

LOS ANGELES RAMS VS DENVER BRONCOS

NOVEMBER 12, 1972 – MEMORIAL COLISEUM



**Rams
Numerical
Roster**

10 Chapple P
12 Beathard QB
13 Rentzel WR
18 Gabriel QB
19 Nettles CB
21 Howard CB
24 Williams, C. CB
27 Ray K-WR
29 Sweet WR
33 Ellison RB
35 Thomas RB
38 Smith RB
42 Elmendorf S
44 Clark CB
45 Bertelsen RB
46 Williams, R. S
50 Iman C
52 Pergine LB
53 Purnell LB
56 Halverson LB
58 Robertson LB
61 Saul C-G
64 Reynolds LB
65 Mack G
67 Nelson DT
68 LaHood G
71 Scibelli G
72 Olsen, P. DT
73 Cowan T
74 Olsen, M. DT
75 Williams, J. G-T
76 Schuh T
79 Bacon DE
80 Klein TE
84 Snow WR
85 Youngblood DE
86 McKeever LB
88 Curran TE
89 Dryer DE
90 Brooks DT

RAMS OFFENSE

| | | |
|----------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| WR 84 Jack Snow | 29 Joe Sweet | |
| LT 73 Charlie Cowan | 61 Rich Saul | |
| LG 65 Tom Mack | 68 Mike LaHood | |
| C 50 Ken Iman | 61 Rich Saul | 61 Rich Saul |
| RG 71 Joe Scibelli | 68 Mike LaHood | |
| RT 76 Harry Schuh | 75 John Williams | |
| TE 80 Bob Klein | 88 Pat Curran | |
| WR 13 Lance Rentzel | 29 Joe Sweet | |
| QB 18 Roman Gabriel | 12 Pete Beathard | |
| RB 45 Jim Bertelsen | 38 Larry Smith | 31 Larry McCutcheon |
| RB 33 Willie Ellison | 35 Bob Thomas | 31 Larry McCutcheon |

RAMS DEFENSE

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|-------------------------|--------------------|
| LE 85 Jack Youngblood | 89 Fred Dryer |
| LT 74 Merlin Olsen | 67 Bill Nelson |
| RT 90 Larry Brooks | 72 Phil Olsen |
| RE 79 Coy Bacon | 85 Jack Youngblood |
| LLB 53 Jim Purnell | 56 Dean Halverson |
| MLB 86 Marlin McKeever | 64 Jack Reynolds |
| RLB 58 Isiah Robertson | 52 John Pergine |
| LC 24 Clarence Williams | 44 Al Clark |
| RC 21 Gene Howard | 44 Al Clark |
| LS 42 Dave Elmendorf | 46 Roger Williams |
| RS 19 Jimmy Nettles | 46 Roger Williams |

**Broncos
Numerical
Roster**

10 Ramsey QB
11 Anderson RB
12 Johnson QB
15 Turner K
20 Greer S
21 R. Montgomery CB
22 Lynch RB
23 Preece S
25 Moses WR
26 Saines S
29 West CB
33 Dawkins RB
35 Turner RB
36 Thompson CB
41 Mitchell CB
41 Van Heusen WR-K
44 Little RB
50 Maples C
51 Simone LB
52 Forsberg LB
54 Myrtle LB
55 Duranko DT
56 Parish LB
57 Geddes LB
58 McKoy LB
59 Kaminski C
64 Schnitker G
65 Voss DE
66 Cottrell G-C
68 Jackson G
70 Smith DT
74 Current T
75 Sharp T
76 Domres DT
77 Alzado DE
78 M. Montgomery T.
80 Simmons WR
81 Masters TE
83 Graham LB
84 Sherman WR
88 Odoms TE

BRONCOS DEFENSE

| | | |
|----------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| LE 65 Lloyd Voss | 76 Tom Domres | |
| LT 70 Paul Smith | 76 Tom Domres | |
| RT 55 Pete Duranko | 76 Tom Domres | |
| RE 77 Lyle Alzado | 76 Tom Domres | 56 Don Parish |
| LLB 58 Bill McKoy | 57 Bob Geddes | |
| MLB 83 Tom Graham | 52 Fred Forsberg | |
| RLB 54 Chip Myrtle | 51 Mike Simone | |
| LC 41 Leroy Mitchell | 36 Bill Thompson | |
| RC 36 Bill Thompson | 21 Randy Montgomery | |
| LS 20 Charles Greer | 23 Steve Preece | |
| RS 23 Steve Preece | 26 George Saines | |

BRONCOS OFFENSE

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|-----------------------|-------------------|
| WR 84 Rod Sherman | 25 Haven Moses |
| LT 78 Marv Montgomery | 75 Rick Sharp |
| LG 68 Larron Jackson | 66 Bill Cottrell |
| C 59 Larry Kaminski | 50 Bobby Maples |
| RG 61 Tommy Lyons | 64 Mike Schnitker |
| RT 74 Mike Current | 75 Rick Sharp |
| TE 81 Billy Masters | 88 Riley Odoms |
| WR 80 Jerry Simmons | 25 Haven Moses |
| QB 12 Charley Johnson | 10 Steve Ramsey |
| RB 44 Floyd Little | 22 Fran Lynch |
| RB 11 Bob Anderson | 33 Joe Dawkins |
| | 35 Clem Turner |

RAMS SPECIALISTS

PUNTERS: 10 Dave Chapple 27 David Ray
PLACEMENTS: 27 David Ray
HOLDER: 12 Pete Beathard
PUNT RETURNS: 45 Jim Bertelsen 42 Dave Elmendorf 46 Roger Williams
KICKOFF RETURNS: 35 Bob Thomas 33 Willie Ellison 46 Roger Williams

BRONCOS SPECIALISTS

PUNTERS: 42 Bill Van Heusen 11 Bob Anderson
PLACEMENTS: 15 Jim Turner
HOLDER: 12 Charley Johnson
PUNT RETURNS: 84 Rod Sherman 20 Charles Greer 44 Floyd Little
KICKOFF RETURNS: 33 Joe Dawkins 21 Randy Montgomery 44 Floyd Little

OFFICIALS

REFEREE: Richard Jorgensen (60), UMPIRE: Walt Parker (41), HEAD LINESMAN: Ed Marion (26),
LINE JUDGE: Bob Beeks (59), BACK JUDGE: Bob Rice (80), FIELD JUDGE: Joe Gonzales (54).



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| NO. | NAME | POS. | HT. | WT. | AGE | YR. | COLLEGE |
|-----|--------------------|--------|------|-----|-----|-----|--------------------|
| 79 | Bacon, Coy | DE | 6-4 | 270 | 29 | 5 | Jackson State |
| 12 | Beathard, Pete | QB | 6-1 | 205 | 30 | 9 | USC |
| 45 | Bertelsen, Jim | RB | 5-11 | 205 | 22 | 1 | Texas |
| 90 | Brooks, Larry | DT | 6-3 | 255 | 22 | 1 | Virginia State |
| 10 | Chapple, Dave | P-K | 6-1 | 180 | 25 | 1 | UC Santa Barbara |
| 44 | Clark, Al | CB-S | 6-0 | 185 | 24 | 2 | Eastern Michigan |
| 73 | Cowan, Charlie | T | 6-4 | 265 | 34 | 12 | New Mexico |
| 88 | Curran, Pat | TE | 6-3 | 238 | 26 | 4 | Lakeland |
| 89 | Dryer, Fred | DE | 6-6 | 240 | 26 | 4 | San Diego State |
| 33 | Ellison, Willie | RB | 6-2 | 200 | 26 | 6 | Texas Southern |
| 42 | Elmendorf, Dave | S | 6-1 | 195 | 23 | 2 | Texas A & M |
| 18 | Gabriel, Roman | QB | 6-4 | 220 | 32 | 11 | No. Carolina State |
| 56 | Halverson, Dean | LB | 6-2 | 230 | 26 | 4 | Washington |
| 21 | Howard, Gene | CB | 6-0 | 200 | 25 | 5 | Langston |
| 50 | Iman, Ken | C | 6-1 | 240 | 33 | 12 | Southeast Missouri |
| 80 | Klein, Bob | TE | 6-5 | 235 | 25 | 4 | USC |
| 68 | LaHood, Mike | G | 6-3 | 250 | 27 | 4 | Wyoming |
| 65 | Mack, Tom | G | 6-3 | 250 | 28 | 7 | Michigan |
| 31 | McCutcheon, Larry | RB | 6-1 | 205 | 22 | 1 | Colorado State |
| 86 | McKeever, Marlin | LB | 6-1 | 235 | 32 | 12 | USC |
| 19 | Nettles, Jim | CB-S | 5-10 | 177 | 30 | 8 | Wisconsin |
| 74 | Olsen, Merlin | DT | 6-5 | 270 | 31 | 11 | Utah State |
| 72 | Olsen, Phil | DT | 6-5 | 265 | 24 | 2 | Utah State |
| 52 | Pergine, John | LB | 6-1 | 225 | 26 | 4 | Notre Dame |
| 53 | Purnell, Jim | LB | 6-1 | 220 | 30 | 9 | Wisconsin |
| 27 | Ray, David | K-WR | 6-0 | 195 | 27 | 4 | Alabama |
| 13 | Rentzel, Lance | WR | 6-2 | 202 | 28 | 8 | Oklahoma |
| 64 | Reynolds, Jack | LB | 6-1 | 232 | 24 | 3 | Tennessee |
| 58 | Robertson, Isiah | LB | 6-3 | 225 | 23 | 2 | Southern |
| 61 | Saul, Rich | C-T-TE | 6-3 | 235 | 24 | 3 | Michigan State |
| 76 | Schuh, Harry | T | 6-3 | 260 | 29 | 8 | Memphis State |
| 71 | Scibelli, Joe | G | 6-0 | 255 | 33 | 12 | Notre Dame |
| 38 | Smith, Larry | RB | 6-3 | 220 | 24 | 4 | Florida |
| 84 | Snow, Jack | WR | 6-2 | 190 | 29 | 8 | Notre Dame |
| 29 | Sweet, Joe | WR | 6-2 | 196 | 24 | 1 | Tennessee |
| 35 | Thomas, Bob | RB | 5-10 | 201 | 24 | 2 | Arizona State |
| 24 | Williams, Clarence | CB | 6-3 | 194 | 29 | 8 | Washington |
| 75 | Williams, John | G-T | 6-3 | 256 | 26 | 5 | Minnesota |
| 46 | Williams, Roger | S | 5-10 | 180 | 26 | 2 | Grambling |
| 85 | Youngblood, Jack | DE | 6-4 | 250 | 22 | 2 | Florida |

RAMS READY RESERVE

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|----|----------------|-----|------|-----|----|---|-----------------|
| 60 | Allison, Henry | G | 6-3 | 255 | 25 | 2 | San Diego State |
| 36 | Geddes, Ken | LB | 6-3 | 235 | 24 | 2 | Nebraska |
| 5 | Gordon, Dick | WR | 5-11 | 190 | 28 | 8 | Michigan State |
| 11 | Harris, James | QB | 6-4 | 205 | 25 | 4 | Grambling |
| 34 | Josephson, Les | RB | 6-1 | 207 | 30 | 8 | Augustana |
| 62 | Parker, Willie | C-G | 6-3 | 241 | 23 | 1 | No. Texas State |
| 67 | Nelson, Bill | DT | 6-7 | 270 | 24 | 2 | Oregon State |



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|-----|-------------------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|---------------------|
| 77 | Alzado, Lyle | DE | 6-3 | 252 | 23 | 2 | Yankton |
| 11 | Anderson, Bob | RB | 6-0 | 208 | 25 | 3 | Colorado |
| 66 | Cottrell, Bill | G-C | 6-3 | 255 | 28 | 5 | Delaware Valley |
| 74 | Current, Mike | T | 6-4 | 274 | 27 | 6 | Ohio State |
| 33 | Dawkins, Joe | RB | 6-2 | 223 | 24 | 3 | Wisconsin |
| 76 | Domres, Tom | DT | 6-3 | 260 | 26 | 5 | Wisconsin |
| 55 | Duranko, Pete | DT | 6-2 | 250 | 28 | 5 | Notre Dame |
| 52 | Forsberg, Fred | LB | 6-1 | 235 | 28 | 4 | Washington |
| 57 | Geddes, Bob | LB | 6-2 | 240 | 26 | 1 | UCLA |
| 83 | Graham, Tom | LB | 6-2 | 236 | 22 | 1 | Oregon |
| 20 | Grear, Charles | S | 6-0 | 205 | 26 | 5 | Colorado |
| 12 | Johnson, Charley | QB | 6-1 | 200 | 34 | 12 | New Mexico State |
| 68 | Jackson, Larron | G | 6-3 | 270 | 23 | 2 | Missouri |
| 59 | Kaminski, Larry | C | 6-2 | 245 | 27 | 7 | Purdue |
| 44 | Little, Floyd | RB | 5-10 | 196 | 30 | 6 | Syracuse |
| 22 | Lynch, Fran | RB | 6-1 | 205 | 26 | 6 | Hofstra |
| 61 | Lyons, Tommy | G | 6-2 | 230 | 24 | 2 | Georgia |
| 50 | Maples, Bobby | C | 6-3 | 250 | 29 | 8 | Baylor |
| 81 | Masters, Billy | TE | 6-5 | 240 | 28 | 6 | LSU |
| 58 | McKoy, Bill | LB | 6-3 | 235 | 24 | 3 | Purdue |
| 41 | Mitchell, Leroy | CB | 6-1 | 190 | 28 | 5 | Texas Southern |
| 78 | Montgomery, Marv | T | 6-6 | 255 | 24 | 2 | Southern California |
| 21 | Montgomery, Randy | CB | 5-11 | 182 | 25 | 3 | Weber State |
| 25 | Moses, Haven | WR | 6-2 | 208 | 26 | 5 | San Diego State |
| 54 | Myrtle, Chip | LB | 6-2 | 225 | 27 | 6 | Maryland |
| 88 | Odoms, Riley | TE | 6-4 | 230 | 22 | 1 | Houston |
| 56 | Parish, Don | LB | 6-1 | 220 | 24 | 3 | Stanford |
| 23 | Preece, Steve | S | 6-1 | 195 | 24 | 4 | Oregon State |
| 10 | Ramsey, Steve | QB | 6-2 | 210 | 24 | 3 | North Texas State |
| 26 | Saimes, George | S | 5-11 | 188 | 31 | 10 | Michigan State |
| 75 | Sharp, Rick | T | 6-3 | 265 | 24 | 3 | Washington |
| 84 | Sherman, Rod | WR | 6-0 | 190 | 27 | 6 | Southern California |
| 80 | Simmons, Jerry | WR | 6-0 | 190 | 29 | 8 | Bethune-Cookman |
| 51 | Simone, Mike | LB | 6-0 | 210 | 22 | 1 | Stanford |
| 64 | Schnitker, Mike | G | 6-3 | 245 | 25 | 4 | Colorado |
| 70 | Smith, Paul | DT | 6-3 | 256 | 27 | 5 | New Mexico |
| 36 | Thompson, Bill | CB | 6-1 | 201 | 25 | 4 | Maryland (ES) |
| 35 | Turner, Clem | RB | 6-1 | 236 | 25 | 4 | Cincinnati |
| 15 | Turner, Jim | K | 6-2 | 205 | 31 | 9 | Utah State |
| 42 | Van Heusen, Bill | WR-K | 6-1 | 200 | 26 | 5 | Maryland |
| 65 | Voss, Lloyd | DE | 6-4 | 255 | 30 | 9 | Nebraska |
| 29 | West, Bill | CB | 5-10 | 185 | 24 | 1 | Tennessee State |