2017 Hattiesburg Regional – Game 4
Postgame Notes – Southern Miss 8, South Alabama 3 (Sunday)

-Southern Miss started a regional 2-0 for the second time in school history (Atlanta, 2009).
-The only other time that Southern Miss won consecutive games in a regional was in Hattiesburg in 2003.
-South Alabama’s loss put them in an elimination game with Mississippi State to conclude the Sunday tripleheader.
-Southern Miss improved to 3-0 on the year against South Alabama.
-These two teams played twice in the 2016 Tallahassee Regional, with the Golden Eagles winning 14-2 in the opener before being eliminated by a 7-5 decision later.
-The two teams have played five times in the postseason, most for any Southern Miss opponent (Golden Eagles lead 4-1).

Southern Miss Notes
-The Golden Eagles (50-14) are the first C-USA team to reach that win total since Rice in 2007, and it’s the sixth time in league history such a feat has occurred.
-Taylor Braley hit his 17th homer and Tracy Hadley collected his second, both in the fifth inning.
-Hadley has seven RBI in his last three home games.
-Those were the first Southern Miss homers of the regional after Friday’s game saw a 10-game homer streak snapped.
-Matt Wallner was hit by a pitch for the 12th time this year, tying him with Hunter Slater for the team lead.
-Braley’s last three starts entering the day: 24 innings, two earned runs (0.75 ERA).
-The Golden Eagles are now 42-3 when leading after six innings.
-Mason Irby collected his 26th multi-hit game of the year, second-most on the team, and it extended his hit streak to six games.
-Irby also has 14 games on the year with two hits.
-Southern Miss now has 87 homers on the year. The school record is 95 in 1997.

South Alabama Notes
-The Jaguars left 15 on base, tying a season-high that was set three games prior (May 27 vs. Arkansas State).
-Dylan Hardy has three hits in both of his games this weekend, giving him a team-best 25 multi-hit games.
-Tyler Carr’s three-inning start was his shortest on the year (previous: 3 1/3 at UL Lafayette on April 2).
-Joey Jones’ four innings on the mound in relief marked a season-high.
-The Jaguars have registered 10 or more hits in 12 of their last 14 games.
-They fell to 30-6 when out-hitting the opponent.