



**2019 SEC Championship Game  
Georgia vs. LSU  
Mercedes-Benz Stadium  
December 7, 2019**

## **Final Game Notes**

LSU quarterback Joe Burrow was named the championship game MVP. It is the 15<sup>th</sup> time a quarterback was named MVP in the championship game the first since Alabama's Blake Sims in 2014.

Other LSU MVPs were QB Matt Mauck in 2001, RB Justin Vincent in 2003, QB Ryan Perriloux in 2007 and DB Tyrann Mathieu in 2011.

LSU claims its 12<sup>th</sup> SEC championship and first since 2011. The win also pushes its mark to 5-1 in the championship game, having won its last three in 2007, 2011 and 2019.

The loss by Georgia drops its mark to 3-5 in the championship game.

Tonight's attendance is 74,150.

Joe Burrow's 349 yards passing is the fourth highest total in championship game history, trailing Florida's Danny Wuerffel's 401 in 1996, Auburn's Jason Campbell's 374 in 2004 and Tennessee's Peyton Manning's 373 in 1997. He is the eighth quarterback to throw for more than 300 yards in the championship game.

Joe Burrow's 4 TD passes are the most in the championship game since Auburn's Cam Newton had four in 2010. It is the fifth time a QB has thrown four TDs in a game. Florida's Danny Wuerffel holds the top mark with 6 in 1996.

Joe Burrow's 28 completions is the second most in championship game history, trailing Florida's Shane Matthews' 30 in 1992 on 49 attempts.

Joe Burrow's 73.7 completion percentage (28-of-38) ranks as the third highest in championship game history.

Joe Burrow's 71-yard pass to Justin Jefferson is the fourth longest in championship game history and the longest since Alabama's Greg McElroy connected with Mark Ingram for 69 yards in 2009.

With four touchdown passes tonight, Joe Burrow set the SEC single-season record for touchdown passes with 48.

Justin Jefferson's 115 receiving yards is the 14<sup>th</sup>-highest total in championship game history as he became the 22<sup>nd</sup> player to reach 100-yards receiving.

Terrace Marshall's two touchdown catches marks the first time a player had two TD catches in the championship game since Missouri's Dorial Beckham-Green in 2013. It is the ninth time a player recorded two more TD catches in the game.

LSU's Derek Stingley tied the championship game record with two interceptions. It is the fifth time a player recorded two interceptions in the game and the first since Florida's Lito Sheppard in 2000.

LSU's Cade York scored the most points by kicking with 13 thanks to three field goals and 4 PATs. York's three field goals ties the championship game record. He is the first to make three since Georgia's Billy Bennett in 2002.

Georgia converted all three of its fourth downs to set the championship game record.

LSU and Georgia combined for the most passing completions in championship game history with 48, breaking the mark of 42 set by Georgia and Alabama in 2018.