



## **Texas Tech Lady Raiders vs. Kennesaw State Lady Owls**

### **Nov. 23, 2007**

### **Game 6**

#### **Starting the Game**

• For the sixth-consecutive contest, coach Kristy Curry used a starting lineup of Jordan Murphree (g), Maria Moore (g), Keisha Walker (g), Erin Myrick (c) and Dominic Seals (f). With the 78-56 victory, Tech is 6-0 on the season when this group starts the game. The Lady Owls opened the contest with Ashley Johnson (g), Jennifer Baker (g), Greteya Kelley (g), Montinique Nixon (c) and Britteny Henderson (f)

#### **Curry Nabs 200**

• With the win over Kennesaw State, Curry picked up her 200th career win just six games into her ninth season. She has recorded 20 wins in six of her first eight years and has averaged 24 wins a season coming into this year.

#### **Mighty Moore**

• Maria Moore hit her first three shots from the field while picking up two assists and two steals in her first seven minutes of play. The junior from Sparks, Nev. finished with 13 points, eight assists and three steals. She also picked up a career-best five rebounds. Her eight assists tied her career high.

#### **Tough Second Half D**

• The Lady Raiders started the second half with a 7-0 run over the first 3:12 and an 18-2 run over the first 11:35. After the Lady Owls scored at the 16:48 mark, Tech's defense held them scoreless for a span of 7:13. Kennesaw State scored just 21 points the second half.

#### **Odds and Ends**

• Tech started the game hot, hitting eight of its first 10 shots from the field. The Lady Raiders shot 44 percent from the field in the first half and finished the game at a 48 percent clip.

• After picking up a season-best 20 points on 9-10 shooting from the field last night, Myrick hit her first three shots from the field Friday. She finished with 15 points on the night to mark the fifth time in six games this year the senior has scored in double figures.

• Seals extended her double-figure scoring streak to six games with her 18 points. She has led Tech in scoring in three of its first six games this season.

• Keisha Walker's 3-pointer with 7:55 left in the first half snapped a 7-0 Kennaw State run.

• The Lady Raiders' 40 points in the first half Friday marked the third time this season they have scored at least 40 going into the lockerroom. That equals the number of times Tech scored 40 points in the first half all of last year.

• With a 40-35 lead going into the break, the Lady Raiders have held the lead five times going into the half. With the win, Tech is now 5-0 when leading the action after the first 20 minutes.

• Seals' layin at the 3:00 mark in the second half gave the Lady Raiders its largest lead of the game at 22 points (72-50), which was also their final margin of victory.

### **Odds and Ends Cont...**

- After dominating the paint against Idaho State, Tech was outscored 18-16 in the paint in the first half. A strong second half gave the Lady Raiders the victory in the paint at 42-26.
- With its 78 points Friday, Tech has scored at least 70 points in all six of its games so far this year. The Lady Raiders just seven games with at least 70 points last year.

### **Record With**

- Moore (13), Myrick (20), Seals (18) and Keisha Walker (10) all scored in double digits to improve the Lady Raiders' record to 6-0 when at least three players score in double figures and 4-0 when four hit for 10 points.
- Tech won the battle on the boards 43-42 Friday to mark the fifth time this season the Lady Raiders have won the rebounding battle
- With 17 turnovers against the Lady Owls, Tech is now 2-0 this year when turning the ball over between 17 and 20 times.
- With Kennesaw State giving the ball away 23 times on the night, the Lady Raiders are now 2-0 when the opposition has more than 20 give aways.
- The United Spirit Arena has been kind to Tech to this point in the season. The Lady Raiders are now 3-0 when playing in Lubbock.

### **Highs**

- Moore's eight assists tied a career high.
- Walker tied her career-best 10 points.
- Myrick's four blocks tied her previous career high.
- Jordan Murphree's five steals was a new career best.