
*	1971	8-	W	21	7

UCLA (2-0-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1963		W	27	12
*	1964	4-	W	24	0

USC (42-28-5)

Home: 23-10-1; Away 17-18-4; Neutral 2-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1926		W	13	12
SF	1927		W	7	6
	1928		L	14	27
SF	1929		W	13	12
	1930		W	27	0
*	1931		L	14	16
	1932		L	0	13
*	1933		L	0	19
	1934		W	14	0
*	1935		W	20	13
	1936	9-	T	13	13
*	1937	9-	W	13	6
	1938	1-8	L	0	13
*	1939	7-4	L	12	20
	1940		W	10	6
*	1941	4-	W	20	18
	1942	8-14	W	13	0
*	1946	2-16	W	26	6
	1947	1-3	W	38	7
	1948	2-	T	14	14
*	1949	1-17	W	32	0
	1950		L	7	9
	1951	-20	W	19	12
*	1952	7-2	W	9	0
	1953	2-20	W	48	14
*	1954	4-17	W	23	17
	1955	5-	L	20	42
	1956	-17	L	20	28
*	1957	12-	W	40	12
	1958	18-	W	20	13
*	1959	-7	W	16	6
	1960		W	17	0
*	1961	8-	W	30	0
	1962	-1	L	0	25
*	1963	-7	W	17	14
	1964	1-	L	17	20
*	1965	7-4	W	28	7
	1966	1-10	W	51	0
*	1967	5-1	L	7	24
	1968	9-2	T	21	21
*	1969	11-3	T	14	14
	1970	4-	L	28	38

*	1971	6-	L	14	28
	1972	10-1	L	23	45
*	1973	8-6	W	23	14
	1974	5-6	L	24	55
*	1975	14-3	L	17	24
	1976	13-3	L	13	17
*	1977	11-5	W	49	19
	1978	8-3	L	25	27
*	1979	9-4	L	23	42
	1980	2-17	L	3	20
*	1981	-5	L	7	14
	1982	-17	L	13	17
*	1983		W	27	6
	1984	-14	W	19	7
*	1985		W	37	3
	1986	-17	W	38	37
*	1987	10-	W	26	15
	1988	1-2	W	27	10
*	1989	1-9	W	28	24
	1990	7-18	W	10	6
*	1991	5-	W	24	20
	1992	5-19	W	31	23
*	1993	2-	W	31	13
	1994	-17	T	17	17
*	1995	17-5	W	38	10
	1996	10-	L (ot)	20	27
*	1997		L	17	20
	1998	9-	L	0	10
*	1999		W	25	24
	2000	11-	W	38	21
*	2001		W	27	16
	2002	7-6	L	13	44
	2003	-5	L	14	45

VALPARAISO (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1920		W	28	3

VANDERBILT (2-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1995	24-	W	41	0
	1996	6-	W	14	7

VIRGINIA (1-0-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 1-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
GS	1989	2-	W	36	13

WABASH (10-1-0)

Home: 6-1-0; Away 4-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1894		W	30	0
	1903		W	35	0
*	1904		W	12	4
*	1905		L	0	5
	1908		W	8	4
*	1909		W	38	0
	1911		W	6	3
*	1912		W	41	6
*	1916		W	60	0
	1918		W	67	7
*	1924		W	34	0

WASHINGTON (4-0-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 2-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1948	2-	W	46	0
	1949		W	27	7
	1995	23-15	W	23	15
*	1996	11-16	W	54	20

WASHINGTON STATE (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away: 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	2003	19-2	W(ot)	29	26

WASHINGTON & JEFFERSON (1-0-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1917		W	3	0

WASHINGTON (ST. LOUIS) (1-0-0)

Home: 1-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1936		W	14	6

WESTERN MICHIGAN (2-0-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 0-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
*	1919		W	53	0
*	1920		W	41	0

WESTERN RESERVE (1-0-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1916		W	48	0

WEST VIRGINIA (4-0-0)

Home: 2-0-0; Away 1-0-0; Neutral 1-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
FB	1988	1-3	W	34	21
*	1997	-22	W	21	14
	2000	20-	W	42	28
*	2001		W	34	24

WISCONSIN (8-6-2)

Home: 3-1-0; Away 4-3-2; Neutral 1-2-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1900		L	0	54
M	1904		L	0	58
M	1905		L	0	21
	1917		T	0	0
	1924		W	38	3
	1928		L	6	22
SF	1929		W	19	0
*	1934		W	19	0
	1935		W	27	0
*	1936		W	27	0
	1942		T	7	7
	1943	1-	W	50	0
*	1944	1-	W	28	13
	1962		L	8	17
*	1963	-6	L	9	14
	1964		W	31	7

YALE (0-1-0)

Home: 0-0-0; Away 0-1-0; Neutral 0-0-0

Site	Year	Rank	W/L	ND	Opp
	1914		L	0	28

KEY TO NEUTRAL SITES

*	— Home Games
AS	— Aloha Stadium (Honolulu)
B	— Baltimore (referred to as Municipal Stadium prior to 1949, Babe Ruth Stadium for the 1949 and 1951 games and Memorial Stadium from then on)
BM	— Birmingham
BS	— Briggs Stadium (Detroit)
C	— Comiskey Park (Chicago)
CIT	— Citrus Bowl (Orlando)
CB	— Cotton Bowl (Dallas)
CL	— Cleveland
CP	— Croke Park (Dublin, Ireland)
EB	— Ebbetts Field (Brooklyn)
ERC	— Eddie Robinson Classic (Notre Dame, Ind.)
FB	— Fiesta Bowl, Sun Devil Stadium (Tempe)
FP	— Fenway Park (Boston)
FX	— Schaefer Stadium (Foxboro)
GB	— Gator Bowl/Alltel Stadium (Jacksonville)
GS	— Giants Stadium (E. Rutherford, N.J.)
HD	— Hoosier Dome (Indianapolis)
I	— Indianapolis
IS	— Independence Bowl, Independence Stadium (Shreveport, La.)
J	— Jackson
JC	— Jack Kent Cooke Stadium (Rajon, Md.)
LB	— Liberty Bowl (Memphis)
M	— Milwaukee
MB	— Mirage Bowl (Tokyo, Japan)
O	— Orlando (Citrus Bowl)
OB	— Orange Bowl (Miami)
PK	— JFK Stadium (Philadelphia—was named Municipal Stadium prior to the 1964 season)
PG	— Polo Grounds (New York)
PV	— Veterans Stadium (Philadelphia)
RB	— Rose Bowl (Pasadena)
RS	— Ravens Stadium (Baltimore)
SB	— Sugar Bowl, Tulane Stadium (New Orleans)
SD	— Sugar Bowl, Louisiana Superdome (New Orleans)
SF	— Soldier Field (Chicago)
SFS	— Sioux Falls
SP	— South Side Park (Chicago)
SS	— Shea Stadium (New York)
T	— Toledo
YS	— Yankee Stadium (New York)