



2018 PAC-12 WOMEN'S BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

Post-Game Notes

GAME 3: #7 USC (47), #10 Washington State (44)
Thursday, March 1, 2018

USC will play the 2nd seed, Stanford, tomorrow at 6:00 p.m. The Cardinal have beaten the Trojans in 4 of their 5 previous Tournament meetings. (2014 - USC beat Stanford, 72-68, on its way to the Tournament title.) The Cardinal beat the Trojans 72-65 at Stanford and 59-55 in Los Angeles during the regular season.

The Trojans now have a 4-1 record over the Cougars in Tournament games.

The teams started slowly, each shooting under 20% in the 1st quarter: WSU (16.7%), USC (13.3%)

The Trojans scored 38 points from field goals made; 32 of those points came from inside the paint.

The Cougar bench outscored the Trojans', 24-0.

WSU used a 7-0 run over the 3rd and 4th quarters to erase a 35-20 USC advantage and take a 36-35 lead (10th lead change of the game to that point.) USC retook the lead on two Sadie Edwards free throws at 8:32, a lead it never relinquished.

USC's Jordan Adams pulled down 10 boards, equaling her season high. Her teammate Kristen Simon had a game high 12 rebounds (13th 10+ game of the season and 5th in a row)

Double figure scoring for USC: Aliyah Mazyck (28th time in 30 games), Minyon Moore (22nd time).

WSU's Nike McClure scored 12 points, her 2nd double figure game of the season (16, Washington, 1/17)

Before the game, the Pac-12 Conference honored three WSU seniors who missed their Senior Night due to the cancellation of its game with Stanford: Krystle McKenzie, Caila Hailey and Pinelopi Pavlopoulou.