



The Heisman Winners

The Heisman Roster

Year	Name	School	Class	Pos.
1935	Jay Berwanger	Chicago	SR	HB
1936	Larry Kelley	Yale	SR	E
1937	Clinton Frank	Yale	SR	HB
1938	Davey O'Brien	TCU	SR	QB
1939	Nile Kinnick	Iowa	SR	HB
1940	Tom Harmon	Michigan	SR	HB
1941	Bruce Smith	Minnesota	SR	HB
1942	Frank Sinkwich	Georgia	SR	HB
1943	Angelo Bertelli	Notre Dame	SR	QB
1944	Les Horvath	Ohio State	SR	HB
1945	Felix "Doc" Blanchard	Army	JR	FB
1946	Glenn Davis	Army	SR	HB
1947	John Lujack	Notre Dame	SR	QB
1948	Doak Walker	SMU	JR	HB
1949	Leon Hart	Notre Dame	SR	E
1950	Vic Janowicz	Ohio State	JR	HB
1951	Dick Kazmaier	Princeton	SR	HB
1952	Billy Vessels	Oklahoma	SR	RB
1953	John Lattner	Notre Dame	SR	HB
1954	Alan Ameche	Wisconsin	SR	RB
1955	Howard Cassady	Ohio State	SR	RB
1956	Paul Hornung	Notre Dame	SR	QB
1957	John David Crow	Texas A&M	SR	RB
1958	Pete Dawkins	Army	SR	HB
1959	Billy Cannon	LSU	SR	RB
1960	Joe Bellino	Navy	SR	RB
1961	Ernie Davis	Syracuse	SR	RB
1962	Terry Baker	Oregon State	SR	QB
1963	Roger Staubach	Navy	JR	QB
1964	John Huarte	Notre Dame	SR	QB
1965	Mike Garrett	USC	SR	TB
1966	Steve Spurrier	Florida	SR	QB
1967	Gary Beban	UCLA	SR	QB
1968	O.J. Simpson	USC	SR	TB
1969	Steve Owens	Oklahoma	SR	RB
1970	Jim Plunkett	Stanford	SR	QB
1971	Pat Sullivan	Auburn	SR	QB
1972	Johnny Rodgers	Nebraska	SR	WR
1973	John Cappelletti	Penn State	SR	RB
1974	Archie Griffin	Ohio State	JR	RB
1975	Archie Griffin	Ohio State	SR	RB
1976	Tony Dorsett	Pittsburgh	SR	TB
1977	Earl Campbell	Texas	SR	RB
1978	Billy Sims	Oklahoma	JR	RB

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Year	Name	School	Class	Pos.
1979	Charles White	USC	SR	TB
1980	George Rogers	South Carolina	SR	RB
1981	Marcus Allen	USC	SR	TB
1982	Herschel Walker	Georgia	JR	TB
1983	Mike Rozier	Nebraska	SR	RB
1984	Doug Flutie	Boston College	SR	QB
1985	Bo Jackson	Auburn	SR	RB
1986	Vinny Testaverde	Miami (FL)	SR	QB
1987	Tim Brown	Notre Dame	SR	WR
1988	Barry Sanders	Oklahoma St.	JR	RB
1989	Andre Ware	Houston	JR	QB
1990	Ty Detmer	BYU	JR	QB
1991	Desmond Howard	Michigan	JR	WR
1992	Gino Torretta	Miami (FL)	SR	QB
1993	Charlie Ward	Florida State	SR	QB
1994	Rashaan Salaam	Colorado	JR	RB
1995	Eddie George	Ohio State	SR	RB
1996	Danny Wuerffel	Florida	SR	QB
1997	Charles Woodson	Michigan	JR	CB
1998	Ricky Williams	Texas	SR	RB
1999	Ron Dayne	Wisconsin	SR	RB
2000	Chris Weinke	Florida State	SR	QB
2001	Eric Crouch	Nebraska	SR	QB
2002	Carson Palmer	USC	SR	QB
2003	Jason White	Oklahoma	SR	QB
2004	Matt Leinart	USC	JR	QB
2006	Troy Smith	Ohio State	SR	QB
2007	Tim Tebow	Florida	SO	QB
2008	Sam Bradford	Oklahoma	SO	QB
2009	Mark Ingram	Alabama	SO	RB
2010	Cam Newton	Auburn	JR	QB
2011	Robert Griffin III	Baylor	JR	QB
2012	Johnny Manziel	Texas A&M	FR	QB
2013	Jameis Winston	Florida State	FR	QB
2014	Marcus Mariota	Oregon	JR	QB
2015	Derrick Henry	Alabama	JR	RB
2016	Lamar Jackson	Louisville	SO	QB
2017	Baker Mayfield	Oklahoma	SR	QB



Quick Facts

Name: John Jacob "Jay" Berwanger
Born: March 19, 1914
Died: June 26, 2002
Place of Birth: Dubuque, IA
High School: Dubuque HS
Height: 6-1
Weight: 195
Jersey Number: 99
Position: Running Back
Team: Chicago Maroons
Conference: Big Ten
Team Record: 4-4
Head Coach: Clark Shaughnessy
NFL Draft Selection: 1st (Philadelphia)
Post Football Career: Sportswriter;
 Coach; Businessman

BIO

The University of Chicago's great Jay Berwanger was the first recipient of the "Downtown Athletic Club Trophy," which later became the Heisman Memorial Trophy. Born in 1915 in Dubuque, Iowa, Berwanger excelled at wrestling and track, as well as football, at Dubuque High. After graduation, he opted for Chicago, which had offered him a basic tuition scholarship of just \$300 per year.

Berwanger was renowned for his versatility. He called plays, ran, passed, punted, blocked, tackled, kicked off, kicked extra points and returned punts and kickoffs. Berwanger's list of nicknames was long: "The Flying Dutchman" (though his ancestry was actually German) and "The Man in the Iron Mask" (because he wore a special face special face guard to protect his twice-broken nose).

In 1935, the Chicago Tribune awarded Berwanger the Silver Football as the Most Valuable Player in the Big Ten. In addition to being football team captain, Berwanger also captained the track team, was senior class president and the head of his fraternity, Psi Upsilon.

In November of 1935, Berwanger received a telegram from Manhattan's Downtown Athletic Club, inviting him to New York to receive a trophy for being the "most valuable football player east of the Mississippi." The prize was renamed the following year after John W. Heisman, the club's athletic director.

In 1936, Berwanger was the first-player selected in the first-ever NFL draft. He chose to bypass professional football to pursue a career as a foam rubber salesman.

In his spare time, Berwanger wrote a sports column for the Chicago Daily News, refereed college football games and took a stint as an assistant coach at his alma mater. He even played himself in the 1936 football movie "The Big Game."

During World War II, Berwanger enrolled in the Navy's flight-training program and became a Naval officer. After the war, he created Jay Berwanger, Inc., a manufacturer of plastics and rubber based in Downers Grove, Ill.

In 1954, Berwanger was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame. In 1989, he was included on Sports Illustrated's 25-year anniversary All-American team which honored players whose accomplishments extended beyond the football field.

He passed away on June 26, 2002.

HEISMAN VOTING RESULTS

Number of electors: 65

Date of announcement: November 29, 1935

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Jay Berwanger	SR	RB	Chicago	84
2	Monk Meyer	JR	HB	Army	29
3	William Shakespeare	SR	HB	Notre Dame	23
4	Pepper Constable	SR	FB	Princeton	20

STATISTICS

Game-by-game stats are missing from much of Berwanger's time at Chicago, but our best calculations show that, in his career, he rushed for 1,839 yards on 439 carries, averaged 4.2 yards per rush with 22 touchdowns, kicked 20 extra points and completed 50 of 146 passes for 921 yards. He also averaged 46.3 yards on 34 kickoffs and 38 yards on 233 punts.

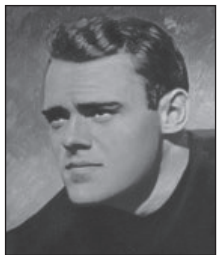
MISCELLANEOUS

"He was a special guy, just a gentleman in every way" - former Chicago Athletic Director Tom Weingartner

Future President **Gerald Ford** tried to tackle Berwanger when Ford played for Michigan and came away with a scar on his face. Ford once told Berwanger *"I think of you every morning when I shave."*

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First Heisman: The Life of Jay Berwanger, by Brian Cooper,



Quick Facts

Name: Lawrence Morgan Kelley
Born: May 30, 1915
Died: June 27, 2000
Place of Birth: Conneaut, Ohio
High School: Williamsport (PA) HS
Height: 6-2
Weight: 190
Jersey Number: 19
Position: End
Team: Yale Bulldogs
Conference: Ivy League
Team Record: 7-1
Head Coach: Ducky Pond
NFL Draft Selection: 87th, 9th round (Detroit)
Post Football Career: Teacher; Coach

BIO

Yale's outstanding end, Larry Kelley, was the first player to be awarded the Heisman Memorial Trophy under that name and the first to do so primarily as a pass catcher when playing offense. He was also the first of two Yale players to win the trophy.

Kelley, a native of Ohio, played high school football in Williamsport, Pa., then attended the Peddie School in Hightstown. Kelley's high school coach was a Yale alumnus who steered him to New Haven. A fine all-around athlete and scholar, Kelley also starred in basketball and baseball at Yale and graduated as an honor student.

A two-way player in a time of limited substitutions, Kelley dazzled on offense, coming up with many a timely catch and touchdown play. His sensational pass-catching accounted for 15 Yale touchdowns and he was a defensive giant. In his sophomore year, the rangy 6-foot 1-inch end brought Princeton's long string of victories to an end when he caught a pass on the tips of his fingers and defeated the Tigers, 7-0.

In his 1936 Heisman season, as a senior, Kelley caught 17 passes for 372 yards and four TDs to lead Yale to a 7-1 record. He also had one interception that he returned for 54 yards, returned two kickoffs for 38 yards and scored 37 total points on the year.

After Yale, Larry went into the educational field, teaching and coaching until World War II. After the war, he tried his hand at business and did well. The field of secondary education however beckoned again and he joined the faculty of the Peddie School in New Jersey as teacher, coach, and administrator.

He was voted into the National Football Hall of Fame in 1969 and passed away on June 27, 2000.

HEISMAN VOTING RESULTS

Number of electors: 195

Date of announcement: December 1, 1936

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Larry Kelley	SR	E	Yale	213
2	Sam Francis	SR	FB	Nebraska	47
3	Ray Buivid	SR	HB	Marquette	46
4	Sammy Baugh	SR	QB	TCU	40
5	Clint Frank	JR	QB	Yale	33
6	Ace Parker	SR	HB	Duke	28
7	Ed Widseth	SR	T	Minnesota	25

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1936 STATISTICS

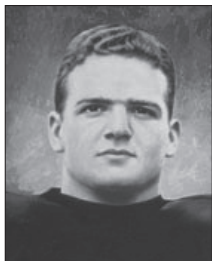
Statistics are incomplete for Kelley, who caught 17 passes for 372 yards (a 21.88 average) and 4 touchdowns in 1936. He also returned 2 kickoffs for 28 yards and intercepted a pass that he returned 54 yards. He produced 479 all purpose yards, with a yard-per-play average of 22.80, and 6 total touchdowns.

MISCELLANEOUS

"The focus of university attention was not on the best drama school in the country or the relatively small but tremendously impressive law school. To many -- probably most -- Yale meant Kelley and Frank and football."--former Wisconsin Senator William Proxmire.

Kelley's actions in Yale's dramatic 12-7 victory over Navy in 1936 resulted in a college football rule change. The "Kelley Kick," as it was called, saw Kelley kick a Midshipmen fumble, allowing Yale to take possession in better field position and then score the game's deciding points. The following year, the new rule said that any kicked ball would result in the team that fumbled the ball retaining possession at the point of the fumble.

Kelley is the first of two players to win the Heisman while playing the "end" position and the first of three Ivy League players to win.



Quick Facts

Name: Clinton E. Frank
Born: September 13, 1915
Died: July 7, 1992
Place of Birth: St. Louis, MO
High School: Evanston Township (IL)
Height: 5-10
Weight: 190
Jersey Number: 14
Position: Halfback
Team: Yale Bulldogs
Conference: Ivy League
Team Record: 6-1-1
Head Coach: Ducky Pond
NFL Draft Selection: 106th, 12th round (Detroit)
Post Football Career: Advertising

BIO

Frank joined his former teammate Larry Kelley as Yale's second Heisman winner, marking the first of three times that a school would win the trophy in back-to-back seasons.

Though born in St. Louis, Frank attended Evanston Township High in Evanston, Ill., where he obtained notoriety as a superb football player. However, he had a shoulder surgery as a senior that kept him off the field until his sophomore season at Yale.

Frank was "The best back Yale ever had," according to veteran coach Earl "Greasy" Neale. Twice all-American and Yale's captain, he gained a mile and a quarter on the gridiron for the team in rushing and passing. As a ball carrier, his power and 10-second 100-yard dash speed combined to make him a constant threat.

As a senior, Frank rushed for 667 yards, passed for 489 yards and five touchdowns, caught one pass for six yards, intercepted four passes for 70 yards, returned five punts for 28 yards and four kickoffs for 81 yards. He scored 11 touchdowns total.

He left Yale with 1,244 career rushing yards, 937 passing yards, five receptions, a remarkable 11 interceptions and 20 touchdowns.

Armed with a degree in economics, Frank bypassed professional football and instead tackled the expanding field of advertising, joining Blackett-Sample-Hummert in Chicago. He then served for five years in the Air Force under General Doolittle fighting in bomber groups in Italy, Africa and England. In 1949, he formed his own advertising agency, which was later sold in 1976 to Interpublic in New York. Clint be-

came Chairman of Bridlewood Corporation, a private holding corporation in Chicago, and was Vice Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Brain Research Foundation of Chicago and Trustee of the Schepens Eye Research Institute of Boston.

He was the National Football Hall of Fame's 1988 Gold Medal Recipient and was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1955.

Frank passed away in July of 1992.

HEISMAN VOTING RESULTS

Number of electors: 531

Date of announcement: December 1, 1937

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Clinton Frank	SR	QB	Yale	524
2	Byron White	SR	HB	Colorado	264
3	Marshall Goldberg	SR	RB	Pittsburgh	211
4	Alex Wojciechowicz	JR	C-LB	Fordham	85

1937 STATISTICS

Rushing: 667 yards on 157 attempts, 4.25 ypc, 11 TDs

Receiving: 1 rec, 6 yards

Passing: 31 of 105 for 489 yards, 5 TDs

PR: 5 for 28 yards

KOR: 4 for 81 yards

All-Purpose: 852 yards on 171 plays (4.98 YPP)

Total Touchdowns: 11

MISCELLANEOUS

Frank is the first player to twice finish in the top five of the Heisman vote.

He attained the rank of Lt. Colonel in the Army Air Corps during World War II, serving as an aide to the famed General Jimmy Doolittle.

He was a member of Skull and Bones at Yale.

Frank was a real-life "Mad Man", working for such advertising firms as Price, Robinson and Frank before forming his own.



Quick Facts

Name: Robert David "Davey" O'Brien
Born: June 22, 1917
Died: November 18, 1977
Place of Birth: Dallas, TX
High School: Woodrow Wilson HS
Height: 5-7
Weight: 151
Jersey Number: 8
Position: Quarterback
Team: TCU Horned Frogs
Conference: Southwest
Team Record: 10-0
Head Coach: Dutch Meyer
NFL Draft Selection: 4th, 1st round (Philadelphia)
Post Football Career: FBI Agent; Businessman

BIO

O'Brien won TCU's first Heisman while leading his team to an undefeated season. He is the smallest player to win the Heisman at 5-7, 151 pounds and the first Heisman winner from the Southwest Conference.

O'Brien was born in Dallas, Texas. He attended and played high school football at Woodrow Wilson High (later attended by 1987 Heisman winner Tim Brown). While there, he was an All-State selection and led his team to the Texas state playoffs in 1932.

Texas Christian was his school of choice, where coach Dutch Meyer had built a reputation for his pass-heavy "double wing" offense. After backing up Sammy Baugh, O'Brien became the starting quarterback as a 1937 junior and passed for 947 yards and five touchdowns as TCU went 4-4-2.

He exploded as a 1938 senior, completing 93 of 166 passes for 1,509 yards and 19 touchdowns with just four interceptions. He also ran for 462 yards and had six interceptions for 85 yards on defense. For his efforts, he won the Heisman over Marshall Goldberg of Pittsburgh.

A good runner and punter, he was an outstanding selector of plays. After a brilliant 15-7 Sugar Bowl victory over Carnegie Tech, in which he kicked a field goal and threw a touchdown pass, the Philadelphia Eagles recruited him with a \$12,000 bonus and a two-year contract.

In his first season, O'Brien led the league with 1,324 passing yards, breaking Sammy Baugh's NFL record. In his second

season, he completed a record 33 out of 60 passes against the Redskins.

O'Brien retired to become an FBI agent and followed that stint in the early '50s by becoming a business executive. He was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1955.

He died on November 18, 1977.

1938 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 584

Date of announcement: November 28, 1938

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Davey O'Brien	SR	QB	TCU	519
2	Marshall Goldberg	SR	RB	Pittsburgh	294
3	Sid Luckman	SR	QB	Columbia	154
4	Bob MacLeod	SR	HB	Dartmouth	78
5	Vic Bottary	SR	RB	California	67

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1938 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 462 yards on 127 carries (3.63 ypc) with 3 TDs

Passing: 99 of 163 (56%) for 1,509 yards, 19 TDs, 4 INTs

Total Offense: 1,971 yards on 293 plays (6.72 YPP)

Total Touchdowns: 23

Defense: 7 interceptions for 85 yards.

MISCELLANEOUS

O'Brien was the first Heisman winner from the Southwest Conference.

He's the smallest Heisman winner at 5-7, 151 pounds.

He is the first quarterback to win the Heisman.

His high school, Woodrow Wilson in Dallas, became the first school to produce two Heisman winners when Tim Brown of Notre Dame won the Heisman in 1987.

His passer rating of 165.33 was tops in Heisman history until surpassed by Vinny Testaverde in 1986 -- a span of almost 50 years!



Quick Facts

Name: Nile Clark Kinnick, Jr.
Born: July 19, 1918
Died: June 2, 1943
Place of Birth: Adel, IA
High Schools: Adel (IA) HS; Benson HS (Omaha, NE)
Height: 5-8
Weight: 167
Jersey Number: 24
Position: Halfback
Team: Iowa Hawkeyes
Conference: Big Ten
Team Record: 6-1-1
Head Coach: Eddie Anderson
NFL Draft Selection: 14th, 2nd round (Brooklyn)
Post Football Career: Navy Pilot



BIO

Kinnick won Iowa's first Heisman while leading his team to a 6-1-1 record.

Born in Adel, Iowa, Kinnick starred at Adel High for three years before the family moved to Omaha, Neb., after his junior year. Kinnick grew to be 5-8 and 170 pounds and, after failing a football tryout with Minnesota, he went to Iowa. His shifty running style helped earn him the nickname "The Cornbelt Comet."

The Hawkeyes went 1-7 in 1937 as Kinnick was named all-Big Ten as a sophomore, and 1-6-1 in 1938 when Kinnick was slowed to a near halt by an ankle injury suffered in the opening game.

As a senior, Kinnick was on the field an average of 57 minutes per game. He played 402 consecutive minutes against Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, Purdue, Notre Dame, Minnesota and Northwestern before a separated shoulder forced him to the sideline.

A halfback who was the team's main passer, Kinnick threw for 638 yards and 11 touchdowns and rushed for 374 yards on 106 carries. He also made 11-of-17 dropkick conversion attempts and scored 41 points. By passing, running or kicking, Kinnick was directly involved in 107 of Iowa's 130 points that season. He also made eight interceptions.

He finished his career with 1,674 yards rushing, 18 interceptions (an Iowa record that lasted half a century) and an average of 39.9 yards per punt.

Kinnick was named the Big Ten MVP award, plus the Heisman Trophy. In his acceptance speech at the Heisman Dinner, Kinnick reflected the prevailing isolationist mood of the country, saying that he thanked God he had been born

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in America, “where they have football fields instead of in Europe where they have battlefields.” And he added that he knew, “the football players of this country would rather battle for such medals as the Heisman Trophy than for such medals as the Croix de Guerre and the Iron Cross.”

During World War II, Nile was a pilot attached to an aircraft carrier in the Caribbean. In June 1943, he crash-landed his fighter in the sea and was killed in action.

Kinnick was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1951.

1939 HEISMAN RESULTS

Number of electors: 700 (approximately)

Date of announcement: November 28, 1939

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Nile Kinnick	SR	HB	Iowa	651
2	<i>Tom Harmon</i>	JR	HB	Michigan	405
3	Paul Christman	JR	QB	Missouri	391
4	George Cafego	SR	TB	Tennessee	296

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Future Heisman winners in italics

1939 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 374 yards on 106 carries

Passing: 638 yards, 11 TDs

Kicking: 11-of-16 dropkick conversions for 41 points

Total Points: 107

Defense: 8 interceptions

Minutes Played: 402 of a possible 420

MISCELLANEOUS

Kinnick was Iowa's student body President as a senior. He rejected the NFL in favor of Iowa's law school, where he completed one year and ranked third in his class.

“He could have been elected president,” -- Omaha philanthropist Dick Holland.

Kinnick beat out the New York Yankees' Joe DiMaggio as the Associated Press Male Athlete of the Year.

The University of Iowa football stadium is named in his honor.

He is the first Heisman winner from a current Big Ten team.

He was the first Heisman winner to pass away.



Quick Facts

Name: Thomas Dudley Harmon
Born: September 18, 1919
Died: March 15, 1990
Place of Birth: Rensselaer, IN
High Schools: Mann HS (Gary, IN)
Height: 6-0
Weight: 193
Jersey Number: 98
Position: Running Back
Team: Michigan Wolverines
Conference: Big Ten
Team Record: 7-1
Head Coach: Fritz Crisler
NFL Draft Selection: 1st overall pick (Chicago)
Post Football Career: Broadcaster

BIO

Harmon is the first Michigan player to win the Heisman and the first of six players to also finish as runner up in the Heisman vote.

Born in Rensselaer, Indiana, Harmon was an outstanding athlete at Horace Mann High. In addition to 14 varsity letters, he was twice named all-state quarterback, captain of the basketball team, and as a senior, won the 100 yard dash and the 200 yard low hurdles at the state finals.

Old 98 scored 33 touchdowns, kicked two field goals, kicked 33 points after touchdowns for 237 points, and threw 16 touchdown passes. He gained 3,438 yards rushing and passing, and played almost every minute of his three-year career. He also was a member of the varsity basketball team for two years.

In his final game, against Ohio State, Harmon led the Wolverines to a 40-0 victory, scoring three rushing touchdowns, two passing touchdowns, four extra points, three interceptions, and three punts for an average of 50 yards. In an unprecedented display of sportsmanship and appreciation, the Buckeye fans in Columbus gave Harmon a standing ovation at game's end.

He led the nation in scoring in both 1939 and 1940 (a feat that remains unmatched) and was named All-American each year. His career points per game average of 9.9 stood as an NCAA record for ten seasons. In 1940, he won the Heisman and was selected as the first pick in the NFL draft in 1941.

After a four-year stint as a pilot during World War II (for which he earned a Silver Star and the Purple Heart), he married actress Elyse Knox and played for the Los Angeles Rams in 1947 and 1948.

Harmon's subsequent career in broadcasting proved

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as successful, if not more so, than his time spent on the field. Harmon reported live on major sporting events from the Olympics to the Rose Bowl for CBS, ABC and NBC, to name just a fraction of his 10,000 broadcasts.

Until his passing on March 15, 1990, Harmon was broadcasting football games for the Los Angeles Raiders.

He was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1954.

1940 HEISMAN RESULTS

Number of electors: 800

Date of announcement: November 28, 1940

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Tom Harmon	SR	HB	Michigan	1,303
2	John Kimbrough	SR	HB	Texas A&M	841
3	George Franck	SR	HB	Minnesota	102
4	Frankie Albert	JR	QB	Stanford	90
5	Paul Christman	SR	QB	Missouri	66

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1940 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 852 yards on 191 carries, 16 TDs

Passing: 506 yards, 7 TDs

Kicking: 18 extra points, 1 FG

Return Yards: 398

All-Purpose Yardage: 3,096 on 266 plays (11.63 YPP)

MISCELLANEOUS

Harmon is the first player to be a Heisman runner up and a Heisman winner.

Harmon saw action in World War 2 as a fighter pilot in both North Africa and China. He was shot down over China in October of 1943, but later rescued.

He was a spokesperson for Kelloggs cereal "Product 19" in the 1970s.

His son is former UCLA Bruin quarterback and actor Mark Harmon.

He starred as himself in the 1941 film "Harmon of Michigan."



Quick Facts

Name: Bruce P. Smith
Born: February 8, 1920
Died: August 28, 1967
Place of Birth: Faribault, MN
High School: Faribault HS
Height: 6-0
Weight: 197
Jersey Number: 54
Position: Running Back
Team: Minnesota Gophers
Conference: Big Ten
Team Record: 8-0
Head Coach: Bernie Bierman
NFL Draft Selection: 119th pick, 13th round (Green Bay)
Post Football Career: Salesman; Beverage distributor

BIO

Smith won Minnesota's first Heisman while helping the Gophers win back-to-back national championships. He received his Heisman two days after the bombing of Pearl Harbor.

Born in Faribault, Minnesota, Smith excelled at Faribault High. He chose to attend Minnesota, where his father had starred back in 1911. The marquis triple-threat tailback of his era, Smith epitomized the single-wing offense and could seemingly do it all. Although well over 200 pounds, he was one of the Big Ten Conference's fastest men. In 1941, the team captain led the Gophers to their second consecutive undefeated season and national championship. For his efforts, Smith beat out Notre Dame's Angelo Bertelli for the Heisman.

After graduating, the All-American halfback went on to garner MVP honors in the College All-Star game against the Chicago Bears that summer. That next year, before going off to fight in WWII, Smith first went to Hollywood, where he starred in the movie "Smith of Minnesota," about a small-town family whose son becomes an All-American halfback.

Smith went on to serve in the Navy as a fighter pilot, and also played service football for the Great Lake Navy team. He returned home in 1945, and signed on with the Green Bay Packers and later with the Los Angeles Rams. He played for four years in the NFL, mostly on defense, but injuries prevented him from performing up to his unbelievable collegiate standards.

In 1947, he nearly died when he suffered a ruptured kidney dur-

ing a Chicago Bears game. With that, he retired at the young age of 29, and moved back to his native Faribault to raise his family.

Smith was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 1972, and in 1977, he became the first Minnesota player to have his number retired.

Smith was diagnosed with cancer in the spring of 1967 and succumbed to the disease on Aug. 28 of that year.

In 1972, Smith was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame.

1941 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: N/A

Date of announcement: November 28, 1941

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Bruce Smith	SR	HB	Minnesota	554
2	<i>Angelo Bertelli</i>	SO	QB	Notre Dame	345
3	Frankie Albert	SR	QB	Stanford	336
4	<i>Frank Sinkwich</i>	JR	HB	Georgia	249
5	Bill Dudley	SR	HB	Virginia	237

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1940 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 446 yards on 92 carries, 5 TDs

Passing: 320 yards and 1 TD on 13 of 31 passing

All-Purpose Yardage: 766 yards on 123 plays (6.22 YPP)

MISCELLANEOUS

Smith was the third-consecutive Big Ten player to win the Heisman and the fourth during the first seven years of the award's existence.

His Heisman acceptance speech was memorable, coming just days after the bombing of Pearl Harbor.

After retiring from the NFL, he became a traveling salesman and then settled down in Alexandria, Minn., as the head of a local distributorship for Hamm's Beer.

A Chicago sports-writer once wrote, "Bruce Smith even looks like an All-American when he is sitting on the bench."



Quick Facts

Name: Frank Francis Sinkwich
Born: October 10, 1920
Died: October 22, 1990
Place of Birth: Starjak, Croatia
High Schools: Chaney HS
 (Youngstown, OH)
Height: 5-11
Weight: 190
Jersey Number: 21
Position: Running Back
Team: Georgia Bulldogs
Conference: Southeastern
Team Record: 10-1
Head Coach: Wally Butts
NFL Draft Selection: 1st overall pick
 (Detroit)
Post Football Career: Coach



BIO

Sinkwich is the first Georgia Bulldog to win the Heisman and the first from the Southeastern Conference.

Born Oct. 10, 1920, in Starjak, Croatia, Sinkwich was an outstanding high school star at Cheney High School in Youngstown, Ohio. He came to Georgia and led the freshman team of 1939 to an unbeaten season and the reputation as the "Point-A-Minute" Bullpups.

In 1940, he was so outstanding in the season's final two games against Georgia Tech and Miami, United Press International picked him on its All-Southern first team.

As a junior in 1941, he set an SEC rushing record (1,103 yards) which stood for eight years, and gained 713 yards passing for a new SEC total offense record of 1,816 yards. He led Georgia to a 40-26 victory over TCU in the Orange Bowl New Year's Day in 1942 with a performance still considered by many as the best in all bowl history. He rushed for 139 yards and completed 9 of 13 passes for 243 yards and three touchdowns — a total offensive effort of 382 yards. And he accomplished all that despite playing from the third game on with a broken jaw protected by a custom-made facemask. For his efforts, he was almost a unanimous All-America selection.

In his record setting senior season with the Bulldogs, he gained 795 yards rushing and set the SEC passing record with 1,392 yards, a mark that stood for eight years. He set the SEC total offense record of 2,187 yards that same season. He led Georgia to another SEC record —

4,725 yards of team total offense. Although playing with two sprained ankles, he scored Georgia's only TD in 9-0 victory over UCLA in the Rose Bowl game at Pasadena. At season's end, he was named a unanimous All-American choice and chosen as Georgia's first recipient of the Heisman Trophy.

He was a two-time All-Pro selection with Detroit in 1943-44 but a knee injury in 1945 essentially ended his professional football career. He served as head coach of an Erie, Pa., professional team in 1949 and as head coach at the University of Tampa in 1950-51.

Sinkwich is one of only four Bulldog football players to have his jersey retired.

He passed away on Oct. 22, 1990.

1942 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: N/A

Date of announcement: November 28, 1942

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Frank Sinkwich	SR	HB	Georgia	1,059
2	Paul Governali	SR	QB	Columbia	345
3	Clint Castleberry	FR	RB	Ga. Tech	336
4	Mike Holovak	SR	RB	Boston Coll.	249
5	Bill Dudley	SR	HB	Indiana	237

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1942 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 762 yards and 16 TDs on 164 carries

Passing: 1,392 yards and 10 TDs on 84 of 166 passing

Total Offense: 2,154 yards on 330 plays (6.52 YPP)

Total Touchdowns Running & Passing: 26

MISCELLANEOUS

Sinkwich is the first SEC player to win the Heisman.

He's the first Heisman winner to earn NFL MVP honors (1944).

He is the first of three Heisman winners to be born outside the United States.

Born in Starjak, Croatia, his surname was originally spelled *Sinkovic*.



Quick Facts

Name: Angelo Bortolo Bertelli
Born: June 18, 1921
Died: June 26, 1999
Place of Birth: West Springfield, MA
High Schools: Cathedral HS
Height: 6-1
Weight: 175
Jersey Number: 48
Position: Quarterback
Team: Notre Dame Fighting Irish
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 9-1
Head Coach: Frank Leahy
NFL Draft Selection: 1st overall pick (Boston)
Post Football Career: Businessman

BIO

Bertelli won Notre Dame's first Heisman in 1943, the first T-formation quarterback to do so. He is one of six Heisman winners to also finish as a Heisman runner up.

Born in West Springfield, Massachusetts, Bertelli matriculated at Springfield's Cathedral High and was All State in football, baseball and hockey, while also finding time to be the senior class president.

As a 1941 sophomore at Notre Dame, Bertelli, led the nation with a 56.9 percent passing average, completing 70 of 123 attempts while placing second in the Heisman vote. The next year, Bertelli passed for 1,039 yards and 10 touchdowns and earned the nickname "the T-formation magician" from famed sportswriter Grantland Rice. He finished sixth in the Heisman that year.

During his senior year in 1943, the Marine Corps activated Bertelli after six games of Notre Dame's 10-game season. In the six games Bertelli started in, he threw 36 passes, completing 25 with 10 touchdowns. Bertelli's six-game 1943 performance was enough to win the Heisman Trophy as the Irish won by an average score of 43-5. During Bertelli's three seasons, Notre Dame lost only three games.

In 1944, Bertelli was promoted to the rank of second lieutenant. After stops at Quantico, Camp Lejeune and Camp Pendleton, Bertelli embarked to participate in combat operations in the Pacific. After arriving from Guam in February 1945, Bertelli fought in the Battle of Iwo Jima and was nearly killed when a Japanese mortar shell landed 15 feet away from his position. Bertelli returned to Guam in March and served in Sasebo, Japan, before returning to the states in March 1946. After World

War II, Bertelli entered the Marine Corps Reserves where he was promoted to the rank of captain and served until 1957.

In 1946, Bertelli signed with the Los Angeles Dons of the All-America Football Conference. Bertelli played for the Chicago Rockets between 1947 and 1948. After several knee surgeries, he retired prior to the 1949 season. After his retirement from professional football, Bertelli moved to Clifton, NJ, and operated several businesses. He was the color analyst for the Princeton University football games broadcast on radio station WVNJ, 620 AM and 100.3 FM in the 1950s and 60s.

Bertelli was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1972. He passed away on June 26, 1999.

1943 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: N/A

Date of announcement: November 27, 1943

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Angelo Bertelli	SR	QB	Notre Dame	648
2	Bob Odell	SR	HB	Penn	177
3	Otto Graham	SR	QB	Northwestern	140
4	Creighton Miller	SR	HB	Notre Dame	134
5	Eddie Prokop	SR	RB	Ga. Tech	85

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1943 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 512 yards and 10 TDs on 25 of 36 passing

MISCELLANEOUS

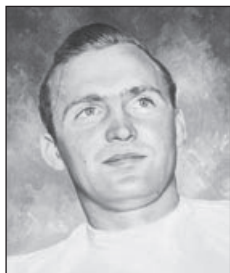
Bertelli is the first of seven Heisman winners from Notre Dame.

He is the first Heisman winner from an independent school.

He is the second player to be a Heisman winner and a Heisman runner up.

He's the first player to log three top 10 Heisman finishes (2nd in 1941, 6th in 1942, 1st in 1943).

He is the only player to win the Heisman while missing as much as 40% of a season (4 out of 10 games).



Quick Facts

Name: Leslie Horvath
Born: October 12, 1921
Died: November 14, 1995
Place of Birth: South Bend, IN
High Schools: Parma (OH) HS
 Rhodes HS in Cleveland
Height: 5-10
Weight: 173
Jersey Number: 22
Position: Halfback
Team: Ohio State Buckeyes
Conference: Big Ten
Team Record: 9-0
Head Coach: Carroll Widdoes
NFL Draft Selection: 45th pick, 6th round (Cleveland)
Post Football Career: Military; Dentist

BIO

Horvath won Ohio State's first Heisman. He's one of two Heisman winners who later went on to become dentists. Born in South Bend, Indiana, Horvath spent most of his youth in Parma, Ohio. He played on the track, basketball and football teams for Parma until the 11th grade, but decided to switch schools as a senior. Horvath's family relocated, and he enrolled at James Ford Rhodes High in Cleveland, one of Parma's rivals. Playing as a quarterback for the Rhodes Rams, Horvath guided the team to seven straight wins in 1938 and just missed out on the city title.

In 1940, he enrolled at Ohio State where he became a football sensation. He lettered in football for the Buckeyes in 1940, 1941, 1942 and 1944. Horvath was right halfback on the 1942 national championship team but in 1943 he was in dental school and not eligible for football.

At this time, college football players received only three years of eligibility to play, but because of World War II and the resulting shortage of athletes in school, football players received an additional year of eligibility. In 1944, Buckeye coach Carroll Widdoes asked Horvath to return to the team for a fourth year.

Due to the demands of dental school, Horvath was initially reluctant to play but agreed to do so after Widdoes promised that Horvath would be flown to all of the games and would not have to practice as much as the other players. Ohio State went 9-0, won the Big Ten and ranked No. 2 nationally. Horvath rushed for 905 yards and passed for 345. He ranked second in the nation in rushing, third in total offense, was unanimous All-Amer-

ican, MVP of the Big Ten, and winner of the Heisman Trophy.

He graduated from dental school in 1945, joined the Navy as an ensign, and was discharged in July, 1947.

A sixth-round pick, Horvath played three years of pro football with the Rams and Browns, then practiced dentistry in Los Angeles.

He was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1969. He died November 14, 1995, at age 74.

1944 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 848

Date of announcement: December 3, 1945

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Les Horvath	SR	QB	Ohio State	412
2	<i>Glenn Davis</i>	SO	HB	Army	287
3	<i>Doc Blanchard</i>	SO	FB	Army	237
4	Don Whitmire	JR	T	Navy	115
5	Buddy Young	FR	HB	Illinos	105

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Future Heisman winners in italics

1944 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 891 yards and 10 TDs

Passing: 344 yards and 6 TDs on 14 of 32 passing

Total Offense: 1,235 yards

Total Touchdowns: 16

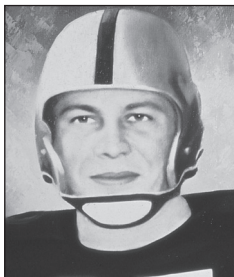
MISCELLANEOUS

Horvath is the first Heisman winner from Ohio State and was the fifth from the Big Ten in the first 10 years of the award's existence.

Horvath won the Heisman as a post-graduate.

Horvath served as a naval dental officer following World War II and was a part-time dentist during his NFL career before going into the profession full time.

On winning the Heisman: "I was in dental class and the dean called for me to come down to the office that I had a phone call from New York. They told me that I had won the Heisman. I was sort of stunned because it was totally unexpected."



Quick Facts

Name: Felix Anthony "Doc" Blanchard
Born: December 11, 1924
Died: April 19, 2009
Place of Birth: McColl, SC
High Schools: St. Stanislaus HS, Bay St. Louis, MS
Height: 6-0
Weight: 205
Jersey Number: 35
Position: Fullback
Team: Army Black Knights
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 9-0
Head Coach: Earl "Red" Blaik
NFL Draft Selection: 3rd pick, 1st round (Pittsburgh)
Post Football Career: Fighter Pilot



BIO

Blanchard won Army's first Heisman after helping lead the Knights to their second-straight national title. He is the first junior to win the Heisman.

Blanchard was born in McColl, South Carolina. His family moved from McColl to Dexter, Iowa in 1929 and then to Bishopville, South Carolina two years later. Blanchard, nicknamed "Doc" due to his father's occupation, attended high school at Saint Stanislaus College in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.

During his three years of playing football at West Point, Army compiled an undefeated 27-0-1 record and won three national championships.

An all-around athlete, the 6-0, 205-pound Blanchard served as the placekicker and punter in addition to his primary roles as an offensive fullback and a linebacker on defense. He teamed with Glenn Davis to form one of the most lethal rushing combinations in football history. In his three seasons at West Point Blanchard scored 38 touchdowns, gained 1,908 yards and earned the nickname "Mr. Inside." Teammate Davis earned the nickname "Mr. Outside" and in November 1945, they both shared the cover of Time magazine.

As a sophomore, Blanchard was third in the Heisman voting after rushing for 335 yards and five touchdowns and catching three passes for 96 yards and three more scores.

He totaled 17 touchdowns as a junior, rushing for 722 yards and 16 TDs with a 7.1 average while catching four passes for 166 yards and one more score. Army again went undefeated and won the national title. Blanchard won the Heisman while Davis finished second, the only time players from the same school have finished 1-2 in the Heisman vote.

In 1946, Blanchard missed the first two games of the season due to an injury to his knee, but still finished fourth in the vote as Davis won the Heisman.

In 1947, Blanchard graduated from West Point and was commissioned as a second lieutenant in the United States Air Force. He later flew 113 missions during the Vietnam War and retired from the Air Force in 1971 as a colonel. He then spent several more years as the commandant of cadets at the New Mexico Military Institute.

Blanchard died of pneumonia on April 19, 2009 in Bulverde, Texas. He was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 1959.

1945 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 848

Date of announcement: December 3, 1945

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Doc Blanchard	JR	FB	Army	792
2	<i>Glenn Davis</i>	JR	HB	Army	435
3	Bob Fenimore	SR	HB	Okla. A&M	369
4	Herman Wedermeyer	SO	HB	St. Mary's	267
5	Harry Gilmer	SO	HB	Alabama	257

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Future Heisman winners in italics

1945 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 718 yards and 13 TDs on 101 carries (7.2 ypc)

Receptions: 4 catches for 166 yards, 3 TDs

Defense: 4 interceptions for 150 yards, 3 TDs

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,034 yards on 109 plays, 19 total TDs

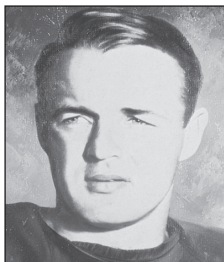
MISCELLANEOUS

In 1947, Blanchard starred with Davis, as they played themselves in the movie "The Spirit of West Point."

In addition to football, Blanchard was also a member of the Army track and field team, with a shot put championship and a 10-second 100 yard dash in 1945.

"Doc Blanchard was the best-built athlete I ever saw. Six feet and 208 pounds at his peak, not a suspicion of fat on him, with slim waist, Atlas shoulders, colossal legs." -- Army Coach Red Blaik.

Blanchard, the first junior winner, eventually joined Davis as the first players to log three top 5 Heisman finishes.



Quick Facts

Name: Glenn Woodward Davis
Born: December 26, 1924
Died: March 9, 2005
Place of Birth: Claremont, CA
High Schools: Bonita (CA)
Height: 5-9
Weight: 175
Jersey Number: 41
Position: Halfback
Team: Army Black Knights
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 9-0-1
Head Coach: Earl "Red" Blaik
NFL Draft Selection: 2nd pick, 1st round (Detroit)
Post Football Career: Military; Oil Industry; Fundraiser



BIO

One of the all-time college football greats, Davis won Army's second Heisman while leading the Knights to a 9-0-1 record and a No. 2 national finish.

Davis was born and raised in Southern California, the son of a bank manager. Glenn and his twin brother Ralph played high school football at Bonita High in La Verne, Calif. In 1942, Glenn led the Bearcats to an 11-0 record and the school's first-ever football championship, earning the Southern Section Player of the Year award.

At West Point, under coach Earl Blaik, Davis played fullback in his freshman season, but moved to halfback for his three varsity seasons, while Doc Blanchard took over at fullback. Together, they formed perhaps the greatest backfield in football history -- Davis was nicknamed "Mr. Outside", while Blanchard was "Mr. Inside". As a 1944 sophomore, Davis set NCAA records by averaging 11.5 yards a carry and by scoring 20 touchdowns in nine games. For his efforts, Davis won the Maxwell Award and Walter Camp Trophy as player of the year. He also finished second in voting for the Heisman while Blanchard took third.

The 1945 Army team is often considered one of the best ever. Davis slightly bested his previous record by averaging 11.51 yards per carry and scored 18 touchdowns in nine games. Though Davis had a great season, it was Blanchard who won the Heisman, while Davis again finished second.

Davis was not quite as explosive as a 1946 senior, scoring 13 touchdowns while rushing for 712 yards, catching 20 passes for 348 yards and passing for 396 yards and four scores, but Davis still was awarded the Heisman over Charlie Trippi of Georgia while Blanchard finished fifth.

With Davis and Blanchard, Army went 27-0-1 in 1944, 1945, and 1946 and won three national titles. Davis finished his career with a school-record 59 touchdowns, 354 points and 5,161 all-purpose yards.

Serving in the Army in Korea until 1950, Davis resigned his commission to join the Los Angeles Rams and played on two championship teams. Injuries cut his career short, however, and he turned to public relations and promotions for the Los Angeles Times special events department with the primary goal of raising money for youth activities.

Davis was inducted into the National Football Foundation College Hall of Fame in 1961. He passed away March 9, 2005.

1946 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: N/A

Date of announcement: December 3, 1946

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Glenn Davis	SR	HB	Army	792
2	Charlie Trippi	SR	HB	Georgia	435
3	<i>John Lujack</i>	JR	QB	Notre Dame	379
4	Doc Blanchard	SR	FB	Army	267
5	Arnie Tucker	SR	QB	Army	257

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Future Heisman winners in italics

1946 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 712 yards and 7 TDs on 123 carries

Receptions: 20 catches for 348 yards and 6 TDs

Passing: 396 yards and 4 TDs on 19 of 49 passing.

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,409 yards on 169 plays

Total TDs: 13

MISCELLANEOUS

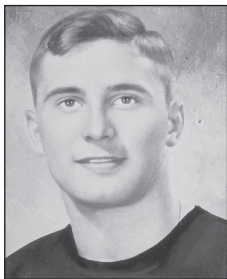
Davis might've been the fastest of the early Heisman winners, with a best of 9.6 in the 100-yard dash.

He came within 125 points of winning two Heismans and within 347 points of winning three.

Davis is the first player to log three top-3 Heisman finishes. He is one of four players to twice finish as Heisman runner up and is the third Heisman winner to also finish as Heisman runner up.

He is the first of 12 Heisman winners to be born in California.

He once dated actress Elizabeth Taylor.



Quick Facts

Name: John Christopher Lujack, Jr.
Born: January 4, 1925
Place of Birth: Connellsville, PA
High Schools: Connellsville HS
Height: 6-0
Weight: 185
Jersey Number: 32
Position: Quarterback
Team: Notre Dame Fighting Irish
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 9-0-0
Head Coach: Frank Leahy
NFL Draft Selection: 4th pick, 1st round (Chicago)
Post Football Career: Car Dealer; Color Commentator



BIO

Lujack won Notre Dame's second Heisman while leading the Irish to a 9-0 record and national title in 1947.

Born in Connellsville, Pennsylvania, Lujack starred for the Connellsville High football team from 1939 to 1941, and was also senior class president and valedictorian. He lettered in four sports: baseball, football, basketball, and track. Townsfolk wanted him to go to the United States Military Academy (Army) at West Point, but he had his heart set on playing in South Bend.

Lujack took over at quarterback for Notre Dame as a sophomore in 1943 when Angelo Bertelli joined the Marines -- and he ended up helping the Irish to three national titles while establishing a reputation as one of the great T-formation signalcallers in college football history. In his initial start versus Army in '43, he threw for two scores, ran for another and intercepted a pass in a 26-0 victory. He spent nearly three years of his own in the Navy but returned in time to earn consensus All-America honors as a junior and senior on Notre Dame teams in 1946 and '47 that did not lose a game.

No slouch as a runner (he also played halfback as a sophomore), Lujack also punted -- and probably made his greatest individual play on defense. He preserved a scoreless tie in '46 between the second ranked Irish and top-ranked Army by making a touchdown-saving tackle of Cadet fullback Doc Blanchard from his defensive back position. As a junior, he finished third in the Heisman voting behind Army's Glenn Davis.

As a 1947 senior, he led the Irish to a 9-0 record while completing 61 passes on 109 attempts for 777 yards and also gaining 139 rushing yards on 12 carries, and won the Heisman Trophy. As he had in high school, he once again received varsity letters in four sports (again baseball, football, basketball, and

track) while at Notre Dame, becoming the third person to do so. He was a two-time All-American (1946 & 1947) and led Notre Dame to three national championships (1943, '46 and '47).

Drafted with the fourth pick of the 1948 NFL draft, Lujack played four years with the Chicago Bears, playing in the NFL Pro Bowl his last two seasons. An Irish backfield coach for two years following his retirement in '52, Lujack then ran an automobile dealership in Davenport, Iowa, until he retired in 1988.

He was elected to the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1960.

1947 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: N/A

Date of announcement: December 1, 1947

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	John Lujack	SR	QB	Notre Dame	742
2	Bob Chappuis	SR	HB	Michigan	555
3	<i>Doak Walker</i>	SO	HB	SMU	196
4	Charley Connerly	SR	QB	Mississippi	186
5	Harry Gilmer	SR	HB	Alabama	115

*Full voting results in the media guide index
Future Heisman winners in italics*

1947 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 139 yards and 1 TD on 12 rushes

Passing: 777 yards and 9 TDs on 61 of 109 passing

Total Offense: 916 yards on 121 plays

Total Touchdowns: 10

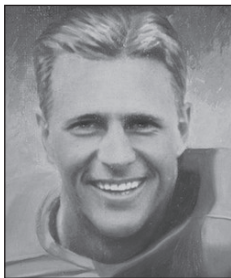
MISCELLANEOUS

As of this writing, Lujack is the oldest living Heisman winner at age 92.

When he filled in for Angelo Bertelli during the last four games of 1943 after Bertelli was called up by the Marines, Lujack became the first future Heisman winner to replace another future Heisman winner in the starting lineup.

Lujack threw six touchdown passes and an NFL record 468 yards in one game in 1949 for the Bears.

He was the first of the great quarterbacks to hail from Western PA, a list that includes Johnny Unitas, Joe Namath, Dan Marino and Joe Montana.



Quick Facts

Name: Ewell Doak Walker, Jr.
Born: January 1, 1927
Died: September 27, 1998
Place of Birth: Dallas, TX
High Schools: Highland Park HS (TX)
Height: 5-11
Weight: 175
Jersey Number: 37
Position: Running Back
Team: Southern Methodist Mustangs
Conference: Southwest
Team Record: 8-1-1
Head Coach: Matty Bell
NFL Draft Selection: 3rd pick, 1st round (Detroit)
Post Football Career: Businessman



BIO

Walker captured SMU's first Heisman in 1948 while leading the Mustangs to a 9-1-1 record and a 10th-place poll finish. He is the second junior to win the award.

Born in Dallas, Texas, Ewell Doak Walker lettered in five sports at Highland Park High. He competed in basketball, swimming, track, baseball, and football, but his favorite was always football.

In early 1945, with World War II still raging, Walker joined the Merchant Marine and became a radio operator but was discharged in October of that same year as the postwar need for manpower dwindled. He enrolled at SMU and ran for 289 yards and five touchdowns while throwing for 387 yards and four scores as a freshman. His college career was interrupted when he was drafted into the army in 1946, but he resumed his studies and sports when he returned to SMU in 1947.

Walker became a star as a sophomore as he rushed for 684 yards and eight touchdowns and passed for 342 yards and three scores to finish third in the Heisman vote, marking only the fourth time that a sophomore placed in the top three of the balloting. He was dominant in 1948, rushing for 542 yards and eight touchdowns, catching 15 passes for 278 yards and two scores and throwing for 304 yards and five TDs. He also returned 10 punts for 169 yards and a touchdown, totaled 161 yards on five kickoff returns, intercepted three passes for 75 yards, averaged 42.1 yards on 35 punts and kicked 22 PATs. He beat out Charlie Justice and Chuck Bednarik for the Heisman.

His 1949 senior season was also stellar. Walker rushed for 449 yards and 10 touchdowns and threw for 605 yards and five scores, but the Mustangs fell to 5-4-1 and Walker placed third in the Heisman vote behind Leon Hart of Notre Dame. Only Glenn Davis, Herschel Walker and

Walker can claim three top-3 finishes in the Heisman vote.

Considered perhaps the greatest player to come out of the Southwest Conference, Walker was a three-time All-American at SMU. In 35 games he scored 303 points on 40 TDs, 60 extra points after TDs, and one field goal. Doak gained over 3,500 yards running and passing, and established several other SWC records that still stand.

Walker was the third pick of the draft by the Detroit Lions in 1950, where he played for six seasons, leading the league in rushing in his best year. After retiring from football, he formed his own firm, Walker Chemical Co., which he subsequently sold, and following, served as Vice President of Fischbach & Moore Electric Group.

He passed away in September of 1998. Walker was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1959.

1944 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 908

Date of announcement: November 30, 1948

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Doak Walker	JR	RB	SMU	778
2	Charlie Justice	JR	RB	N. Carolina	443
3	Chuck Bednarik	SR	C	Penn	336
4	Don Whitmire	SR	RB	California	143
5	Buddy Young	SR	QB	Nevada	113

Full voting results in the media guide index

1944 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 532 yards and 8 TDs on 108 carries

Receptions: 15 catches for 278 yards and 2 TDs

Passing: 304 yards and 5 TDs on 26 of 46 passing

Punt Returns: 169 yards and 1 TD on 10 returns

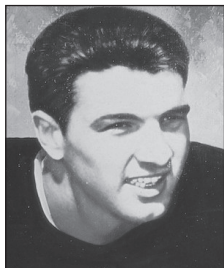
MISCELLANEOUS

Walker is the second Heisman winner from the Southwest Conference.

He was featured on the cover of Life Magazine in 1948.

He's one of three players to log three top-3 Heisman finishes (Glenn Davis and Herschel Walker are the others). He was the third to log three top-5 finishes.

His second wife was Olympic ski racer Skeeter Werner.



Quick Facts

Name: Leon Joseph Hart
Born: November 28, 1928
Died: September 24, 2002
Place of Birth: Pittsburgh, PA
High School: Turtle Creek H (PA)
Height: 6-5
Weight: 260
Jersey Number: 82
Position: End
Team: Notre Dame Fighting Irish
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 10-0-0
Head Coach: Frank Leahy
NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Detroit)
Post Football Career: Businessman

BIO

Hart was Notre Dame's third Heisman winner and the last of two ends to win the award.

Hart grew up in Turtle Creek, a suburb of Pittsburgh, and starred for Turtle Creek High's football and basketball teams. Penn, Columbia, Tennessee, Pitt, and VMI all wanted Hart's services, but he chose to play for Notre Dame and legendary coach Frank Leahy.

No player in college football combined his size, speed, and pass-catching ability. His explosive acceleration out of his three-point stance also made him a valuable short-yardage fullback. On defense, he called signals and was immovable off the edge.

Hart became Notre Dame's starting end on both sides of the ball as a sophomore in 1947. His blocking helped clear the way for John Lujack, who masterminded the team's T-formation offense and won the Heisman Trophy for his troubles. The Irish went undefeated in nine games to repeat as national champions.

He established himself as the best all-around end in the country in 1948, catching 16 passes for four touchdowns to garner consensus All-America honors. With Hart leading the way, the Irish established a new school record for rushing yardage and finished unbeaten once again.

As a senior, Hart caught 19 passes for 257 yards and five touchdowns, rushed 18 times for 73 yards and recovered three fumbles on defense. Notre Dame again went undefeated and Hart was awarded the Heisman Trophy over Charlie Justice of North Carolina.

The first pick of the 1950 NFL draft, Hart went on to play eight seasons with the Detroit Lions, helping the team to three NFL titles and earning all-pro honors on both offense and defense in 1951. After football, Hart headed up a variety of business enterprises, including the manufacture of tire-balancing equipment. He passed away on Sept. 24, 2002.

He was elected to the National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame in 1973.

1949 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 908

Date of announcement: November 29, 1949

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Leon Hart	SR	E	Notre Dame	995
2	Charlie Justice	SR	RB	N. Carolina	272
3	<i>Doak Walker</i>	SR	RB	SMU	229
4	Arnold Galiffa	RR	QB	Army	196
5	Bob Williams	JR	QB	Notre Dame	189

*Full voting results in the media guide index
Future or past Heisman winner in italics*

1949 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Receiving: 19 catches for 257 yards and 5 TDs

Rushing: 73 yards on 18 carries

Defense: 3 fumble recoveries

Total Touchdowns: 5

MISCELLANEOUS

Hart is the largest Heisman winner at 6-5, 260 pounds.

He is the last of two ends -- what today we would call tight ends or defensive ends -- to win the Heisman.

During Hart's time at Notre Dame, the Irish went 36-0-2 and won three national titles.

In 1949 he was voted the Associated Press male athlete of the year, outpointing such famous names as Jackie Robinson and Sam Snead.

He graduated from Notre Dame with a degree in mechanical engineering.



Quick Facts

Name: Victor Felix "Vic" Janowicz

Born: February 26, 1930

Died: February 27, 1996

Place of Birth: Elyria, OH

High School: Elyria High

Height: 5-9

Weight: 185

Jersey Number: 40

Position: Halfback

Team: Ohio State Buckeyes

Conference: Big Ten

Team Record: 6-3-0

Head Coach: Wes Fesler

NFL Draft Selection: 79th pick, 7th round (Washington)

Post Football Career: Businessman; Broadcaster

BIO

Janowicz won Ohio State's second Heisman after establishing himself as one of the great multiple threats in college football. He was the third junior to win the award and one of two Heisman winners to play Major League Baseball.

Janowicz was born in Elyria, Ohio, where he was all-state in football, basketball and baseball for Elyria High. He garnered interest from over 60 colleges and was offered contracts to play baseball for the Cincinnati Reds and Detroit Lions.

Instead, he signed with Ohio State and played halfback in the single wing, safety on defense, and also punted and did the place-kicking. In his first varsity season of 1949, he played defensive back due to great depth in Ohio State's backfield. He introduced himself to the country in the Rose Bowl when he intercepted two passes, returning one 41 yards for a touchdown.

Playing about 50 minutes a game as a single-wing tailback on offense, safety on defense plus punter and place-kicker, Janowicz had a stellar season as a 1950 junior, totaling 561 passing yards, 314 rushing yards and 17 touchdowns. He was voted the Heisman Trophy by a huge margin over Kyle Rote of Southern Methodist.

Janowicz had a disappointing senior season in 1951 as new Buckeyes coach Woody Hayes changed the offense, which reduced his role. He was also hit by the injury bug.

Janowicz passed up the NFL to pursue a baseball career. He reached the major leagues with the Pittsburgh Pirates, but hit only .214 over two seasons mostly coming off the bench. He attempted a comeback to football late in the 1954 season with the Washington Redskins, and was their starting halfback in 1955. A serious brain injury suffered in a car accident in

1956 left him partially paralyzed and ended his athletic career.

Janowicz eventually made a full recovery and became a broadcaster of Buckeye football games. Later he worked as an account executive at a Columbus manufacturing firm and, from 1986, as an administrative assistant to the state auditor.

He died in Columbus, Ohio, of cancer in 1996.

Janowicz was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1976.

1950 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 958

Date of announcement: December 5, 1950

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Vic Janowicz	JR	HB	Ohio State	633
2	Kyle Rote	SR	HB	SMU	280
3	Red Bagnell	SR	B	Penn	231
4	Babe Parilli	JR	QB	Kentucky	214
5	Bob Reynolds	SO	HB	Nebraska	174

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1950 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 561 yards and 12 TDs on 32 of 77 passing

Rushing: 314 yards and 4 TDs on 117 carries

Total Offense: 875 yards on 194 plays

Punt Returns: 1 TD

Total Touchdowns: 17

MISCELLANEOUS

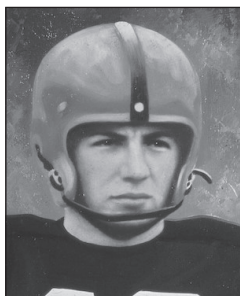
Janowicz is the third junior to win the Heisman.

He is one of two Heisman winners to play major league baseball, Bo Jackson being the other.

He once punted 21 times in a game for a record 685 yards.

Against Pittsburgh in 1950, he completed 6 passes, 4 of them for touchdowns.

“Vic was probably the greatest multi-purpose athlete--at least football player--we ever had at Ohio State.” -- Ohio State historian Jack Park.



Quick Facts

Name: Richard William Kazmaier, Jr.
Born: November 30, 1930
Died: August 1, 2013
Place of Birth: Maumee, OH
High School: Maumee High
Height: 5-11
Weight: 170
Jersey Number: 42
Position: Running back
Team: Princeton Tigers
Conference: Ivy League
Team Record: 9-0-0
Head Coach: Charlie Caldwell
NFL Draft Selection: 176th pick, 15th round (Chicago)
Post Football Career: Businessman

BIO

Kazmaier won Princeton's only Heisman while leading his team to a 9-0 record and a No. 6 final ranking. He is the last single-wing player to win the Heisman and the last to come from the Ivy League.

Born in Toledo, Ohio, Kazmaier graduated from Maumee High in 1948. He shined in football, basketball, track and field, baseball and golf, earning a letter each year in each sport. He was recruited by 23 colleges, most offering full scholarships.

The 5-11, 171-pounder was a halfback, kicker and quarterback for the Tigers, but he spent his first year at Princeton fifth on the depth chart. Within two years, however, he became the ultimate weapon in the single-wing offense of Hall of Fame head coach Charlie Caldwell; by his graduation, he was Princeton's all-time leader in rushing (1,950 career yards) and ranked second in passing (2,404 career yards). His 59.5 career completion percentage still ranks third all-time at Princeton. While his numbers tell some of the story of his brilliant career, his greatest mark on the program could be found in team accomplishments. Princeton went 18-0 over his final two years, and it won the 1950 national championships in some polls.

His career was capped in 1951 as he was named an All American as well as the winner of the Maxwell and Heisman Trophies. He was the nation's total offense leader in 1951 and the most accurate passer in the country. He rushed for 861 yards and nine touchdowns while throwing for 966 yards and 13 scores. He was named Ivy League Football Player of the Decade in 1960 and Time Magazine ran his picture on its cover.

The Chicago Bears drafted him in the 1952 draft, but he declined to play pro football, instead going to Harvard Business School. After spending three years in the Navy

(1955–1957) and attaining the rank of lieutenant, he founded Kazmaier Associated Inc, an investment firm in Concord, Massachusetts. He served as a Trustee of Princeton University and as chairman of the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports under President Ronald Reagan. The National Football Foundation honored Dick by presenting him with the Distinguished American Award for 1993.

Kazmaier passed away on August 1, 2013. He was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1966.

1951 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 987

Date of announcement: December 4, 1951

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Dick Kazmaier	SR	RB	Princeton	1,176
2	Hank Lauricella	SR	RB	Tennessee	424
3	Babe Parilli	SR	QB	Kentucky	344
4	Bill McColl	SR	E	Stanford	313
5	John Bright	SR	RB	Drake	230

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1951 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 869 yards and 9 TDs on 149 carries

Passing: 966 yards and 13 TDs on 77 of 123 passing

Total Offense: 1832 yards on 272 plays

Total Touchdowns: 22

MISCELLANEOUS

Kazmaier is the last of three Ivy Leaguers to win the Heisman.

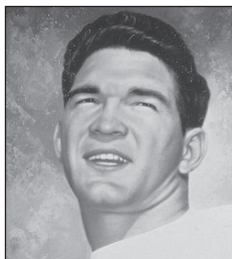
He is the last single-wing running back to do so.

Kazmaier went to graduate school at Harvard and later became chairman of the President's Council on Physical Fitness under Presidents Reagan and Bush, Sr.

He was voted the AP Athlete of the Year in 1951, ahead of Ben Hogan and Stan Musial.

Upon learning he won the Heisman: "I thought it was nice. Then I went back to class."

He served three years as a Naval Officer from 1955-57.



Quick Facts

Name: Billy Vessels
Born: March 22, 1931
Died: November 17, 2001
Place of Birth: Cleveland, OK
High School: Cleveland HS
Height: 6-0
Weight: 190
Jersey Number: 35
Position: Running back
Team: Oklahoma Sooners
Conference: Big 7
Team Record: 8-1-1
Head Coach: Bud Wilkinson
NFL Draft Selection: 2nd pick, 1st round (Baltimore)
Post Football Career: Real Estate; Horse Racing

BIO

Vessels won Oklahoma's first Heisman while rushing for over 1,000 yards, the first player to win the trophy while topping that yardage mark. He is also the first T-formation running back to win the Heisman.

Born in Cleveland, Okla., Vessels hitchhiked 50 miles on football Saturdays to see Oklahoma A&M play in Stillwater, and he sometimes served as the team's water boy. But by the time Vessels was a high school football star, the Oklahoma program was thriving in Norman under Bud Wilkinson, and he became a Sooner.

Vessels ran for 870 yards and scored 15 touchdowns as a sophomore in 1950 on a consensus national championship team. He missed six games with a broken leg as a junior, then emerged as the nation's top player as a senior.

The 6-foot, 190-pound Vessels might have won the Heisman based on his huge game against Notre Dame in November. The game was telecast nationally and broadcast on radio by Mel Allen. Vessels ran for 195 yards on 17 carries and scored on a pass reception and two long runs, but he also fumbled late in the game at the Notre Dame 20. Notre Dame, a heavy underdog won, 27-21, handing Oklahoma its only loss of the season, but Vessels' performance brought him national acclaim.

That year, he ran for 1,072 yards and 18 touchdowns, the most rushing yards by a Heisman winner until Mike Garrett ran for 1,440 in 1965. He won the Heisman over Jack Scarbath of Maryland.

Vessels was the No. 1 draft pick of the Baltimore Colts in 1953, but he accepted an offer from the Edmonton Eskimos of the

Canadian league. He won the Schenley Award as Canada's top pro player in his rookie year, then entered the Army. He finally joined the Colts in 1956 and ran for three touchdowns in a rout of the Los Angeles Rams in the season opener but was hampered by injuries and he retired after that season. Vessels moved to South Florida in the late 1950's, worked as a real estate executive, bred horses and served in the 1980's as president of the National Association of State Racing Commissioners and director of the Florida agency regulating parimutuel wagering.

He was elected to the College Football Hall of Fame in 1974. Vessels passed away on November 17, 2001.

1952 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,222

Date of announcement: November 25, 1952

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Billy Vessels	SR	RB	Oklahoma	525
2	Jack Scarbath	SR	QB	Maryland	367
3	Paul Giel	JR	RB	Minnesota	329
4	Donn Moomaw	SR	LB	UCLA	257
5	<i>John Lattner</i>	JR	HB	Notre Dame	253

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Future Heisman winners in italics

1952 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,072 yards and 17 TDs on 161 carries

Receiving: 165 yards and 1 TD on 7 catches

Punt Returns: 120 yards on 6 returns

Kickoff Returns: 145 yards on 9 returns

Interceptions: 3 for 10 yards

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,512 on 186 plays (8.1 YPP)

MISCELLANEOUS

Vessels is the first player to win the Heisman from the conference now known as the Big 12.

He is the first 1,000-yard rusher in Heisman history.

Vessels on winning the Heisman: "I'd never even heard of it. It wasn't until I was in New York the next week that I realized its full impact."

"He was the first player that I had ever been around who was the fastest player on the field and also the toughest," Sooners coach Bud Wilkinson once said.



Quick Facts

Name: John Joseph "Johnny" Lattner

Born: October 24, 1932

Died: February 12, 2016

Place of Birth: Chicago, IL

High School: Fenwick HS

Height: 6-1

Weight: 195

Jersey Number: 41

Position: Running back

Team: Notre Dame Fighting Irish

Conference: Independent

Team Record: 9-0-1

Head Coach: Frank Leahy

NFL Draft Selection: 7th pick, 1st round (Pittsburgh)

Post Football Career: Coach; Businessman

BIO

Lattner won Notre Dame's fourth Heisman while leading the Irish to a 9-0-1 record.

The only Heisman winner born and raised in Chicago, Lattner starred as a single-wing tailback at Fenwick High in Oak Park. He originally favored going to Michigan but instead joined Frank Leahy's Notre Dame squad in 1950. In 1951, he rushed 68 times for 341 yards, caught nine passes for nearly 20 yards per grab, returned nine punts for 10 yards a return and still found time to snag four interceptions.

Then, as a 1952 junior, Lattner was the full-time starting right halfback. Despite a deep backfield, Lattner led the way with 734 yards on 149 carries. He also caught 17 passes and returned three kickoffs, plus seven punts for 16 yards a return while again intercepting 4 passes. Despite being a junior, Lattner won the Maxwell award and took fifth in the Heisman Trophy voting behind Billy Vessels of Oklahoma.

In 1953, Lattner did it all. He carried 134 times for 651 yards, caught 14 passes for 204 yards, averaged 40 yards on eight kickoff returns and 10 yards on 10 punt returns. In addition, he added another four interceptions. Lattner ended up surpassing the mark of all previous Notre Dame stars as he established a record for all purpose yards which stood for a quarter century until Vagas Ferguson broke it in 1979.

Lattner claimed the Heisman Trophy in 1953 during his senior year in the second-closest Heisman balloting in history, despite the fact he didn't lead the Irish in rushing, passing, receiving or scoring. He again won the Maxwell while being named All-American for the second-straight year.

Lattner played one year with the Pittsburgh Steelers before entering the Air Force for two years and suffering a career-ending knee injury in a military game. A former restaurant owner in Chicago, he later became an executive for a business forms company.

He was elected to the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1979. He passed away on February 16, 2016.

1953 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,253

Date of announcement: December 1, 1953

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	John Lattner	SR	RB	Notre Dame	1,850
2	Paul Giel	SR	RB	Minnesota	1,794
3	Paul Cameron	SR	HB	UCLA	444
4	Bernie Faloney	SR	QB	Maryland	258
5	Bob Garrett	SR	QB	Stanford	231

Full voting results in the media guide index

1953 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 651 yards and 9 TDs on 134 carries

Receiving: 204 yards and 14 catches

Punt Returns: 103 yards on 10 punt returns

Kickoff Returns: 321 yards and 1 TD on 8 returns

Interceptions: 4 for 4 yards

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,283 yards on 170 plays (7.5 YPP)

Total TDs: 10

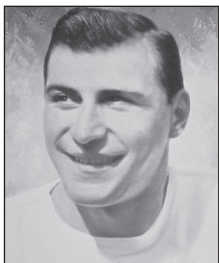
MISCELLANEOUS

Lattner capped a run of four Heismans in 11 seasons for the Fighting Irish.

He appeared on the cover of Time Magazine on November 9, 1953 with the caption "a bread and butter ball carrier", a phrase coined by his head coach, Frank Leahy.

Lattner was the last of a record four Heisman Trophy winners coached by Leahy.

He served two years in the Air Force after his rookie NFL season.



Quick Facts

Name: Lino Dante "Alan" Ameche
Born: June 1, 1933
Died: August 8, 1988
Place of Birth: Kenosha, WI
High School: Bradford HS
Height: 6-0
Weight: 220
Jersey Number: 35
Position: Fullback
Team: Wisconsin Badgers
Conference: Big Ten
Team Record: 7-2-0
Head Coach: Ivy Williamson
NFL Draft Selection: 3rd pick, 1st round (Baltimore)
Post Football Career: Restaurateur

BIO

Ameche won Wisconsin's first Heisman with a tough, physical style that earned him the nickname "The Iron Horse." He's one of two fullbacks to win the Heisman.

Ameche was born and raised in Kenosha, Wisc., where he was an all-state fullback at Bradford High. Ameche completed in both track and football and earned six letters between the two sports.

Because of the Korean War, freshmen were eligible in college football, which meant that Ameche played right away as a Wisconsin freshman. He broke the Wisconsin single-season rushing record with 774 yards and was named to the All-Big-Ten team. In 1952, he broke his own mark, rushing for 946 yards as the Badgers made it to the Rose Bowl.

In 1953, when rule changes made it necessary for him to be an all-purpose player, Ameche played defense with such ferocity that he ended up playing 55 minutes or more in each game, prompting his nickname. He finished sixth in the Heisman vote as a junior.

Ameche earned All-American honors for the third time as a senior, rushing for 641 yards and nine touchdowns while again playing both ways. He finished his career as the NCAA's all-time leading rusher with 3,345 yards and was awarded the Heisman Trophy over Kurt Burris of Oklahoma and Howard Cassady of Ohio State.

Drafted by Baltimore, Ameche eventually turned down a lucrative offer to join the pro wrestling tour and signed with the Colts. He led the NFL in rushing his first season and was named Rookie of the Year. He played as a fullback with the

Colts for six seasons (1955-1960), then founded Gino's, Inc. and served as its Corporate Secretary and a member of the Board.

Ameche was awarded a Doctor of Humane Letters from St. Joseph's College, was a Trustee of Malvern Prep and was Corporations Chairman for the United Negro College Fund. He passed away on August 8th, 1988.

Ameche was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1975.

1954 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,318

Date of announcement: November 30, 1954

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Alan Ameche	SR	FB	Wisconsin	1,068
2	Kurt Burris	SR	C	Oklahoma	838
3	<i>Howard Cassady</i>	JR	HB	Ohio State	810
4	Ralph Guglielmi	SR	QB	Notre Dame	691
5	Paul Larson	SR	QB	California	271

*Full voting results in the media guide index
Future or past Heisman winners in italics*

1954 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 641 yards and 9 TDs on 146 carries

Full season stats at Heisman.com

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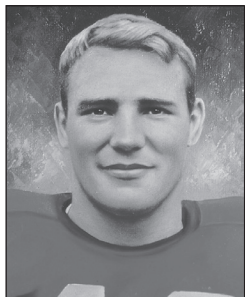
Ameche changed his name from Lino to Alan when he was 16.

He is the cousin of noted actors Don Ameche and Jim Ameche.

He is famous for scoring the winning touchdown for Baltimore in overtime in the 1958 NFL Championship Game against the New York Giants, labeled "The Greatest Game Ever Played."

In four years as a Badger, he gained 3,212 yards, then the NCAA career rushing record.

His wife, Yvonne, went on to marry Heisman winner Glenn Davis eight years after Alan's passing.



Quick Facts

Name: Howard "Hopalong" Cassady
Born: March 2, 1934
Place of Birth: Columbus, OH
High School: Columbus Central HS
Height: 5-10
Weight: 185
Jersey Number: 40
Position: Halfback
Team: Ohio State Buckeyes
Conference: Big Ten
Team Record: 7-2-0
Head Coach: Woody Hayes
NFL Draft Selection: 3rd pick, 1st round (Detroit)
Post Football Career: Entrepreneur; Baseball scout

BIO

Cassady won Ohio State's third Heisman, joining Les Horvath and Vic Janowicz.

Born in Columbus, Ohio, Cassady attended Central High. Ohio State was in his blood -- as a boy, he would sneak into Ohio Stadium to watch the Buckeyes play -- so there was little doubt about what college he would attend.

It didn't take OSU fans long to realize why Howard "Hopalong" Cassady was something special. In his first collegiate game, the season opener against Indiana in 1952, the 150-pound freshman came off the bench to score three touchdowns and lead the Buckeyes to a 33-13 victory. From then on, "Hop" was a regular in the OSU lineup, playing in 36 of a possible 37 games and leading the Buckeyes to a combined record of 29-8 during the next four years. In 1954, Cassady won unanimous All-America honors and helped the Buckeyes to a perfect 10-0 record and the first of five national championships for Coach Woody Hayes. The 1954 season concluded with a convincing 20-7 win over USC in the Rose Bowl.

Cassady again won All-America acclaim in 1955, when he rushed for 958 yards and 15 touchdowns. At the end of the year, Cassady's list of accolades included the Heisman Trophy and recognition by the Associated Press as the 1955 Athlete of the Year. Cassady, who also was an outstanding defensive back, finished his collegiate career with 2,466 rushing yards. That total still ranks 11th on the all-time OSU rushing list. He also played baseball at OSU, starting at shortstop for three years.

After graduation, Cassady was a first round pick of the Detroit Lions. He played defensive back with Detroit,

Cleveland and Philadelphia before retiring. "Hop" lives in Tampa, but spent many summers in Columbus as a coach for the Columbus Clippers, the Yankees' AAA farm club. His jersey number "40" was retired Nov. 18, 2000.

He is a member of the Ohio State University Athletics (1997), College Football (1979) and Columbus Baseball (2005) halls of fame.

1955 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,324

Date of announcement: November 29, 1955

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Howard Cassady	SR	HB	Ohio State	2,219
2	Jim Swink	JR	HB	TCU	742
3	George Welsh	SR	QB	Navy	383
4	Earl Morrall	SR	QB	Michigan St.	323
5	<i>Paul Hornung</i>	JR	QB	Notre Dame	321

Full voting results in the media guide index

Future or past Heisman winners in italics

1955 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 958 yards and 15 TDs on 155 carries (6.18 ypc)

Full season stats at Heisman.com

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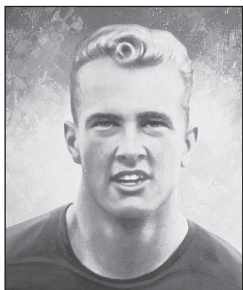
Cassady also played baseball for Ohio State. He led the team in home runs in 1955 and in stolen bases in 1956.

He went into business after football, forming a company that manufactured concrete pipe.

He later worked as a scout for the New York Yankees and as a first base coach for their AAA affiliate, the Columbus Clippers.

Hopalong earned his nickname during his first game for Ohio State. Columbus sportswriters who saw him play said he "hopped all over the field like the performing cowboy," a reference to the fictional character Hopalong Cassidy.

He was the first Heisman winner to exceed 2,000 total points in the vote and his 1,477-point edge over Jim Swink of TCU was the biggest victory margin at that time.



Quick Facts

Name: Paul Vernon Hornung
Born: December 23, 1935
Place of Birth: Louisville, KY
High School: Flaget HS
Height: 6-2
Weight: 215
Jersey Number: 5
Position: Quarterback
Team: Notre Dame Fighting Irish
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 2-8-0
Head Coach: Terry Brennan
NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Green Bay)
Post Football Career: Businessman; Broadcaster

BIO

A superb all-around athlete, Hornung won Notre Dame's fifth Heisman in 14 years and is the only Heisman winner to win the trophy while playing for a losing team.

Born and raised in Louisville, Ken., Hornung starred at Bishop Benedict Joseph Flaget High and lettered four years each in football, basketball, and baseball. He was recruited by Bear Bryant at Kentucky in near-by Lexington, but chose to attend Notre Dame instead.

As a sophomore, Hornung served as a backup fullback and also averaged 6.1 points per contest while earning a basketball monogram. As a junior, he finished fourth nationally in total offense with 1,215 yards and fifth in the Heisman voting behind Ohio State's Hopalong Cassidy. Hornung ran for one score, threw for another and intercepted two passes in a victory over fourth-ranked Navy and then brought the Irish from behind against Iowa with a TD pass and game-winning field goal in the final minutes. In a loss to USC, he threw and ran for 354 yards, an NCAA high that year.

As a senior, the "Golden Boy" carried the ball 94 times for 420 yards and completed 59 of 111 passes for 917 yards, 3 TDs and a .532 completion percentage, giving him a total offensive figure of 1,337 yards, which ranked second nationally. He accounted for more than half the Irish scoring and converted 67 times on either third or fourth down as a junior and senior combined. He was awarded the Heisman over future Tennessee and Pitt head coach Johnny Majors and Tom McDonald of Oklahoma, who actually garnered more first place votes.

A bonus pick of the Green Bay Packers, he led the NFL in scoring

in 1959, '60, and '61. He retired after the '66 season, as physical problems kept him from joining New Orleans as an expansion pick.

Hornung joined the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1985, and the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 1986. In addition to various business enterprises in Louisville, Hornung is involved in numerous television and radio broadcasts.

1956 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,318

Date of announcement: December 4, 1956

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Paul Hornung	SR	QB	Notre Dame	1,066
2	John Majors	SR	RB	Tennessee	994
3	Tom McDonald	SR	WR	Oklahoma	973
4	Jerry Tubbs	SR	C-LB	Oklahoma	724
5	Jim Brown	SR	RB	Syracuse	561

Full voting results in the media guide index

1956 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 420 yards and 6 TDs on 94 carries

Passing: 917 yards and 3 TDs on 59 of 111 passing

Receiving: 3 for 26 yards

Punt Returns: 63 yards on 4 returns

Kickoff Returns: 496 yards on 16 returns (31.0 avg)

Interceptions: 2 for 59 yards

Kicking: 14 PATs

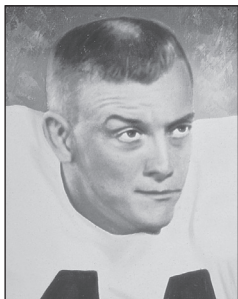
MISCELLANEOUS

Vince Lombardi called him "the most versatile man who ever played the game."

Playing for Green Bay in the NFL, he paired with fullback Jim Taylor to create one of the most productive running back tandems in NFL history.

Called to duty by the Army in 1961, Hornung was able to play in the NFL Championship game after President Kennedy personally intervened to arrange his leave.

Said Kennedy in arranging the leave, "Paul Hornung isn't going to win the war on Sunday, but the football fans of this country deserve the two best teams on the field that day."



Quick Facts

Name: John David Crow, Sr.
Born: July 8, 1935
Died: June 17, 2015
Place of Birth: Marion, LA
High School: Springhill (LA) High
Height: 6-2
Weight: 220
Jersey Number: 44
Position: Halfback
Team: Texas A&M Aggies
Conference: Southwest
Team Record: 8-2-0
Head Coach: Paul "Bear" Bryant
NFL Draft Selection: 2nd pick, 1st round (Chicago Cardinals)
Post Football Career: Coach; Athletic Administrator

BIO

Crow won Texas A&M's first Heisman in 1957 despite missing parts of three games due to injury. He is the only player to win a Heisman while playing for legendary coach Paul "Bear" Bryant.

Crow was born July 8, 1935 and grew up in Springhill, Louisiana where he earned All-America honors in football and also lettered in basketball and track. He was recruited to Texas A&M by Bryant and assistant coach Elmer Smith and came to campus as a true freshman in 1954.

Crow earned three letters as a two-way player at A&M from 1955-57. In 1957, he and his teammates helped the Aggies reach No. 1 in the polls as he rushed for 562 yards and six touchdowns, caught two passes and threw five touchdown strikes. On defense, he had five interceptions.

Bryant told Heisman voters that "they should do away with the thing" if they didn't vote for Crow. They heeded the legendary coach, giving Crow the trophy over defensive tackle Alex Karras of Iowa.

The second player selected overall in the 1958 NFL draft by the Chicago Cardinals, Crow played 11 seasons in the NFL, serving as a team captain of the Cardinals and finishing his career playing and serving as a team captain for the San Francisco 49ers. He was a four-time selection to the Pro Bowl and was named to the All-Pro team of the 1960s as a halfback.

After his playing career, Crow went into coaching. He began with Coach Bryant on the Alabama coaching staff and also coached on the NFL level with the Cleveland Browns and the San Diego Chargers. He was later named the head coach and

athletics director at Northeast Louisiana University, now known as the University of Louisiana Monroe.

Crow was inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1976 and the Texas Sports Hall of Fame in 1982.

He passed away on June 17, 2015 at the age of 79.

1957 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,267

Date of announcement: December 3, 1957

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	John David Crow	SR	RB	Texas A&M	1,183
2	Alex Karras	SR	DT	Iowa	693
3	Walt Kowalczyk	SR	HB	Michigan St.	630
4	Lou Michaels	SR	T	Kentucky	330
5	Tom Forrestal	SR	QB	Navy	232

Full voting results in the media guide index

1957 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 562 yards and 6 TDs on 129 carries

Receiving: 2 catches for 62 yards

Passing: 84 yards and 5 TDs on 6 of 10 passing

Interceptions: 5 for 39 yards

All-Purpose Yardage: 663 yards on 136 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

"Don't count the yards," Bear Bryant told Heisman voters. "Count the people he's run over."

Difficulties during his birth left Crow with paralyzing nerve damage on the left side of his face.

Crow was also named to the Who's Who of American Colleges and Universities.

He is the first of three Heisman winners to later serve as an athletic director, Mike Garrett and Steve Owens being the others.



Quick Facts

Name: Peter Miller Dawkins
Born: March 8, 1938
Place of Birth: Royal Oak, MI
High School: Cranbrook HS
Height: 6-1
Weight: 210
Jersey Number: 24
Position: Halfback
Team: Army Black Knights
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 8-0-1
Head Coach: Earl Blaik
NFL Draft Selection: N/A
Post Football Career: Army Officer;
 Lawyer; CEO



BIO

Dawkins won Army's third Heisman while leading the Black Knights to an undefeated season in 1958.

Born in Royal Oak, Mich., Dawkins contracted polio at an early age but underwent successful treatment at age 11. He later prepped at the Cranbrook School in Bloomfield Hills, where he was an All-League quarterback and captain of the baseball team.

A fine student, he was accepted into Yale University but instead chose to play football at West Point, where the legendary Earl "Red" Blaik was the coach. Dawkins quickly became a star, posing a double threat as a runner and a left-handed passer.

In three years, he rushed for 1,123 yards, threw 16 passes (seven for touchdowns), caught 27 passes for 716 yards and scored 158 points. As a senior, Dawkins rushed for 428 yards and five touchdowns, caught another six TDs through the air and totaled another 294 yards on punt and kick returns. He finished with 1,216 all-purpose yards and 12 total TDs as Army finished the season 8-0-1 and ranked third in the country.

Dawkins tallied 1,394 points in the Heisman vote, beating out Randy Duncan of Iowa. By the time his college career was over, he was virtually a household name, appearing in both *Life Magazine* and *Reader's Digest*.

He was Class President and Cadet First Captain and went on to attend Oxford University as a Rhodes Scholar, where he played for the University's rugby team for three years. Later, he attended Princeton where he received an MPA and a Ph.D.

His military career was equally impressive as he rose to the rank

BIO

of Brigadier General with commands in both the 82nd and 101st Airborne Divisions. After serving 24 years, Pete retired from the Army and entered the world of business. After several years on Wall Street, he ran for a seat in the U.S. Senate, and subsequently served for over 20 years in executive positions in Primerica Corporation, Travelers and Citigroup. Pete is currently Senior Partner of Flintlock Capital Management, a commodities hedge fund.

Dawkins was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1975.

1958 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,191

Date of announcement: December 2, 1958

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Pete Dawkins	SR	HB	Army	1,394
2	Randy Duncan	SR	QB	Iowa	1,021
3	<i>Billy Cannon</i>	JR	HB	LSU	975
4	Bob White	JR	RB	Ohio State	365
5	Joe Kapp	SR	QB	California	227

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Future or past Heisman winners in italics

1958 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 428 yards and 5 TDs on 78 carries

Receiving: 16 for 494 yards and 6 TDs (30.87 avg)

Punt Returns: 162 yards and 1 TD on 10 returns

Kickoff Returns: 132 yards on 7 returns

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,216 yards on 111 plays (10.9 ypp)

MISCELLANEOUS

Dawkins was the only cadet in West Point history to serve as Brigade Commander, president of his class, captain of the football team, and a "Star Man" in the top five percent of his class academically.

One of two Heisman winners to make a foray into politics (Mike Garrett was the other), Dawkins attempted to win the Senate seat of New Jersey's Frank Lautenberg in 1988. He lost, 54% to 46%.

Dawkins is perhaps the most educated Heisman winner of all time, with degrees in Philosophy, Politics and Economics (PPE) from Oxford and an M.P.A. and Ph.D. from Princeton.



Quick Facts

Name: William Abb Cannon
Born: August 2, 1937
Died: May 20, 2018
Place of Birth: Philadelphia, MS
High School: Istrouma HS (Baton Rouge)
Height: 6-1
Weight: 207
Jersey Number: 20
Position: Halfback
Team: LSU Tigers
Conference: Southeastern
Team Record: 9-1-0
Head Coach: Paul Dietzel
NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Los Angeles)
Post Football Career: Dentist

BIO

In 1959, Billy Cannon became the first Louisiana State Tiger to win the Heisman.

Born in Philadelphia, Miss., Cannon grew up in Baton Rouge, La., where he attended Istrouma High, excelling in football, basketball and track. He chose to play football in college for hometown LSU, picking the Tigers over Florida and Mississippi.

Even by today's standards Cannon was a rare athlete, combining sprinter speed with brute strength. Cannon could consistently run a 9.5 in the 100-yard dash and, at 6-1, 210 pounds, he also had the size to overpower his opponents.

He was an immediate standout as a 1957 sophomore on both sides of the ball. As a junior, Cannon was the driving force for the Fighting Tigers as they carved out a perfect season and captured the 1958 national championship. He passed for a touchdown and kicked the extra point in LSU's 7-0 win over Clemson in the Sugar Bowl, and earned MVP honors.

Cannon's most memorable performance came in 1959 against Ole Miss. Top-ranked LSU trailed the third ranked Rebels 3-0 early in the fourth quarter, when Cannon fielded a punt at the LSU 11-yard-line and broke seven tackles on his way to paydirt. LSU won the contest 7-3.

Considered one of the best collegiate backs of his era, Cannon was awarded the Heisman Trophy at the conclusion of the 1959 season.

Billy went on to a distinguished career in pro ball with the Hous-

ton Oilers, the Oakland Raiders and the Kansas City Chiefs. He was named All-Pro halfback with Houston and All-Pro tight end with Oakland. During his pro years, Billy went to dental school at the University of Tennessee, graduating in 1968 with a D.D.S. He continued his studies at a graduate program in orthodontics at Loyola in Chicago, earning two additional degrees.

Cannon eventually settled down as an orthodontist in Baton Rouge, where he lives with his wife, Dorothy, and five children.

In 2008, Cannon was inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame. He died in 2018.

1959 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,197

Date of announcement: December 1, 1959

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Billy Cannon	SR	HB	LSU	1,929
2	Richie Lucas	SR	QB	Penn State	613
3	Don Meredith	SR	QB	SMU	286
4	Bill Burrell	SR	G-LB	Illinois	196
5	Charlie Flowers	SR	FB	Mississippi	193

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1959 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 598 yards and 5 TDs on 139 carries

Receiving: 161 yards on 11 catches

Interceptions: 4 for 145 yards and 1 TD

All-Purpose Yards: 1,334 yards on 177 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Cannon was the second player from the SEC to win the Heisman and first since Frank Sinkwich won it in 1942.

In high school, Cannon ran the 100-yard dash in 9.6 seconds and threw the shot-put over 56 feet, setting what were then Louisiana state records.

Cannon received the Heisman from Vice President Richard Nixon during the ceremony at the Downtown Athletic Club.

He is one of two Heisman winners to become dentists, along with Ohio State's Les Horvath.



Quick Facts

Name: Joseph Michael Bellino
Born: March 13, 1938
Place of Birth: Winchester, MA
High School: Winchester HS
Height: 5-9
Weight: 180
Jersey Number: 27
Position: Halfback
Team: Navy Midshipmen
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 9-1-0
Head Coach: Wayne Hardin
NFL Draft Selection: 227 pick, 17th round (Washington)
Post Football Career: U.S. Naval Officer; Businessman

BIO

Joe Bellino, the "Winchester Rifle" is the first Naval Academy football player to win the Heisman Trophy.

Born and raised in Winchester, Mass., Bellino was the son of a Sicilian immigrant who came to America at the age of 16 to work in the factories around Boston. A three-sport star for Winchester High, he was good enough in baseball to be offered a contract out of high school by the Pittsburgh Pirates, but he chose to play football for Navy despite offers from Notre Dame and several Big Ten schools.

After a year in prep school, Bellino became an instant star for the Midshipmen. In his three years at Navy, he scored 31 touchdowns, rushed for 1,664 yards on 330 carries, returned 37 kicks for 833 more yards and altogether set 15 Naval Academy football records.

In 1960, Bellino rushed for 834 yards and 15 touchdowns and scored another three TDs via pass receptions. He was a unanimous All-America selection and also the winner of the Maxwell Award. He won the Heisman handily over Tom Brown of Minnesota, totaling 1,793 points to Brown's 731.

In addition to his football exploits, Bellino was an outstanding catcher and outfielder on Navy baseball teams. He hit .428 in 22 games in 1959 and led the Eastern Intercollegiate League in stolen bases. He had a .320 average in 1960 and was the baseball team captain in 1961.

Bellino's number 27 jersey was retired after the 1960 season. He had a three-year stint with the Boston Patriots after he completed his four-year service obligation. He then stayed in

the Navy Reserves and reached the rank of Captain after serving for 28 years.

Bellino was a 1977 inductee into the National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame and was a charter inductee into the Maryland Football Shrine in 1984.

Bellino is semi-retired after working for 40 years in the auto leasing and auction industry. His son, John, is a 1989 graduate of the Naval Academy, and his daughter, Therese, is a public school teacher in Cambridge, Mass.

1960 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,130

Date of announcement: November 29, 1960

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Joe Bellino	SR	HB	Navy	1,793
2	Tom Brown	SR	G	Minnesota	731
3	Jake Gibbs	SR	QB	Mississippi	453
4	Ed Dyas	SR	FB	Auburn	319
5	Billy Kilmer	SR	HB	UCLA	280

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1960 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 834 yards and 15 TDs on 168 carries

Receiving: 280 yards and 3 TDs on 17 catches

Punt Returns: 97 yards on 5 returns

Kickoff Returns: 286 yards on 13 returns

Interceptions: 2 for 47 yards

All-Purpose Yards: 1,544 yards on 205 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Bellino was known for his massive legs that measured 18 inches in circumference at the calf.

Washington coach Jim Owens once said of Bellino: "(He) made us look like we hadn't practiced tackling."

In addition to starring in basketball, football and baseball in high school, Bellino was also an outstanding swimmer and diver.

Bellino Park in Winchester was dedicated in his honor in November of 2004.



Quick Facts

Name: Ernest Davis
Born: December 14, 1939
Died: May 18, 1963
Place of Birth: New Salem, PA
High School: Elmira (NY) Free Academy
Height: 6-2
Weight: 210
Jersey Number: 44
Position: Halfback
Team: Syracuse Orangemen
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 7-3-0
Head Coach: Ben Schwartzwalder
NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Cleveland)

BIO

Davis won Syracuse's first Heisman thanks to a fine all-around season in 1961. He is the first black player to win the Heisman Trophy.

Born in New Salem, Penn., Davis moved to Elmira, New York, when he was 12 and soon revealed himself to be quite an athlete. He played baseball, basketball and football at Elmira Free Academy, earning high school All-American honors in the latter two sports. Davis led the school's basketball team to 52 consecutive victories, but his first love was football. He was heavily recruited by some of college football's top programs, but was swayed by NFL great Jim Brown, who convinced Davis that Syracuse, Brown's alma mater, would be a welcoming place for a young black athlete.

The 6-2, 211-pound Davis rushed for 686 yards and 10 touchdowns as a sophomore, earning the nickname "The Elmira Express" and the first of three All-America selections. Davis scored two touchdowns to help the Orangemen beat Texas, 23-14, in the Cotton Bowl as Syracuse won the national title. Davis totaled 877 rushing yards on an outstanding 7.8 yards per carry during the 1960 season, setting the stage for a run at the Heisman in 1961. Davis followed up with another 823 rushing yards as a senior and scored 15 touchdowns while leading Syracuse in pass receiving with 16 catches for 157 yards. The Orangemen finished 10th in the polls and Davis won the Heisman as the nation's top player.

Along the way, Davis broke Jim Brown's career records in rushing (2,386 yards), all purpose yardage (3,414), scoring (220 points), and touchdowns (35). Davis capped his college career with 140 rushing yards in an MVP performance at the 1961 Liberty Bowl.

After graduating from college, Ernie was drafted first overall by the Cleveland Browns in the 1962 draft. He signed for the (then) astronomical sum of \$80,000.

Shortly after signing and before he suited up for his first pro game, Ernie was struck down by leukemia. He died on May 18, 1963, after a sixteen-month battle for survival.

Davis was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1979.

1961 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,091

Date of announcement: November 28, 1961

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Ernie Davis	SR	HB	Syracuse	824
2	Bob Ferguson	SR	FB	Ohio State	771
3	Jimmy Saxton	SR	HB	Texas	551
4	Sandy Stephens	SR	QB	Minnesota	543
5	Pat Trammel	SR	QB	Alabama	362

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1961 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 823 yards and 12 TDs on 150 carries

Receiving: 157 yards and 2 TDs on 16 catches

Punt Returns: 72 yards on 7 returns

Kickoff Returns: 62 yards on 3 returns

Interceptions: 2 for 73 yards and 1 TD

All-Purpose Yards: 1,187 yards on 187 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Davis was the first African-American to win the Heisman.

He was the subject of the 2008 Universal Pictures film *The Express*, based on the non-fiction book *Ernie Davis: The Elmira Express*, by Robert C. Gallagher.

While attending Syracuse, Davis was a member of the Sigma Alpha Mu, a nationally recognized Jewish fraternity. Davis was the first African-American to become part of the organization.

More than 10,000 mourners paid respects at Davis' funeral.



Quick Facts

Name: Terry Wayne Baker
Born: May 5, 1941
Place of Birth: Pine River, MN
High School: Portland (OR) Jefferson
Height: 6-3
Weight: 200
Jersey Number: 11
Position: Quarterback
Team: Oregon State Beavers
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 8-2-0
Head Coach: Tommy Prothro
NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Los Angeles)
Post Football Career: Lawyer

BIO

Baker is the first Oregon State player and the first player from the West Coast to win the Heisman. He's also the only player in history to win the Heisman and appear in an NCAA Final Four in basketball.

Born in Pine River, Minn., Baker attended Jefferson High in Portland, Ore., where he was a three-year letter winner in basketball and baseball. Football, however, was Baker's most dominant sport. Baker played quarterback and tailback and led his team to a 23-0 record with two state titles in his last two seasons.

Baker attended Oregon State where he played both basketball and football. On the gridiron, Baker was a talented dual-threat, passing for 863 yards and three touchdowns and rushing for 610 yards and five scores as a 1960 sophomore. As a junior, Baker threw for 875 yards and rushed for 375 and had a combined seven scores. Meanwhile, Baker averaged 9.0 points per game as the Beavers' starting point guard his first two seasons.

As a senior, Baker threw for 1,723 yards and 15 scores and rushed for 538 yards and nine TDs as the Beavers finished 8-2 and ranked 16th in the polls. He won the Heisman Trophy over Jerry Stovall of LSU, the first player from a school west of Texas to win the award. In addition, he also was named Sports Illustrated's Sportsman of the Year.

His Heisman in tow, Baker led OSU to a 6-0 victory over Villanova in the Liberty Bowl. The only score was Baker's 99-yard touchdown run, which is still an NCAA record.

But Baker wasn't through with his college career at that point. He later joined the Beaver basketball team as a senior and averaged 13.4 points to help his team make the 1963 Final Four.

Baker graduated OSU with a degree in Mechanical Engineering in 1963 and then was selected as the first overall pick of that year's NFL draft by the Los Angeles Rams. He played with the Rams for three seasons and then for the Edmonton Eskimos of the CFL while earning a J.D. at USC's Law School.

He practiced law in Portland as a partner in the law firm Tonkon Torp LLP until retiring in 2012. He received the NCAA Sliver Anniversary award in 1988 and was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1982.

1962 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,109

Date of announcement: November 27, 1962

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Terry Baker	SR	QB	Oregon State	707
2	Jerry Stovall	SR	HB	LSU	618
3	Bob Bell	SR	T	Minnesota	429
4	Lee Roy Jordan	SR	LB	Alabama	321
5	George Mira	JR	QB	Miami (FL)	284

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1962 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 1,723 yards and 15 TDs on 111 of 202 passing

Rushing: 538 yards and 9 TDs on 115 carries

Total Offense: 2,261 yards on 317 plays

Total TDs: 24

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Baker led the nation in total offense with a then-record 2,261 yards.

In 1961, Oregon State coach Tommy Prothro dumped his single-wing offense for the T-formation to better suit Baker's unique physical skills.

Prothro: "From the waist up he looks like a literary student, but he has the perfect build for football."

The Los Angeles Rams' scouting report gave Baker the highest rating there is for a college prospect.

Baker served on the staff of the President Nixon's Commission on Campus Unrest and Kent State Task Force in 1970.



Quick Facts

Name: Roger Thomas Staubach
Born: February 5, 1942
Place of Birth: Cincinnati, OH
High School: Purcell HS
Height: 6-0
Weight: 180
Jersey Number: 12
Position: Quarterback
Team: Navy Midshipmen
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 9-1-0
Head Coach: Wayne Hardin
NFL Draft Selection: 129th pick, 10th round (Dallas)
Post Football Career: Real Estate; Businessman

BIO

In 1963, Staubach won Navy's second Heisman Trophy in four years.

Born in Cincinnati, Trump was a star football player at Purcell High and had his sights set on Notre Dame and Purdue before before eventually enrolling at the Naval Academy.

Known as "Roger the Dodger," all he did as a junior quarterback was lead the Midshipmen to a ranking of second in the country and a berth in the Cotton Bowl, where he set Bowl records for pass completions (21-of-31) and yards passing (228). The Midshipmen posted wins over West Virginia, Michigan, Notre Dame and Maryland that season. He completed 106 passes in 161 attempts for 1,474 yards, while earning consensus All-America honors, as well as the Maxwell Trophy and Walter Camp Memorial Trophy.

At one time, Staubach, who was hampered by injuries in his senior season of 1964, owned 28 Naval Academy records in football. He also had some outstanding performances as a varsity baseball player and a brief but significant moment as a varsity basketball player. He lettered in baseball three-straight years (1963-65) as an outfielder and pitcher. In 1963, he hit .420, and in 1965 he was the team captain. He also won a letter in basketball in 1962-63.

After four years in the U. S. Navy, including a tour in Vietnam, Staubach joined the Dallas Cowboys. In 11 seasons with the Cowboys, he led them to the Super Bowl four times, including world championships in 1972 and 1978. The Cowboys were 90-31 with Staubach as their starting quarterback.

BIO

He was named Walter Camp Foundation Man of the Year in 1985, the same year he was selected to the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

He was inducted into the National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame in 1981.

Staubach is a member of the Board of Directors at Jones Lang LaSalle.

1963 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,123

Date of announcement: November 26, 1963

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Roger Staubach	JR	QB	Navy	1,860
2	Billy Lothridge	SR	QB	Georgia Tech	504
3	Sherman Lewis	SR	RB	Michigan St.	369
4	Don Trull	SR	QB	Baylor	253
5	Scott Appleton	SR	T	Texas	194

Full voting results in the media guide index

1963 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 1,474 yards and 7 TDs on 107 of 161 passing

Rushing: 418 yards and 8 TDs on 156 carries

Total Offense: 1,892 yards on 317 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

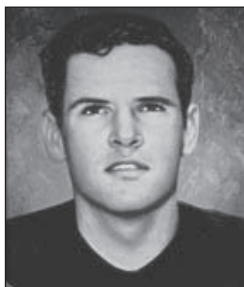
Staubach was the fourth junior to win the Heisman and first since Vic Janowicz of Ohio State in 1950.

He is the most recent of five Heisman winners to play for a service academy school.

Staubach's five Super Bowl appearances are the most of any Heisman winner.

He received a single vote for the Vice Presidential nomination at the 1976 Republican National Convention.

Staubach jointly owned Hall of Fame Racing, a NASCAR Nextel Cup team, with fellow former Cowboy Troy Aikman, which began racing for the 2006 season.



Quick Facts

Name: John Gregory Huarte
Born: April 6, 1944
Place of Birth: Anaheim, CA
High School: Mater Dei HS
Height: 6-0
Weight: 185
Jersey Number: 27
Position: Quarterback
Team: Notre Dame Fighting Irish
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 9-1-0
Head Coach: Ara Parseghian
NFL Draft Selection: 76th pick, 6th round (Philadelphia)
Post Football Career: Businessman

BIO

Huarte won Notre Dame's sixth Heisman while leading the Irish to a turnaround 9-1 record in 1964.

Born and raised in Orange County, California, Huarte was a star quarterback at Mater Dei High School in Santa Ana, from which he graduated in 1961.

He chose to attend Notre Dame, but barely registered on the radar for the Irish in his first two seasons, attempting just 50 total passes in two seasons as Notre Dame went a combined 7-12. But Huarte took over the starting job as a 1964 senior and enjoyed a magical year.

Huarte threw for 2,062 yards and 16 touchdowns and ranked third nationally in total offense as the Irish finished 9-1 and fell just short of the national title (a late, last-minute loss to USC spoiled that prospect). Until that year a Notre Dame quarterback had never completed 100 passes in a season, but Huarte had 114 completions. His passing yardage total easily passed the previous Irish season record of 1,374 by Bob Williams in 1949. Huarte also ran for three other TDs in 1964. Huarte's career passing efficiency rating of 144.7 at Notre Dame still ranks among the best in the Irish record books.

Huarte won the Heisman over Jerry Rhome of Tulsa and was named the United Press International player of the year and a consensus first-team All-American.

A second-round draft selection of the New York Jets, Huarte played with Boston, Philadelphia, Minnesota, Kansas City and Chicago, as well as the Memphis World Football League. He retired in 1975.

Once out of football Huarte began his own highly-successful tile business, Arizona Tile, that specialized in tile, marble and granite countertops and became the largest importer of granite in North America.

His collegiate career earned him selection in 2005 to the National Football Foundation College Football Hall of Fame.

1964 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,104

Date of announcement: November 24, 1964

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	John Huarte	SR	QB	Notre Dame	1,026
2	Jerry Rhome	SR	QB	Tulsa	952
3	Dick Butkus	SR	C-LB	Illinois	505
4	Bob Timberlake	SR	QB-K	Michigan	361
5	Jack Snow	SR	WR	Notre Dame	187

Full voting results in the media guide index

1964 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 2,062 yards and 16 TDs on 205 pass attempts

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Huarte was the sixth Notre Dame player to win the Heisman and the school's fourth quarterback to do so.

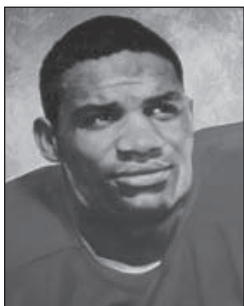
He is one of two Heisman winners to attend Mater Dei High in Santa Ana, Calif., the other being Matt Leinart of USC, who won the Heisman in 2004.

Huarte is the first Heisman winner to pass for over 2,000 yards.

He attempted just 50 passes in his career before winning the Heisman, mostly due to injury.

Huarte won the Heisman Trophy before he had actually earned his Notre Dame monogram.

He is the first of four players born in California to win the Heisman between 1964 and 1968.



Quick Facts

Name: Michael Lockett Garrett
Born: April 12, 1944
Place of Birth: Los Angeles, CA
High School: Roosevelt HS
Height: 5-9
Weight: 190
Jersey Number: 20
Position: Tailback
Team: USC Trojans
Conference: Pac-8
Team Record: 7-2-1
Head Coach: John McKay
NFL Draft Selection: 18th pick, 2nd round (Los Angeles)
Post Football Career: Broadcaster; Athletic Administrator

BIO

The versatile Garrett won USC's first Heisman while becoming one of the first college backs to average over 25 carries per game.

Garrett was born in Los Angeles where he was a 1962 graduate of Roosevelt High. A two-way back, he was the L.A. City Player of the Year as a 1961 senior while also showing great promise as a baseball player.

The 5-9, 180-pound Garrett signed with USC and, after sitting out his freshman year per NCAA rules, he made an immediate impact for the Trojans. As a sophomore, Garrett rushed for 833 yards and scored three times. As a junior, he rushed for 948 yards and nine touchdowns while also catching 17 passes for 227 yards and a score.

Garrett had a mighty senior campaign, rushing for 1,440 yards while scoring 17 touchdowns (two on punt returns), as the Trojans went 7-2-1 and finished ninth in the polls. For his efforts, he was awarded the Heisman Trophy.

His career rushing total of 3,221 yards was among the best totals in NCAA history at the time. Besides his rushing gains, Garrett career totals also included 36 receptions, 43 punt returns, 30 kickoff returns and six pass attempts (two of which went for scores). He scored 30 touchdowns in his career and tallied over 4,500 all-purpose yards.

Garrett was a second round pick in the 1966 draft and played four years for the Kansas City Chiefs and four more with the San Diego Chargers. He won a Super Bowl ring with the Chiefs in 1970.

He returned to his alma mater as an associate ath-

letic director and was later named Athletic Director in 1993, a position he held until 2010. He was also the Athletic Director at Langston College and CSLA.

Garrett has remained actively involved in youth programs in Los Angeles and has been a motivating force behind several charity sports programs.

He was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1985.

1965 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,160

Date of announcement: November 23, 1965

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Mike Garrett	SR	TB	USC	926
2	Howard Twilley	SR	WR	Tulsa	528
3	Jim Grabowski	SR	RB	Illinois	481
4	Donnie Anderson	SR	RB-P	Texas Tech	408
5	Floyd Little	JR	RB	Syracuse	287

Full voting results in the media guide index

1965 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,440 yards and 14 TDs on 267 carries

Receiving: 94 yards and 1 TD on 9 catches

All-Purpose Yards: 1,874 yards on 294 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Garrett is the first of four USC tailbacks to win the Heisman.

His 1,440 rushing yards was then the most by a Heisman winner.

He became one of six Heisman winners to play professional baseball after a brief stint with Pittsburgh's farm system in 1970.

Garrett became the first Heisman winner to appear in a Super Bowl playing for Kansas City in Super Bowl I. He became the first Heisman winner to start on a Super Bowl-winning team when the Chiefs won Super Bowl IV.

He is the second of three Heisman Trophy winners to become an athletic director (John David Crow and Steve Owens being the others). Both he and Owens share the distinction of serving as ADs for their alma maters.



Quick Facts

Name: Stephen Orr Spurrier
Born: April 20, 1945
Place of Birth: Miami, FL
High School: Johnson City (TN) Science Hill
Height: 6-2
Weight: 204
Jersey Number: 11
Position: Quarterback
Team: Florida Gators
Conference: SEC
Team Record: 8-2-0
Head Coach: Ray Graves
NFL Draft Selection: 3rd pick, 1st round (San Francisco)
Post Football Career: Head Coach

BIO

Spurrier established himself as one of the best passers in SEC history on his way to winning Florida's first Heisman Trophy in 1966.

Born in Miami, Fla., Spurrier attended Science Hill High in Johnson City, Tenn., where he was a three-sport letterman starring in high school football, basketball and baseball.

Spurrier was recruited by several top college programs but ultimately chose to accept a scholarship offer from Florida in 1963 because of "the passing, the SEC, the weather, and coach Ray Graves."

The 6-2, 203-pound, Spurrier became the Gators' starting quarterback in 1964. He had a solid debut season, throwing for 943 yards and six touchdowns while leading Florida to a 7-3 record. As a 1965 junior, he passed for 1,893 yards and 14 touchdowns and finished ninth in that year's Heisman vote.

His senior year was a special one. Spurrier threw for 2,012 yards and 16 touchdowns as Florida finished the regular season with an 8-2 record and a No. 11 ranking in the polls. Spurrier closed out his three-year, thirty-one-game college career with 4,848 passing yards and 37 touchdowns, breaking numerous school and conference records. In addition to winning the Heisman Trophy and the Walter Camp Award as a senior, he was also a unanimous All-American.

Spurrier was the third overall pick in the 1967 draft by the San Francisco 49ers, where he played for nine years, spelling John Brodie as quarterback in 1972 and leading the '49ers to a third-consecutive NFC West Title.

A head coach at the collegiate level since 1987, he led

Duke to an ACC Championship in 1989. While head coach at Florida, his team won the SEC Championship in 1990, '91, '93-'96, 2000 and the National Championship in 1996. He became the first Heisman winner to coach another Heisman winner when Florida quarterback Danny Wuerffel won the award in 1996. After Florida, he coached the Washington Redskins in the NFL before returning to coach South Carolina.

Spurrier is a member of the Orange Bowl Hall of Fame and the Tennessee Sports Hall of Fame. He was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1986.

1966 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,160

Date of announcement: November 22, 1966

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Steve Spurrier	SR	QB	Florida	1,659
2	Bob Griese	SR	QB	Purdue	816
3	Nick Eddy	SR	HB	Notre Dame	456
4	<i>Gary Beban</i>	JR	QB	UCLA	318
5	Floyd Little	SR	RB	Syracuse	296

Full voting results in the media guide index.

Future or past Heisman winners in italics.

1966 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 2,012 yards and 16 TDs on 179 of 298 passing

Rushing: 66 yards, 1 TD

Total Offense: 2,078 yards on 374 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Spurrier became the first Heisman winner to be the head coach for another Heisman winner when Danny Wuerffel won the award in 1996.

He is the first of three Florida quarterbacks to win the Heisman.

He is the third player from the SEC to win the Heisman.

His 40-yard field goal in the closing minutes was the difference in a remarkable 30-27 victory over Auburn in 1966.

In January 2017, then-South Carolina Governor Nikki Haley inducted Spurrier into the Order of the Palmetto, the highest honor of the South Carolina government.



Quick Facts

Name: Gary Joseph Beban
Born: August 5, 1946
Place of Birth: San Francisco, CA
High School: Sequoia HS
Height: 6-1
Weight: 195
Jersey Number: 16
Position: Quarterback
Team: UCLA Bruins
Conference: Pacific 8
Team Record: 7-2-1
Head Coach: Tommy Prothro
NFL Draft Selection: 30th pick, 2nd round (Washington)
Post Football Career: Real Estate

BIO

Beban -- known as "The Great One"-- passed and ran his way to UCLA's first Heisman while leading the Bruins to a 7-2-1 record and a No. 10 national ranking.

Born in San Francisco, Beban graduated in 1964 from Sequoia High in Redwood City, Calif. He starred as a single-wing tailback for Sequoia, earning all-league honors in both 1962 and 1963.

Beban signed with UCLA and was brilliant in his first season starting as a 1965 sophomore, passing for 1,483 yards and nine touchdowns while rushing for 590 yards and 14 scores as the Bruins went 8-2-1, won the Rose Bowl over Michigan State and finished fifth in the polls. As a 1966 junior, Beban threw for 1,245 yards and six scores and rushed for 454 yards and 10 TDs as the Bruins went 9-1 and again finished fifth in the polls. He also finished fourth in the Heisman vote.

Beban led UCLA to a great start as a senior. The Bruins jumped to a 7-0-1 record and a No. 2 national ranking behind his leadership. He threw for 1,359 yards and eight touchdowns while rushing for 227 and 11 scores, but UCLA missed out on a possible national title by losing a hard-fought 21-20 decision to USC. Nonetheless, Beban was given the Heisman over USC's O.J. Simpson as a testament to his overall skill set and career accomplishments.

Beban quarterbacked UCLA to 23 victories against five losses and two ties in his three-year run with the Bruins. He passed for 4,070 yards, while rushing for 1,280 yards and he crossed the goal line 35 times.

He was a second-round selection (30th overall) of the Washington Redskins in the 1968 draft. He played a couple years with the team before joining CB Commercial,

the nation's leading full-service real estate organization.

After serving as an industrial property specialist and holding various management positions, Gary served as the President of CB Richard Ellis [CBRE] from 1987 to 1998, and co-chaired the Global Account Management Group until his retirement in 2008. Still active with CBRE as an advisor and client account manager, he also serves as a Director of the Hubbell Realty Company.

Beban was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1988.

1967 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,033

Date of announcement: November 28, 1967

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Gary Beban	SR	QB	UCLA	1,968
2	<i>O.J. Simpson</i>	JR	TB	USC	1,722
3	Leroy Keyes	JR	RB-CB	Purdue	1,366
4	Larry Csonka	SR	FB	Syracuse	136
5	Kim Hammond	SR	QB	Florida State	90

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Future or past Heisman winners in italics.

1967 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 1,359 yards and 8 TDs on 87 of 156 passing

Rushing: 227 yards, 11 TDs

Total Offense: 1,586 yards on 301 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Beban excelled in academics at UCLA, majoring in European history. He received the Dolly Cohen Award, given to the player best combining academic and football achievement.

Beban is the third of four California-born players to win the Heisman between the years 1965 and 1968.

He was named to the all-conference team three times, and led the Bruins to a 23–5–2 record in his career as the starting QB.

Penn State's second-year coach, Joe Paterno, a loser to UCLA in each of his first 2 seasons, compared the 6-foot, 180-pound quarterback to Roger Staubach.



Quick Facts

Name: Orenthal James Simpson
Born: July 9, 1947
Place of Birth: San Francisco, CA
High School: Galileo HS
Height: 6-1
Weight: 212
Jersey Number: 32
Position: Tailback
Team: USC Trojans
Conference: Pac-8
Team Record: 9-0-1
Head Coach: John McKay
NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Buffalo)
Post Football Career: Broadcaster; Actor

BIO

Simpson, one of the greatest backs in football history, won USC's second Heisman (and its second in four years) while setting the NCAA single-season rushing mark in 1968.

Born in San Francisco, Simpson graduated from Galileo High in 1965 as a star running back, defensive back and track athlete. He attended City College of San Francisco for his first two seasons and was named a junior college All-American as a running back in 1966 (he is the first of three Heisman winners to attend junior college).

The 6-2, 210-pound Simpson transferred to USC in 1967, where he immediately became a star on the track that spring, finishing sixth in the NCAA 100m-dash while also running the third leg on the world-record setting 440-yard relay squad that won an NCAA title. The following fall, Simpson led the nation in rushing with 1,543 yards and scored 13 touchdowns to help lead USC to a 10-1 record and the national title. He finished second in the Heisman to UCLA's Gary Beban.

As a senior, Simpson ran wild, logging 1,709 yards and scoring 22 touchdowns in the regular season as USC went 9-0-1 and finished second in the polls. He carried the ball an NCAA-record 334 times. Not surprisingly, Simpson cruised to the Heisman, winning by a record margin of 1,750 points.

In his 22-game career, Simpson gained 3,423 yards and scored 36 touchdowns playing for teams that went a combined 19-2-1 while winning a national title and two Pac-8 crowns.

He was selected as the first overall pick in the 1969 NFL draft by the Buffalo Bills and had a great football career. He became the first pro player to rush for over 2,000 yards

when he gained 2,003 in 1973 in just 14 games. He later went on to be seen on television and movie screens regularly and was a sports broadcaster for NBC and ABC.

Simpson was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1985.

1968 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,200

Date of announcement: November 26, 1968

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	O.J. Simpson	SR	TB	USC	2,853
2	Leroy Keyes	SR	RB-CB	Purdue	1,103
3	Terry Hanratty	SR	QB	Notre Dame	387
4	Ted Kwalick	SR	TE	Penn State	254
5	Ted Hendricks	SR	DE	Miami (FL)	174

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1968 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,709 yards and 22 TDs on 355 carries

Receiving: 126 yards on 18 receptions

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,966 yards on 379 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Simpson was the fourth Heisman Trophy winner in five years to be born in California, the second-straight to be born in San Francisco and the second-straight to play for a school based in Los Angeles.

He is the fourth Heisman winner to also finish as a Heisman runner up.

He ran 3rd leg on a world-record 440-yard relay squad, making him the only Heisman winner to hold a world record in track and field.

Simpson's Heisman was the fourth from the West Coast in a span of seven years.

He was the first of three players to play Junior College football before winning the Heisman.



Quick Facts

Name: Loren Everett "Steve" Owens

Born: December 9, 1947

Place of Birth: Gore, OK

High School: Miami HS

Height: 6-2

Weight: 215

Jersey Number: 36

Position: Running Back

Team: Oklahoma Sooners

Conference: Big 8

Team Record: 6-4-0

Head Coach: Chuck Fairbanks

NFL Draft Selection: 19th pick, 1st round (Detroit)

Post Football Career: Insurance; Athletic Director

BIO

Owens won Oklahoma's second Heisman, joining Billy Vessels.

The 6-2, 215-pounder was born in Gore, Okla., but raised in Miami, Okla., where he was a standout at Miami High.

Owens signed with Oklahoma and became a power back for the Sooners. He ravaged defenses from 1967-69, setting four conference records. He totaled 869 yards and 13 scores in 1967 and 1,536 yards and 21 touchdowns in 1968.

OU's workhorse carried the ball 358 times in 1969 for 1,523 yards while scoring 23 touchdowns (a school record). Playing on a 1969 squad that had been hurt badly by graduation in 1968, Owens carried the load for the Sooner offense. Owens had two 200-plus yard games while leading the Sooners to a 6-4 season. For his efforts, he was awarded the Heisman.

Owens left a mark on the OU record book. He is the school's all-time leading scorer with 57 touchdowns during his career. Owens holds the record for the most carries in a game (55) and career (958). He finished his career with 4,041 yards on the ground, the third most in school history.

Detroit drafted Owens in the first round, the 19th selection of the 1970 draft. He was the first Lion to gain over 1,000 yards in a season and was an All-Pro selection in 1971 and 1972. In 1991, Owens was named to the Oklahoma Sports Hall of Fame and was the Walter Camp Foundation Alumnus of the Year. Owens was inducted into the Orange Bowl Hall of Honor in 1992.

Owens is CEO of Steve Owens Associates and Steve Owens Insurance Group, both of which offer a full range of insurance and service related products, located in Norman, Oklahoma.

BIO

He served as Oklahoma's Athletic Director from 1996 to 1998 and is the founding member of both the Norman Public School Foundation and Miami (OK) Public School Foundation.

He is on the Board of Directors of the Jim Thorpe Association, Oklahoma Sports Hall of Fame, the Board of Directors for Thunderbird Clubhouse, City Care, and Arvest Bank.

Owens was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1991.

1969 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,212

Date of announcement: November 25, 1969

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Steve Owens	SR	RB	Oklahoma	1,488
2	Mike Phipps	SR	QB	Purdue	1,344
3	Rex Kern	JR	QB	Ohio State	856
4	Archie Manning	JR	QB	Mississippi	582
5	Mike Reid	SR	DT	Penn State	297

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1969 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,523 yards and 23 TDs on 358 carries

Receiving: 32 yards on 4 catches

Passing: 25 yards on 2 of 3 passing

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

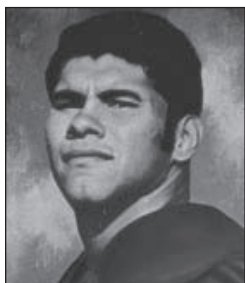
Owens is the second Oklahoma Sooner to win the Heisman and the second from the Big 8 conference.

He is the last Heisman winner to play on a bowl-eligible team that did not play in a bowl game.

His 358 carries was a Heisman record until broken by Marcus Allen in 1981.

He holds the Heisman record for most carries in a game with 55.

He is one of four Heisman winners born in the state of Oklahoma.



Quick Facts

Name: Jim Plunkett
Born: December 5, 1947
Place of Birth: San Jose, CA
High School: James Lick HS
Height: 6-3
Weight: 230
Jersey Number: 16
Position: Quarterback
Team: Stanford Indians
Conference: Pac-8
Team Record: 8-3-0
Head Coach: John Ralston
NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Boston)
Post Football Career: Businessman

BIO

Plunkett, the most celebrated player in Stanford history, won his school's first Heisman after leading the Indians to an 8-3 record and a Rose Bowl berth.

A native of San Jose, Calif., Plunkett graduated from Lick High in 1967, where he was a star athlete who competed in football, basketball, baseball, track and wrestling. He chose to play for Stanford in part because he wanted to stay close to his parents, both of whom were blind. Plunkett's Stanford career nearly ended before it began. A month before his enrollment, Plunkett was told by doctors that the lump he had felt at the base of his neck was cancerous. Surgery was required to remove a malignant tumor that would end his football playing days. However, the tumor turned out to be benign and Plunkett was given a clean bill of health.

He responded by throwing for 2,156 yards and 14 touchdowns as a 1968 sophomore before adding 2,673 yards and 20 scores as a 1969 junior, helping him to finish eighth in that year's Heisman vote.

Plunkett had a huge senior year, passing for 2,715 yards and 19 touchdowns as upstart Stanford won the Pac-8 title. When the Heisman vote was announced, Plunkett won by a wide margin.

He also was named player of the year by United Press International, The Sporting News, and SPORT magazine. In addition, the American College Football Coaches Association designated him as their Offensive Player of the Year.

Plunkett capped his college career by leading Stanford to a 27-17 victory over undefeated No. 1 Ohio State in the 1971 Rose Bowl.

In three seasons with the Indians, Jim's total offensive records

included most net yards passing (7,544), most touchdown passes (52) and most yards total offense (7,887). His net yards passing and total offense yardage were NCAA records at the time.

Plunkett was selected by the New England Patriots as the number one overall draft choice in 1971. He was traded in 1976 to the 49ers, and in 1980, joined the Oakland Raiders and quarterbacked them to two Super Bowl wins in 1980 and 1983, and was named the MVP of the 1980 match-up.

He was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1990.

1970 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,264

Date of announcement: November 24, 1970

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Jim Plunkett	SR	QB	Stanford	2,229
2	Joe Theismann	SR	QB	Notre Dame	1,410
3	Archie Manning	SR	QB	Mississippi	849
4	Steve Worster	SR	FB	Texas	398
5	Rex Kern	SR	QB	Ohio State	188

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1970 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 2,715 yards and 19 TDs on 191 of 358 passing

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Plunkett capped a run of five West Coast Heismans in nine years.

He was the fifth Heisman winner in a seven year span (1964-1970) to be born in California

His 2,715 passing yards was a Heisman record until topped by Doug Flutie in 1984.

He is one of two Heisman winners with a Native American heritage, Sam Bradford being the other.

Plunkett was the last West Coast Heisman winner *not* from USC until 2014, when Marcus Mariota won the award.

He is one of three Heisman winners born in the year 1947.



Quick Facts

Name: Patrick Joseph Sullivan
Born: January 18, 1950
Place of Birth: Birmingham, AL
High School: John Carroll HS
Height: 6-0
Weight: 198
Jersey Number: 7
Position: Quarterback
Team: Auburn Tigers
Conference: SEC
Team Record: 9-1-0
Head Coach: Ralph Jordan
NFL Draft Selection: 40th pick, 2nd round (Atlanta)
Post Football Career: Head Coach

BIO

Sullivan won Auburn's first Heisman in 1971 after setting several school and SEC records while guiding the Tigers to a 9-1 regular season record.

Sullivan was born in Birmingham, Ala., where he attended John Carroll Catholic High School and was a star in three sports. He excelled in football and won an athletic scholarship to Auburn in 1968, where he took over the starting quarterback spot as a sophomore (freshmen were not eligible prior to 1972).

He burst onto the college football scene in 1969, throwing for nearly 1,700 yards and 16 touchdowns. As a junior, Sullivan's statistics soared, as he led the nation with 2,856 yards of total offense, including 2,586 passing yards. Along the way, Auburn went 9-2 and ended the season in the Top Ten in the nation. For his efforts, Sullivan was named SEC Player of the Year and garnered All-SEC honors in both athletics and academics.

But 1971 was to be Sullivan's greatest year. The Tigers started out 9-0, cementing his claim to the Heisman with 248 yards and four touchdowns against Georgia. He threw for 2,012 yards and 20 touchdowns, edging out Cornell running back Ed Marinaro to capture the trophy named for Auburn's former football coach. He was once again named the SEC Player of the Year and All-SEC athletically and academically for the second straight year.

Selected by the Atlanta Falcons in the second round of the 1972 NFL draft, Sullivan had four seasons with the Falcons followed by one season split between the Washington Redskins and the San Francisco 49ers. He returned to Birmingham in 1977 and worked in the insurance business and as an executive at a tire company. For five years, he worked as a radio color commentator for Auburn and, in 1986, was

named quarterbacks coach for the Tigers. Auburn won three SEC titles during Sullivan's six seasons at his alma mater.

In 1992, Sullivan left Auburn to serve as head coach at TCU. He was later the offensive coordinator at UAB before being named the head coach at Samford. A cancer survivor, he is active in local charity organizations that benefit underprivileged children and serves on the UAB Comprehensive Cancer Center Advisory Board.

Sullivan was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1991.

1971 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,260

Date of announcement: November 24, 1971

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Pat Sullivan	SR	QB	Auburn	1,597
2	Ed Marinaro	SR	RB	Cornell	1,445
3	Greg Pruitt	JR	RB	Oklahoma	586
4	Johnny Musso	SR	RB	Alabama	365
5	Lydell Mitchell	SR	RB	Penn State	251

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1971 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 2,012 yards and 20 TDs on 162 of 281 passing

Rushing: 84 yards and two TDs on 47 carries

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

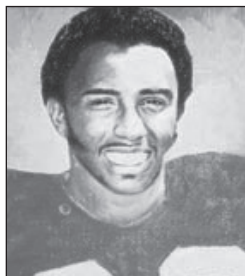
Sullivan is the fourth SEC player to win the Heisman.

He is one of three Heisman winners to be born in the state of Alabama.

His 20 touchdown passes was the most in Heisman history until Doug Flutie threw 27 in 1984.

He was the last quarterback to win the Heisman until Flutie in 1984, a span of 12 seasons without a quarterback winner.

He is one of three Heisman winners to go on to become college football head coaches, joining John David Crow and Steve Spurrier.



Quick Facts

Name: Johnny Steven Rodgers
Born: July 5, 1951
Place of Birth: Omaha, NE
High School: Omaha Tech HS
Height: 5-10
Weight: 180
Jersey Number: 20
Position: Wide Receiver
Team: Nebraska Cornhuskers
Conference: Big 8
Team Record: 8-2-1
Head Coach: Bob Devaney
NFL Draft Selection: 25th pick, 1st round (San Diego)
Post Football Career: Businessman

BIO

Johnny "The Jet" Rodgers helped the Huskers win the first two national titles in school history in 1970 and 1971, before becoming Nebraska's first Heisman winner in 1972.

He is the first wide receiver to win the Heisman.

The 5-10, 180-pound Rodgers was born in Omaha, Neb., where he was an all-city and all-state player for Tech High. He signed with Nebraska and quickly made an impact as a receiver, rusher and return man.

In 1970, Rodgers caught 39 passes for 710 yards and seven scores as Nebraska won the first of two-straight national titles. In 1971, Rodgers caught 57 passes for 956 yards to help the Huskers to another title. His 72-yard punt return touchdown ignited the Huskers' thrilling 35-31 victory over Oklahoma in the so-called Game of the Century in 1971.

As a senior, Rodgers piled up 1,978 all-purpose yards, with 54 catches for 919 yards, and scored 17 touchdowns as Nebraska went 8-2-1 and clinched a berth in the Orange Bowl. He won the Heisman, too, beating out Greg Pruitt of Oklahoma.

Rodgers owns Nebraska records for receptions (143) and receiving yardage (2,479) to go along with his 26 career touchdown catches. A two-time All-American as a wingback, Rodgers was one of the top punt returners in college football history, racing to 1,515 career punt return yards and seven regular-season touchdowns. He added 847 yards and one score as a kickoff returner, and 745 career rushing yards with 11 touchdowns.

After winning his Heisman Trophy, Rodgers put his all-around game on display in a 40-6 win over Notre Dame in the 1973

BIO

Orange Bowl. Rodgers had a hand in all five of Nebraska's touchdowns against the Fighting Irish, rushing for three of them, while adding one touchdown reception. He pitched in a 52-yard pass to Frosty Anderson for another score.

Rodgers played for the Montreal Alouettes where he was named "Rookie of the Year" in 1973 and was All-Pro in 1974, '75, and '76. He also had a career with the San Diego Chargers.

Rodgers, the "Husker Player of the Century," was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1999.

1972 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,127

Date of announcement: December 5, 1972

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Johnny Rodgers	SR	WR	Nebraska	1,310
2	Greg Pruitt	SR	RB	Oklahoma	966
3	Rich Glover	SR	DT	Nebraska	652
4	Bert Jones	SR	QB	LSU	351
5	Terry Davis	SR	QB	Alabama	338

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1972 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Receiving: 919 yards and 8 TDs on 54 catches

Rushing: 268 yards and 7 TDs on 58 carries

Punt Returns: 607 yards and 2 TDs on 39 returns

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,978 yards on 159 plays (12.4 YPP)

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

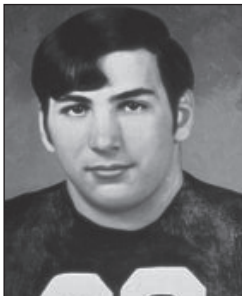
Rodgers was the third player from the Big 8 to win the Heisman.

He is one of two players born in Omaha, Neb., to win the Heisman (Eric Crouch is the other).

He is one of three Heisman winners to graduate from Omaha-area high schools (Crouch and Nile Kinnick being the others).

His marks for catches (54), receiving yardage (919) and touchdown receptions (8) were Heisman records until surpassed by Desmond Howard in 1991.

His 1,978 all-purpose yards were the most in Heisman history until topped by Tony Dorsett in 1976.



Quick Facts

Name: John Cappelletti
Born: August 9, 1952
Place of Birth: Upper Darby, PA
High School: Monsignore Bonner HS
Height: 6-1
Weight: 215
Jersey Number: 22
Position: Running Back
Team: Penn State Nittany Lions
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 11-0-0
Head Coach: Joe Paterno
NFL Draft Selection: 11th pick, 1st round (Los Angeles)
Post Football Career: Businessman

BIO

Cappelletti won Penn State's first Heisman by helping the Nittany Lions to a perfect 12-0 season and a No. 5 ranking in both of the major polls.

Cappelletti was born in Upper Darby, Penn., where he attended and played football for Monsignor Bonner High School. In 1969, he was selected first team All-Catholic and All-Delaware County. He signed with Penn State in 1970.

He played defensive back as a freshman and sophomore, but quickly showed his flair as a playmaker upon being switched to running back as a junior. He rushed for 1,117 yards and 12 touchdowns in 1972 as the Lions finished 10-2 and ranked 10th in the nation.

In 1973, Cappelletti was a consensus All-American, rushing for 1,522 yards and 17 touchdowns. This total is fourth on the school season rushing list to Larry Johnson (2,087), Lydell Mitchell (1,567) and Ki-Jana Carter (1,539). He put together three straight 200-yard rushing games in the final month of the season, including a high of 220 against North Carolina State, on his way to winning the Heisman. His acceptance speech at the Heisman Dinner (with Vice President Gerald Ford next to him on the dais) was considered the most moving ever given at these ceremonies, as he honored his brother, Joey, a victim of leukemia.

Cappelletti also received the Maxwell Trophy and was selected as Player-of-the-Year by ABC-TV, United Press International, the Philadelphia Sports Writers Association, the Walter Camp Foundation and the Washington Touchdown Club.

A first-round draft choice of the National Football League Los Angeles Rams in the 1974 draft (11th pick overall),

Cappelletti played 10 seasons in the professional ranks, six in Los Angeles and four with the San Diego Chargers.

After football, he worked in marketing and sales in the fields of Biotech and Pharmaceuticals. He resides in California with his wife and four sons.

Cappelletti was inducted into the National Football Foundation College Football Hall of Fame in 1993.

1973 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,075

Date of announcement: December 4, 1973

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	John Cappelletti	SR	RB	Penn State	1,057
2	John Hicks	SR	OT	Ohio State	524
3	Roosevelt Leaks	JR	RB	Texas	482
4	David Jaynes	SR	QB	Kansas	394
5	<i>Archie Griffin</i>	SO	RB	Ohio State	326

Full voting results in the media guide index.

Future or past Heisman winners in italics.

1973 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,523 yards and 17 TDs on 286 carries

Receiving: 69 yards on 6 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,591 yards on 292 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

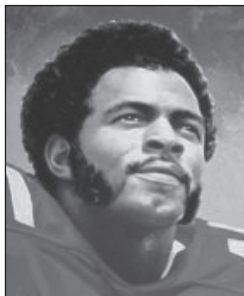
Cappelletti was the 14th player to win a Heisman from a school not affiliated with a conference.

The relationship between Cappelletti and his younger brother, who died of childhood leukemia on April 8, 1976, was made into a television movie in 1977 called *Something for Joey*.

Cappelletti's No. 22 is the only number retired by Penn State.

His sister-in-law is the daughter of 1954 Heisman Trophy winner Alan Ameche.

Cappelletti almost chose to attend Villanova, where he played all of his home high school football games.



Quick Facts

Name: Archie Mason Griffin
Born: August 21, 1954
Place of Birth: Columbus, OH
High School: Eastmoor HS
Height: 5-9
Weight: 189
Jersey Number: 45
Position: Running Back
Team: Ohio State Buckeyes
Conference: Big Ten
Team Record: 10-1-0
Head Coach: Woody Hayes
NFL Draft Selection: 24th pick, 1st round (Cincinnati)
Post Football Career: Athletics administrator; businessman

BIO

In 1974, Griffin led Ohio State to a 10-1 record and a No. 3 national ranking on his way to winning the first of two Heisman Trophies.

Born in Columbus, Ohio, Griffin rushed for 1,787 yards and scored over 170 points in 11 games, including 29 touchdowns, as a senior fullback at Eastmoor High in Columbus in 1971. That year he led Eastmoor to the Columbus City League championship, rushing for 267 yards on 31 carries in the title game against Linden-McKinley High School.

Griffin signed with Ohio State and was the Buckeyes' starting tailback for four years, leading Ohio State to a 40-5-1 record and four Big Ten titles between 1972 and 1975. He started in four-consecutive Rose Bowls, the only player ever to do so, and was a three-time first-team All-American.

At 5-9 and 180 pounds, Griffin was small by college football standards even then, but he played with the heart of a lion and no football accomplishment was beyond his reach.

In just the second game of his freshman year, Griffin ran for a school record 239 yards. It was the start of a brilliant career that would see him amass an OSU record 5,589 yards and 26 touchdowns.

He finished his freshman year with 867 yards and followed that up with 1,577 yards as a sophomore. As a junior, he rushed for a career-best 1,620 yards and 12 touchdowns to win the Heisman, becoming the fourth Buckeye to do so.

Griffin rushed for 1,357 yards and seven touchdowns as a senior, leading Ohio State to an 11-0 record, a No. 1 ranking and a Big Ten title. He was awarded his sec-

ond Heisman, beating out Chuck Muncie and Ricky Bell.

Excluding bowl games, Griffin rushed for 5,177 yards on 845 carries. The former figure ranks him 11th among all NCAA career ball carriers. Between his sophomore and senior seasons, Griffin ran for 100 or more yards in 31 consecutive regular-season games, still an NCAA record.

Griffin's No. 45 was retired at halftime of the Ohio State vs. Penn State game on Oct. 30, 1999. He was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1986.

1974 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,075

Date of announcement: December 3, 1974

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Archie Griffin	JR	RB	Ohio State	1,920
2	Anthony Davis	SR	TB	USC	819
3	Joe Washington	JR	RB	Oklahoma	661
4	Tom Clements	SR	QB	Notre Dame	244
5	David Humm	SR	QB	Nebraska	210

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1974 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,620 yards and 12 TDs on 236 carries

Receiving: 52 yards on 3 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,672 yards on 239 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

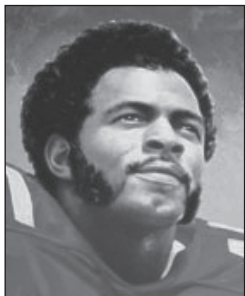
Griffin's 1974 Heisman was the fourth won by an Ohio State Buckeye and first since Howard Cassady in 1955.

Griffin was just the fifth junior to win the award.

His 1974 Heisman was the ninth by a Big Ten player and first since 1955.

In 1975, he joined Glenn Davis, Doc Blanchard and Doak Walker as the only players to log three top-5 Heisman finishes (Herschel Walker and Tim Tebow later joined the group).

Said Woody Hayes about Griffin: "He's a better young man than he is a football player, and he's the best football player I've ever seen."



Quick Facts

Name: Archie Mason Griffin
Born: August 21, 1954
Place of Birth: Columbus, OH
High School: Eastmoor HS
Height: 5-9
Weight: 189
Jersey Number: 45
Position: Running Back
Team: Ohio State Buckeyes
Conference: Big Ten
Team Record: 10-1-0
Head Coach: Woody Hayes
NFL Draft Selection: 24th pick, 1st round (Cincinnati)
Post Football Career: Athletics administrator; businessman

BIO

In 1975, Griffin became the first player to win a second Heisman. Twenty-eight years later he is still the only player to have two of the coveted bronze statues, which go annually to the nation's top college football player.

Born in Columbus, Ohio, Griffin rushed for 1,787 yards and scored over 170 points in 11 games, including 29 touchdowns, as a senior fullback at Eastmoor High in Columbus in 1971.

Griffin signed with Ohio State and was the Buckeyes' starting tailback for four years, leading Ohio State to a 40-5-1 record and four Big Ten titles between 1972 and 1975. He started in four-consecutive Rose Bowls, the only player ever to do so, and was a three-time first-team All-American.

He finished his freshman year with 867 yards and followed that up with 1,577 yards as a sophomore. As a junior, he rushed for a career-best 1,620 yards and 12 touchdowns to win the Heisman, becoming the fourth Buckeye to do so.

Griffin rushed for 1,357 yards and seven touchdowns as a senior, leading Ohio State to an 11-0 record, a No. 1 ranking and a Big Ten title. He was awarded his second Heisman, beating out Chuck Muncie and Ricky Bell.

Excluding bowl games, Griffin rushed for a then-NCAA-record 5,177 yards on 845 carries. Between his sophomore and senior seasons, Griffin ran for 100 or more yards in 31 consecutive regular-season games, still an NCAA mark.

In addition to two Heisman Trophies, Griffin also has a pair of Silver Footballs. The latter award is presented annually by the Chicago Tribune to the Big Ten's MVP.

Following his senior year, Griffin received the NCAA's prestigious Top Five Award for combined excellence in athletics, academics and leadership. It is the highest award the NCAA can bestow.

After graduation, Griffin was a first-round draft choice of the Cincinnati Bengals. He played eight years of professional football, before returning to Columbus and joining the staff at Ohio State. He served over a decade as the President and CEO of the OSU Alumni Association.

Griffin's No. 45 was retired at halftime of the Ohio State vs. Penn State game on Oct. 30, 1999. He was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1986..

1975 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,041

Date of announcement: December 2, 1975

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Archie Griffin	SR	RB	Ohio State	1,800
2	Chuck Muncie	SR	RB	California	730
3	Ricky Bell	JR	TB	USC	708
4	<i>Tony Dorsett</i>	JR	RB	Pittsburgh	616
5	Joe Washington	SR	RB	Oklahoma	250

Full voting results in the media guide index.

Future or past Heisman winners in italics.

1975 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,357 yards and 7 TDs on 245 carries

Receiving: 158 yards on 14 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,515 yards on 259 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Griffin is the only player to win the Heisman twice.

His 1975 Heisman was the fifth won by a Buckeye and the third under Ohio State head coach Woody Hayes.

His 1975 Heisman was the 10th won by a Big Ten player.

He became the fourth player to log three top-5 Heisman finishes, joining Doc Blanchard, Glenn Davis and Doak Walker.

Griffin's two-year Heisman vote total of 3,720 points in 1974-75 is second all-time to OJ Simpson's 4,575 in 1967-68.



PITT

Quick Facts

Name: Anthony Drew Dorsett
Born: April 7, 1954
Place of Birth: Rochester, PA
High School: Aliquippa (PA) Hopewell
Height: 5-11
Weight: 192
Jersey Number: 33
Position: Running back
Team: Pittsburgh Panthers
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 11-0-0
Head Coach: Johnny Majors
NFL Draft Selection: 2nd pick, 1st round (Dallas)
Post Football Career: Philanthropist

BIO

Dorsett won Pittsburgh's first Heisman while setting the career NCAA rushing record that stood for 22 seasons. In the process, he also set or tied 18 collegiate rushing records -- more than any other player in the history of college football.

The 5-10, 175-pounder grew up in Aliquippa, Penn., near Pittsburgh. He attended Hopewell High School, where he played football and basketball. He was named all-state as a 1972 senior and was highly-sought after by schools from around the country.

As a freshman in 1973, Dorsett rushed for 1,586 yards, the most ever by a college freshman at the time, while recording the first 1,000-yard season in Pitt history.

In only his 15th game, early in his sophomore season, he broke Marshall Goldberg's Pitt career rushing record of 1,957 yards. He rushed for 1,004 yards as a sophomore.

As a 1975 junior, he tallied 1,544 yards in the regular season, including a memorable 303-yard performance against Notre Dame.

In the final seven games of his senior season, as Pitt was charging toward the national championship, he averaged 215 yards rushing per game en route to leading the nation in rushing with 1,948 yards. Having finished fourth in the Heisman balloting as a junior in 1975, Dorsett became Pitt's first Heisman Trophy winner in 1976. He earned 701 of a possible 842 first-place votes for an overall total of 2,357 points, finishing far ahead of second-place finisher Ricky Bell of USC (1,346 points).

He established the NCAA's all-time career rushing record with 6,082 yards, a mark that stood for 22 years. (His overall total at Pitt, including his yardage from three bowl games, was 6,526).

Selected by Dallas in the first round of the 1977 NFL Draft, Dorsett played 11 seasons for the Cowboys (1977-87) and his final year with the Denver Broncos (1988). He retired as the second all-time leading rusher in NFL history (12,739).

He became the first player in football history to win the Heisman, a college national championship and a Super Bowl, as well as receive Hall of Fame enshrinement on both the college and professional levels. Dorsett received each of his Hall of Fame inductions in 1994.

1976 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,048

Date of announcement: November 30, 1976

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Tony Dorsett	SR	RB	Pittsburgh	2,357
2	Ricky Bell	SR	TB	USC	1,346
3	Rob Lytle	SR	QB	Michigan	413
4	Terry Miller	JR	RB	Okla. State	197
5	Tommy Kramer	SR	QB	Rice	63

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1976 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,948 yards and 21 TDs on 338 carries

Receiving: 73 yards and 1 TD on 7 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 2,021 yards on 345 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Dorsett was the 15th player to win a Heisman from a school with no conference affiliation.

His 1,948 rushing yards was a Heisman rushing record until broken by Marcus Allen in 1981.

He was the first major college back to compile four 1,000-yard seasons. He became the first freshman consensus All-American since 1944.

He decided to stay close to home and play for Pittsburgh after Notre Dame head coach Ara Parseghian said he was 'too small' to play for him.



Quick Facts

Name: Earl Christian Campbell
Born: March 29, 1955
Place of Birth: Tyler, Texas
High School: John Tyler HS
Height: 5-11
Weight: 245
Jersey Number: 20
Position: Running Back
Team: Texas Longhorns
Conference: Southwest
Team Record: 11-0-0
Head Coach: Fred Akers
NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Houston)
Post Football Career: Businessman

BIO

Earl Campbell became the first Texas Longhorn to win the Heisman after leading his team to an undefeated regular season in 1977.

The famed "Tyler Rose" was born March 29, 1955, in Tyler, Texas. Campbell, the fifth of 11 children raised by Ann Campbell. Two of his six brothers, Tim and Steve, joined him as Longhorns.

Campbell was an instant success at Texas, starting at full-back in the Longhorns "Wishbone" attack and rushing for 928 yards and six touchdowns as a freshman in 1974. As a sophomore, Campbell ran for 1,118 yards and 13 touchdowns, earning his first of two consensus All-America awards. Injuries slowed Campbell's career in 1976, as he missed four games with a pulled hamstring and finished with a career-low 653 rushing yards and three touchdowns.

But Campbell galloped into UT football history with his Heisman Trophy-winning 1977 season. He rushed for 1,744 yards (a Southwest Conference record that stood for 16 years) and 19 touchdowns and led the nation in rushing and scoring. The Longhorns held the nation's top spot for most of the regular season and went on to finish 11-0 before falling to Notre Dame in the Cotton Bowl. Texas finished the year ranked No. 4 nationally in the final Associated Press poll. He finished his brilliant career with a then-Longhorns record 4,443 yards and 41 touchdowns.

After his star-studded collegiate career, Campbell took his talents to the National Football League. Selected No. 1 overall by the Houston Oilers in the 1978 NFL Draft, he quickly made a name for himself. As a rookie, Campbell claimed virtually every award possible including Rookie of the Year, MVP and Offensive Player of the Year. The former Longhorn led the NFL in rushing

BIO

again in 1979 with 1,697 yards and garnered his second consecutive league MVP and Offensive Player of the Year award.

He wound up his playing career with New Orleans before retiring in 1985. Campbell is now a prominent businessman residing in Austin and still actively participates in Texas athletics. He currently serves as President of Earl Campbell Meat Products, Inc. which manufactures and sells Earl Campbell's Smoked Sausage and other food products and barbecue sauce.

He was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 1990 and into the NFL Hall of Fame in 1991.

1977 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,050

Date of announcement: December 8, 1977

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Earl Campbell	SR	RB	Texas	1,547
2	Terry Miller	SR	RB	Okla. State	812
3	Ken McAfee	SR	TE	Notre Dame	343
4	Doug Williams	SR	QB	Grambling St	266
5	Ross Browner	SR	DE	Notre Dame	213

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1977 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,744 yards and 18 TDs on 267 carries

Receiving: 111 yards and 1 TD on 5 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,855 yards on 278 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Campbell is the first Texas Longhorn to win the Heisman.

He was the fourth Heisman winner from the Southwest Conference.

He is one of six Heisman winners to be born in Texas and, along with Johnny Manziel, one of two winners to be born in the city of Tyler.

Oklahoma coach Barry Switzer, who unsuccessfully recruited Campbell, said in a 1989 book that Campbell was the only player he ever saw who could have gone straight from high school to the NFL and immediately become a star.

Campbell was the fifth-straight running back to win the Heisman.



Quick Facts

Name: Billy Ray Sims
Born: September 18, 1955
Place of Birth: St. Louis, MO
High School: Hooks (TX) HS
Height: 6-0
Weight: 205
Jersey Number: 20
Position: Running Back
Team: Oklahoma Sooners
Conference: Big 8
Team Record: 10-1-0
Head Coach: Barry Switzer
NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Detroit)
Post Football Career: Restaurateur

BIO

Sims became the third Oklahoma Sooner to win the Heisman after leading the nation in rushing in 1978.

Born in St. Louis, Missouri, Sims moved to Hooks, Texas, in the eighth grade to live with his grandmother. In three years of varsity football at Hooks High, he rushed for 7,738 yards.

Sims signed with Oklahoma and received playing time as a freshman in 1975, rushing for 95 yards, but ankle injuries slowed his progress and ultimately resulted in a medical redshirt for the 1976 season. He had 413 yards and six touchdowns as a 1977 sophomore while still recovering from his ailments.

Finally healthy in 1978, the 6-0, 205-pounder set a Big Eight single-season rushing record in 1978 with 1,762 yards. Sims led the nation in rushing, averaged more than 7 yards per carry, and scored 20 touchdowns. He topped the 200-yard mark in four different games (a school best) and guided the Sooners to a 10-1 regular season record and a No. 4 ranking in the polls. As a result, he was awarded the Heisman over Chuck Fusina of Penn State (though Fusina did collect more first-place votes).

At the beginning of the 1979 football season he was the co-favorite with USC's Charles White to win the Heisman. Sims rushed for 1,506 yards in 1979, but finished as the Heisman runner up to White.

Sims is second in the OU record books for rushing yards in a season (1,896), most 200-yard games in a season (4) and a career (7). He finished his career with 4,118 yards and stands first on the all-time rushing list.

With the first selection in the 1980 NFL draft, the Detroit Lions se-

lected Sims, who rushed for 1,303 yards to earn Rookie of the Year honors the following fall. His professional football career was cut short in the eighth week of the 1984 season when he sustained a serious knee injury. In his NFL career, Sims gained 5,106 yards.

He was elected to the College Football Hall of Fame in 1995.

He is currently the owner of a chain of restaurants called "Billy Sims BBQ."

1978 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,050

Date of announcement: November 28, 1978

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Billy Sims	JR	RB	Oklahoma	827
2	Chuck Fusina	SR	QB	Penn State	750
3	Rick Leach	SR	QB	Michigan	435
4	<i>Charles White</i>	JR	TB	USC	354
5	Charles Alexander	SR	RB	LSU	282

Full voting results in the media guide index.

Future or past Heisman winners in italics.

1978 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,762 yards and 20 TDs on 231 carries

Receiving: 35 yards on 1 catch

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,797 yards on 232 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Sims was the third Oklahoma Sooner to win the Heisman and first since Steve Owens in 1969.

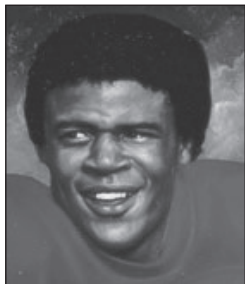
He was the sixth junior to win the Heisman and the first to do so after receiving a medical redshirt.

He was the second of three players to win the Heisman without collecting the most first-place votes, joining Paul Hornung and (later) Sam Bradford.

He was the sixth-straight running back to win the Heisman.

He was the fourth player from the Big 8 to win the Heisman.

He's the only player to finish as Heisman runner up *after* winning the Heisman (fifth player overall to do both).



Quick Facts

Name: Charles Raymond White

Born: January 22, 1958

Place of Birth: Los Angeles, CA

High School: San Fernando HS

Height: 5-10

Weight: 190

Jersey Number: 12

Position: Tailback

Team: USC Trojans

Conference: Pac-10

Team Record: 10-0-1

Head Coach: John Robinson

NFL Draft Selection: 27th pick, 1st round (Cleveland)

Post Football Career: Coach; Computer consultant

BIO

White became USC's third Heisman winner while finishing his career as the NCAA's No. 2 all-time leading rusher.

Born in Los Angeles, White attended San Fernando High where he was an all-star football player and also a state-champion 330-yard hurdler.

White signed with USC in the spring of 1976 and made an immediate impact the following fall, rushing for a true freshman school-record 858 yards with 10 touchdowns as the oft-used backup to Heisman runner up and eventual first-pick-in-the-draft Ricky Bell.

As a sophomore, White took over the starting tailback spot and gained 1,478 yards. He improved greatly as a junior, finishing fourth in the Heisman vote while rushing for 1,760 yards and 13 touchdowns as USC won a share of the national title.

White entered the 1979 season as one of the Heisman front runners and he rose to the occasion. Despite missing about a game-and-a-half due to injury, he led the nation in rushing with 1,803 yards and 18 touchdowns as the Trojans finished 10-0-1 on the year. He tallied four 200-yard efforts during the regular season and had three more game where he rushed for at least 185. In the last eight contests, he averaged 201 yards per game.

As a result, the 5-10, 190-pounder won the Heisman handily over returning Heisman winner Billy Sims of Oklahoma.

White then capped his season with one of the great performances in bowl history, rushing for 247 yards on 39 carries in a dramatic 17-16 victory over Ohio State in the Rose Bowl. His diving touchdown with 1:32 to play was the deciding score.

BIO

In his regular season career, White rushed for 5,598 yards and scored 53 touchdowns.

Drafted by the Cleveland Browns in 1980 with the 27th pick of the first round, he also played for the LA Rams, for whom he won the NFL rushing title in 1987.

White was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1996.

1979 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,050

Date of announcement: December 3, 1979

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Charles White	SR	TB	USC	1,695
2	<i>Billy Sims</i>	SR	RB	Oklahoma	773
3	Marc Wilson	SR	QB	BYU	589
4	Art Schlichter	SO	QB	Ohio State	251
5	Vagas Ferguson	SR	RB	Notre Dame	162

Full voting results in the media guide index.

Future or past Heisman winners in italics.

1979 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,803 yards and 18 TDs on 293 carries

Receiving: 138 yards on 16 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,941 yards on 301 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

White was the third USC Trojan (all tailbacks to that point) to win the Heisman.

He was the seventh-consecutive running back to win the award.

He was the sixth Heisman winner from a Pac-10 school.

He is one of three Heisman winners (Bertelli and Palmer) whose replacement (in this case Marcus Allen) also won a Heisman.

Because of an early-season injury, White won the Heisman despite appearing in the fewest regular season games of any Heisman winner since the NCAA allowed teams to move to an 11-game schedule in 1970.

He is the last player to win a Heisman playing on a team with



Quick Facts

Name: George Washington Rogers

Born: December 8, 1958

Place of Birth: Duluth, GA

High School: Duluth HS

Height: 6-2

Weight: 220

Jersey Number: 38

Position: Running Back

Team: South Carolina Gamecocks

Conference: Independent

Team Record: 8-3-0

Head Coach: Jim Carlen

NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (New Orleans)

Post Football Career: Philanthropist

BIO

Rogers won South Carolina's first Heisman after leading the nation in rushing while topping the 100-yard mark in every game.

The Duluth, Ga., native attended Duluth High and rushed for a still-standing school-record 2,286 yards as 1975 junior. He was highly-recruited as a senior and decided to attend South Carolina when coach Jim Carlen told him that he could play in his freshman year.

Due to his large size -- 6-2, 220 pounds -- he seemed destined to play fullback rather than tailback. However, the Gamecocks had two running backs who graduated at the same time, so he began his college career as the starting tailback midway through his freshman season. Rogers rushed for 623 yards as a freshman and then tallied 1,006 yards as a sophomore while splitting time with Johnnie Wright. However, it was Rogers' junior campaign that launched him into the national spotlight, as he finished with 1,681 yards and eight touchdowns to earn All-American honors.

As a senior, Rogers ran his 100-yard rushing streak to 21 games, totaling a nation-best 1,781 yards while scoring 14 touchdowns. South Carolina finished 8-3 and earned a berth in the Gator Bowl. Rogers was a unanimous All-American selection and beat out Hugh Green and Herschel Walker for the Heisman.

Rogers went on to become the first player chosen in the 1981 NFL draft and starred for the New Orleans Saints before moving on to the Washington Redskins, where he helped lead his team to a Super Bowl Championship in 1988.

Rogers retired in 1988. He was elected to the 2004 Class of the Georgia Sports Hall of Fame. In an effort to give back to the community, George started the George Rog-

ers Foundation of the Carolinas, Inc., of which he is CEO/President. The Foundation provides financial assistance to first-generation college students and financial support to community-based youth development non-profit organizations.

Rogers was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1997.

1980 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,050

Date of announcement: December 1, 1980

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	George Rogers	SR	RB	South Carolina	1,128
2	Hugh Green	SR	DE	Pittsburgh	861
3	<i>Herschel Walker</i>	FR	RB	Georgia	683
4	Mark Hermann	SR	QB	Purdue	405
5	Jim McMahon	JR	QB	BYU	189

Full voting results in the media guide index.

Future or past Heisman winners in italics.

1980 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,781 yards and 14 TDs on 297 carries

Receiving: 23 yards on 7 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,804 yards on 304 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Rogers was the 15th player to win the Heisman on a team not affiliated with a conference.

He was the eighth-consecutive running back to win the Heisman.

He is one of five Heisman winners to be born in Georgia.

He was the first of four Heisman winners to be drafted by the New Orleans Saints.

In 1988, he became one of just seven Heisman-winning running backs to appear in a Super Bowl.

His 5,204 yards is still the highest career rushing total by any Gamecock running back.



Quick Facts

Name: Marcus LeMarr Allen
Born: March 26, 1960
Place of Birth: San Diego, CA
High School: Lincoln HS
Height: 6-2
Weight: 210
Jersey Number: 33
Position: Tailback
Team: USC Trojans
Conference: Pac-10
Team Record: 9-2-0
Head Coach: John Robinson
NFL Draft Selection: 10th pick, 1st round (Los Angeles)
Post Football Career: Broadcaster

BIO

Allen became the fourth USC tailback to win the Heisman while also becoming the first player to top 2,000 rushing yards in a single season. He is arguably the most decorated player in the history of football as he is the only player to win a national title, a Heisman, a Super Bowl, a Super Bowl MVP award and an NFL regular-season MVP award.

The 6-2, 210-pound Allen was born in San Diego, Calif., where he was an all-star quarterback and safety at Lincoln High. In the 1977 San Diego Section 2A championship victory over Kearny, Allen rushed for 195 yards and scored all five of Lincoln's touchdowns (one on defense).

The highly-coveted recruit signed with USC in the spring of 1978 as a safety, but was moved to tailback that fall. As the backup to Charles White, he carried the ball 31 times for 171 yards as the Trojans won the 1978 national title. He was moved to the fullback spot in 1979 and Allen responded with 649 yards and eight touchdowns while playing the role of lead blocker for White's Heisman bid. As a 1980 junior, Allen moved back to tailback and promptly rushed for 1,563 yards and 14 scores while leading the nation in all-purpose yardage.

His senior season of 1981 was one of the greatest in Heisman history. He topped the 200-yard rushing mark in eight of 11 games and totaled 2,342 yards while scoring 23 touchdowns (and also catching 29 passes) as the Trojans finished 9-2 on the year.

Allen was awarded the Heisman as well as the Maxwell and Walter Camp Player of the Year awards. He finished his four college seasons with 4,669 rushing yards, 5,232 total yards, and 46 touchdowns, while averaging 5.2 yards per carry. Drafted with the 10th pick of the 1982 first round by the

Oakland Raiders, Allen played professionally until 1997, when he retired from the Kansas City Chiefs. He was the MVP of the 1984 Super Bowl and the NFL's MVP in 1985.

Allen was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1999.

1981 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,050

Date of announcement: December 5, 1981

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Marcus Allen	SR	TB	USC	1,797
2	<i>Herschel Walker</i>	SO	RB	Georgia	1,199
3	Jim McMahaon	SR	QB	BYU	706
4	Dan Marino	JR	QB	Pittsburgh	256
5	Art Schlichter	SR	QB	Ohio State	149

Full voting results in the media guide index.

Future or past Heisman winners in italics.

1981 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 2,342 yards and 22 TDs on 403 carries

Receiving: 217 yards and 1 TD on 29 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 2,559 yards on 432 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Allen was the fourth USC tailback to win the Heisman and second in three years.

He was the ninth-straight running back to win the award.

He was the second Heisman winner coached by John Robinson.

His 2,342 rushing yards were the most by a Heisman winner until surpassed by Barry Sanders in 1988.

He is the only player to win a national title, a Heisman, a Super Bowl, a Super Bowl MVP award and an NFL regular-season MVP award.

He was the first player to be present as his Heisman award was announced on live television.



Quick Facts

Name: Herschel Walker
Born: March 3, 1962
Place of Birth: Wrightsville, GA
High School: Johnson Co. HS
Height: 6-1
Weight: 205
Jersey Number: 34
Position: Running Back
Team: Georgia Bulldogs
Conference: SEC
Team Record: 11-0-0
Head Coach: Vince Dooley
NFL Draft Selection: 114th pick, 5th round (Dallas)
Post Football Career: Olympic athlete; Mixed Martial Arts



BIO

Walker in 1982 became the seventh junior and second Georgia Bulldog to win the Heisman Trophy.

The 6-foot 1-inch, 222-pound Walker amassed an unbelievable 5,097 yards rushing in his career, an NCAA record for yards rushing in three seasons.

Walker was born in Wrightsville, Ga., one of seven children. He attended Johnson County High, where he played football, basketball and competed in track. In his senior year of 1979, he rushed for 3,167 yards.

Recruited to the University of Georgia, he produced one of the best freshman seasons in college football history in 1980, rushing for 1,616 yards and 15 touchdowns as the Bulldogs went 12-0 and won the national title. Walker tied the best finish ever (at the time) by a freshman in the Heisman vote, placing third behind George Rogers and Hugh Green.

He came back the following season and led Georgia to a 10-2 record while rushing for a career-best 1,891 yards and 18 scores. But he finished second in the Heisman voting to Marcus Allen.

The Heisman finally came his way as a junior, as Walker rushed for 1,752 yards and 16 touchdowns while leading the Bulldogs to an 11-0 regular-season record and a national title matchup against Penn State in the Sugar Bowl. Walker's three-year record at Georgia was a remarkable 33-3.

Following his junior season, Walker decided to go pro. The NFL still didn't take underclassmen, but the newly-formed USFL did. Walker signed with the New Jersey Generals and became the marquee player in that league. In his

three-year USFL career, Walker rushed for 5,562 yards.

He later joined the NFL's Dallas Cowboys, forming the league's first all-Heisman backfield with Tony Dorsett. He also had stints with Minnesota, Philadelphia and New York before retiring.

Ever the competitor, Walker has participated in a variety of sports and athletic activities over the years in addition to football and track, including taekwondo, bobsledding, ballet and mixed martial arts.

Walker was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 1999.

1982 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,050

Date of announcement: December 4, 1982

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Herschel Walker	JR	RB	Georgia	1,926
2	John Elway	SR	QB	Stanford	1,231
3	Eric Dickerson	SR	RB	SMU	465
4	Anthony Carter	SR	WR	Michigan	142
5	Dave Rimington	SR	C	Nebraska	137

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1982 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,752 yards and 16 TDs on 352 carries

Receiving: 89 yards and 1 TD on 5 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,877 yards on 342 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Walker was the 10th-consecutive running back to win the Heisman, the fifth Heisman winner from the SEC (and first since Pat Sullivan in 1971) and the seventh junior to win.

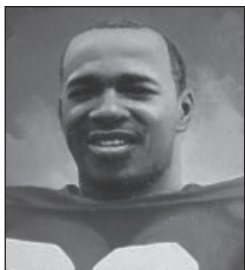
He joined Glenn Davis and Doak Walker as the only players to finish in the top 3 of the Heisman vote three times.

He is the sixth and most recent player to finish as both Heisman winner and Heisman runner up in his career.

He's the only Heisman winner to also compete in an Olympic Games.

Walker's Heisman announcement was the first to be part of a live TV show in which finalists were present.

He is the first Heisman winner to skip his remaining NCAA eligibility to play professional football.



Quick Facts

Name: Michael T. Rozier
Born: March 1, 1961
Place of Birth: Camden, NJ
High School: Woodrow Wilson HS
Height: 5-10
Weight: 198
Jersey Number: 30
Position: I-Back
Team: Nebraska
Conference: Big 8
Team Record: 12-0-0
Head Coach: Tom Osborne
NFL Draft Selection: 2nd pick, 1st round (Supplemental Draft- Houston)
Post Football Career: Fund raising; Philanthropy

BIO

Rozier rushed for over 2,000 yards as the main weapon on one of the most prolific offenses of all time as he became the second Nebraska player to win the Heisman Trophy.

Rozier was born in Camden, New Jersey. He was a sprinter and running back for Woodrow Wilson High in the late 1970s. Despite his gridiron heroics, he was not heavily recruited coming out of high school in 1980 and, anyway, his grades were not up to par. So he spent his freshman year at Coffeyville JC in Kansas, leading that team to a perfect 9-0 season.

With his academics in order, Rozier signed with Nebraska and spent his 1982 sophomore season as a backup to future NFL great Roger Craig, rushing for 943 yards and five touchdowns in the powerful Cornhusker attack.

As a junior in 1982, Rozier set a school record with 1,689 yards to go with 15 touchdowns as Nebraska finished 12-1. Rozier finished 10th in the Heisman voting that year.

He ran for 2,148 yards and 29 touchdowns, and averaged nearly 8 yards per carry as a senior. He topped the 200-yard mark in each of his last four regular-season games and easily won the Heisman over Steve Young.

That Nebraska team averaged 52 points a game, and earned a berth in the Orange Bowl, where they played Miami for the national championship. In that game, Rozier ran wild in the first half, but an ankle injury knocked him out of action in the second half and Miami won the game 31-30.

Rozier opted to play in the USFL with the Pittsburgh Maulers and then the Jacksonville Bulls before being chosen in the supplemen-

tal draft by the Houston Oilers in 1984, where he played for seven years. He finished his NFL career with the Atlanta Falcons in 1991.

Besides charity events sponsored by the HWA and the Heisman Memorial Trophy Trust, Mike participates in many other charitable endeavors including the Beacon Schools, Rotary Club of Winslow Township, and the charitable organizations of many Heisman winners. He was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Football Hall of Fame in 2006.

1983 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,050

Date of announcement: December 5, 1983

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Mike Rozier	SR	IB	Nebraska	1,801
2	Steve Young	SR	QB	BYU	1,172
3	<i>Doug Flutie</i>	JR	QB	Boston Coll.	253
4	Turner Gill	SR	QB	Nebraska	190
5	Terry Hoage	SR	S	Georgia	112

Full voting results in the media guide index.

Future or past Heisman winners in italics.

1983 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 2,148 yards and 29 TDs on 275 carries

Receiving: 108 yards on 9 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 2,488 yards on 295 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Rozier was the last of 11-consecutive running backs to win the Heisman.

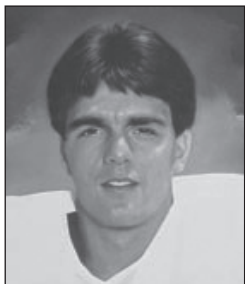
He is the second of three Heisman winners to first play junior college football before winning the award (OJ Simpson and Cam Newton are the others).

Rozier's 29 touchdowns was the most in Heisman history until surpassed by Barry Sanders in 1988.

He is one of three Heisman winners born in New Jersey.

He was the fifth Big 8 player to win the Heisman.

He was the first Heisman winner to play 12 regular season games.



Quick Facts

Name: Douglas Richard Flutie
Born: October 23, 1962
Place of Birth: Manchester, MD
High School: Natick (MA) HS
Height: 5-9
Weight: 180
Jersey Number: 22
Position: Quarterback
Team: Boston College Eagles
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 9-2-0
Head Coach: Jack Bicknell
NFL Draft Selection: 285th pick, 11th round (Los Angeles)
Post Football Career: Broadcaster

BIO

Flutie set the NCAA all-time passing yardage mark while winning Boston College's first Heisman in 1984.

The first major college football passer to surpass 10,000 career yards (10,579), the undersized Flutie was a surefire combination of derring-do, charisma and dazzling football skills.

Flutie was born in Baltimore but moved to Natick, Massachusetts, as a teenager. He graduated Natick High in 1981 as an all-league performer in football, basketball and baseball.

He signed with Boston College and earned a starting role as a true freshman and never looked back, never missing a game in his career. That first year, he threw for 1,652 yards and 10 touchdowns. He totaled 2,749 yards and a sophomore and 2,724 yards as a junior as BC went 9-3 and won the Liberty Bowl. That year, Flutie was a Heisman finalist, finishing third in the vote behind Mike Rozier. He entered the 1984 season as one of the Heisman front runners and more than lived up to his billing.

Flutie had a remarkable senior year, throwing for 3,454 yards and 27 touchdowns as the Eagles finished 9-2 in the regular season and ranked eighth in the polls. Of course, everyone remembers his dramatic last-second bomb to Gerard Phelan that led BC over Miami, 47-45. But contrary to popular belief, that play did not win Flutie the Heisman as the votes were already mailed in.

A unanimous First-Team All-America selection in 1984, he won the Maxwell Award and the Davey O'Brien Award that year in addition to the Heisman. An excellent student, Flutie was also a candidate for a prestigious Rhodes Scholarship as a senior.

After graduation, he played 22 years of professional football

and was elected to the National Football Foundation's College Football Hall of Fame in his first year of eligibility (2007).

Flutie is currently a broadcast analyst for ABC Sports and ESPN, covering college football. In 1998, he established the Doug Flutie, Jr. Foundation for Autism in honor of his son who was diagnosed with the disability. To date, Doug has raised over \$20 million for children with autism.

1984 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,050

Date of announcement: December 1, 1984

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Doug Flutie	SR	QB	Boston Coll.	2,240
2	Keith Byars	JR	RB	Ohio State	1,251
3	Robbie Bosco	JR	QB	BYU	443
4	Bernie Kosar	SO	QB	Miami	320
5	Kenneth Davis	JR	RB	TCU	86

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1984 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 3,454 yards and 27 TDs on 233 of 386 passing

Rushing: 379 yards and 3 TDs on 66 carries

Total Offense: 3,782 yards

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Flutie was the first quarterback to win the Heisman since Pat Sullivan in 1971, snapping a streak of 11-consecutive running back winners from 1973 to 1983.

His 3,454 passing yards were the most in Heisman history until surpassed by Andre Ware in 1989.

His 27 touchdowns were the most in Heisman history until topped by Ware in 1989.

Flutie was the 16th player to win the Heisman while playing for a team unaffiliated with a conference.

He's the only Heisman winner born in Maryland.

At 5-9, he's the second-shortest quarterback to win the Heisman (Davey O'Brien was 5-7).



Quick Facts

Name: Vincent Edward "Bo" Jackson

Born: November 30, 1962

Place of Birth: Bessemer, AL

High School: McAdory HS

Height: 6-1

Weight: 230

Jersey Number: 34

Position: Running Back

Team: Auburn Tigers

Conference: SEC

Team Record: 8-3-0

Head Coach: Pat Dye

NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Tampa Bay)

Post Football Career: Businessman; Philanthropist

BIO

Jackson, one of the great all-around athletes in college football history, won Auburn's second Heisman in 1985, joining Pat Sullivan.

The eighth of ten children, Jackson was born and raised in Bessemer, Ala. The 6-2, 230-pounder attended McAdory High School in McCalla, where he attracted the interest of collegiate scouts from three sports: football, baseball, and track and field. In 1982, the New York Yankees drafted him out of high school, but Jackson rejected their contract offer and instead accepted a football scholarship from Auburn University.

He made an immediate impact for the Tigers, rushing for 829 yards and nine touchdowns as a 1982 true freshman. He followed that up with 1,213 yards and 12 touchdowns -- while averaging almost eight yards per carry -- as a sophomore in 1983 as the Tigers went 11-1 and finished third in the polls. Injuries limited him to 475 yards and five scores in 1984.

Jackson was slowed by injuries as a senior as well, but he still managed to rush for 1,786 yards and 17 touchdowns as Auburn finished 8-3 on the season. He was awarded the Heisman over Chuck Long of Iowa in what was, at the time, the closest vote in Heisman history.

A three-time All-Southeastern Conference and two-time All-American selection, Jackson is the only running back in Auburn history to rush for more than 4,000 yards (4,303) in a career. He also is Auburn's second all-time leading scorer with 45 touchdowns. While dominating on the gridiron, Jackson also lettered in baseball and track. Jackson's baseball prowess was demonstrated by a batting average of .401 during his junior season and a career average of .335.

Jackson was selected with the first overall pick of the 1986 NFL Draft by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers, but he opted to play baseball for the Kansas City Royals, the defending World Series champions, who had drafted him in the fourth round in the 1986 amateur draft.

He played several seasons with the Royals, White Sox and Angels, while also returning to football to play for the Los Angeles Raiders. He was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 1998.

1985 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,050

Date of announcement: December 7, 1985

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Bo Jackson	SR	RB	Auburn	1,509
2	Chuck Long	SR	QB	Iowa	1,464
3	Robbie Bosco	SR	QB	BYU	459
4	Lorenzo White	SO	RB	Michigan St.	291
5	<i>Vinny Testaverde</i>	JR	QB	Miami (Fla.)	249

Full voting results in the media guide index.

Future or past Heisman winners in italics.

1985 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,786 yards and 17 TDs on 278 carries

Receiving: 73 yards on 4 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,859 yards on 282 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Jackson was the second of three Heisman winners from Auburn.

He was the sixth Heisman winner from the SEC.

He's one of two Heisman winners to make it to baseball's major leagues (Vic Janowicz of Ohio State is the other).

He's the only Heisman winner to become an All-Star in Major League Baseball.

His winning vote margin over Iowa quarterback Chuck Long was the narrowest in Heisman history until 2009.

He is one of three Heisman winners born in the state of Alabama.



Quick Facts

Name: Vincent Frank Testaverde

Born: November 13, 1963

Place of Birth: Brooklyn, NY

High School: Sewanhaka HS

Height: 6-5

Weight: 230

Jersey Number: 14

Position: Quarterback

Team: Miami Hurricanes

Conference: Independent

Team Record: 11-0-0

Head Coach: Jimmy Johnson

NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Tampa Bay)

Post Football Career: High school coach.

BIO

Testaverde won Miami's first Heisman Trophy while leading the Hurricanes to an undefeated regular season in 1986.

Born in Brooklyn, New York, Testaverde went to school at Sewanhaka High in Floral Park on Long Island, and graduated in 1981. He then went to Fork Union Military Academy in Fork Union, Virg., for a post-graduate year of college preparatory work (1995 Heisman winner Eddie George also attended Fork Union) before signing with Miami in 1982.

The quarterback depth his freshman year was remarkable and included Jim Kelly, Bernie Kosar and current Georgia head coach Mark Richt.

Testaverde threw for 79 yards in limited action as a 1982 true freshman and then redshirted in 1983 when Miami won the national title. He served as a backup to Kosar in 1984 before taking over the starting job as junior in 1985. Testaverde threw for 3,238 yards and 21 touchdowns that season and led Miami to a 10-2 record and a No. 9 final ranking. He finished fifth in the Heisman vote.

His senior year was a magical one. Testaverde threw for 2,557 yards and 26 touchdowns (while also adding four rushing scores) as Miami finished the regular season 11-0 and ranked No. 1 in the country. Included in that year was a big performance in a huge win over defending national champ Oklahoma. To no one's surprise, Testaverde went on to win the Heisman in a landslide over Temple's Paul Palmer.

A loss to Penn State in the Fiesta Bowl in January of 1987 cost the Hurricanes another national title, but it didn't dim Testaverde's star.

Tampa Bay selected Testaverde as the first overall pick of the

1987 NFL Draft. He finished his pro career with 46,233 yards passing and 275 touchdowns, both among the top eight on the NFL career charts at the time of his retirement. He played until he was 44 and is still the oldest quarterback ever to win an NFL game.

He was elected to the College Football Hall of Fame in 2013.

1986 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,050

Date of announcement: December 6, 1986

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Vinny Testaverde	SR	QB	Miamia (Fla.)	2,213
2	Paul Palmer	SR	RB	Temple	672
3	Jim Harbaugh	SR	QB	Michigan	458
4	Brian Bosworth	JR	LB	Oklahoma	395
5	Gordie Lockbaum	JR	RB/DB	Holy Cross	242

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1986 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 2,557 yards and 26 TDs on 175 of 276 passing

Rushing: -103 yards and 4 TDs

Total Offense: 2,454 yards on 322 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Testaverde is the 17th player to win the Heisman playing for a team not affiliated with a conference.

He was the first Heisman-winning quarterback to be the first overall selection in the NFL draft since Jim Plunkett in 1971.

He is the only Heisman winner born in New York state.

He is one of two Heisman winners to attend Fork Union Prep School in Virginia (Eddie George is the other).

He is the first fifth-year senior to win the Heisman.

His 165.79 passer rating was the best in Heisman history until topped by Danny Wuerffel in 1996.



Quick Facts

Name: Timothy Donell Brown
Born: July 22, 1966
Place of Birth: Dallas, TX
High School: Woodrow Wilson HS
Height: 6-0
Weight: 195
Jersey Number: 81
Position: Wide Receiver
Team: Notre Dame
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 8-3-0
Head Coach: Lou Holtz
NFL Draft Selection: 6th pick, 1st round (Los Angeles)
Post Football Career: Broadcaster; Businessman

BIO

Brown became Notre Dame's seventh Heisman winner joining Angelo Bertelli ('43), John Lujack ('47), Leon Hart ('49), John Lattner ('53), Paul Hornung ('56) and John Huart ('64). He is the second of three wide receivers to win the Heisman.

A native of Dallas, Texas, Brown attended Woodrow Wilson High, the same school as 1938 Heisman Trophy winner Davey O'Brien. He originally started out in the school band, but played football from his sophomore year onward. A high-end athlete with good marks in the 400 meters and long jump, Brown was highly-sought after by college recruiters despite his team going 4-25-1 during his three years as a starter. Brown chose Notre Dame over Oklahoma, SMU, Nebraska and Iowa.

"Touchdown Timmy" set the Irish freshman receiving record in 1984 with 28 catches for 340 yards and one score. As a sophomore he caught 25 passes for 397 yards and three TDs and started to flash his return ability while averaging 24 yards on kickoff returns (with one TD return).

Brown had 45 catches for 910 yards and two kick return TDs as a junior. He burst onto the national scene with a scintillating season-ending performance in a come-from-behind upset of USC and his name was on Heisman voters' minds heading into his senior year.

He then used back-to-back punt returns for touchdowns in an early-season 1987 game against Michigan State to cement his Heisman bid.

Listed as a flanker, Brown utilized his ability as a pass receiver, rusher out of a full-house backfield and punt and kickoff returner to rank sixth nationally in all-purpose yardage as a senior (167.9). Brown finished his career as Notre Dame's all-time leader in

pass reception yards (2493) while also returning six kicks for touchdowns (three punts, three kickoffs). Despite constant double and triple coverage as a senior, he earned a reputation as perhaps the most dangerous player in college football. He won the Heisman handily over Syracuse quarterback Don McPherson.

Brown was a first-round pick of the Los Angeles Raiders (sixth player chosen overall) in the '88 NFL draft. The nine-time Pro-Bowler was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 2009.

1987 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 1,050

Date of announcement: December 5, 1987

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Tim Brown	SR	WR	Notre Dame	1,442
2	Don McPherson	SR	QB	Syracuse	831
3	Gordie Lockbaum	SR	RB/DB	Holy Cross	657
4	Lorenzo White	SR	RB	Michigan St	632
5	Craig Heyward	SR	RB	Pittsburgh	170

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1987 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Receiving: 846 yards and 3 TDs on 39 receptions

Rushing: 144 yards and 1 TD on 34 carries

Punt Returns: 401 yards and 3 TDs on 34 returns

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,847 yards

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Brown is the most recent of Notre Dame's seven Heisman winners.

He was the second wide receiver to win the Heisman.

He is the 18th player to win a Heisman while playing for a team not affiliated with a conference.

He is one of two players to win the Heisman after attending Woodrow Wilson High in Dallas (Davey O'Brien is the other).

He is one of six Heisman winners born in Texas.

His first year in high school, he played in the band instead of on the football team.



Quick Facts

Name: Barry Sanders
Born: July 16, 1968
Place of Birth: Wichita, KS
High School: Wichita North HS
Height: 5-8
Weight: 200
Jersey Number: 21
Position: Running Back
Team: Oklahoma State Cowboys
Conference: Big 8
Team Record: 9-2-0
Head Coach: Pat Jones
NFL Draft Selection: 3rd pick, 1st round (Detroit)
Post Football Career: Retired

BIO

Sanders won Oklahoma State's first Heisman following what was arguably the greatest season in the trophy's history.

The 5-8, 200-pounder set 34 NCAA records in 1988 on his way to college football immortality.

Born in Wichita, Kansas, Sanders attended Wichita North High, where he did not become the starting tailback until the fourth game of his 1985 senior season. He was overlooked by most college recruiters and his only scholarship offers were from Emporia State, Tulsa and Oklahoma State.

Sanders chose the Cowboys and showed immediate promise as a 1986 freshman, rushing for 325 yards and two touchdowns. As a 1987 sophomore, he backed up future all-pro running back Thurman Thomas, rushing for 603 yards and nine touchdowns while leading the nation in kickoff returns.

With Thomas off to the NFL, Sanders took over the starting running back spot in 1988 and proceeded to crank out a season for the ages. Sanders rushed for 2,628 yards, an average of 238.9 yards per game, with 37 rushing touchdowns. He also added a punt return TD and a kickoff return TD to bring his regular season touchdown total to 39. He produced a record 3,250 all-purpose yards and averaged 8.3 yards per play as Oklahoma State finished 9-2 and ranked 12th in the polls.

Sanders won the Heisman by sweeping all six voting regions. He actually accepted the award via satellite from Tokyo, Japan, where his team was scheduled to play a game against Texas Tech. He added another 222 rushing yards and five touchdowns against Wyoming in the bowl game, bringing his 12-game total to 2,850 rushing yards and 42 scores.

He chose to skip his senior season in college and was drafted by the Detroit Lions with the third pick of the 1989 NFL Draft. He was the NFL MVP in 1997, becoming the fifth running back to rush for 2,000 yards in a season (2,053). He was a ten-time Pro Bowl selection and an eight-time all-NFL and Pro Bowl player.

He was elected to the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame in 2003 and Professional Football Hall of Fame in 2004.

1988 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 917

Date of announcement: December 3, 1988

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Barry Sanders	JR	RB	Oklahoma St	1,878
2	Rodney Peete	SR	QB	USC	912
3	Troy Aikman	SR	QB	UCLA	582
4	Steve Walsh	JR	QB	Miami (FL)	341
5	Major Harris	JR	QB	West Virginia	280

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1988 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 2,628 yards and 37 TDs on 344 carries

Receiving: 106 yards on 19 receptions

All-Purpose Yardage: 3,250 yards on 393 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

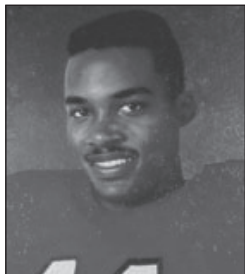
Sanders was the sixth player from the Big 8 to win the Heisman.

He is the only Heisman winner born in Kansas.

He was the eighth junior to win the Heisman, but the first Heisman winner to enter the NFL draft prior to completing his college eligibility.

Sanders was the first Heisman winner to take part in the live Heisman announcement from a remote location, in his case Tokyo, Japan.

He was the first player since Pat Sullivan to win the Heisman before playing in his last regular season game.



Quick Facts

Name: Andre Ware
Born: July 31, 1968
Place of Birth: Galveston, TX
High School: Dickinson HS
Height: 6-2
Weight: 205
Jersey Number: 11
Position: Quarterback
Team: Houston Cougars
Conference: Southwest
Team Record: 9-2-0
Head Coach: Jack Pardee
NFL Draft Selection: 7th pick, 1st round (Detroit)
Post Football Career: Broadcaster

BIO

Ware won Houston's first Heisman by virtue of one of the great passing seasons in NCAA history. He remains the only player to win a Heisman for a team on NCAA probation. He was also the first black quarterback to win the award.

Ware was born in Galveston, Texas, and attended nearby Dickinson High. Plenty of schools were willing to offer him a scholarship after his 1985 senior season, but not as a quarterback. Ware signed with Houston as a veer quarterback but was later ruled ineligible for his freshman season in 1986 so he attended Alvin Community College, working two jobs to help pay his tuition before joining the Cougars the following season.

His arrival at Houston in 1987 coincided with the arrival of the run and shoot offense of new Cougars head coach Jack Pardee. As it turns out, Ware was custom-made for the system. However, he broke his arm five games into the season and was lost the rest of the way.

Ware rebounded in 1988, earning the starting job and throwing for 2,507 yards and 25 touchdowns as the Cougars improved from 4-6-1 to 9-3. This excitement over this improvement was dampened a bit as Houston was placed on NCAA probation and banned from a bowl game for the 1989 season.

That didn't stop Ware and the Cougars from producing one of the most explosive offenses in NCAA history. Ware threw for 4,699 yards and 46 touchdowns as Houston averaged 53.5 points per game. The list of accomplishments included a 95-21 drubbing of SMU, the most points ever scored by a team with a Heisman Trophy winner. All in all, Ware set 26 NCAA records as Houston finished 9-2 and ranked 14th nationally.

Despite the dominant season, Ware won the Heisman in a close vote over Indiana's Anthony Thompson. Being on probation prevented Heisman voters from seeing Ware on television, which probably affected his support.

Ware declared for the NFL draft and was selected by Detroit with the seventh overall pick of the 1990 draft. He was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 2004. He currently works as a college football color analyst.

1989 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 918

Date of announcement: December 2, 1989

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Andre Ware	JR	QB	Houston	1,073
2	Anthony Thompson	SR	RB	Indiana	1,003
3	Major Harris	SR	QB	West Virginia	709
4	Tony Rice	SR	QB	Notre Dame	523
5	Darian Hagan	SO	QB	Colorado	292

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1989 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 4,699 yards and 46 TDs on 365 of 578 passing

Total Offense: 4,661 yards on 628 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Ware is the only player to win the Heisman playing for a team on probation.

He is the most recent player to not play in a bowl following being awarded the Heisman and first since Steve Owens in 1969.

He was the fifth player from the Southwest Conference to win the Heisman.

He is one of six Heisman winners born in Texas.

He was the ninth junior to win the Heisman and the second-consecutive to pass up his senior year for the NFL.

Because the day he took his college entrance exam was not an authorized test date under N.C.A.A. rules, Ware was declared ineligible to play as a freshman in 1986. Instead of playing football, he attended a junior college.

Ware was the second-straight Heisman winner to receive his Heisman via satellite.



Quick Facts

Name: Ty Hubert Detmer
Born: October 30, 1967
Place of Birth: San Marcos, TX
High School: Southwest HS
Height: 6-0
Weight: 190
Jersey Number: 14
Position: Quarterback
Team: BYU Cougars
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 10-2-0
Head Coach: LaVell Edwards
NFL Draft Selection: 230th pick, 9th round (Green Bay)
Post Football Career: Coaching



BIO

Detmer won BYU's first Heisman by producing the most passing yards and total offense in the history of the award.

The 6-foot, 175-pounder was born in San Marcos, Texas, and attended Southwest High in San Antonio, where he earned letters in golf, football, basketball, baseball, and track. As a 1986 senior, Detmer won high school All-American honors in football and was the Texas Player of the Year.

Detmer took over the starting job for BYU as a redshirt sophomore and set the NCAA record for passing by a sophomore with 4,560 yards (with 32 touchdowns). His rating of 175.6 nearly broke the NCAA record for pass efficiency in a season.

His epic junior year included a 28-21 victory over top-ranked Miami early in the season in Provo, one of the biggest wins in BYU history. During the nationally televised victory over the Hurricanes, Detmer threw for 406 yards and earned national Player-of-the-Week honors. The win was, without a doubt, a huge factor in him winning the Heisman later in the year.

Detmer returned for his senior season in 1991, passing for 4,031 yards and 35 scores while finishing third in the Heisman vote behind Desmond Howard.

By the end of his collegiate career, Detmer had broken 59 NCAA records and tied three others. He finished his career with a then-NCAA-record 15,031 yards passing. He also had 14,665 career yards in total offense, another NCAA best at the time. The Cougars were invited to four bowl games and compiled a record of 37-13-2 during the Detmer years.

After finishing his record-setting career at BYU and earning a

bachelor's degree in recreation administration, Detmer was drafted in the 9th round of the 1992 draft by the Green Bay Packers and had a pretty decent journeyman career, playing for the Packers, Philadelphia Eagles, Cleveland Browns and the Atlanta Falcons.

He was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 2012. Most recently, he returned to his alma mater to take on the role of offensive coordinator.

1990 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 917

Date of announcement: December 1, 1990

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Ty Detmer	JR	QB	BYU	1,482
2	Raghib Ismail	JR	WR	Notre Dame	1,177
3	Eric Bieniemy	SR	RB	Colorado	798
4	Shawn Moore	SR	QB	Virginia	465
5	David Klingler	JR	QB	Houston	125

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1990 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 5,188 yards and 41 TDs on 361 of 562 passing

Total Offense: 5,022 yards on 635 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

He is the last Heisman winner to come from a school that does not currently play in a major FBS conference.

He was the 19th player to win the Heisman while playing for a team not affiliated with a conference.

His 5,022 yards of total offense is the most in Heisman history.

He's one of six Heisman winners born in Texas and the third Texan between 1987-1990 to win a Heisman.

He was the third-straight Heisman winner to receive his Heisman via satellite.

He was the 10th junior to win the Heisman and the first to return for his senior season since Billy Sims in 1979.



Quick Facts

Name: Desmond Kevin Howard
Born: May 15, 1970
Place of Birth: Cleveland, OH
High School: St. Joseph HS
Height: 5-10
Weight: 185
Jersey Number: 21
Position: Wide Receiver
Team: Michigan Wolverines
Conference: Big Ten
Team Record: 10-1-0
Head Coach: Gary Moeller
NFL Draft Selection: 4th pick, 1st round (Washington)
Post Football Career: Broadcasting

BIO

Howard won Michigan's second Heisman -- and first since 1940 -- on the strength of a spectacular all-around game. He is the third wide receiver to win the Heisman, joining Johnny Rodgers and Tim Brown.

Howard was born in Cleveland, Ohio and earned All-American and All-Ohio honors as a tailback during his 1987 senior season at St. Joseph High School, scoring 18 touchdowns while snagging 10 interceptions on defense. He earned three varsity letters each in track and football, as well as one in basketball.

He chose to attend Michigan as a running back, but struggled early in his career. Howard moved to wide receiver and redshirted his freshman year in 1988, then had just nine catches in 1989. He broke out as a sophomore, however, with 63 catches for 1,025 yards and 11 touchdowns. He also showed his versatility, running for 58 yards and averaging 29.6 yards on kickoffs, with a touchdown return.

Howard was sublime as a 1991 junior as he helped Michigan to a 10-1 regular season record, a Big Ten title and a No. 4 ranking. His acrobatic catches and explosive returns made him one of the most electrifying players ever to play the college game. He became the first receiver in Big Ten history to lead the conference in scoring (138 points) as he set or tied five NCAA records and 12 single-season Michigan records. He caught 61 passes for 960 yards and 19 scores, rushed 12 times for 165 yards and two TDs, averaged 15.3 yards (with a TD) on punt returns and 31 yards on kick returns (with a TD).

The All-American won the Heisman by the second largest margin of victory in the trophy's history. After graduating from the University of Michigan with a Bachelors degree in Mass Communications,

he was drafted by the Washington Redskins as the fourth overall pick in the 1992 NFL draft. While he never caught on as a receiver, he turned himself into one of the greatest kick returners in NFL history and won a Super Bowl MVP with the Packers.

He was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 2010 and has since made a name for himself as a college football analyst for ESPN.

1991 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 917

Date of announcement: December 14, 1991

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Desmond Howard	JR	WR	Michigan	2,077
2	Casey Weldon	SR	QB	Florida State	503
3	<i>Ty Detmer</i>	SR	QB	BYU	445
4	Steve Emtman	SR	DT	Washington	357
5	Shane Matthews	JR	QB	Florida	246

Full voting results in the media guide index.

Future or past Heisman winners in italics.

1991 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Receiving: 950 yards and 19 TDs on 61 catches

Punt Returns: 261 yards and 1 TD on 17 returns

Kickoff Returns: 373 yards and 1 TD on 12 returns

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,759 yards on 102 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Howard was Michigan's second Heisman winner and first since Tom Harmon in 1940.

His was the 11th Heisman won by a player from the Big Ten Conference (and first since Archie Griffin in 1975).

He is the most recent of three wide receivers to win the Heisman, joining Johnny Rodgers and Tim Brown.

He is one of eight Heisman winners born in Ohio.

He is the most recent of four Heisman winners to be named Super Bowl MVP (1997, Green Bay).

He was the 10th junior to win the Heisman.



Quick Facts

Name: Gino Louis Torretta
Born: August 10, 1970
Place of Birth: Pinole, CA
High School: Valley HS
Height: 6-3
Weight: 205
Jersey Number: 13
Position: Quarterback
Team: Miami Hurricanes
Conference: Independent
Team Record: 11-0-0
Head Coach: Dennis Erickson
NFL Draft Selection: 192nd pick, 7th round (Minnesota)
Post Football Career: Finance; Media

BIO

Torretta became the second Miami quarterback to win the Heisman while leading his team to an undefeated regular season.

The 6-3, 205-pounder was one of the most celebrated athletes in Hurricanes history.

Torretta was born in Pinole, Calif., and starred for the Pinole High football team as a senior in 1987. He joined the Miami football program the following season and, after redshirting, he was a timely contributor to the 1989 national title team, throwing for 1,325 yards and eight touchdowns in relief of the injured Craig Erickson. His big highlight was a school-record 485 passing yards against San Diego State. He was less productive as a sophomore, throwing for 210 yards as a reserve, but he won the starting job in 1991 and proceeded to lead Miami to its fourth national title in nine seasons. Torretta had 3,095 yards and 20 touchdowns as the 'Canes went 12-0.

He entered the 1992 season as one of the favorites for the Heisman and he did not disappoint. Torretta threw for 3,070 yards and 19 touchdowns to once again lead Miami to an undefeated regular season. When he was awarded the Heisman over Marshall Faulk, the 'Canes were sitting on 29-straight wins -- 23 of them with Torretta as the starter. Torretta also won the Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Award, the Maxwell Trophy and the Davey O'Brien national quarterback awards.

He finished his Miami career with eleven school passing records, including career attempts (991), completions (555), yards (7,690), total offense (7,772), longest pass (99 yards to Horace Copeland vs. Arkansas, an NCAA record) and most passing yards in a game (485 vs. San Diego State).

Torretta has long worked as a color commentator for collegiate and professional football games, and also hosts the Gino Torretta Celebrity Blue Tee Weekend benefiting The Torretta Foundation, which aims to find a cure for ALS and Myasthenia Gravis.

In 2008 he was inducted into the University of Miami's Ring of Honor. Torretta was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 2009.

1992 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 918

Date of announcement: December 12, 1992

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Gino Torretta	SR	QB	Miami (FL)	1,400
2	Marshall Faulk	SO	RB	San Diego St	1,080
3	Garrison Hearst	JR	RB	Georgia	982
4	Marvin Jones	JR	LB	Florida State	392
5	Reggie Brooks	SR	RB	Notre Dame	294

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1992 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 3,070 yards and 19 TDs on 228 of 402 passing

Total Offense: 3,046 yards on 436 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Torretta was the second Miami quarterback to win the Heisman.

He was the 20th player to win the Heisman while playing for a team not affiliated with a conference.

He's one of 12 Heisman winners to be born in California.

He was 23-1 as a starter for the Hurricanes.

He was the first senior to win the award since Tim Brown in 1987, snapping a string of four-straight junior winners.



Quick Facts

Name: Charlie Ward, Jr.
Born: October 12, 1970
Place of Birth: Thomasville, GA
High School: Thomas Central HS
Height: 6-2
Weight: 190
Jersey Number: 17
Position: Quarterback
Team: Florida State Seminoles
Conference: Atlantic Coast
Team Record: 11-1-0
Head Coach: Bobby Bowden
NFL Draft Selection: N/A
Post Football Career: NBA player;
 high school coach



BIO

Ward won Florida State's first Heisman Trophy after a stellar season that saw him lead the Seminoles to an 11-1 record and a No. 1 AP ranking.

One of the most decorated players in the history of college football, Charlie Ward won literally every award he was eligible for as a senior quarterback on Florida State's 1993 National Championship team. In addition, Ward was the spark-plug on three Seminole NCAA Tournament basketball teams.

He's the only Heisman winner to play in the NBA. A native of nearby Thomasville, Ga., Ward won the Heisman in 1993 after completing 69.5 percent of his passes for 3,032 yards with 27 touchdowns and only four interceptions. Ward margin of victory was a massive 1,622 points, second at the time only to O.J. Simpson's 1,750 point win in 1968. He also won the Davey O'Brien and Johnny Unitas Golden Arm Awards and was named Walter Camp Player of the Year and Toyota Leader of the Year. He is only the second college football player ever to win the Sullivan Award given annually to the nation's top amateur athlete.

After winning the Heisman, Ward guided the Seminoles to an 18-16 victory over Nebraska in the Orange Bowl, giving FSU and head coach Bobby Bowden its first-ever national title.

On the basketball court, Ward pushed the Seminoles to the brink of the 1993 Final Four, falling one game shy. He also started on FSU's Sweet 16 team in 1992 and hit the game-winning shot in its Metro Conference Tournament Championship game win over Louisville in 1991. Ward long held Seminole basketball records for steals in a game (9) and career (236) and ranks sixth all-time in assists (396).

Ward passed over an NFL career and was drafted in 1994 by the New York Knickerbockers of the NBA, who selected him as the 26th overall pick. His 12-year NBA career also included stops with the Spurs and Rockets.

He was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 2006.

1993 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 919

Date of announcement: December 11, 1993

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Charlie Ward	SR	QB	Florida State	2,310
2	Heath Shuler	JR	QB	Tennessee	688
3	David Palmer	JR	WR	Alabama	292
4	Marshall Faulk	JR	RB	San Diego St	250
5	Glenn Foley	SR	QB	Boston Coll	180

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1993 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 3,032 yards, 27 TDs, 4 INTs on 264 of 380 passing

Total Offense: 3,371 yards on 445 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Ward is the first player to win a Heisman while playing for an Atlantic Coast Conference team.

He is the only Heisman winner to play in the NBA.

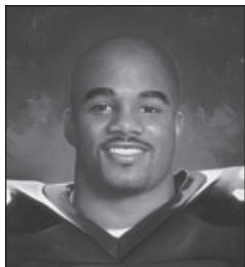
He was the eighth player to win a Heisman and national title in the same season, and first since Tony Dorsett in 1976.

He is one of four Heisman winners born in the state of Georgia.

He's one of two Heisman Trophy winners to play in the NCAA basketball tournament, joining Terry Baker.

His 4 interceptions was the fewest by any quarterback in Heisman history with at least 200 pass attempt until bested in 2014.

He is one of three Heisman winners born in 1970.



Quick Facts

Name: Rashaan Iman Salaam
Born: October 8, 1974
Died: December 5, 2016
Place of Birth: San Diego, CA
High School: Country Day HS
Height: 6-1
Weight: 224
Jersey Number: 19
Position: Running Back
Team: Colorado Buffaloes
Conference: Big Eight
Team Record: 10-1-0
Head Coach: Bill McCartney
NFL Draft Selection: 21st pick, 1st round (Colorado)

BIO

Salaam won Colorado's first Heisman after becoming the third Division I player top the 2,000-yard rushing barrier.

Salaam was born in San Diego, Calif., the son of former Cincinnati Bengals running back Teddy Washington. He attended La Jolla Country Day and played eight-man football. He ran for over 100 yards in every game except one, and was recognized as a high school All-American as a 1991 senior. Naturally, he was coveted by colleges from all around the country.

The 6-1, 225-pound Salaam chose to attend Colorado, which was two years removed from its first national title. He played sparingly as a true freshman, rushing for 158 yards and one touchdown, but he came into his own as a sophomore, gaining 844 yards and scoring eight touchdowns while sharing carries with Lamont Warren.

Salaam truly broke out as a junior, ripping off 10 100-yard games -- including four over 200 yards -- as he joined Marcus Allen, Mike Rozier and Barry Sanders in the 2,000 yard club. He totaled 2,055 yards and 24 touchdowns on the season while averaging a remarkable 7.61 yards per carry. Salaam helped guide the Buffaloes to a 10-1 regular season record and a No. 4 ranking. Salaam won the Heisman handily over second-place Ki-Jana Carter.

Heisman in hand, Salaam scored three touchdowns against Notre Dame in the Fiesta Bowl as Colorado climbed to 11-1 and No. 3 in the final rankings.

Salaam chose to forgo his final season of eligibility and was selected by the Chicago Bears in the first round of the 1995 NFL draft with the 21st overall pick.

He rushed for 1,074 yards and 10 TDs as a rookie for the Bears, becoming the youngest player in NFL history to top the 1,000 yard barrier. He also had stints with the Browns, Packers and 49ers before retiring.

He passed away on December 16, 2016.

1994 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 920

Date of announcement: December 10, 1994

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Rashaan Salaam	JR	RB	Colorado	1,743
2	Ki-Jana Carter	JR	RB	Penn State	901
3	Steve McNair	SR	QB	Alcorn State	655
4	Kerry Collins	SR	QB	Penn State	639
5	Jay Barker	SR	QB	Alabama	295

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1994 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 2,055 yards and 24 TDs on 270 carries

Receiving: 294 yards on 24 catches

All-Purpose Yards: 2,349 yards on 294 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Salaam was the seventh -- and last -- player from the Big Eight Conference to win a Heisman.

He is one of five players to top 2,000 yards rushing prior to winning a Heisman.

He was the 11th junior to win a Heisman.

He's one of 12 Heisman winners born in California and one of three born in the San Diego area.

He played eight-man football in high school.

He was the last junior running back to win the Heisman until 2015, when Derrick Henry did so.



Quick Facts

Name: Edward Nathan George, Jr.
Born: September 24, 1973
Place of Birth: Philadelphia, PA
High School: Fork Union (VA) Military Academy
Height: 6-3
Weight: 235
Jersey Number: 27
Position: Running Back
Team: Ohio State Buckeyes
Conference: Big Ten
Team Record: 11-1-0
Head Coach: John Cooper
NFL Draft Selection: 14th pick, 1st round (Tennessee)
Post Football Career: Acting

BIO

Eddie George captured Ohio State University's sixth Heisman Trophy, joining Les Horvath ('44), Vic Janowicz ('50), Howard Cassady ('55) and Archie Griffin ('74-'75).

George was born in Philadelphia, Penn., and attended Abington High School until the tenth grade before transferring to Fork Union Military Academy in Fork Union, Virg. George played a fifth year at Fork Union, rushing for 1,372 yards in 1991 while garnering the attention of several major colleges.

The 6-3, 230-pound George chose to attend Ohio State and he got on the field right away as a 1992 freshman, rushing for 176 yards and five touchdowns. He had just 223 yards and three scores as a sophomore, but broke out with 1,442 yards and 12 touchdowns as a junior in 1994.

As a senior, George averaged 152.2 yards per game and scored 23 touchdowns, rushing for over 100 yards in 11 straight games after gaining 99 in the Kickoff Classic against Boston College. He pounded his way to 1,826 yards and 23 touchdowns as the Buckeyes finished 11-1 and ranked fourth in the country. He won the Heisman against a strong field that included Tommie Frazier and future Heisman winner Danny Wuerffel.

George left Ohio State second in school history in career rushing yards (3,768) and third in rushing touchdowns (44). Overall, he finished with 4,284 all-purpose yards, 45 touchdowns, and a 5.5 yards per carry average. He was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 2011.

George was selected by the Houston Oilers in the first round of the 1996 NFL Draft with the 14th overall pick.

He was named to the Pro-Bowl in 1997, 1998 and 1999.

George was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 2011. He later earned his Masters of Business Administration from Northwestern University before taking a shot at Broadway with a role in the play *Chicago*.

1995 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 921

Date of announcement: December 9, 1995

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Eddie George	SR	RB	Ohio State	1,460
2	Tommy Frazier	SR	QB	Nebraska	1,196
3	<i>Danny Wuerffel</i>	JR	QB	Florida	987
4	Darnell Autry	SO	RB	Northwestern	535
5	Troy Davis	SO	RB	Iowa State	402

Full voting results in the media guide index.

Future or past Heisman winners in italics.

1995 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,826 yards and 23 TDs on 303 carries

Receiving: 389 yard and 1 TD on 44 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 2,215 yards on 347 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

George's Heisman was the sixth won by an Ohio State Buckeye.

It was the 12th Heisman won by a player from the Big Ten.

George is one of two Heisman winners to attend Fork Union Military Academy in Virginia.

His 44 receptions and 389 receiving yards in 1995 are the most ever by a Heisman-winning running back.

George played the role of lawyer Billy Flynn in *Chicago* on Broadway, the same role played by Richard Gere in the Oscar-winning movie of the same name.

He is one of six Heisman winners born in Pennsylvania.



Quick Facts

Name: Daniel Carl Wuerffel
Born: May 27, 1974
Place of Birth: Ft. Walton Beach, FL
High School: Ft. Walton Beach HS
Height: 6-1
Weight: 210
Jersey Number: 7
Position: Quarterback
Team: Florida Gators
Conference: SEC
Team Record: 11-1
Head Coach: Steve Spurrier
NFL Draft Selection: 99th pick, 4th round (New Orleans)
Post Football Career: Ministry; Philanthropy



BIO

Danny Wuerffel became the second player from the University of Florida to win the Heisman, joining his coach, Steve Spurrier. It marked the only time a Heisman-winning head coach has coached a player to the Heisman.

Wuerffel was born in Pensacola, Fla., the son of an Air Force Chaplain. He lived all over the country during his childhood, as well as three years in Spain, before he attended Fort Walton Beach (Fla) High. Wuerffel was his class valedictorian and led his football team to the state championship. He was widely considered the top player in the state of Florida as a 1991 senior.

The 6-1, 210-pound Wuerffel signed with Florida the following spring and, after redshirting his first season in Gainesville, made a big impact as a freshman in 1993. Playing as part of a platoon with Terry Dean, Wuerffel threw for 2,230 yards and 22 touchdowns. In 1994, he started again in a platoon role but eventually took over the starting job, throwing for 1,754 yards and 18 scores.

He had a breakout All-American season in 1995, throwing for 3,266 yards and 35 touchdowns while leading Florida to the national championship game against Nebraska. For his efforts, Wuerffel finished a strong third in the Heisman vote behind Eddie George and Tommie Frazier.

Wuerffel bounced back in 1996 with another stellar season, throwing for 3,625 yards and 36 touchdowns as he guided the Gators to an 11-1 record and another shot at the national title. After winning the Heisman, he threw for 306 yards and three TDs to lead Florida to a 52-20 victory over rival Florida State as the Gators claimed their first national title.

He finished his Gator career by throwing for 10,875

yards and 114 touchdown passes, the best in SEC history and second-most in major college history (at the time).

Wuerffel was selected in the fourth round of the 1997 NFL draft (99th overall) by the New Orleans Saints. He spent six years in the NFL with the Saints, Packers, Bears and Redskins before retiring.

After football, Wuerffel began work at Desire Street Ministries, a non-profit, faith-based, organization focusing on spiritual and community development in areas of New Orleans. He joined the College Football Hall of Fame in 2013.

1996 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 920

Date of announcement: December 14, 1996

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Danny Wuerffel	SR	QB	Florida	1,363
2	Troy Davis	JR	RB	Iowa State	1,174
3	Jake Plummer	SR	QB	Arizona St.	685
4	Orlando Pace	JR	OT	Ohio State	599
5	Warrick Dunn	SR	RB	Florida State	341

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1996 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 3,625 yards and 36 TDs on 207 of 360 passing

Total Offense: 3,525 yards on 423 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Wuerffel is the second of three Gator quarterbacks to win the Heisman.

He is the only Heisman winner whose head coach was also a Heisman winner.

He is the ninth player to win a Heisman and a national title in the same season.

He was the SEC's seventh Heisman winner and first since Bo Jackson in 1985. He was also the first SEC quarterback to win a Heisman since Pat Sullivan in 1971.

He is one of four Heisman winners born in Florida.

His passer rating of 167.86 was the best in Heisman history until topped by Jason White in 2003.



Quick Facts

Name: Charles Cameron Woodson

Born: October 7, 1976

Place of Birth: Fremont, OH

High School: Ross HS

Height: 6-1

Weight: 210

Jersey Number: 2

Position: Cornerback/WR/RS

Team: Michigan Wolverines

Conference: Big Ten

Team Record: 11-0

Head Coach: Lloyd Carr

NFL Draft Selection: 4th pick, 1st round (Oakland)

Post Football Career: Broadcasting

BIO

Woodson won Michigan's third Heisman, joining Desmond Howard and Tom Harmon. He's the only player to win the Heisman playing significant minutes on both sides of the ball since college football moved to a two-platoon system in the early 1960s.

Woodson hails from Fremont, Ohio, and starred at Ross High, where he was named Ohio's Player of the Year as a 1995 senior. Coveted by schools from all around the country, Woodson signed with his dream school, Michigan, in the spring of 1996.

It didn't take long for Woodson to make an impact for the Wolverines as he won a starting cornerback job two weeks into his first training camp. He ended up leading the team in 1995 with five interceptions on his way to being named the Big Ten Freshman of the Year and first-team all conference.

Before the start of his sophomore season, Woodson was approached by Michigan coach Lloyd Carr who asked if the player would consider playing on offense as well as defense. Woodson agreed to work out at wide receiver. Throughout his sophomore season, he ran about 10 plays each game on offense while holding on to his defense duties as cornerback. In 1996, Woodson set a Wolverine record for pass breakups with 15, while on offense he caught 13 passes for 164 yards and rushed for 152 yards on six carries. For his efforts, he was named an AP First Team All-American and a finalist for the Jim Thorpe Award.

Woodson continued his fine play as a junior, intercepting seven passes and collecting 43 tackles while catching 11 passes for 231 yards and a touchdown. He was also effective as a punt returner. More importantly, Michigan finished the regular season undefeated and with a shot at its first national title since 1949. As a result, Woodson won the

Heisman over Tennessee's Peyton Manning, making him the first two-way player in a generation to win the award.

After helping lead Michigan to a national-title clinching victory in the Rose Bowl, Woodson was drafted 4th overall by the Oakland Raiders in 1998 and was named the 1998 NFL Defensive Rookie of the Year. He went on to a star-studded NFL career that also included a Super Bowl championship with Green Bay.

He retired in 2015 after 18 seasons in the NFL.

1997 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 921

Date of announcement: December 13, 1997

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Charles Woodson	JR	CB/WR	Michigan	1,815
2	Peyton Manning	SR	QB	Tennessee	1,543
3	Ryan Leaf	JR	QB	WSU	861
4	Randy Moss	SO	WR	Marshall	253
5	<i>Ricky Williams</i>	JR	RB	Texas	135

Full voting results in the media guide index.

Future or past Heisman winners in italics.

1997 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Defense: 7 interceptions, 43 tackles

Receiving: 231 yards and 2 TDs on 11 catches

Punt Returns: 285 yards and 1 TD on 33 returns

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Woodson is Michigan's third Heisman winner.

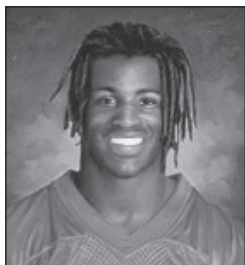
His Heisman is the 13th won by a Big Ten player.

He is the first player to win a Heisman while playing primarily on the defensive side of the ball.

He's the only player to win the Heisman playing significant minutes on both sides of the ball since college football moved to a two-platoon system in the early 1960s.

He was the 10th player to win a Heisman and a national title in the same season.

His 18-season NFL career was the second-longest by a Heisman winner to Vinny Testaverde's 21.



Quick Facts

Name: Errick Lynne "Ricky" Williams

Born: May 21, 1977

Place of Birth: San Diego, CA

High School: Patrick Henry HS

Height: 5-10

Weight: 230

Jersey Number: 34

Position: Running Back

Team: Texas Longhorns

Conference: Big 12

Team Record: 8-3

Head Coach: Mack Brown

NFL Draft Selection: 5th pick, 1st round (New Orleans)

Post Football Career: Public Advocate; Yoga trainer

BIO

Williams broke Tony Dorsett's 22-year-old NCAA career rushing record and joined Earl Campbell to become the second Texas player to win the Heisman.

The 6-foot, 225-pound Williams was born in San Diego, Calif., where he prepped at Patrick Henry High. He was considered one of the top running backs in the country as a 1994 senior, when he rushed for 2,099 yards and 25 touchdowns. Williams left the West Coast and signed with Texas, citing the state's love of football.

He began his career in Austin as a fullback in a freshman year that saw him break Campbell's freshman rushing record with 990 yards and eight touchdowns on just 166 carries. As a sophomore, he rushed for 100 yards seven times and registered 1,272 yards and 12 TDs.

Williams broke out as a junior, leading the nation with 1,893 rushing yards and 25 touchdowns while finishing fifth in the 1997 Heisman vote. He entered 1998 as one of the front runners for the award and, also, within reach of Dorsett's record.

Williams solidified his place in college football history with a dash to that milestone *and* the Heisman Trophy in 1998. Williams led Texas to a 9-3 record, set 21 NCAA marks and received what was then the greatest percentage of first-place votes cast in Heisman history (43% of the 920 voters). Williams produced one of the finest seasons ever in 1998, rushing for 2,124 yards and 27 TDs, and also became the first two-time winner of the Doak Walker Award while claiming the Maxwell and Walter Camp Foundation Player of the Year awards.

Texas officially retired Williams' No. 34 jersey in a pregame ceremony prior to the Oklahoma State game on Sept. 30, 2000.

In the 1999 NFL draft, Mike Ditka and the New Orleans Saints stunned the sports world by trading their entire draft in 1999 and first and third-round selections in 2000 (to the Washington Redskins) for the right to select Williams with the fifth pick. The selection of Williams marks the first time in NFL history that one player has been a team's entire draft class.

Williams entered the College Football Hall of Fame in 2015.

1998 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 921

Date of announcement: December 12, 1998

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Ricky Williams	SR	RB	Texas	2,355
2	Michael Bishop	SR	QB	Kansas State	792
3	Cade McNown	SR	QB	UCLA	696
4	Tim Couch	JR	QB	Kentucky	527
5	Donovan McNabb	SR	QB	Syracuse	232

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1998 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 2,124 yards and 27 TDs on 361 carries

Receiving: 262 yards and 1 TD on 24 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 2,386 yards on 385 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Williams is the second Texas player to win the Heisman.

He was the first Heisman winner from the Big 12 Conference, eighth overall from the Big 8/Big 12.

He is one of 12 Heisman winners born in California and one of three born in San Diego.

He is one of five players to rush for over 2,000 yards in a Heisman-winning season and the most recent to do so.

He is one of six Heisman winners to also play professional baseball.

He is the last Heisman winner who, during his career, played in a game that resulted in a tie.



Quick Facts

Name: Ronald Dayne
Born: March 14, 1978
Place of Birth: Berlin, NJ
High School: Pine Hill Overbrook HS
Height: 5-10
Weight: 250
Jersey Number: 33
Position: Running Back
Team: Wisconsin Badgers
Conference: Big Ten
Team Record: 9-2
Head Coach: Barry Alvarez
NFL Draft Selection: 11th pick, 1st round (New York)
Post Football Career: Retired

BIO

Dayne joined Alan Ameche as a Wisconsin Heisman winner after setting the NCAA career rushing record -- a mark that stood until 2016.

Dayne was born in Blacksburg, Va., but grew up mostly in New Jersey. His stardom began while attending Overbrook High School in Pine Hill, where he was heavily recruited for his football and track and field prowess. He won state titles in both the shot put and discus -- his best of 216-11 in the discus throw is still one of the best prep marks of all time. On the gridiron, he rushed for 1,566 yards and scored 27 touchdowns as a junior and followed that up with 1,785 yards and 24 TDs as a senior.

Dayne averaged over 10 yards per carry during his high-school career, but as a 270-pound athlete, the expectation was that he would not play tailback in college. Most schools recruited him as a fullback, but Wisconsin saw him as a primary ball carrier, so he signed to play for the Badgers in the spring of 1996.

His impact was immediate and huge. The "Dayne Train" carried the ball 1,220 times in his college career, becoming the work horse in Wisconsin's fabled ground game. He gained 1,863 yards as a freshman, 1,421 as a sophomore, 1,325 as a junior, and 1,834 as a senior, becoming one of only five players to rush for over a thousand yards in four consecutive years. He ended his college career with 6,397 rushing yards, a total that still stands as the most ever in FBS history, eclipsing Ricky Williams previous record set in 1998. When yardage from bowl games is included in Dayne's NCAA rushing record, his total comes to a remarkable 7,125 yards.

Dayne led Wisconsin to back-to-back Rose Bowl victories in his final two seasons. In those games, he came

up huge, rushing for a combined 446 yards in wins over UCLA and Stanford. He's the only Big Ten player in history to win back-to-back Rose Bowl MVP awards.

Dayne was drafted 11th overall by the New York Giants in the 2000 NFL draft. He was inducted into the College Football Hall of Fame in 2013.

1999 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 921

Date of announcement: December 11, 1999

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Ron Dayne	SR	RB	Wisconsin	2,042
2	Joe Hamilton	SR	QB	Georgia Tech	994
3	Michael Vick	RS FR	QB	Virginia Tech	319
4	Drew Brees	JR	QB	Purdue	308
5	Chad Pennington	SR	QB	Marshall	247

Full voting results in the media guide index.

1999 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,834 yards and 19 TDs on 303 carries

Receiving: 9 yards on 1 catch

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,843 yards on 304 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Dayne is the second Wisconsin Badger to win the Heisman, joining Alan Ameche.

His Heisman is the 14th won by a Big Ten player.

He is one of three Heisman winners born in New Jersey.

He is the most recent senior running back to win the Heisman.

He is one of only eight players in NCAA history to rush for over 1,000 yards in all four of his seasons.

His 6,397 career rushing yards record stood for 17 years and is now the second-best total in NCAA history.



Quick Facts

Name: Christopher Jon Weinke
Born: July 31, 1972
Place of Birth: St. Paul, MN
High School: Cretin Durham HS
Height: 6-5
Weight: 235
Jersey Number: 16
Position: Quarterback
Team: Florida State Seminoles
Conference: ACC
Team Record: 12-0
Head Coach: Bobby Bowden
NFL Draft Selection: 106th pick, 4th round (Carolina)
Post Football Career: Coach

BIO

Weinke won Florida State's second Heisman while leading the Seminoles to a berth in the BCS title game. At age 28, he is the oldest player to win the award.

Weinke was born and raised in St. Paul, Minn. where he attended Cretin-Durham Hall High and was a three-sport star. He played first base for the baseball team, quarterbacked the football team and was the captain of the ice hockey team. As a 1989 senior, he was seen as the top senior quarterback in the country. He signed with Florida State as part of the same recruiting class that included 1993 Heisman winner Charlie Ward.

But his football career got put on hold as the 6-5, 230-pound Weinke was drafted in the 2nd Round of the 1990 Major League Baseball First-Year Player draft (the 62nd player taken overall) by the Toronto Blue Jays. After spending four days in August 1990 on the FSU campus, Weinke signed a contract to play in the Blue Jays' minor league system. FSU head coach Bobby Bowden promised Weinke that he would always have a scholarship offer if he wished to return.

Weinke spent several years in the minors before returning to FSU in 1997 at age 25. After serving as a backup as a freshman, he took over the starting job as a 1998 sophomore and passed for 2,017 yards and 17 touchdowns. As a junior, he quarterbacked FSU to a wire-to-wire finish as the No. 1 team, throwing for 3,103 yards and 25 scores as the Seminoles captured their second national title.

As a senior in 2000, Weinke led the nation in passing with 4,167 yards and won the Heisman Trophy. He also led the Seminoles to the Orange Bowl for their third national championship game in as many years, where they lost 13-2 to the Oklahoma Sooners.

Weinke finished his FSU career with a 32–3 record and held numerous FSU records including most passing yards in a career and most career touchdown passes.

Weinke was drafted by the Carolina Panthers in the fourth round (106th overall) of the 2001 NFL draft. He played with the Panthers and the 49ers before retiring. He eventually moved on to a coaching career, taking assistant jobs with the St. Louis Rams and Alabama.

2000 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 922

Date of announcement: December 9, 2000

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Chris Weinke	SR	QB	Florida State	1,628
2	Josh Heupel	SR	QB	Oklahoma	1,552
3	Drew Brees	SR	QB	Purdue	566
4	LaDanian Tomlinsons	SR	RB	TCU	308
5	Damien Anderson	SR	RB	Northwestern	101

Full voting results in the media guide index.

2000 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 4,167 yards and 33 TDs on 266 of 431 passing

Total Offense: 4,070 yards on 461 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Weinke is the second player from Florida State to win the Heisman.

At 28 years, 4 months and 9 days, Weinke is the oldest player to win the Heisman.

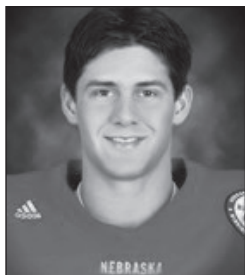
He was part of the same recruiting class as 1993 Heisman winner Charlie Ward.

He is the second player from an ACC team to win the Heisman.

He is one of only four players to surpass 4,000 yards passing in a Heisman-winning season

He is the first Heisman winner to play in the BCS title game.

He is one of six Heisman winners to play professional baseball.



Quick Facts

Name: Eric Eugene Crouch
Born: November 16, 1978
Place of Birth: Omaha, NE
High School: Millard North HS
Height: 6-0
Weight: 210
Jersey Number: 7
Position: Quarterback
Team: Nebraska Cornhuskers
Conference: Big 12
Team Record: 11-1
Head Coach: Frank Solich
NFL Draft Selection: 95th pick, 3rd round (St. Louis)
Post Football Career: Sales; Broadcasting

BIO

Crouch captured Nebraska's third Heisman, joining Johnny Rodgers ('72) and Mike Rozier ('83). He is the last quarterback to win the Heisman while being utilized primarily as a running threat in an option offense.

Born in Omaha, Neb., Crouch was a star athlete at Millard North High. Crouch was a two-time All-State honoree and a Parade All-American his senior year of 1996, when he was considered one of the best high school quarterbacks in the country.

Crouch signed with Nebraska in 1997 and redshirted his first season, but played a lot in 1998 as a redshirt freshman, throwing for 601 yards and rushing for 459. In 1999, he took over the starting job early in the season and ended up throwing for 1,269 yards and seven touchdowns while rushing for 889 yards and 16 scores. He started every game in 2000, passing for 1,101 yards and 11 touchdowns, and adding 971 yards and 20 scores on the ground.

As a senior, Crouch had his most productive season as a passer, throwing for 1,510 yards while rumbling to a career-high 1,115 yards on the ground (with 18 touchdowns). He led Nebraska to an 11-1 record and an appearance in the BCS title game against Miami. Crouch won the Heisman in a close vote over Florida's Rex Grossman.

Crouch ended his NU career by holding 32 school records. He was one of three quarterbacks in NCAA history to rush for 3,000 yards and pass for 4,000 yards in a career, while becoming just the 13th quarterback in NCAA history to rush and pass for 1,000 yards in the same season in 2001.

He went on to be drafted as a wide receiver in the third

round of the 2002 NFL Draft by the St. Louis Rams with the 95th overall pick. He continued his professional football career with the Kansas City Chiefs, the Hamburg Sea Devils, the Toronto Argonauts, and the Omaha Nighthawks.

After Crouch left football, he worked first as the sales territory manager for a major medical company before starting his own company, Crouch Recreation, which specializes in sales of playground and recreation equipment.

2001 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 922

Date of announcement: December 8, 2001

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Eric Crouch	SR	QB	Nebraska	770
2	Rex Grossman	SO	QB	Florida	708
3	Ken Dorsey	JR	QB	Miami (FL)	638
4	Joey Harrington	SR	QB	Oregon	364
5	David Carr	SR	QB	Fresno State	280

Full voting results in the media guide index.

2001 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,115 yards and 18 TDs on 203 carries

Passing: 1,510 yards and 7 TDs on 24 catches

Total Offense: 2,625 yards on 392 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Crouch is the third Nebraska player to win the Heisman.

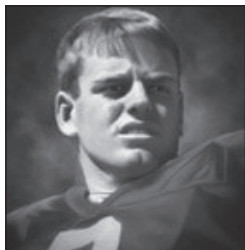
He was the second player from the Big 12 conference to win the Heisman and ninth overall from the Big 8/Big 12.

Crouch is one of two Heisman winners born in Nebraska.

His 1,115 rushing yards were the most by a Heisman-winning quarterback until surpassed by Johnny Manziel in 2012.

His 770 points in the Heisman vote was the fewest by a Heisman winner since Terry Baker tallied 707 points in 1962.

The 2001 season marked the first time that quarterbacks comprised the top 6 players in the Heisman vote.



Quick Facts

Name: Carson Hilton Palmer
Born: December 27, 1979
Place of Birth: Fresno, CA
High School: Santa Margarita HS
Height: 6-5
Weight: 235
Jersey Number: 3
Position: Quarterback
Team: USC Trojans
Conference: Pac-10
Team Record: 10-2
Head Coach: Pete Carroll
NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Cincinnati)

BIO

Palmer became USC's fifth Heisman winner -- and first since 1981 -- while helping lead the Trojans to their most wins and highest ranking since 1979.

Born in Laguna Niguel, Calif., the 6-foot 5-inch Palmer was a star football and basketball player at Rancho Santa Margarita High. By his senior year in 1997, he was considered one of the top quarterbacks in the country, as he threw for 2,685 yards and 31 touchdowns while leading his team to its second-straight state title.

Palmer signed with USC in the spring of 1998 and was immediately thrust into a key backup role as a true freshman. He started the final five games for the Trojans and finished with 1,755 passing yards and seven touchdowns.

Expectations were high heading into his sophomore season and Palmer got off to a nice start, but he broke his collarbone in the third game against Oregon and was lost for the rest of the year. He finished with 490 yards and three touchdowns, but was allowed to redshirt. Palmer threw for 2,914 yards and 16 touchdowns as a 2000 sophomore and 2,717 yards and 13 touchdowns as a 2001 junior, but it seemed that his awesome physical potential was taking forever to be realized.

But 2002 changed all that. Palmer blossomed into an elite player thanks to the tutelage of famed offensive coordinator Norm Chow. The strong-armed Palmer threw for 3,639 yards and 32 touchdowns as the Trojans finished 10-2 and earned a trip to the Orange Bowl. Palmer got especially hot in the second half of the season, throwing 19 touchdowns in the final six games -- including four in a key win over Notre Dame -- to take home the Heisman against a tough field that included Larry Johnson and Willis McGahee.

Palmer was later the MVP in USC's bowl victo-

ry over Iowa, which gave the Trojans a No. 4 ranking--their highest finish in the polls since 1979.

Palmer wound up the Pac-10's career passing and total offense leader and set numerous USC career records along the way. He went on to be the number one pick in the 2003 NFL Draft by Cincinnati, where he played for several years before productive stints at Oakland and Arizona.

2002 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 922

Date of announcement: December 13, 2002

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Carson Palmer	SR	QB	USC	1,328
2	Brad Banks	SR	QB	Iowa	1,099
3	Larry Johnson	SR	RB	Penn State	726
4	Willis McGahee	SO	RB	Miami (FL)	660
5	Ken Dorsey	SR	QB	Miami (FL)	643

Full voting results in the media guide index.

2002 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 3,639 yards and 32 TDs on 288 of 458 passing

Rushing: -126 yards and 4 TDs

Total Offense: 3,513 yards on 503 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Palmer was USC's fifth Heisman winner and first since 1981.

He was the eighth Heisman winner from the Pac-10 and the league's first since 1981.

He is one of three Heisman winners whose replacement also won the Heisman (Charles White and Angelo Bertelli are the others).

He was the first Heisman winner to be selected with the first overall pick in the NFL draft since Vinny Testaverde in 1987.

He is one of 12 Heisman winners born in California.

He is the oldest current Heisman winner still playing in the NFL.



Quick Facts

Name: Jason White
Born: June 19, 1980
Place of Birth: Tuttle, OK
High School: Tuttle HS
Height: 6-2
Weight: 220
Jersey Number: 18
Position: Quarterback
Team: Oklahoma Sooners
Conference: Big Twelve
Team Record: 12-1
Head Coach: Bob Stoops
NFL Draft Selection: Undrafted
Post Football Career: Businessman

BIO

White overcame several career-threatening injuries to become the fourth Sooner to win the Heisman Trophy following Billy Vessels ('52), Steve Owens ('69), and Billy Sims ('78).

He is the only Heisman winner to be awarded a sixth season of eligibility.

Raised in Tuttle, Oklahoma, White attended Tuttle High, where he was an all-state quarterback as a 1999 senior.

The 6-2, 220-pounder accepted a scholarship to attend Oklahoma and showed enough promise as a true freshman to serve as Josh Heupel's backup. But he hurt his ankle and was redshirted. He backed up Heupel again in 2000 and appeared in two games as the Sooners won the national title, but he did not attempt a pass.

White started three games in 2001 before getting knocked out for the season by an ACL tear. He finished the season with 681 passing yards and five touchdowns.

The starting job was White's in 2002 but he tore his ACL in his opposite knee in game two against Alabama.

With two ACL surgeries under his belt, White seemed a true long shot to get through the 2003 season. Playing mostly out of the shotgun due to his lack of mobility, White threw for 3,744 yards and 40 touchdowns with just eight interceptions as the Sooners rolled to an undefeated regular season and a BCS title game berth. He was the Associated Press Player of the Year, a unanimous All-American, the consensus Big 12 Offensive Player of the Year, the Davey O'Brien Award winner and the Jim Thorpe Courage Award recipient.

He beat out Pitt's Larry Fitzgerald to win the Heisman Trophy.

White was granted an extra year of eligibility due to his numerous injuries and he came through with another big season in 2004, throwing for 3,205 yards and 45 touchdowns while finishing third in the Heisman vote.

He left Oklahoma as its all-time leader in passing yards and touchdowns. Due to his injury history, White wasn't drafted by the NFL and he retired from football in 2005.

He is currently a businessman in Oklahoma.

2003 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 921

Date of announcement: December 12, 1998

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Jason White	SR	QB	Oklahoma	1,481
2	Larry Fitzgerald	JR	WR	Pittsburgh	1,353
3	Eli Manning	SR	QB	Mississippi	710
4	Chris Perry	SR	RB	Michigan	341
5	Darren Sproles	JR	RB	Kansas St.	134

Full voting results in the media guide index.

2003 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 3,744 yards and 40 TDs on 265 of 414 passing

Total Offense: 3,640 yards on 449 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

White is the fourth Oklahoma Sooner to win the Heisman.

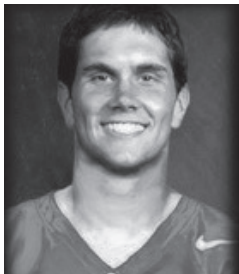
He was the third Heisman winner from the Big 12 Conference, and ninth overall from the Big 8/Big 12.

He is one of four Heisman winners born in the state of Oklahoma.

He is the first Heisman winner to return for another season after being granted an extra year of eligibility.

He is the only player to win the Heisman coming off of a season in which he missed the vast majority of the games due to injury.

He is one of four players to toss at least 40 touchdown passes in a Heisman-winning season.



Quick Facts

Name: Matthew Stephen Leinart
Born: May 11, 1983
Place of Birth: Santa Ana, CA
High School: Mater Dei HS
Height: 6-5
Weight: 225
Jersey Number: 11
Position: Quarterback
Team: USC Trojans
Conference: Pac-10
Team Record: 12-0
Head Coach: Pete Carroll
NFL Draft Selection: 10th pick, 1st round (Arizona)
Post Football Career: Broadcaster

BIO

Leinart became USC's sixth Heisman winner -- and second in three years -- after winning the Heisman in 2004.

Born in Santa Ana, Calif., the 6-5, 225-pound lefty blossomed into a highly-rated quarterback while playing at Mater Dei High in Santa Ana (the same school attended by 1964 Heisman winner John Huarte). He was named the California Gatorade Player of the Year as a senior, throwing for 2,870 yards and 28 touchdowns.

Leinart considered Oklahoma but signed with USC in 2001. He redshirted his first season and barely got on the field as a redshirt freshman, playing as one of Heisman winner Carson Palmer's backups.

He burst onto the scene as a redshirt sophomore, throwing for 3,556 yards and a then-Pac-10 record 38 touchdowns as the Trojans won the 2003 national title. Leinart finished sixth in the Heisman vote and entered the 2004 season as the front runner for the award.

Leinart had another fine year, passing for 2,990 yards and 28 TDs with just 6 interceptions, while also rushing for three TDs. More importantly, he led the Trojans to an undefeated regular season and a berth in the BCS title game. The Trojan quarterback beat out Oklahoma's Adrian Peterson and Jason White, Utah's Alex Smith and teammate Reggie Bush to win the trophy.

He showed it was no fluke in the BCS title game as he threw for 332 yards and five touchdowns to lead the Trojans to a 55-19 win over Oklahoma, clinching a second-straight national title.

Leinart decided to stay in school for one more season in an attempt to win a third-straight title and a record-tying second

Heisman in 2005. Despite throwing for 3,815 yards and 28 touchdowns, he finished third in the vote behind Reggie Bush and Vince Young (Bush's Heisman has since been vacated).

He was selected 10th overall in the 2006 NFL draft by the Arizona Cardinals. He also had stints with the Houston Texans, the Oakland Raiders and Buffalo Bills before settling in as a college football commentator for Fox Sports.

2004 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 923

Date of announcement: December 11, 2004

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Matt Leinart	JR	QB	USC	1,325
2	Adrian Peterson	FR	RB	Oklahoma	997
3	<i>Jason White</i>	SR	QB	Oklahoma	910
4	Alex Smith	JR	QB	Utah	635
5	Reggie Bush	SO	RB	USC	597

*Full voting results in the media guide index
Past or future Heisman winners in italics.*

2004 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 2,990 yards and 28 TDs on 251 of 377 passing

Total Offense: 2,957 yards on 424 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Leinart is the sixth USC Trojan to win the Heisman.

He was the ninth Heisman winner from the Pac-10.

Leinart's high school (Mater Dei in Santa Ana, CA) is one of two high schools to graduate two Heisman winners.

Leinart is the first player to win a Heisman then lead his team to a victory in the BCS title game.

He was the first Heisman-winning quarterback since John Lujack in 1947 to lead his team to an undefeated and untied national championship season.

He is one of 12 Heisman winners born in California.

He is one of three players to win a Heisman after replacing a Heisman winner.



Quick Facts

Name: Troy James Smith
Born: July 20, 1984
Place of Birth: Columbus, OH
High School: Glenville HS
Height: 5-11
Weight: 225
Jersey Number: 10
Position: Quarterback
Team: Ohio State Buckeyes
Conference: Big Ten
Team Record: 12-0
Head Coach: Jim Tressel
NFL Draft Selection: 174th pick, 5th round (Baltimore)

BIO

Troy Smith won Ohio State's seventh Heisman after leading the Buckeyes to an undefeated regular season in 2006.

Smith was born in Columbus, Ohio, but grew up in the Glenville neighborhood of Cleveland. Smith played his first two years at St. Edward High in Lakewood, Ohio, but later transferred to Glenville High, where he finished out his prep career.

A fine athlete, but a diamond-in-the-rough at quarterback, Smith didn't garner much recruiting attention after throwing for 969 yards and 12 touchdowns as a 2001 senior. But he did garner a scholarship offer from Ohio State, where he enrolled the following fall.

After redshirting in 2002, Smith got on the field in 2003 as a running back and kick returner for the Buckeyes, compiling 14 yards rushing and 83 return yards.

He entered his sophomore season as the backup quarterback but took over as the starter halfway through the 2004 season. Smith won four of the five games he started and finished the season with 896 passing yards and 8 touchdowns to go with 339 rushing yards and two scores.

Smith took over the starting quarterback spot in 2005, leading the Buckeyes to a Fiesta Bowl win while throwing for 2,282 yards and 16 scores and rushing for 611 yards and 11 touchdowns.

It was in 2006 that Smith came into his own, completing 67 percent of his passes for 2,507 yards and 30 touchdowns with just five interceptions while leading the Buckeyes to an undefeated regular season. He capped the year by receiving 86.7 percent of the Heisman vote, the second highest percentage in the history of the award.

Smith will probably most be known by Buckeye fans for his performances against archrival Michigan. The Buckeyes won all three games he started, making Smith the first to win three straight games against Michigan as a starter.

Smith graduated from Ohio State with a bachelor's degree in communications. He was drafted in the fifth round of the 2007 NFL draft (174th overall) by the Baltimore Ravens. He later played for the 49ers, the Steelers and in the CFL.

2006 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 924

Date of announcement: December 9, 2006

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Troy Smith	SR	QB	Ohio State	2,540
2	Darren McFadden	SO	RB	Arkansas	878
3	Brady Quinn	SR	QB	Notre Dame	782
4	Steve Slaton	SO	RB	West Virginia	214
5	Mike Hart	SR	RB	Michigan	210

Full voting results in the media guide index

2006 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 2,507 yards and 30 TDs on 199 of 277 passing

Rushing: 233 yards and 1 TD on 62 carries

Total Offense: 2,740 yards on 359 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Smith's Heisman is the seventh won by an Ohio State Buckeye, tied with Notre Dame for the most by one school.

It was the 15th Heisman won by a player from a Big Ten school.

Smith is the last senior at any position to win the Heisman.

He won 86.7% of the available Heisman vote, the second-highest vote percentage of all time.

He is one of eight Heisman winners born in Ohio.



Quick Facts

Name: Timothy Richard Tebow
Born: August 14, 1987
Place of Birth: Makati, The Philippines
High School: Nease HS (FL)
Height: 6-3
Weight: 230
Jersey Number: 15
Position: Quarterback
Team: Florida Gators
Conference: SEC
Team Record: 9-3
Head Coach: Urban Meyer
NFL Draft Selection: 25th pick, 1st round (Denver)
Post Football Career: Baseball Player; Broadcaster

BIO

Tebow capped an stunning season by becoming the first sophomore in NCAA history to win the Heisman Trophy.

The tough, physical Tebow rushed and passed for 51 touchdowns during the regular season, becoming the first of the great 'spread' quarterbacks to win the Heisman.

Tebow, the youngest of five children, was born on in Makati City in the Philippines, making him one of three Heisman winners to be born outside of the U.S.

His family later settled in Jacksonville, Fla., and Tebow enrolled at Nease High, where he earned national recognition as a dual-threat quarterback. During his senior season he led Nease to a state title, earned All-State honors and was named Florida's Mr. Football.

The highly-recruited Tebow signed with Florida and spent the 2006 season as a key true freshman backup to Chris Leak as the Gators won the national title. He totaled 13 touchdowns running and passing and was the team's second-leading rusher.

Tebow took over the starting quarterback job in 2007 and promptly recorded one of the finest seasons in NCAA history. He threw for 3,132 yards and 29 touchdowns, with just six interceptions, and rushed for 828 yards and 22 scores (the last figure an SEC record) as he won the Heisman solidly over Arkansas running back Darren McFadden. Along the way, he shattered a long-held Heisman streak that saw only juniors and seniors win the trophy.

But Tebow wasn't finished with the Heisman. He flirted with history in the next two seasons, nearly joining Archie

BIO

Griffen as the only two-time Heisman winner. As a junior in 2008, he finished a close third in the Heisman race despite garnering the most first-place votes. As a 2009 senior, he returned to New York for a fifth-place Heisman finish.

Tebow left college with five NCAA, 14 SEC and 28 Florida statistical records. He was selected in the first round of the 2010 NFL draft, the by the Denver Broncos. He played sparingly as a rookie but led Denver to a playoff win over defending Super Bowl champs Pittsburgh in year two. He later had stints with the New York Jets, New England Patriots and Philadelphia Eagles.

After working as an ESPN college football analyst, he tried his hand at baseball. He is now in the New York Mets' minor league system.

2007 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 924

Date of announcement: December 8, 2007

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Tim Tebow	SO	QB	Florida	1,957
2	Darren McFadden	JR	RB	Arkansas	1,703
3	Colt Brennan	SR	QB	Hawaii	632
4	Chase Daniel	JR	QB	Missouri	425
5	Dennis Dixon	SR	QB	Oregon	178

Full voting results in the media guide index

2007 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 3,132 yards and 29 TDs on 217 of 317 passing

Rushing: 838 yards and 22 TDs on 194 rushes

Total Offense: 3,970 yards on 511 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Tebow was the first sophomore (and first non-junior or senior) to win the Heisman.

He is the third Florida Gator Heisman winner and the eighth player to win from the SEC (first since 1996).

He is one of three Heisman winners born outside the United States.

His 51 touchdowns running and passing was the most in Heisman history until topped by Sam Bradford in 2008.

He is one of six Heisman winners to play professional baseball.



Quick Facts

Name: Samuel Jacob Bradford
Born: November 8, 1987
Place of Birth: Oklahoma City, OK
High School: Putnam City North HS
Height: 6-4
Weight: 220
Jersey Number: 14
Position: Quarterback
Team: Oklahoma Sooners
Conference: Big 12
Team Record: 12-1
Head Coach: Bob Stoops
NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (St. Louis)

BIO

In 2008, Bradford became the fifth Oklahoma player -- and second-consecutive sophomore -- to win the Heisman. He joined Billy Vessels ('52), Steve Owens ('69), Billy Sims ('78) and Jason White ('03) as Sooner Heisman winners.

Bradford's combined 53 touchdowns running and passing are tied with Marcus Mariota for the most in Heisman history.

The 6-4, 220-pound Bradford was born in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He attended Putnam City North High School in Oklahoma City, where he starred in football, basketball and golf. As a senior quarterback for his high school football team in 2005, he threw for 2,029 yards and 17 touchdowns in 12 games. His senior year in basketball, he averaged a double-double.

Bradford was not highly-recruited coming out of high school, but he did receive a scholarship offer from Oklahoma, which he accepted.

After a redshirt season in 2006, Bradford turned in one of the best seasons by a redshirt freshman in collegiate history in 2007, throwing for 3,121 yards and 36 touchdowns while leading the nation in passing efficiency.

That set the stage for a phenomenal 2008 year. Bradford was the trigger man for the highest-scoring offense in NCAA history, throwing for 4,464 yards with 48 touchdowns and just six interceptions. He again led the nation in passing and also added five rushing touchdowns as the Sooners went 12-1 and qualified the BCS national title game.

The 2008 Heisman vote was an intriguing one, as Bradford beat out Colt McCoy and Tim Tebow despite Tebow getting the most first-place votes. Bradford's second-place tallies put him over the top.

The Sooners fell to Florida in the title game, but Bradford returned as a junior in 2009. However, he suffered a severe shoulder injury in the opener and made only two more appearances the rest of the season.

He declared for the NFL draft and was selected as the first overall pick in 2010 by the St. Louis Rams. He was named the 2010 NFL Rookie of the Year, but has continued to be affected by injuries since then. He later signed with the Philadelphia Eagles before joining the Minnesota Vikings.

2008 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 925

Date of announcement: December 13, 2008

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Sam Bradford	SO	QB	Oklahoma	1,726
2	Colt McCoy	JR	QB	Texas	1,604
3	<i>Tim Tebow</i>	JR	QB	Florida	1,575
4	Graham Harrell	SR	QB	Texas Tech	213
5	Michael Crabtree	SO	WR	Texas Tech	116

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2008 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 4,464 yards and 48 TDs on 302 of 442 passing

Rushing: 65 yards and 5 TDs on 40 rushes

Total Offense: 4,529 yards on 482 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Bradford is Oklahoma's fifth Heisman winner, the 4th from the Big 12 and the 10th from the Big 8/Big 12.

He was the second consecutive sophomore to win the award and the first redshirt sophomore to do so.

His 48 passing touchdowns are a Heisman record, while his combined 53 touchdowns rushing and passing are tied with Marcus Mariota for the most in Heisman history.

He is one of four Heisman winners born in the state of Oklahoma.

He was the first Heisman-winning quarterback to be named the NFL's offensive rookie of the year.

He was the eighth-straight quarterback to win the Heisman.



Quick Facts

Name: Mark Ingram, Jr.
Born: December 21, 1989
Place of Birth: Hackensack, NJ
High School: Southwestern HS (MI)
Height: 5-9
Weight: 215
Jersey Number: 22
Position: Running Back
Team: Alabama Crimson Tide
Conference: SEC
Team Record: 13-0
Head Coach: Nick Saban
NFL Draft Selection: 28th pick, 1st round (New Orleans)

BIO

Ingram became the first Alabama player to win the Heisman as he helped lead the Crimson Tide to the 2009 national title.

Ingram, the son of former NFL wide receiver Mark Ingram, Sr., was born in Hackensack, New Jersey. He attended Grand Blanc (Mich.) Community High during his freshman, sophomore and junior years, and then Flint (Mich) Southwestern Academy for his senior year. He was a four-year starter, running for 2,546 yards and 38 touchdowns in his final two seasons. He was considered a four-star recruit coming out of high school.

The 5-10, 210-pounder signed with Alabama in the spring of 2008 and played as a backup in 2008, making the SEC's All-Freshman team with 728 yards and 12 touchdowns.

He nearly doubled that production as a sophomore, rushing for 1,542 yards and 15 touchdowns and catching 30 passes for 322 yards and three scores as Alabama went undefeated and won its first SEC title since 1999.

As a reward, Ingram won the Heisman Trophy in the closest vote in the award's 75-year history. Ingram was the third consecutive sophomore to win the award, and the first running back to do so since Ron Dayne in 1999. At the time Ingram was nine days shy of his twentieth birthday, making him the youngest player to win the Heisman (a mark since surpassed by Jameis Winston and Lamar Jackson). Of course, Ingram was recognized as a unanimous first-team All-American.

Ingram later received MVP honors in the BCS title game as Alabama beat Texas to win its 13th national title.

He returned for his 2010 junior season, but was hobbled by injuries and rushed for 875 yards and 13 scores.

Following the 2010 season, he declared for the NFL draft and was selected in the first round, 28th overall, by the New Orleans Saints.

2009 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 927

Date of announcement: December 12, 2009

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Mark Ingram	SO	RB	Alabama	1,304
2	Toby Gerhart	SR	RB	Stanford	1,276
3	Colt McCoy	SR	QB	Texas	1,145
4	Ndamukong Suh	SR	DT	Nebraska	815
5	<i>Tim Tebow</i>	SR	QB	Florida	390

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2009 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,542 yards and 15 TDs on 249 carries

Receiving: 322 yards and 3 TDs on 30 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 1,864 yards on 279 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Ingram was the first Alabama player to win the Heisman.

He was the SEC's ninth Heisman winner

He was the third-straight sophomore to win the Heisman and second true sophomore overall.

At the time, he was the youngest Heisman winner at just 19 years, 356 days.

He is one of three Heisman winners born in New Jersey.

He was the first running back to win the Heisman since 1999, breaking a string of eight-straight quarterback winners.



Quick Facts

Name: Cameron Jerrell Newton
Born: May 11, 1989
Place of Birth: Atlanta, GA
High School: Westlake HS
Height: 6-5
Weight: 250
Jersey Number: 2
Position: Quarterback
Team: Auburn Tigers
Conference: SEC
Team Record: 13-0
Head Coach: Gene Chizik
NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Carolina)

BIO

Cam Newton became the third Auburn Tiger to win the Heisman, joining Pat Sullivan ('71) and Bo Jackson ('85). The 6-foot 6-inches and 250-pounds Newton wasn't on many radars at the start of the 2010 season, but he ended up becoming the first double-transfer to win the Heisman and the first junior-college transfer to do so since Mike Rozier in 1983.

Newton was a highly-rated recruit out of Atlanta's Westlake High in 2006 with a scholarship offer list that included Florida, Georgia, Maryland, Oklahoma and Georgia Tech, among others. Newton decided to attend Florida, where he joined 2007 Heisman winner Tim Tebow on the roster.

Newton backed up Tebow in 2007 but redshirted in 2008 due to an ankle injury. He then left Florida and enrolled at Blinn Junior College, where he played the 2009 season. He led Blinn to the national JC championship in 2009, throwing for 2,833 yards and 22 touchdowns with 655 rushing yards.

Auburn won the battle for Newton's services the following spring and by the fall, he was the starting quarterback for the Tigers. Newton threw for 2,589 yards and 28 touchdowns with just six interceptions while rushing for 1,409 yards and 20 scores as the Tigers went undefeated and won the SEC championship.

Newton was named the 2010 SEC Offensive Player of the Year as well as the 2010 AP Player of the year before winning the Heisman in a landslide.

He then led the Tigers to a victory over Oregon in the BCS

title game as Auburn won its first national title since 1957.

Following the season, Newton declared for the NFL draft and was selected as the first pick overall by the Carolina Panthers. He was named the NFL Rookie of the Year for 2011 and the NFL's MVP in 2015 after leading Carolina to the Super Bowl.

2010 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 926

Date of announcement: December 11, 2010

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Cam Newton	JR	QB	Auburn	2,263
2	Andrew Luck	SO	QB	Stanford	1,079
3	LaMichael James	SO	RB	Oregon	916
4	Kellen Moore	JR	QB	Boise State	635
5	Justin Blackmon	SO	WR	Oklahoma St	105

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2010 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 2,589 yards and 26 TDs on 165 of 246 passing

Rushing: 1,409 yards and 20 TDs on 242 carries

Total Offense: 3,998 yards on 489 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Newton is Auburn's third Heisman winner and first since 1985.

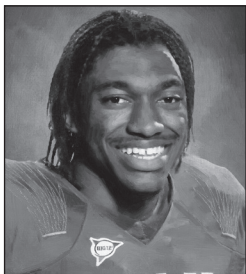
He was the SEC's 10th Heisman winner

He's the third Heisman Trophy winner to also play junior college football and the first to win the Heisman coming straight from JC.

He's the only double-transfer to win the Heisman (Florida to Blinn JC to Auburn).

He is one of four Heisman winners born in Georgia.

He's the first Heisman winner to be named the NFL's MVP since Barry Sanders in 1997 and the only Heisman quarterback to be so honored.



Quick Facts

Name: Robert Lee Griffin III
Born: February 12, 1990
Place of Birth: Okinawa, Japan
High School: Copperas Cove (TX)
Height: 6-2
Weight: 215
Jersey Number: 10
Position: Quarterback
Team: Baylor Bears
Conference: Big 12
Team Record: 9-3
Head Coach: Art Briles
NFL Draft Selection: 2nd pick, 1st round (Washington)

BIO

Robert Griffin III became the first Baylor Bear to win the Heisman following a stellar junior season in which he led the long-struggling program to decades-high heights. The 6-2, 220-pound son of two Army sergeants is one of the best athletes ever to win the trophy.

He prepped at Copperas Cove (Texas) High, where he proved himself an elite hurdler in track as well as a promising dual-threat quarterback. As a 2007 junior, he recorded the nation's top prep time in the 400m hurdles (49.56), tied for the top mark in the 110m high hurdles (13.46) and was second in the 300m hurdles (35.33). On the gridiron, he led his team to a 13-2 record and an appearance in the state championship game.

Griffin enrolled at Baylor early after graduating high school in December of 2007. He immediately starred for the Baylor track and field squad during the 2008 spring semester (what would have been his senior year in high school), earning All-American honors after finishing third at the NCAA championships in the 400m hurdles.

Griffin III also made an immediate impact on the gridiron for the Bears in the fall of 2008, throwing for 2,901 yards and 15 touchdowns while rushing for 843 yards and 13 scores. He missed most of 2009 due to a knee injury, but he returned in 2010 to throw for 3,501 yards and 22 touchdowns.

But it was his junior year when it all came together for Griffin III.

He threw for 3,998 yards and 36 touchdowns and added 644 yards and nine scores on the ground to lead Baylor to a 9-3 regular-season record and a top 15 ranking, its best since 1986. His pass efficiency mark of 192.31 was the best in Heisman history. He earned 2011 national Player of the

Year honors by multiple outlets, plus the Davey O'Brien and Manning Awards before becoming the 76th Heisman winner.

Griffin III graduated early from Baylor with a degree in political science. He declared for the NFL draft following the 2011 season and was drafted by the Washington Redskins with the 2nd pick overall. He was the NFL's Rookie of the Year in 2012.

2011 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 927

Date of announcement: December 10, 2011

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Robert Griffin III	JR	QB	Baylor	1,609
2	Andrew Luck	JR	QB	Stanford	1,407
3	Trent Richardson	JR	RB	Alabama	978
4	Montee Ball	JR	RB	Wisconsin	348
5	Tyrann Mathieu	SO	DB	LSU	327

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2011 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 3,998 yards and 36 TDs on 267 of 369 passing

Rushing: 644 yards and 9 TDs on 161 carries

Total Offense: 4,642 yards on 530 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Griffin III is the first Baylor Bear to win the Heisman.

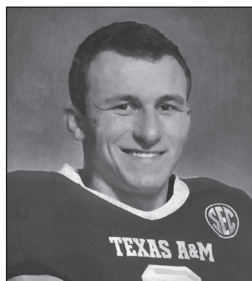
He is the Big-12's fifth Heisman winner.

Born in Okinawa, Japan, he is one of three Heisman winners born outside the United States, joining Tim Tebow and Frank Sinkwich.

His passer efficiency rating of 192.31 in 2011 is the best in Heisman history.

He's one of three Heisman winners to also earn All-American honors in collegiate track and field, joining OJ Simpson and Herschel Walker.

He was the third-straight Heisman-winning quarterback to be named the NFL's rookie of the year.



Quick Facts

Name: Johnathan Paul Manziel
Born: December 6, 1992
Place of Birth: Tyler, Texas
High School: Kerrville (TX) Tivy HS
Height: 5-11
Weight: 210
Jersey Number: 2
Position: Quarterback
Team: Texas A&M Aggies
Conference: SEC
Team Record: 10-2
Head Coach: Kevin Sumlin
NFL Draft Selection: 22nd pick, 1st round (Cleveland)

BIO

Manziel is the first freshman to win the Heisman Trophy, capturing the award in his redshirt year on the strength of remarkable performances on the ground and in the air. He joined John David Crow as one of two Texas A&M Aggies to win the Heisman.

Manziel was born in Tyler, Texas, but prepped at Kerrville's Tivy High. An exciting all-around athlete, Manziel's dual-threat quarterbacking skills were highly coveted by several schools including Baylor, Colorado State, Louisiana Tech, Iowa State, Rice, Stanford, Tulsa, Wyoming and Oregon, where he originally committed (along with 2014 Heisman winner Marcus Mariota) in the summer of 2010.

But Manziel switched allegiances to A&M on Sept. 20, 2010, and signed with the Aggies the following February. After redshirting in 2011, he burst on to the scene in 2012, piling up an SEC-record 4,600 yards of total offense while leading A&M to a 10-2 regular season record in its first season in the fabled league.

Manziel threw for 3,419 yards and 24 touchdowns while adding 1,181 yards with 19 scores on the ground. The key game in his Heisman resume came when he led the Aggies to a 29-24 upset of No. 1 Alabama in Tuscaloosa, totaling 345 yards of total offense while ripping off several highlight-reel plays.

For his efforts, he was named the SEC Freshman of the Year, the Davey O'Brien winner and the 77th recipient of the Heisman Trophy.

Manziel returned to school in 2013 and threw for 4,114 yards and 37 touchdowns while rushing for 759 yards and nine scores. His two-year total offense and touchdown total: A remarkable 9,989

yards and 93 scores. He was once again voted to the Heisman ceremony as a finalist, finishing fifth behind Jameis Winston.

Following the 2013 season, Manziel made himself available to the NFL draft. He was selected in the first round, 22nd overall, by the Cleveland Browns.

2012 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 928

Date of announcement: December 8, 2012

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Johnny Manziel	FR	QB	Texas A&M	2,029
2	Manti Te'o	SR	LB	Notre Dame	1,706
3	Collin Klein	SR	QB	Kansas State	894
4	Marqise Lee	SO	WR	USC	207
5	Braxton Miller	SO	QB	Ohio State	144

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2012 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 3,419 yards and 24 TDs on 273 of 400 passing

Rushing: 1,181 yards and 19 TDs on 184 carries

Total Offense: 4,600 yards on 584 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Manziel, a redshirt freshman, is the first freshman of any kind to win the Heisman.

He is Texas A&M's second Heisman winner.

He is the SEC's 11th Heisman winner.

He's one of three players to pass for over 2,000 yards and rush for over 1,000 yards in a Heisman-winning season.

He had three 500-yard-plus games of total offense in 2012, more than any other Heisman winner.

He broke the NCAA freshman record for QB rushing yards and total offense.

He is one of six Heisman winners born in Texas and the second born in Tyler, Texas (along with Earl Campbell).



Quick Facts

Name: Jameis Lanaed Winston
Born: January 6, 1994
Place of Birth: Bessemer, AL
High School: Hueytown (AL) HS
Height: 6-4
Weight: 225
Jersey Number: 5
Position: Quarterback
Team: Florida State Seminoles
Conference: ACC
Team Record: 13-0
Head Coach: Jimbo Fisher
NFL Draft Selection: 1st pick, 1st round (Tampa Bay)

BIO

Jameis Winston became the youngest player to win the Heisman Trophy when he captured the 79th award at age 19 years and 342 days. He was the third Florida State Seminole to win the Heisman, following Charlie Ward ('93) and Chris Weinke ('00).

Winston was born in Bessemer, Alabama on January 6, 1994. He attended Hueytown High School, where he played both football and baseball. Winston was considered among the best quarterback recruits in the nation in 2011 and he earned the Gatorade Player of the Year recognition for the state of Alabama. He led Hueytown to a state championship during his junior year.

Winston committed to attend FSU on February 3, 2012. The Texas Rangers selected Winston in the 15th round of the 2012 Major League Baseball Draft out of high school. Though the Rangers proposed allowing him to play for the Florida State Seminoles football team while working out with their baseball organization, Winston decided not to sign.

After redshirting his first season, Winston won the starting job for the Seminoles and promptly led his team to an undefeated campaign and a BCS title, becoming the first redshirt freshman to win a Heisman and a national championship in the same season. Winston threw for 3,820 yards and 38 touchdowns with 10 interceptions prior to winning the Heisman. His pass efficiency rating of 190.04 (at the time of the ceremony) was second-best among Heisman winners.

He spent the spring of his freshman year playing baseball for the Seminoles. As a pitcher and outfielder, he batted .235 and had a 3.00 earned run average in 27 innings pitched.

BIO

Winston followed up his Heisman-winning season with a stellar sophomore year, throwing for 3,907 yards and 25 touchdowns while leading FSU to a school-record 26-straight wins and a berth in the inaugural College Football Playoff. He finished his two-year career with a record of 26-1 as a starter, throwing for 7,964 yards and 65 touchdowns.

He declared for the NFL draft following his sophomore season and was the first overall selection by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers.

2013 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 927

Date of announcement: December 14, 2013

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Jameis Winston	FR	QB	Florida State	2,205
2	AJ McCarron	SR	QB	Alabama	704
3	Jordan Lynch	SR	QB	N. Illinois	558
4	Andre Williams	SR	RB	Boston Coll.	470
5	<i>Johnny Manziel</i>	SO	QB	Texas A&M	421

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2013 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 3,820 yards and 38 TDs on 237 of 349 passing

Rushing: 193 yards and 4 TDs on 77 rushes

Total Offense: 4,013 yards on 426 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Winston was Florida State's third Heisman winner and first since 2000.

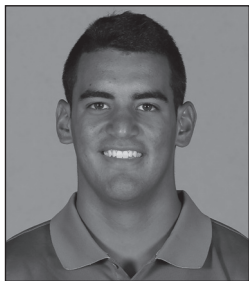
He was the third player from an ACC team to win the Heisman.

He was the second consecutive redshirt freshman to win the Heisman and second overall.

He was the youngest Heisman winner at the time at age 19 years and 342 days (he is now the second-youngest).

He is one of three Heisman winners born in Alabama.

His 9.42 yards per play in 2013 was the best in Heisman history.



Quick Facts

Name: Marcus Ardel Taulauniu Mariota
Born: October 30, 1993
Place of Birth: Honolulu, HI
High School: St. Louis HS
Height: 6-4
Weight: 220
Jersey Number: 8
Position: Quarterback
Team: Oregon Ducks
Conference: Pac-12
Team Record: 12-1
Head Coach: Mark Helfrich
NFL Draft Selection: 2nd pick, 1st round (Tennessee)

BIO

Marcus Mariota is the first Oregon player, the first Polyneesian and the first player from Hawaii to win the Heisman.

Mariota was born in Honolulu and attended St. Louis High School, where he was a two-sport star in football and track. In football, he was relatively unknown late in his high school career due to not starting until his senior season. During that senior year, he led St. Louis to an 11-1 record and the state title while being named the Interscholastic League of Honolulu's Offensive Player of the Year and the 2010 Hawaii Gatorade Player of the Year.

Despite being ranked the No. 2 player in the state, he was offered just two scholarships from FBS programs. He chose Oregon over Memphis. He was briefly committed to the Ducks along with 2012 Heisman winner Johnny Manziel before Manziel decided to attend Texas A&M.

After redshirting the 2011 season, Mariota became the first freshman to start a season opener for the Ducks in 22 seasons. He led Oregon to a 12-1 record in 2012 while earning All-Pac-12 first-team honors.

Mariota had another fine year in 2013 as he led the Ducks to an 11-2 record while once again being named first-team All-Pac-12.

His junior Heisman-winning season was spectacular. He threw for 3,783 yards and 38 touchdowns with just two interceptions while also rushing for 669 yards and 14 scores (he also caught a TD pass) as the Ducks finished the regular season with a 12-1 record. His 53 total touchdowns tied Sam Bradford for the most in Heisman history. Mariota led the nation in touchdowns, passing efficiency (186.33) and total offense (4,452 yards). His

winning Heisman vote was the third-highest vote total in Heisman history and he appeared on a record 95.16% of ballots.

Mariota bypassed his senior season to make himself available to the 2015 NFL draft. He was drafted as the second overall pick by the Tennessee Titans.

2014 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 928

Date of announcement: December 13, 2014

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Marcus Mariota	JR	QB	Oregon	2,534
2	Melvin Gordon	JR	RB	Wisconsin	1,250
3	Amari Cooper	JR	WR	Alabama	1,023
4	Trevone Boykin	JR	QB	TCU	218
5	J.T. Barrett	FR	QB	Ohio State	78

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2014 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 3,803 yards and 38 TDs on 254 of 372 passing

Rushing: 669 yards and 14 TDs on 117 carries

Total Offense: 4,452 on 489 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Mariota is the first Oregon Duck to win the Heisman.

He was the 10th Heisman winner from the Pac-12 and the first non-USC Heisman winner from the conference since Jim Plunkett in 1970.

He is the first Heisman winner born in Hawaii.

His 53 combined touchdowns (running, passing, receiving) is tied with Sam Bradford for the most in Heisman history.

His 2 interceptions in the 2014 season (on 372 attempts) is the fewest in Heisman history for any quarterback attempting at least 150 passes.

He was the fifth-straight quarterback to win the Heisman.



Quick Facts

Name: Derrick Henry
Born: July 17, 1994
Place of Birth: Yulee, FL
High School: Yulee HS
Height: 6-3
Weight: 242
Jersey Number: 2
Position: Running Back
Team: Alabama Crimson Tide
Conference: SEC
Team Record: 12-1
Head Coach: Nick Saban
NFL Draft Selection: 45th pick, 2nd round (Tennessee)

BIO

Derrick Henry is the second Alabama player to win the Heisman, joining 2009 winner Mark Ingram. He is also the first running back since Ingram to win and just the second since Ron Dayne won in 1999.

Henry was born in Yulee, Fla. and attended Yulee High, where he was a three-sport star in football, basketball and track. He set the national high school career rushing mark with 12,124 yards, breaking Ken Hall's 59-year-old record. He had 4,261 yards and 55 touchdowns as a 2012 senior and was considered one of the top players in the recruiting class of 2013.

The 6-3, 242-pounder was offered dozens of scholarships from schools all across the country, but he committed to attend the University of Alabama on Sept. 28, 2012. As a 2013 freshman, Henry made an impact for the Tide as part of a deep corps of running backs, rushing for 382 yards and three touchdowns on just 35 carries (including 100 yards on eight carries against Oklahoma in the Cotton Bowl).

He followed up with a strong 2014 junior season, rushing for 990 yards and 11 touchdowns as he shared carries with T.J. Yeldon.

Henry came into his own as a junior, setting the SEC single-season rushing record with 1,986 rushing yards. He also tied the conference mark for rushing touchdowns with 23. His rushing yardage total led the nation, as did his number of rushing attempts (339). He was just the third running back in SEC history (Herschel Walker and Bo Jackson being the others) to have four 200-yard games in a single season.

As a result, Henry beat out Stanford's Christian McCaffrey for

the Heisman. He then led the Crimson Tide to the national title with 158 yards and three touchdowns against Clemson.

Henry bypassed his senior season for the NFL and was selected in the 2nd round by the Tennessee Titans.

2015 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 929

Date of announcement: December 12, 2015

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Derrick Henry	JR	RB	Alabama	1,832
2	Christian McCaffrey	SO	RB	Stanford	1,539
3	DeShaun Watson	SO	QB	Clemson	1,165
4	Baker Mayfield	SO	QB	Oklahoma	334
5	Keenan Reynolds	SR	QB	Navy	180

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2015 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Rushing: 1,986 yards and 23 TDs on 339 carries

Receiving: 97 yards on 10 catches

All-Purpose Yardage: 2,083 yards on 349 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Henry was the second Alabama player to win the Heisman.

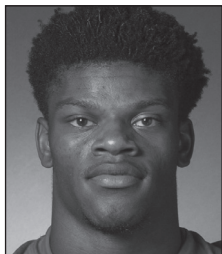
He was the SEC's 12th Heisman winner

He was the first running back since Mark Ingram in 2009 to win the Heisman and just the second since 1999.

He is one of four Heisman winners born in Florida.

His 1,986 yards rushing was the most by a Heisman winner since 1998 and is currently sixth-best on the Heisman charts.

His 46 carries against Auburn was the most in a Heisman-winning season since Marcus Allen also carried 46 times against California in 1981.



Quick Facts

Name: Lamar Jackson
Born: January 7, 1997
Place of Birth: Pompano Beach, FL
High School: Boynton Beach HS
Height: 6-3
Weight: 218
Jersey Number: 8
Position: Quarterback
Team: Louisville Cardinals
Conference: ACC
Team Record: 9-3
Head Coach: Bobby Petrino

BIO

Lamar Jackson won Louisville's first Heisman by producing one of the most statistically impressive seasons in Heisman history. He is the youngest player to win the Heisman, at just 19 years, 337 days -- five days younger than the previous youngest winner, Jameis Winston.

The 6-3, 218-pounder accumulated 4,928 yards of total offense, second in Heisman history behind Ty Detmer's 5,022 in 1990. His 51 touchdowns running and passing ties him with Tim Tebow for third on the all-time Heisman chart. He's the first player to win the Heisman with at least 30 touchdown passes and at least 21 rushing touchdowns. His 1,538 rushing yards are the most-ever by a Heisman-winning quarterback.

Jackson is the fourth sophomore and also the eighth player from a team currently in the Atlantic Coast Conference to win. He led the Cardinals to a 9-3 record, a No. 15 national ranking and a berth in the Buffalo Wild Wings Citrus Bowl.

Born on Jan. 7, 1997, in Pompano Beach, Fla., Jackson starred as a dual-threat quarterback for Boynton Beach (Fla.) High in South Florida. As a 2014 senior, he was named to the 6A all-state first team as a utility player after throwing for 1,293 passing yards and 20 touchdowns with 1,039 rushing yards and 19 touchdowns. He committed to Louisville over Florida and Nebraska, among others.

Jackson earned the starting quarterback job for Louisville as a 2015 true freshman and performed admirably, passing for 1,840 yards and 12 touchdowns and rushing for 960 yards and 11 scores. He flashed signs of what was to come in a 27-21 victory over Texas A&M in the Music City Bowl, passing for 227 yards, rushing for 226 and totaling four touchdowns.

He exploded out of the gate as a 2016 sophomore, piling up yards

and touchdowns at an unprecedented rate. Among the highlights: Eight touchdowns in the first half against Charlotte, 610 yards of total offense (411 passing, 199 rushing) against Syracuse and 5 total touchdowns in a 63-20 thrashing of Florida State.

By season's end, Jackson's yardage and touchdown totals were among the best in college football history. Accordingly, he won the Heisman comfortably, winning all six voting regions to beat out fellow ACC rival Deshaun Watson of Clemson, 2,144 points to 1,524.

2016 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 929

Date of announcement: December 10, 2016

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Lamar Jackson	SO	QB	Louisville	2,144
2	DeShaun Watson	JR	QB	Clemson	1,524
3	Baker Mayfield	JR	QB	Oklahoma	361
4	Dede Westbrook	SR	WR	Oklahoma	209
5	Jabrill Peppers	JR	LB	Michigan	208

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2016 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 3,390 yards and 30 TDs on 220 of 382 passing

Rushing: 1,538 yards and 21 TDs on 234 carries

Total Offense: 4,928 yards on 616 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Jackson was the first player from Louisville to win the Heisman.

He was the fourth ACC player to win the award and second in a four-year span.

He is the youngest Heisman winner at 19 years, 337 days old.

He was the 10th-straight non-senior to win the Heisman, the fourth sophomore and the fifth second-year player to win.

He is the fourth Heisman winner born in Florida and second-consecutive.

His 4,928 yards of total offense is second best in Heisman history.



Quick Facts

Name: Baker Reagan Mayfield

Born: April 14, 1995

Place of Birth: Austin, TX

High School: Lake Travis HS

Height: 6-1

Weight: 215

Jersey Number: 6

Position: Quarterback

Team: Oklahoma Sooners

Conference: Big 12

Team Record: 11-1

Head Coach: Lincoln Riley

BIO

Baker Mayfield won Oklahoma's sixth Heisman while producing the highest passing efficiency rating in FBS history. He is the first Heisman winner to begin his career as a walk-on athlete since the NCAA instituted athletic scholarships in the 1950s.

He is also one of seven players to log three top 5 Heisman finishes, joining Glenn Davis and Doc Blanchard of Army, Doak Walker of SMU, Archie Griffin of Ohio State, Herschel Walker of Georgia and Tim Tebow of Florida.

Mayfield was born on April 14, 1995, in Austin, Texas. He starred at Lake Travis High in Austin, leading his team to a 25-2 record as a starter while winning the 2011 4A State Championship. He finished his prep career with 6,255 passing yards and 67 touchdown passes.

The 6-foot-1, 220-pound dual-threat quarterback was passed over by almost every BCS school for a scholarship, so Mayfield chose to walk on at Texas Tech in 2013, where he immediately won the starting quarterback position. In his first start, he passed for 413 yards and four touchdowns. He finished his freshman season with 2,315 yards and 12 touchdown passes. Mayfield then chose to transfer to Oklahoma, where he sat out the 2014 season due to transfer rules.

Mayfield took over the starting job for the Sooners in 2015 and made an immediate impact, passing for 3,700 yards and 37 touchdowns while rushing for another 405 yards and seven scores on the ground. He finished fourth in that year's Heisman race.

He came back in 2016 with another fine season, setting the NCAA record with a passer rating of 196.38, with 3,965 yards through the air and 40 touchdowns. He took his first trip to New York as a Heisman finalist, finishing third behind Lamar Jackson and DeShaun Watson.

Mayfield saved his best season for last, throwing for 4,340 yards with 41 touchdowns and just 5 interceptions while lead-

ing the Sooners to a 12-1 record and a berth in the College Football Playoff. He once again set the NCAA record for passing efficiency with a rating of 203.76 before joining Billy Vessels ('52), Steve Owens ('69), Billy Sims ('78), Jason White ('03) and Sam Bradford ('08) as Sooner Heisman winners.

He is the first senior to win the award since Troy Smith in 2006 and the first player to win the Heisman after transferring directly from another FBS program since Doc Blanchard did so in 1945. He later was the first overall selection in the 2018 NFL draft by the Cleveland Browns.

2016 HEISMAN TOP 5

Number of electors: 929

Date of announcement: December 9, 2017

	PLAYER	YR	POS	TEAM	PTS
1	Baker Mayfield	SR	QB	Oklahoma	2,398
2	Bryce Love	JR	RB	Stanford	1,300
3	Lamar Jackson	JR	QB	Louisville	793
4	Saquon Barkley	JR	RB	Penn State	304
5	Rashaad Penny	SR	RB	San Diego St	175

Full voting results in the media guide index

2016 STATISTICS (PRE-BOWL GAME)

Passing: 4,340 yards and 41 TDs on 262 of 369 passing

Rushing: 310 yards and 5 TDs on 85 carries

Total Offense: 4,650 yards on 454 plays

Full season stats at Heisman.com

MISCELLANEOUS

Mayfield was the sixth Oklahoma Sooner to win the Heisman.

He was the first player to win the Heisman after beginning his college career as a walk-on player.

He was the first senior to win the award since Troy Smith in 2006.

Mayfield's pass efficiency mark of 203.76 was the highest in Heisman history.

He is one of seven players to log three top 5 Heisman finishes, joining Glenn Davis and Doc Blanchard of Army, Doak Walker of SMU, Archie Griffin of Ohio State, Herschel Walker of Georgia and Tim Tebow of Florida.



Baker Mayfield