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STANFORD'S LATE RALLY FALLS SHORT IN 6-5 LOSS TO SAINT MARY'S Cardinal losing streak reaches five games with one-run defeat

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Saint Mary's (7-2)	1	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	6	11	0
Stanford (2-6)	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	3	0	5	8	0

WIN - Barraclough (2-0). LOSS - Fearnow (0-2). SAVE - Berl (2).

Saint Mary's: Barraclough, Berl (7) and Mulligan. Stanford: Fearnow, Walker (2), Hancock (4), C. Schwartz (4), Sandbrink (5), Busick (7), Brashan (7), Marshall (9), and Clause.

Pracher (7), Marshall (9) and Clowe.

LOB - SMC 8; Stanford 5. 2B - August 2(5). HR - Jensen (4); Kiilsgaard(2). SF - Milleville(1). CS - Gastelum (1); Jones(2). WP -

Barraclough(2); Hancock(1). **TIME:** 2:59 **ATTN:** 1,140

STANFORD, Calif. – Saint Mary's (7-2) jumped out to a 6-1, fifth-inning lead and withstood a late rally to hand host Stanford (2-6) a 6-5 loss in a non-conference game tonight at Klein Field at Sunken Diamond. The Cardinal has now dropped five straight contests since opening the season 2-1.

For the second straight week, Saint Mary's starter Kyle Barraclough (2-0) turned in a solid performance at Klein Field at Sunken Diamond. After tossing 5.0-scoreless innings in the Gaels' 5-3 win last Tuesday over the Cardinal, the freshman right-hander held Stanford to just two runs over 6.0 frames tonight.

With a three-game weekend series beginning tomorrow, Stanford used a pitcher-by-committee approach. Right-hander **Max Fearnow** (0-2) started for the Cardinal, and was handed a tough-luck loss after surrendering a solo home run to Kyle Jensen in his lone inning of work. The Gaels scored their next five runs with two outs in the inning, pushing one across in the second (off **Brandt Walker**), three in the third (off **Blake Hancock**) and one in the sixth (off **Carey Schwartz**).

Stanford's offense began to stir in the bottom of the sixth, when **Kellen Kiilsgaard** launched his second homer of the season – a solo shot deep over the wall in right-center.

The first four Cardinal batters recorded a hit off Saint Mary's closer Brandon Berl in the eighth as Stanford mounted a rally. **Zach Jones** singled, **Toby Gerhart** followed with a single of his own and **Joey August** ripped his second double of the game to score both runners and bringing the Cardinal within 6-4. Kiilsgaard singled to put runners at the corners, and **Brent Milleville** delivered a sacrifice fly to plated August. However, beginning with Milleville's out, Berl retired the final six Cardinal batters for his second save.

In addition to August and Kiilsgaard, Jones also finished 2-for-4 to give Stanford three players with multi-hit contests. The back end of the Stanford bullpen was outstanding, as **Danny Sandbrink**, **Brian Busick**, **Alex Pracher** and **Michael Marshall** combined to work 4.1-innings of three-hit, shutout ball. Pracher escaped a second and third, one out jam in the seventh, and struck out two over his 1.2-perfect frames.

Stanford opens a three-game weekend series with No. 2 Texas tomorrow night at Klein Field at Sunken Diamond, with first pitch scheduled for 5:00 p.m. PT. The Cardinal and Longhorns will also square off in a pair of 1:00 p.m. PT games on Saturday and Sunday.

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Saint Mary's 6 (7-2)

Stanford 5 (2-6)

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	ро	а	lob
MILLER cf	5	0	1	1	0	3	4	0	0
JENSEN rf	5	1	1	1	0	3	1	0	2
MULLIGAN c	4	1	0	0	1	1	11	2	0
FAZIO If	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
YOUNG rf	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
CHANNING dh	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
ALIOTTI 1b	3	2	2	1	1	0	4	0	0
DITMER 3b	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0
MURPHY ss	3	1	1	0	1	0	2	0	2
GASTELUM 2b	4	0	2	3	0	0	3	1	3
BARRACLOUGH p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BERL p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	6	11	6	4	7	27	4	8

Player	ab	r	h	rbi	bb	so	ро	а	lob
Jones, Zach 3b	4	1	2	0	1	1	0	2	0
Gerhart, Toby If	4	1	1	0	0	3	2	0	2
August, Joey cf	4	1	2	2	0	0	2	0	0
Kiilsgaard, Kellen rf	4	1	2	1	0	0	3	0	0
Milleville, Brent 1b	2	0	0	1	1	1	11	0	0
Griffiths, Christian dh	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0
Kaskow, Jonathan ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clowe, Ben c	4	0	0	0	0	1	8	1	3
Gaylord, Adam 2b	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	0
Jelmini, J.J. ph	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Walsh, Colin 2b	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schlander, Jake ss	3	1	1	0	1	2	1	2	0
Fearnow, Max p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Walker, Brandt p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hancock, Blake p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schwartz, Carey p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sandbrink, Danny p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Busick, Brian p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pracher, Alex p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall, Michael p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	5	8	4	3	12	27	12	5

Score by Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	Н	E
Saint Mary's	1	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	6	11	0
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Saint Mary's	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf
BARRACLOUGH	6.0	4	2	2	3	8	21	24
BERL	3.0	4	3	3	0	4	12	13

Stanford	ip	h	r	er	bb	so	ab	bf
Fearnow, Max	1.0	2	1	1	0	1	5	5
Walker, Brandt	2.0	1	1	1	1	1	6	7
Hancock, Blake	0.2	4	3	3	1	0	6	7
Schwartz, Carey	1.0	1	1	1	1	1	4	5
Sandbrink, Danny	1.1	1	0	0	1	2	5	6
Busick, Brian	0.1	2	0	0	0	0	3	3
Pracher, Alex	1.2	0	0	0	0	2	5	5
Marshall, Michael	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3

Win - BARRACLOUGH (2-0). Loss - Fearnow (0-2). Save - BERL (2).

WP - BARRACLOUGH(2); Hancock(1).

Umpires - HP: Sid Aguilar 1B: Dan Payne 3B: Bill Speck

Start: 5:00 Time: 2:59 Attendance: 1140

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Saint Mary's starters: 8/cf MILLER; 42/rf JENSEN; 6/c MULLIGAN; 3/lf FAZIO; 21/dh CHANNING; 18/1b ALIOTTI; 39/3b DITMER; 15/ss MURPHY; 1/2b GASTELUM; 26/p BARRACLOUGH;

Stanford starters: 5/3b Jones; 24/lf Gerhart; 7/cf August; 21/rf Kiilsgaard; 25/1b Milleville; 15/dh Griffiths; 29/c Clowe; 2/2b Gaylord; 6/ss Schlander; 40/p Fearnow;

Saint Mary's 1st - MILLER struck out swinging. JENSEN homered to left field, RBI. MULLIGAN grounded out to p. FAZIO singled to right field. CHANNING flied out to rf. 1 run, 2 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Stanford 1st - Jones walked. Gerhart struck out swinging; Jones out at second c to 2b, caught stealing. August flied out to cf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Saint Mary's 2nd - Walker to p for Fearnow. ALIOTTI walked. DITMER fouled out to 1b. MURPHY grounded out to 3b; ALIOTTI advanced to second. GASTELUM singled up the middle, RBI; ALIOTTI scored. GASTELUM out at second c to ss, caught stealing. 1 run, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Stanford 2nd - Kiilsgaard popped up to ss. Milleville fouled out to 1b. Griffiths flied out to cf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Saint Mary's 3rd - MILLER struck out swinging. JENSEN flied out to cf. MULLIGAN flied out to rf. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Stanford 3rd - Clowe popped up to 2b. Gaylord flied out to rf. Schlander walked. Jones singled to left center; Schlander advanced to third. Jones advanced to second on a wild pitch, advanced to third; Schlander scored. Gerhart struck out swinging. 1 run, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Saint Mary's 4th - Hancock to p for Walker. FAZIO flied out to If.
CHANNING flied out to rf. ALIOTTI singled through the right side.
DITMER singled through the right side; ALIOTTI advanced to second.
DITMER advanced to second on a wild pitch; ALIOTTI advanced to third. MURPHY walked. GASTELUM singled to right field, 2 RBI; MURPHY advanced to third; DITMER scored; ALIOTTI scored. MILLER singled to left field, RBI; GASTELUM advanced to second; MURPHY scored. Schwartz, C. to p for Hancock. JENSEN struck out swinging. 3 runs, 4 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Stanford 4th - August doubled to right field. Kiilsgaard popped up to ss. Milleville walked. Griffiths struck out swinging. Clowe struck out swinging. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Saint Mary's 5th - MULLIGAN walked. FAZIO flied out to cf. CHANNING grounded out to 1b unassisted; MULLIGAN advanced to second. ALIOTTI singled through the right side, RBI; MULLIGAN scored. Sandbrink to p for Schwartz, C.. DITMER walked; ALIOTTI advanced to second. MURPHY singled to second base; DITMER advanced to second; ALIOTTI advanced to third. GASTELUM grounded out to 2b. 1 run, 2 hits, 0 errors, 3 LOB.

Stanford 5th - Gaylord struck out swinging. Schlander singled up the middle. Jones flied out to cf. Gerhart struck out looking. 0 runs, 1 hit, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Saint Mary's 6th - MILLER out at first p to 2b to 1b. JENSEN struck

out looking. MULLIGAN struck out looking. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Stanford 6th - August grounded out to 2b. Kiilsgaard homered to right center, RBI. Milleville struck out looking. Griffiths struck out swinging, out at first c to 1b. 1 run, 1 hit, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Saint Mary's 7th - Busick to p for Sandbrink. FAZIO singled to left field. CHANNING singled to right field; FAZIO advanced to third. ALIOTTI reached on a fielder's choice, advanced to second; CHANNING advanced to third; FAZIO out at home 2b to 3b to c. Pracher to p for Busick. DITMER grounded out to ss. MURPHY grounded out to 2b. 0 runs, 2 hits, 0 errors, 2 LOB.

Stanford 7th - BERL to p for BARRACLOUGH. Clowe popped up to 2b. Jelmini pinch hit for Gaylord. Jelmini struck out swinging. Schlander struck out looking. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Saint Mary's 8th - Jelmini to 2b. GASTELUM grounded out to 2b. MILLER struck out looking. JENSEN struck out looking. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Stanford 8th - JENSEN to If. YOUNG to rf for FAZIO. Jones singled to center field. Gerhart singled to left center; Jones advanced to second. August doubled to right center, 2 RBI; Gerhart scored; Jones scored. Kiilsgaard singled through the left side; August advanced to third. Milleville fouled out to rf, SF, RBI; Kiilsgaard advanced to second; August scored. Kaskow pinch hit for Griffiths. Kaskow grounded out to 3b. Clowe flied out to cf. 3 runs, 4 hits, 0 errors, 1 LOB.

Saint Mary's 9th - Kaskow to dh. Walsh to 2b for Jelmini. Marshall to p for Pracher. MULLIGAN grounded out to 1b unassisted. YOUNG flied out to If. CHANNING grounded out to ss. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.

Stanford 9th - Walsh flied out to rf. Schlander struck out swinging. Jones struck out swinging. 0 runs, 0 hits, 0 errors, 0 LOB.