2024 MISSOURI FOOTBALL

POSTGAME QUOTES VS. ARKANSAS – NOV. 30, 2024

Head Coach Eliah Drinkwitz

On how he would sum of the final home game of the season…

"I'd sum it up like I've summed up this team, just a really gritty, tough team, not always the prettiest, but always in the fight, finding a way to win the game. Just really proud of them. Defense got us big turnovers. Obviously got the big stop right at the end. Brady Cook to lead us on that drive. Right there. Pretty awesome."

On turnovers and how important they are…

"I mean, the team that makes the fewest mistakes is going to win the game, and that's what we did tonight."

On how fitting it was for Senior Brady Cook to score the final touchdown…

"That's called a walk off."

On the four conference home games…

"Yeah, just again, a tough, gritty team that believes that each other refuses to give in and really, really proud of it."

On the crowd today…

"What an amazing crowd. Appreciate their ability to show up and affect the game, and they were loud."

Wide Receiver Theo Wease Jr.

On what the victory means to him today…

"It means everything to me. Coming here last year and just getting the love that I got from Mizzou, from the fans and from the whole city. I just know I wanted to go out and get a win for the whole team and for the brotherhood."

On if transferring to Mizzou from Oklahoma was the right move for him…

"Yeah, I definitely think I made the right move for sure. I built some bonds here that's gonna last for the rest of my life, and I was just blessed to be a part of everything."

On him being a clutch guy…

"I try to be. I just try to maximize my opportunities when they come."

On being the leading receiver in terms of yardage on the team…

"All glory to God honestly. He blessed me. I couldn't do this without my teammates. I really thank them too."

Wide Receiver Luther Burden III
On the Tigers' comeback victory…
"We never gave up in tough times and came out strong."

On the team's comeback abilities…
"We just work hard; the game is never over until we say so. Shoutout to Faurot Field crowd, thankful for the fans and we got it done."

On what it has meant to him to be a Missouri Tiger…
"It has meant everything; it has been a pleasure being here. Excited for what's next."

Quarterback Brady Cook
On the regular-season finale…
"Wouldn't have it any other way, struggled early but you don't have to worry about this team when we struggle early. We've done it before. We face adversity, ups and downs and everybody stays calm. You don't have to say too much to these guys, they're going to fight until the end and find a way. It's amazing."

On the close SEC victories…
"I've seen it before. I feel like we've been battle-tested so many times, especially these different SEC games we've faced and I'm glad we found a way at the end."

On his game-winning touchdown run…
Pretty cool, I'm glad we had the chance to go drive and find a way to get in the end zone. It was a quarterback draw; they brought pressure, and it opened up perfectly and the seas parted. I just took off.

On the weather and atmosphere…
"Yeah, it was interesting. I've never really played a true snow game before. I was watching Jameis Winston two weeks ago, so I had to channel some of that, and it was fun. I had a blast. Obviously, it was tough early kind of adjusting to the elements and what we needed to do differently and how I needed to play differently, but we did ultimately, and we found a way."