



Postgame Quotes

Thursday, November 6, 2014

Semifinal Game



#1 Cal State Fullerton def. # 4 CSUN 1-0

CSF Head Coach Demian Brown

(Opening Statement) “Extremely proud of our women today. We played a very, very good Cal State Northridge group. They put us under a tremendous amount of pressure through the course of the game. Our second half was much better than our first.”

(On why he’s proud of the squad tonight) “More than anything throughout the course of the season I think the culture of the program is really strong. We play every single minute of every single game. I think they take a lot of pride in the energy and the effort that we put in. As I have been throughout the course of the season, I congratulate the women for really outworking teams to get the results that we need.”

(On pregame talk) “We’re in places where we wanted to be, where we’re meant to be and to make sure that we behave accordingly and react and respond in situations accordingly. We’re not just visiting, this is where we’re meant to be.”

(Playing title match on the road) “From a coaching standpoint you can’t beat playing at home. Our women battle every single game regardless of where we are. It will be exciting and interesting to see who we face on Sunday.”

CSF Junior Forward Christina Burkenroad

(On game-winning goal) “Bre Chapman was on the ball with a great, great shot – hit the top post. I just happened to be in the right place at the right time. We’ve been practicing finishing all season and it’s come at the right time. I’m thankful for that.”

(On what stands out from the semifinal match) “How hard we’ve worked. How much heart we’ve played with. We have a few people that are injured and key players, and this team just plays so hard for them.”

CSF Junior Goalkeeper Jennifer Stuart

(On facing either Cal Poly or Long Beach State) “I have complete faith in our defense to shut down anyone that’s in front of us. I have confidence in all of our abilities to come at it. We’re going to come out and do what we know how to do and when we do that we’re unstoppable.”

CSUN Head Coach Keith West

(Opening statement) “My hat goes off the Demian and Cal State Fullerton. I thought he did an unbelievable job with his team this year and they were disciplined but I’m super proud of my girls too this team played with so much character and heart this year. I would want to coach our team any day of the week. I love this team and I love the girls on this team.”

CSUN Junior Midfielder Taylor Hobson

(On game and team’s strength) “How hard we worked and how we tried to work as a team. I’m so proud of our team overall this season, we worked so hard to get here. Our strengths are definitely finding that one-touch pass. I’m going to miss how determined we are. We’re all in the game together, we’re all in it. We play as a team, not individually.”