Mississippi State’s victory forced a winner-take-all in the nightcap of the doubleheader.

Southern Miss Notes
- The Golden Eagles had their lowest offensive output since March 10, the series opener versus Xavier (L, 0-2).
- Dylan Burdeaux, the C-USA Offensive Player of the Year, picked up his first hit of the regional.
- It was only the second time since April 23 that Southern Miss was held to six hits or fewer.
- J.C. Keys has pitched 13 innings over his last three appearances, all in relief.
- Daniel Keating got his first pinch-hit in nine such at-bats.

Mississippi State Notes
- Eight of nine Bulldog starters recorded hits.
- Brent Rooker’s two-run homer was his 22nd of the year and first in seven games. He is also up to 79 RBI on the year.
- Jacob Billingsley allowed his only run in the first inning. His previous-longest outing of his career was five innings (11 starts this year).
- It was the first complete game for a Bulldog pitcher since Dakota Hudson versus Arkansas on May 19, 2016.
- The Golden Eagles did not get a runner to third base for the remainder of the game after having bases loaded and no outs in the fourth.
- It was the 20th time this year that a Mississippi State starter allowed one earned run or less.
- Hunter Vansau picked up his eighth multi-hit game of the year and fourth of the three-hit variety.