

## Heisman History

## Records, Votes & Notes

### Most First Place Votes

These are the raw totals of the Heisman winners who garnered the most first-place votes. However, keep in mind that in some years (1968, 1976) there were more overall voters than in recent years.

Yr	Player	School	First-place votes
1968	O.J. Simpson	USC	855
2006	Troy Smith	Ohio State	801
2014	Marcus Mariota	Oregon	788
1993	Charlie Ward	Florida State	740
2017	Baker Mayfield	Oklahoma	732
2010	Cam Newton	Auburn	729
1998	Ricky Williams	Texas	714
1976	Tony Dorsett	Pittsburgh	701
1984	Doug Flutie	Boston College	678
1986	Vinny Testaverde	Miami	678

### Most Points as a Percentage of Possible Points

Because the size of the Heisman electorate has varied over the years, a more accurate way to assess the size of a Heisman victory is to calculate the point total as a percentage of possible points available in that year.

Yr	Player	Points	# of Voters	Percentage
2006	Troy Smith	2,540	924	91.63%
2014	Marcus Mariota	2,534	929	90.92%
2017	Baker Mayfield	2,398	929	86.00%
1998	Ricky Williams	2,355	921	85.23%
1993	Charlie Ward	2,310	919	83.79%
2010	Cam Newton	2,263	925	81.55%
1968	O.J. Simpson	2,903	1,200	80.64%
2013	Jameis Winston	2,205	929	79.12%
2016	Lamar Jackson	2,144	929	76.92%
1991	Desmond Howard	2,077	917	75.50%
1976	Tony Dorsett	2,357	1,048	74.97%

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### Most Ballots Named, as a Percentage of Total Ballots

Yr	Name	Ballots	Voters	% of ballots
2014	Marcus Mariota	884	929	95.16%
2006	Troy Smith	876	924	94.8%
2017	Baker Mayfield	898	929	91.2%
1998	Ricky Williams	836	921	90.8%
2016	Lamar Jackson	841	929	90.5%
2012	Johnny Manziel	829	928	89.3%
1968	O.J. Simpson	1,065	1,200	88.8%
2008	Sam Bradford	811	926	87.6%
1967	Gary Beban	898	1,033	86.9%
2007	Tim Tebow	804	925	86.9%
1993	Charlie Ward	791	919	86.1%

### Largest Margin of Victory

Yr	Winner	Pts	Runner Up	Pts	Margin
1968	O.J. Simpson	2,853	Leroy Keyes	1,103	1,750
2006	Troy Smith	2,540	Darren McFadden	878	1,662
1993	Charlie Ward	2,310	Heath Shuler	688	1,622
1991	D. Howard	2,077	Casey Weldon	503	1,574
1998	Ricky Williams	2,355	Michael Bishop	792	1,563
1986	V. Testaverde	2,213	Paul Palmer	672	1,541
2013	J. Winston	2,205	AJ McCarron	704	1,501
1955	H. Cassady	2,219	Jim Swink	742	1,477
1963	R. Staubach	1,860	Billy Lothridge	504	1,356
1951	Dick Kazmaier	1,777	Hank Lauricella	424	1,353

### Smallest Margin of Victory

Yr	Winner	Pts	Runner Up	Pts	Margin
2009	Mark Ingram	1,304	Toby Gerhart	1,276	28
1985	Bo Jackson	1,509	Chuck Long	1,464	45
1961	Ernie Davis	824	Bob Ferguson	771	53
1953	John Lattner	1,850	Paul Giel	1,794	56
2001	Eric Crouch	770	Rex Grossman	708	62
1989	Andre Ware	1,073	Anthony Thompson	1,003	70
1956	Paul Hornung	1,066	John Majors	994	72
1964	John Huarte	1,026	Jerry Rhome	952	74
2000	Chris Weinke	1,628	Josh Heupel	1,552	76
1978	Billy Sims	827	Chuck Fusina	750	77

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### Most First Place Votes for a Runner Up

Year	Name	School	First Place Votes
1953	Paul Giel	Minnesota	366
2012	Manti Te'o	Notre Dame	321
2007	Darren McFadden	Arkansas	291
2015	Christian McCaffrey	Stanford	290
1985	Chuck Long	Iowa	286
2003	Larry Fitzgerald	Pittsburgh	286
2000	Josh Heupel	Oklahoma	286
1997	Peyton Manning	Tennessee	281
2016	Deshaun Watson	Clemson	269
2008	Colt McCoy	Texas	266

### Most First Place Votes for a Third-Place Finisher

Year	Name	School	First Place Votes
2008	Tim Tebow	Florida	309
1967	Leroy Keyes	Purdue	278
2009	Colt McCoy	Texas	203
1958	Billy Cannon	LSU	198
1995	Danny Wuerffel	Florida	185

### Overall Point Leaders

#### Most Points for a Winner:

Year	Name	School	Total Points
1968	OJ Simpson	USC	2,853
2006	Troy Smith	Ohio State	2,540
2014	Marcus Mariota	Oregon	2,534
2017	Baker Mayfield	Oklahoma	2,398
1976	Tony Dorsett	Pittsburgh	2,357
1998	Ricky Williams	Texas	2,355
1993	Charlie Ward	Florida State	2,310
2010	Cam Newton	Auburn	2,263
1984	Doug Flutie	Boston College	2,240
1970	Jim Plunkett	Stanford	2,229

#### Most Points for a Runner Up:

Year	Name	School	Total Points
1953	Paul Giel	Minnesota	1,794
1967	OJ Simpson	USC	1,722
2012	Manti Te'o	Notre Dame	1,706
2005	Vince Young	Texas	1,608

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### Most Points for a Runner Up (cont).

Year	Name	School	Total Points
2008	Colt McCoy	Texas	1,604
2003	Larry Fitzgerald	Pittsburgh	1,552
2000	Josh Heupel	Oklahoma	1,552
1997	Peyton Manning	Tennessee	1,543
2015	Christian McCaffrey	Stanford	1,539
2016	Deshaun Watson	Clemson	1,524

### Most Points for a Third Place Finisher

Year	Name	School	Total Points
2008	Tim Tebow	Florida	1,575
1967	Leroy Keyes	Purdue	1,366
2015	Deshaun Watson	Clemson	1,165
2009	Colt McCoy	Texas	1,145
2014	Amari Cooper	Alabama	1,023

## Class Distinction

All but 24 Heisman Trophy winners have been a part of the Senior class.

### The Winning Juniors

Year	Name	School
1945	Doc Blanchard	Army
1948	Doak Walker	SMU
1950	Vic Janowicz	Ohio State
1963	Roger Staubach	Navy
1974	Archie Griffin	Ohio State
1978	Billy Sims	Oklahoma
1982	Herschel Walker	Georgia
1988	Barry Sanders	Oklahoma State
1989	Andre Ware	Houston
1990	Ty Detmer*	Brigham Young
1991	Desmond Howard*	Michigan
1994	Rashaan Salaam	Colorado
1997	Charles Woodson	Michigan
2004	Matt Leinart*	USC
2010	Cam Newton*	Auburn
2011	Robert Griffin III*	Baylor
2014	Marcus Mariota*	Oregon
2015	Derrick Henry	Alabama

\* - utilized a redshirt season.

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### The Winning Sophomores

Year	Name	School
2007	Tim Tebow	Florida
2008	Sam Bradford*	Oklahoma
2009	Mark Ingram	Alabama
2016	Lamar Jackson	Louisville

### The Winning Freshmen

Year	Name	School
2012	Johnny Manziel*	Texas A&M
2013	Jameis Winston*	Florida State

\* - utilized a redshirt season.

### Consecutive College Winners

Years	Name	School
1937 & 1937	Larry Kelley & Clint Frank	Yale
1945 & 1946	Doc Blanchard & Glenn Davis	Army
1974 & 1975	Archie Griffin & Archie Griffin	Ohio State

### The Youngest Heisman Winners

Name, Year Awarded	Age at Heisman ceremony
Lamar Jackson, 2016	19 years, 337 days
Jameis Winston, 2013	19 years, 342 days
Mark Ingram, 2009	19 years, 356 days
Johnny Manziel, 2012	20 years, 2 days
Rashaan Salaam, 1994	20 years, 63 days
Archie Griffin, 1974	20 years, 104 days
Tim Tebow, 2007	20 years, 116 days
Barry Sanders, 1988	20 years, 140 days
John Huarte, 1964	20 years, 232 days
Herschel Walker, 1982	20 years, 276 days

### The Oldest Heisman Winners

Name, Year Awarded	Age at Heisman ceremony
Chris Weinke, 2000	28 years, 131 days
Jason White, 2003	23 years, 176 days
Billy Sims, 1978	23 years, 78 days
Charlie Ward, 1993	23 years, 60 days
Les Horvath, 1944	23 years, 52 days
Ty Detmer, 1990	23 years, 34 days

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### Won Multiple Heismans

Name	Team	Yrs
Archie Griffin	Ohio State	1974, 1975

### Won Heisman *and* Finished as Heisman Runner Up

Name	Team	1st	2nd
Tom Harmon	Michigan	1940	1939
Angelo Bertelli	Notre Dame	1943	1941
Glenn Davis	Army	1946	1944, 1945
O.J. Simpson	USC	1968	1967
Billy Sims	Oklahoma	1978	1979
Herschel Walker	Georgia	1982	1981

### Two-Time Heisman Runners Up

Name	Team	Yrs
Glenn Davis	Army	1944, 1945
Charlie Justice	North Carolina	1948, 1949
Darren McFadden	Arkansas	2006, 2007
Andrew Luck	Stanford	2010, 2011

### Most Top 3 Heisman Finishes

Total	Name	Team	Yrs (Place)
3	Glenn Davis	Army	1944 (2), 1945 (2), 1946 (1)
3	Doak Walker	SMU	1947 (3), 1948 (1), 1949 (3)
3	Herschel Walker	Georgia	1980 (3), 1981 (2), 1982 (1)

### Most Top 5 Heisman Finishes

Total	Name	Team	Yrs (Place)
3	Glenn Davis	Army	1944 (2), 1945 (2), 1946 (1)
3	Doc Blanchard	Army	1944 (3), 1945 (1), 1946 (4)
3	Doak Walker	SMU	1947 (3), 1948 (1), 1949 (3)
3	Archie Griffin	Ohio St.	1973 (5), 1974 (1), 1975 (1)
3	Herschel Walker	Georgia	1980 (3), 1981 (2), 1982 (1)
3	Tim Tebow	Florida	2007 (1), 2008 (3), 2009 (5)
3	Baker Mayfield	Oklahoma	2017 (1), 2016 (3), 2015 (4)

### Most Top 10 Heisman Finishes

Total	Name	Team	Yrs (Place)
3	Angelo Bertelli	ND	1941 (2), 1942 (6), 1943 (1)
3	Glenn Davis	Army	1944 (2), 1945 (2), 1946 (1)
3	Doc Blanchard	Army	1944 (3), 1945 (1), 1946 (4)
3	Doak Walker	SMU	1947 (3), 1948 (1), 1949 (3)

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Total	Name	School	Yrs (Place)
3	Terry Hanratty	ND	1966 (8), 1967 (10), 1968 (3)
3	Archie Griffin	Ohio State	1973 (5), 1974 (1), 1975 (1)
3	Art Schlichter	Ohio State	1979 (4), 1980 (6), 1981 (5)
3	Herschel Walker	Georgia	1980 (3), 1981 (2), 1980 (3)
3	Anthony Carter	Michigan	1979 (10), 1980 (7), 1981 (4)
3	Ty Detmer	BYU	1989 (9), 1990 (1), 1991 (3)
3	Marshall Faulk	SDSU	1991 (9), 1992 (2), 1993 (4)
3	Peyton Manning	Tennessee	1995 (6), 1996 (8), 1997 (2)
3	Matt Leinart	USC	2003 (6), 2004 (1), 2005 (3)
3	Tim Tebow	Florida	2007 (1), 2008 (3), 2009 (5)
3	Kellen Moore	Boise St.	2009 (7), 2010 (4), 2011 (8)
3	Baker Mayfield	Oklahoma	2017 (1), 2016 (3), 2015 (4)

### Heisman Head Coaches

Heismans	Coach	School	Winners
4	Frank Leahy	Notre Dame	Angelo Bertelli John Lujack Leon Hart John Lattner
3	Woody Hayes	Ohio State	Howard Cassady Archie Griffin Archie Griffin
3	Earl Blaik	Army	Doc Blanchard Glenn Davis Pete Dawkins
2	Pete Carroll	USC	Carson Palmer Matt Leinart
2	Ducky Pond	Yale	Larry Kelley Clinton Frank
2	Wayne Hardin	Navy	Joe Bellino Roger Staubach
2	John McKay	USC	Mike Garrett OJ Simpson
2	John Robinson	USC	Charles White Marcus Allen
2	Tommy Prothro*	Oregon St. UCLA	Terry Baker Gary Beban
2	Nick Saban	Alabama	Mark Ingram Derrick Henry

\* - The only head coach to coach a Heisman winner at two separate schools.



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## Heisman Winners By Position\*

### Quarterback (33)

Davey O'Brien  
Angelo Bertelli  
John Lujack  
Paul Hornung  
Terry Baker  
Roger Staubach  
John Huarte  
Steve Spurrier  
Gary Beban  
Jim Plunkett  
Pat Sullivan  
Doug Flutie  
Vinnny Testaverde  
Andre Ware  
Ty Detmer  
Gino Torretta  
Charlie Ward  
Danny Wuerffel  
Chris Weinke  
Eric Crouch  
Carson Palmer  
Jason White  
Matt Leinart  
Troy Smith  
Tim Tebow  
Sam Bradford  
Cam Newton  
Robert Griffin III  
Johnny Manziel  
Jameis Winston  
Marcus Mariota  
Lamar Jackson  
Baker Mayfield

### Running Back (42)

Jay Berwanger  
Clinton Frank  
Nile Kinnick  
Tom Harmon  
Bruce Smith  
Frank Sinkwich  
Les Horvath  
Doc Blanchard (FB)  
Glenn Davis  
Doak Walker  
Vic Janowicz  
Dick Kazmaier  
Billy Vessels  
John Lattner  
Alan Ameche (FB)  
Howard Cassady  
John David Crow  
Pete Dawkins  
Billy Cannon  
Joe Bellino  
Ernie Davis  
Mike Garrett  
OJ Simpson  
Steve Owens  
John Cappelletti  
Archie Griffin  
Tony Dorsett  
Earl Campbell  
Billy Sims  
Charles White  
George Rogers  
Marcus Allen  
Herschel Walker  
Mike Rozier  
Bo Jackson  
Barry Sanders  
Rashaan Salaam  
Eddie George  
Ricky Williams  
Ron Dayne  
Mark Ingram  
Derrick Henry

### End (2)

Larry Kelley  
Leon Hart

### Wide Receiver (3)

Johnny Rodgers  
Tim Brown  
Desmond Howard

### Cornerback (1)

Charles Woodson

\* - Many of the Heisman winners prior to 1964 played both offense and defense.

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### Defensive Players in the top 10 of the Heisman Vote

The following is a list of defensive players who finished in the top 10 of the Heisman vote. Since most players in the one-platoon era were required to play on both sides of the ball, this list is comprised only of defensive players from the two-platoon era (post-1964). **Heisman finalists are noted with an asterisk (\*)**.

Year	Name	Team	Pos.	Finish
1965	Tommy Nobis	Texas	LB	7th
1966	Lloyd Phillips	Arkansas	DT	9th
1966	George Patton	Georgia	DT	10th
1967	Granville Liggins	Oklahoma	NG	7th
1967	Wayne Melan	Nebraska	MG	9th
1968	Ted Hendrick	Miami (FL)	DE	5th
1969	Mike Reid	Penn St.	DT	5th
1969	Mike McCoy	Notre Dame	DT	6th
1969	Steve Kiner	Tennessee	LB	9th
1969	Jack Tatum	Ohio State	S	10th
1970	Jack Tatum	Ohio State	S	7th
1971	Walt Patulski	Notre Dame	DE	9th
1972	Rich Glover	Nebraska	MG	3rd
1973	Randy Gradishar	Ohio State	LB	6th
1973	Lucius Selmon	Oklahoma	NG	7th
1974	Rod Shoate	Oklahoma	LB	7th
1974	Randy White	Maryland	DT	9th
1975	Lee Roy Selmon	Oklahoma	DT	9th
1977	Ross Browner	Notre Dame	DE	5th
1978	Jerry Robinson	UCLA	LB	10th
1979	Ron Simmons	Florida State	NG	9th
1980	Hugh Green	Pittsburgh	DE	2nd
1980	Kenny Easley	UCLA	S	9th
1981	Kenneth Sims	Texas	DT	8th
1982	Terry Hoage	Georgia	S	5th
1986	Brian Bosworth*	Oklahoma	LB	4th
1986	Cornelius Bennett	Alabama	LB	7th
1986	Chris Spielman	Ohio State	LB	10th
1987	Chris Spielman	Ohio State	LB	6th
1988	Deion Sanders	Florida State	CB	8th
1988	Derrick Thomas	Alabama	LB	10th
1989	Percy Snow	Michigan State	LB	8th
1991	Steve Emtman*	Washington	DT	4th
1991	Terrell Buckley	Florida State	CB	8th
1992	Marvin Jones	Florida State	LB	4th
1992	Michael Barrow	Miami (FL)	LB	7th
1992	Eric Curry	Alabama	DE	10th
1994	Warren Sapp*	Miamia (FL)	DT	6th

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1997	Charles Woodson*	Michigan	CB	1st
1999	Lavar Arrington	Penn State	LB	9th
2001	Dwight Freeney	Syracuse	DE	9th
2001	Julius Peppers	North Carolina	DE	10th
2005	A.J. Hawk	Ohio State	LB	6th
2005	Elvis Dumervil	Louisville	DE	10th
2007	Glenn Dorsey	LSU	DT	9th
2007	Chris Long	Virginia	DE	10th
2008	Rey Mauluga	USC	LB	9th
2009	Ndamukong Suh*	Nebraska	DT	4th
2011	Tyrann Mathieu*	LSU	CB	5th
2012	Manti Te'o*	Notre Dame	LB	2nd
2012	Jadeveon Clowney	South Carolina	DE	6th
2012	Jarvis Jones	Georgia	LB	10th
2016	Jabrill Peppers*	Michigan	LB	5th
2016	Jonathan Allen	Alabama	DT	7th
2017	Roquan Smith	Georgia	LB	10th

### Offensive Linemen in the top 10 of the Heisman Vote

The following is a list of offensive linemen who finished in the top 10 of the Heisman vote. Since most players in the one-platoon era played on both sides of the ball, this list is comprised only of offensive linemen from the two-platoon era (post-1964). **Heisman finalists are noted with an asterisk (\*)**.

Year	Name	Team	Pos.	Place
1967	Bob Johnson	Tennessee	C	6th
1973	John Hicks	Ohio State	OT	2nd
1982	Dave Rimington	Nebraska	C	5th
1983	Bill Fralic	Pittsburgh	OT	8th
1984	Bill Fralic	Pittsburgh	OT	6th
1988	Tony Mandarich	Michigan State	OT	8th
1994	Zach Wiegert	Nebraska	OT	10th
1996	Orlando Pace*	Ohio State	OT	4th
2001	Bryant McKinnie	Miami (FL)	OT	8th

### Two-way Players in the top 10 of the Heisman Vote

The following group of top-10 Heisman finishers excelled on both sides of the ball during the two-platoon era (post-1964).

Name	Player	Team	Pos.	Place
1965	Tommy Nobis	Texas	C-LB	7th
1967	Leroy Keyes	Purdue	WR-CB	3rd
1968	Leroy Keyes	Purdue	WR-CB	2nd
1986	Gordon Lockbaum	Holy Cross	RB-DB	5th

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1987	Gordon Lockbaum*	Holy Cross	RB-DB	3rd
1997	Charles Woodson*	Michigan	WR-CB	1st
2010	Owen Marecic	Stanford	FB-LB	10th

### Heisman birthplaces by State

#### California (13)

Glenn Davis  
John Huarte  
Mike Garrett  
Gary Beban  
OJ Simpson  
Jim Plunkett  
Charles White  
Marcus Allen  
Gino Torretta  
Rashaan Salaam  
Ricky Williams  
Carson Palmer  
Matt Leinart

#### Ohio (9)

Larry Kelley  
Vic Janowicz  
Howard Cassady  
Dick Kazmaier  
Roger Staubach  
Archie Griffin  
Desmond Howard  
Charles Woodson  
Troy Smith

#### Texas (8)

Davey O'Brien  
Doak Walker  
Earl Campbell  
Tim Brown  
Andre Ware  
Ty Detmer  
Johnny Manziel  
Baker Mayfield

#### Pennsylvania (6)

John Lujack  
Leon Hart  
Ernie Davis  
John Cappelletti  
Tony Dorsett  
Eddie George

#### Oklahoma (4)

Billy Vessels  
Steve Owens  
Jason White  
Sam Bradford

#### Florida (4)

Steve Spurrier  
Danny Wuerffel  
Derrick Henry  
Lamar Jackson

#### Georgia (4)

George Rogers  
Herschel Walker  
Charlie Ward  
Cam Newton

#### New Jersey (3)

Mike Rozier  
Ron Dayne  
Mark Ingram

#### Alabama (3)

Pat Sullivan  
Bo Jackson  
Jameis Winston

#### Minnesota (3)

Bruce Smith  
Terry Baker  
Chris Weinke

#### Indiana (2)

Les Horvath

#### Iowa (2)

Jay Berwanger  
Nile Kinnick

#### Hawaii (1)

Marcus Mariota

#### Missouri (2)

Clinton Frank  
Billy Sims

#### Nebraska (2)

Johnny Rodgers  
Eric Crouch

#### Massachusetts (2)

Angelo Bertelli  
Joe Bellino

#### Wisconsin (1)

Alan Ameche

#### Maryland (1)

Doug Flutie

#### Louisiana (1)

John David Crow

#### Kansas (1)

Barry Sanders

#### Mississippi (1)

Billy Cannon

#### South Carolina (1)

Doc Blanchard

#### Michigan (1)

Pete Dawkins

#### New York (1)

Tom Harmon  
Vinny Testaverde

#### Illinois (1)

John Lattner

#### Kentucky (1)

Paul Hornung

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## Heisman Winners Born Outside the United States

Name	Birthplace
Frank Sinkwich	Starjak, Croatia
Tim Tebow	Manila, Phillippines
Robert Griffin III	Okinawa, Japan

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99	36	22
Jay Berwanger	Steve Owens	Les Horvath
		John Cappalletti
98	35	Doug Flutie
Tom Harmon	Doc Blanchard	Mark Ingram
	Billy Vessels	
82	Alan Ameche	21
Leon Hart		Frank Sinkwich
	34	Barry Sanders
81	Herschel Walker	Desmond Howard
Tim Brown	Bo Jackson	
	Ricky Williams	20
54		Billy Cannon
Bruce Smith	33	Mike Garrett
	Tony Dorsett	Johnny Rodgers
48	Marcus Allen	Earl Campbell
Angelo Bertelli	Ron Dayne	Billy Sims
45	32	19
Archie Griffin	Johnny Lujack	Larry Kelley
	OJ Simpson	Rashaan Salaam
44		
John David Crow	31	18
Ernie Davis	Vic Janowicz	Jason White
42	30	17
Dick Kazmaier	Mike Rozier	Charlie Ward
41	29	16
Glenn Davis	Joe Bellino	Gary Beban
		Jim Plunkett
40	27	Chris Weinke
Howard Cassady	Eddie George	
38	24	15
George Rogers	Nile Kinnick	Tim Tebow, QB,
	Pete Dawkins	Florida, 2007
37		
Doak Walker		

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14	10	5
Clint Frank	Troy Smith	Paul Hornung
Vinny Testaverde	Robert Griffin III	Jameis Winston
Ty Detmer		
Sam Bradford	8	3
	Davey O'Brien	Carson Palmer
13	Marcus Mariota	
Gino Torretta	Lamar Jackson	2
		Charles Woodson
12	7	
Roger Staubach	John Huarte	
Charles White	Pat Sullivan	
	Danny Wuerffel	
11	Eric Crouch	
Terry Baker		
Steve Spurrier	6	
Andre Ware	Baker Mayfield	
Matt Leinart		

## Heisman High Schools

Name	High School(s)	Location	Grad Yr
Jay Berwanger	Dubuque	Dubuque, IA	1932
Larry Kelley	The Peddie School	Hightstown, NJ	1933
Clinton Frank	Evanston Township	Evanston, IL	1934
Davey O'Brien	Woodrow Wilson	Dallas, TX	1935
Nile Kinnick	Adel	Adel, IA	
	Benson	Omaha, NE	1936
Tom Harmon	Horace Mann	Gary, IN	1937
Bruce Smith	Faribault	Faribault, MN	1938
Frank Sinkwich	Chaney	Youngstown, OH	1939
Angelo Bertelli	Cathedral	Springfield, MA	1940
Les Horvath	Parma	Parma, OH	
	Rhodes	Cleveland, OH	1939
Doc Blanchard	St. Stanislaus Prep	Bay St. Louis, MS	1942
Glenn Davis	Bonita	La Verne, CA	1943
John Lujack	Connellsville	Connellsville, PA	1942
Doak Walker	Highland Park	Dallas, TX	1945
Leon Hart	Turtle Creek	Turtle Creek, PA	1946
Vic Janowicz	Elyria	Elyria, OH	1948
Dick Kazmaier	Maumee	Maumee, OH	1948
Billy Vessels	Cleveland	Cleveland, OK	1949
John Lattner	Fenwick	Oak Park, IL	1950
Alan Ameche	Bradford	Kenosha, WI	1951
Howard Cassady	Central	Columbus, OH	1952
Paul Hornung	Flaget	Louisville, KY	1953
John David Crow	Springhill	Springhill, LA	1954
Pete Dawkins	Cranbrook School	Bloomfield Hills, MI	1955

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Name	High School(s)	Location	Grad Yr
Billy Cannon	Istrouma	Baton Rouge, LA	1956
Joe Bellino	Winchester	Winchester, MA	1957
Ernie Davis	Elmira Free Academy	Elmira, NY	1958
Terry Baker	Jefferson	Portland, OR	1959
Roger Staubach	Purcell Marian	Cincinnati, OH	1960
John Huarte	Mater Dei	Santa Ana, CA	1961
Mike Garrett	Roosevelt	Los Angeles, CA	1962
Steve Spurrier	Science Hill	Johnson City, TN	1963
Gary Beban	Sequoia	Redwood City, CA	1964
OJ Simpson	Galileo	San Francisco, CA	1965
Steve Owens	Miami	Miami, OK	1966
Jim Plunkett	Overfelt		
	James Lick	San Jose, CA	1966
Pat Sullivan	John Carroll Catholic	Birmingham, AL	1968
Johnny Rodgers	Omaha Tech	Omaha, NE	1969
John Cappelletti	Monsignor Bonner	Drexel Hill, PA	1970
Archie Griffin	Eastmoor	Columbus, OH	1972
Tony Dorsett	Hopewell	Aliquippa, PA	1973
Earl Campbell	John Tyler	Tyler, TX	1974
Billy Sims	Hooks	Hooks, TX	1975
Charles White	San Fernando	San Fernando, CA	1976
George Rogers	Duluth H.S.	Duluth, GA	1977
Marcus Allen	Abraham Lincoln	San Diego, CA	1978
Herschel Walker	Johnson County	Wrightsville, GA	1980
Mike Rozier	Woodrow Wilson	Camden, NJ	1980
Doug Flutie	Natick	Natick, MA	1981
Bo Jackson	McAdory	McCalla, AL	1982
Vinny Testaverde	Sewanhaka	Floral Park, NY	1981
Tim Brown	Woodrow Wilson	Dallas, TX	1984
Barry Sanders	Wichita North	Wichita, KS	1986
Andre Ware	Dickinson	Dickinson, TX	1987
Ty Detmer	Southwest	San Antonio, TX	1987
Desmond Howard	St. Joseph	Cleveland, OH	1988
Gino Torretta	Pinole Valley	Pinole Valley, CA	1988
Charlie Ward	Thomasville Central	Thomasville, GA	1989
Rashaan Salaam	La Jolla Country Day	San Diego, CA	1992
Eddie George	Abington	Abington, PA	
	Fork Union Military Academy	Fork Union, VA	1991
Danny Wuerffel	Ft. Walton Beach	Ft. Walton Beach, FL	1992
Charles Woodson	Ross	Fremont, OH	1995
Ricky Williams	Patrick Henry	San Diego, CA	1995
Ron Dayne	Overbrook	Pine Hill, NJ	1996
Chris Weinke	Cretin-Derham Hall	St. Paul, MN	1989
Eric Crouch	Millard North	Omaha, NE	1997
Carson Palmer	Santa Margarita	Rancho St. Margarita, CA	1998
Jason White	Tuttle	Tuttle, OK	1999
Matt Leinart	Mater Dei	Santa Ana, CA	2001
Troy Smith	Glenville	Cleveland, OH	2002
Tim Tebow	Nease	St. Augustine, FL	2006
Sam Bradford	Putnam City North	Oklahoma City, OK	2006

## Records, Votes & Notes

Name	High School(s)	Location	Grad Yr
Mark Ingram	Grand Blanc	Grand Blanc, MI	
	Flint Northwestern	Flint, MI	2008
Cam Newton	Westlake	Atlanta, GA	2007
Robert Griffin III	Copperas Cove	Copperas Cove, TX	2007
Johnny Manziel	Tivy	Kerrville, TX	2011
Jameis Winston	Hueytown	Hueytown, AL	2012
Marcus Mariota	Saint Louis	Honolulu, HI	2011
Derrick Henry	Yulee	Yulee, FL	2013
Lamar Jackson	Boynton Beach	Boynton Beach, FL	2015
Baker Mayfield	Lake Travis	Austin, TX	2013

### Played in Junior College before winning Heisman

Player	Prep School or JC
Cam Newton	Blinn Junior College (TX)
Mike Rozier	Coffeetown Junior College (KS)
OJ Simpson	City College of San Francisco (CA)

### Went to Prep School after High School

Clinton Frank	Lawrenceville in Lawrenceville (NJ)
Eddie George	Fork Union Military Academy (VA)
Vinny Testaverde	Fork Union Military Academy (VA)

### Team Regular Season Records by Year

Year	Winner	Team	Record
1935	Jay Berwanger	Chicago	4 - 4 - 0
1936	Larry Kelley	Yale	7 - 1 - 0
1937	Clint Frank	Yale	6 - 1 - 0
1938	Davey O'Brien	TCU	10 - 0 - 0
1939	Nile Kinnick	Iowa	6 - 1 - 1
1940	Tom Harmon	Michigan	7 - 1 - 0
1941	Bruce Smith	Minnesota	8 - 0 - 0
1942	Frank Sinkwich	Georgia	10 - 1 - 0
1943	Angelo Bertelli	Notre Dame	9 - 1 - 0
1944	Les Horvath	Ohio State	9 - 0 - 0
1945	Doc Blanchard	Army	9 - 0 - 0
1946	Glenn Davis	Army	9 - 0 - 1
1947	John Lujack	Notre Dame	9 - 0 - 0
1948	Doak Walker	SMU	8 - 1 - 1
1949	Leon Hart	Notre Dame	10 - 0 - 0
1950	Vic Janowicz	Ohio State	6 - 3 - 0
1951	Dick Kazmaier	Princeton	9 - 0 - 0
1952	Billy Vessels	Oklahoma	8 - 1 - 1
1953	John Lattner	Notre Dame	9 - 0 - 1
1954	Alan Ameche	Wisconsin	7 - 2 - 0
1955	Howard Cassady	Ohio State	7 - 2 - 0
1956	Paul Hornung	Notre Dame	2 - 8 - 0
1957	John David Crow	Texas A&M	8 - 2 - 0
1958	Pete Dawkins	Army	8 - 0 - 1
1959	Billy Cannon	Louisiana State	9 - 1 - 0



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Year	Winner	Team	Record
1960	Joe Bellino	Navy	9 - 1 - 0
1961	Ernie Davis	Syracuse	7 - 3 - 0
1962	Terry Baker	Oregon State	8 - 2 - 0
1963	Roger Staubach	Navy	9 - 1 - 0
1964	John Huarte	Notre Dame	9 - 1 - 0
1965	Mike Garrett	USC	7 - 2 - 1
1966	Steve Spurrier	Florida	8 - 2 - 0
1967	Gary Beban	UCLA	7 - 2 - 1
1968	O.J. Simpson	USC	9 - 0 - 1
1969	Steve Owens	Oklahoma	6 - 4 - 0
1970	Jim Plunkett	Stanford	8 - 3 - 0
1971	Pat Sullivan	Auburn	9 - 1 - 0
1972	Johnny Rodgers	Nebraska	9 - 1 - 1
1973	John Cappelletti	Penn State	11 - 0 - 0
1974	Archie Griffin	Ohio State	10 - 1 - 0
1975	Archie Griffin	Ohio State	11 - 0 - 0
1976	Tony Dorsett	Pittsburgh	11 - 0 - 0
1977	Earl Campbell	Texas	11 - 0 - 0
1978	Billy Sims	Oklahoma	10 - 1 - 0
1979	Charles White	USC	10 - 0 - 1
1980	George Rogers	South Carolina	8 - 3 - 0
1981	Marcus Allen	USC	8 - 3 - 0
1982	Herschel Walker	Georgia	11 - 0 - 0
1983	Mike Rozier	Nebraska	12 - 0 - 0
1984	Doug Flutie	Boston College	9 - 2 - 0
1985	Bo Jackson	Auburn	8 - 3 - 0
1986	Vinny Testaverde	Miami (FL)	11 - 0 - 0
1987	Tim Brown	Notre Dame	8 - 3 - 0
1988	Barry Sanders	Oklahoma State	9 - 2 - 0
1989	Andre Ware	Houston	9 - 2 - 0
1990	Ty Detmer	BYU	10 - 2 - 0
1991	Desmond Howard	Michigan	10 - 1 - 0
1992	Gino Torretta	Miami (FL)	11 - 0 - 0
1993	Charlie Ward	Florida State	11 - 1 - 0
1994	Rashaan Salaam	Colorado	10 - 1 - 0
1995	Eddie George	Ohio State	10 - 2 - 0
1996	Danny Wuerffel	Florida	10 - 1
1997	Charles Woodson	Michigan	11 - 0
1998	Ricky Williams	Texas	8 - 3
1999	Ron Dayne	Wisconsin	9 - 2
2000	Chris Weinke	Florida State	11 - 1
2001	Eric Crouch	Nebraska	11 - 1
2002	Carson Palmer	So. California	10 - 2
2003	Jason White	Oklahoma	12 - 1
2004	Matt Leinart	So. California	12 - 0
2006	Troy Smith	Ohio State	12 - 0
2007	Tim Tebow	Florida	9 - 3
2008	Sam Bradford	Oklahoma	12 - 1
2009	Mark Ingram	Alabama	13 - 0
2010	Cam Newton	Auburn	13 - 0
2011	Robert Griffin III	Baylor	9 - 3
2012	Johnny Manziel	Texas A&M	10 - 2
2013	Jameis Winston	Florida State	13 - 0
2014	Marcus Mariota	Oregon	12 - 1
2015	Derrick Henry	Alabama	12 - 1
2016	Lamar Jackson	Louisville	9 - 3
2017	Baker Mayfield	Oklahoma	12-1

# Records, Votes & Notes

## Winners on Undefeated Teams (Regular Season)

Year	Winner	Team	Record
1938	Davey O'Brien	Texas Christian	10 - 0 - 0
1941	Bruce Smith	Minnesota	8 - 0 - 0
1944	Les Horvath	Ohio State	9 - 0 - 0
1945	Doc Blanchard	Army	9 - 0 - 0
1946	Glenn Davis	Army	9 - 0 - 1
1947	John Lujack	Notre Dame	9 - 0 - 0
1949	Leon Hart	Notre Dame	10 - 0 - 0
1951	Dick Kazmaier	Princeton	9 - 0 - 0
1953	John Lattner	Notre Dame	9 - 0 - 1
1958	Pete Dawkins	Army	8 - 0 - 1
1968	OJ Simpson	USC	9 - 0 - 1
1973	John Cappelletti	Penn State	11 - 0 - 0
1975	Archie Griffin	Ohio State	11 - 0 - 0
1976	Tony Dorsett	Pittsburgh	11 - 0 - 0
1977	Earl Campbell	Texas	11 - 0 - 0
1979	Charles White	USC	10 - 0 - 1
1982	Herschel Walker	Georgia	11 - 0 - 0
1983	Mike Rozier	Nebraska	12 - 0 - 0
1986	Vinny Testaverde	Miami	11 - 0 - 0
1992	Gino Torretta	Miami	11 - 0 - 0
1997	Charles Woodson	Michigan	11 - 0
2004	Matt Leinart	USC	12 - 0
2006	Troy Smith	Ohio State	12 - 0
2009	Mark Ingram	Alabama	13 - 0
2010	Cam Newton	Auburn	13 - 0
2013	Jameis Winston	Florida State	13 - 0

## Winners on Teams with One Regular Season Loss

Year	Winner	Team	Record
1936	Larry Kelley	Yale	7 - 1 - 0
1937	Clint Frank	Yale	6 - 1 - 0
1939	Nile Kinnick	Iowa	6 - 1 - 0
1940	Tom Harmon	Michigan	7 - 1 - 0
1942	Frank Sinkwich	Georgia	10 - 1 - 0
1943	Angelo Bertelli	Notre Dame	9 - 1 - 0
1948	Doak Walker	SMU	8 - 1 - 1
1952	Billy Vessels	Oklahoma	8 - 1 - 1
1959	Billy Cannon	Louisiana State	9 - 1 - 0
1960	Joe Bellino	Navy	9 - 1 - 0
1963	Roger Staubach	Navy	9 - 1 - 0
1964	John Huarte	Notre Dame	9 - 1 - 0
1971	Pat Sullivan	Auburn	9 - 1 - 0
1972	Johnny Rodgers	Nebraska	9 - 1 - 1
1974	Archie Griffin	Ohio State	10 - 1 - 0
1978	Billy Sims	Oklahoma	10 - 1 - 0
1991	Desmond Howard	Michigan	10 - 1 - 0
1993	Charlie Ward	Florida State	11 - 1 - 0
1994	Rashaan Salaam	Colorado	11 - 1 - 0
1996	Danny Wuerffel	Florida	11 - 1 - 0
2000	Chris Weinke	Florida State	11 - 1 - 0
2001	Eric Crouch	Nebraska	11 - 1 - 0
2003	Jason White	Oklahoma	12 - 1 - 0
2008	Sam Bradford	Oklahoma	12 - 1 - 0
2014	Marcus Mariota	Oregon	12 - 1 - 0
2015	Derrick Henry	Alabama	12 - 1 - 0
2017	Baker Mayfield	Oklahoma	12 - 1 - 0

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### Winners on Teams with Two Regular Season Losses

Year Winner	School	Record
1954 Alan Ameche	Wisconsin	7 - 2 - 0
1955 Howard Cassady	Ohio State	7 - 2 - 0
1957 John David Crow	Texas A&M	8 - 2 - 0
1962 Terry Baker	Oregon State	8 - 2 - 0
1965 Mike Garrett	USC	7 - 2 - 1
1966 Steve Spurrier	Florida	9 - 2 - 0
1967 Gary Beban	UCLA	7 - 2 - 1
1984 Doug Flutie	Boston College	9 - 2 - 0
1988 Barry Sanders	Oklahoma State	9 - 2 - 0
1989 Andre Ware	Houston	9 - 2 - 0
1991 Ty Detmer	BYU	10 - 2 - 0
1995 Eddie George	Ohio State	10 - 2 - 0
1999 Ron Dayne	Wisconsin	9 - 2 - 0
2002 Carson Palmer	So. California	10 - 2 - 0
2012 Johnny Manziel	Texas A&M	10 - 2 - 0

### Winners on Teams with Three Regular Season Losses

Year Winner	School	Record
1950 Vic Janowicz	Ohio State	6 - 3 - 0
1961 Ernie Davis	Syracuse	7 - 3 - 0
1970 Jim Plunkett	Stanford	8 - 3 - 0
1980 George Rogers	South Carolina	8 - 3 - 0
1981 Marcus Allen	So. California	8 - 3 - 0
1985 Bo Jackson	Auburn	8 - 3 - 0
1987 Tim Brown	Notre Dame	8 - 3 - 0
1998 Ricky Williams	Texas	8 - 3 - 0
2007 Tim Tebow	Florida	9 - 3 - 0
2011 Robert Griffin III	Baylor	9 - 3 - 0
2016 Lamar Jackson	Louisville	9 - 3 - 0

### Winners on Teams with Four Losses

Year Winner	School	Record
1969 Steve Owens	Oklahoma	6 - 4 - 0

### Winners on Teams with a .500 Record

Year Winner	School	Record
1935 Jay Berwanger	Chicago	4 - 4 - 0

### Winners on Teams with a Losing Record

Year Winner	School	Record
1956 Paul Hornung	Notre Dame	2 - 8 - 0

## Records, Votes & Notes

### Three teammates in top 10 of Heisman vote

Notre Dame, 1943  
Army, 1944  
Army, 1946  
Notre Dame, 1949  
Ohio State, 1969  
Ohio State, 1973

### Number of seasons with multiple top 10 Heisman finishers

Oklahoma - 7  
Notre Dame - 6  
Ohio State, Nebraska - 4  
Army, Miami, USC - 3

### Schools with the most Heisman Runners Up

6 - Stanford  
5 - Oklahoma  
4 - Notre Dame, Iowa, Tennessee  
3 - Army, Pittsburgh, Penn State, Ohio State, Purdue, USC

## All-Time Heisman Finalists

Prior to 1982, only the Heisman winner was invited to New York, so there was no such thing as a 'Heisman finalist'. Starting in 1982, multiple candidates were invited to take part in the live TV show that accompanied the announcement of the winner. Since then, 149 players have been invited.

1982 Herschel Walker, Georgia John Elway, Stanford* Eric Dickerson, SMU	1988 Barry Sanders, Oklahoma St.* Rodney Peete, USC Troy Aikman, UCLA Steve Walsh, Miami (Fla)* Major Harris, West Virginia
1983 Mike Rozier, Nebraska Steve Young, BYU Doug Flutie, Boston College	1989 Andrew Ware, Houston* Anthony Thompson, Indiana Major Harris, West Virginia Tony Rice, Notre Dame Darian Hagan, Colorado Dee Dowis, Air Force* Emmitt Smith, Florida* Blair Thomas, Penn State*
1984 Doug Flutie, Boston College Keith Byars, Ohio State Robbie Bosco, BYU* Bernie Kosar, Miami (Fla)	
1985 Bo Jackson, Auburn Chuck Long, Iowa Robbie Bosco, BYU* Lorenzo White, Michigan State Vinny Testaverde, Miami (Fla)	1990 Ty Detmer, BYU* Raghib Ismail, Notre Dame Eric Bieniemy, Colorado Shawn Moore, Virginia David Klingler, Houston
1986 Vinny Testaverde, Miami (Fla) Paul Palmer, Temple Jim Harbaugh, Michigan* Brian Bosworth, Oklahoma D.J. Dozier, Penn State*	1991 Desmond Howard, Michigan Casey Weldon, Florida State Ty Detmer, BYU Steve Emtman, Washington
1987 Tim Brown, Notre Dame Don McPherson, Syracuse Gordon Lockbaum, Holy Cross Lorenzo White, Michigan State Craig Heyward, Pittsburgh	1992 Gino Torretta, Miami (Fla) Marshall Faulk, SDSU Garrison Hearst, Georgia

\* - player was invited but did not attend Heisman ceremony.

# All-Time Heisman Finalists

1993

Charlie Ward, Florida State  
Heath Shuler, Tennessee  
David Palmer, Alabama

1994

Rashaan Salaam, Colorado  
Ki-Jana Carter, Penn State  
Steve McNair, Alcorn State  
Kerry Collins, Penn State  
Jay Barker, Alabama  
Warren Sapp, Miami (Fla)

1995

Eddie George, Ohio State  
Tommie Frazier, Nebraska  
Danny Wuerffel, Florida  
Darnell Autry, Northwestern  
Troy Davis, Iowa State

1996

Danny Wuerffel, Florida  
Troy Davis, Iowa State  
Jake Plummer, Arizona State  
Orlando Pace, Ohio State

1997

Charles Woodson, Michigan  
Peyton Manning, Tennessee  
Ryan Leaf, Washington State  
Randy Moss, Marshall

1998

Ricky Williams, Texas  
Michael Bishop, Kansas State  
Cade McNown, UCLA  
Tim Couch, Kentucky

1999

Ron Dayne, Wisconsin  
Joe Hamilton, Georgia Tech  
Michael Vick, Virginia Tech  
Drew Brees, Purdue  
Chad Pennington, Marshall

2000

Chris Weinke, Florida State  
Josh Heupel, Oklahoma  
Drew Brees, Purdue  
LaDainian Tomlinson, TCU

2001

Eric Crouch, Nebraska  
Rex Grossman, Florida  
Ken Dorsey, Miami (Fla)  
Joey Harrington, Oregon

2002

Carson Palmer, USC  
Brad Banks, Iowa  
Larry Johnson, Penn State  
Willis McGahee, Miami (Fla)  
Ken Dorsey, Miami (Fla)

2003

Jason White, Oklahoma  
Larry Fitzgerald, Pittsburgh  
Eli Manning, Mississippi  
Chris Perry, Michigan

2004

Matt Leinart, USC  
Adrian Peterson, Oklahoma  
Jason White, Oklahoma  
Alex Smith, Utah  
Reggie Bush, USC

2005

Vince Young, Texas  
Matt Leinart, USC

2006

Troy Smith, Ohio State  
Darren McFadden, Arkansas  
Brady Quinn, Notre Dame

2007

Tim Tebow, Florida  
Darren McFadden, Arkansas  
Colt Brennan, Hawaii  
Chase Daniel, Missouri

# All-Time Heisman Finalists

2008

Sam Bradford, Oklahoma  
Colt McCoy, Texas  
Tim Tebow, Florida

2009

Mark Ingram, Alabama  
Toby Gerhart, Stanford  
Colt McCoy, Texas  
Ndamukong Suh, Nebraska  
Tim Tebow, Florida

2010

Cam Newton, Auburn  
Andrew Luck, Stanford  
LaMichael James, Oregon  
Kellen Moore, Boise State

2011

Robert Griffin III  
Andrew Luck, Stanford  
Trent Richardson, Alabama  
Montee Ball, Wisconsin  
Tyrann Mathieu, LSU

2012

Johnny Manziel, Texas A&M  
Manti Te'o, Notre Dame  
Collin Klein, Kansas State

2013

Jameis Winston, Florida State  
AJ McCarron, Alabama  
Jordan Lynch, Northern Illinois  
Andre Williams, Boston College  
Johnny Manziel, Texas A&M  
Tre Mason, Auburn

2014

Marcus Mariota, Oregon  
Melvin Gordon, Wisconsin  
Amari Cooper, Alabama

2015

Derrick Henry, Alabama  
Christian McCaffrey, Stanford  
Deshaun Watson, Clemson

2016

Lamar Jackson, Louisville  
Baker Mayfield, Oklahoma  
Jabrill Peppers, Michigan  
Deshaun Watson, Clemson  
Dede Westbrook, Oklahoma

2017

Baker Mayfield, Oklahoma  
Bryce Love, Stanford  
Lamar Jackson, Louisville

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**Total Finalists -- 152**

## Schools with the most Heisman finalists

Miami -- 9  
Alabama, Florida, Oklahoma -- 7

## Heisman Finalists by Conference

SEC -- 29  
Big Ten -- 28  
ACC -- 24  
Pac-12 -- 23  
Big 12 -- 20  
Independent -- 10  
MWC -- 4  
AAC -- 4  
CUSA -- 2  
1-AA programs -- 2  
MAC -- 1

## Heisman Finalist F.A.Q.

### 1. What is a Heisman finalist?

A Heisman finalist is an active college football player who receives an invitation to attend the annual Heisman ceremony held in New York City each December. Whether that player shows up or not, he is considered a finalist.

### 2. How long have Heisman finalists been around?

Not long. Prior to 1982, only the winner of the Heisman was invited to New York, so there was no such thing as a 'Heisman finalist'. Starting in 1982, multiple candidates were invited to take part in the live TV show that accompanied the announcement of the winner. Herschel Walker, John Elway and Eric Dickerson were the first Heisman finalists, though Elway did not attend that year's event. There has been 146 finalists since that 1982 ceremony, for a grand total of 149.

### 3. How many finalists are there every year?

It varies. There will always be at least three finalists invited in a given year. The total did rise to as high as eight invitees in 1989 (though only four actually attended the ceremony). Since 1982, the most common total to have been invited is five (12 times), followed by four and three (10 times). In 1994 and 2013, there were six finalists invited to the ceremony. To date, more than six finalists have never attended a ceremony.

### 4. So what happened in 1989?

This was a bit of an anomaly that occurred before all the standards for selecting finalists were sorted out. The eventual winner, Andre Ware, was not able to attend the ceremony because he had a game that day. He was on a live satellite feed from Houston when he was announced as the winner of the trophy. Anthony Thompson of Indiana, Major Harris of West Virginia, Tony Rice of Notre Dame and Darian Hagan of Colorado were all in attendance in New York, while



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Dee Dowis of Air Force, Emmitt Smith of Florida and Blair Thomas of Penn State did not attend the ceremony. Technically, however, they were all finalists.

### 5. How are the finalists determined?

This is one of the most misunderstood parts of the Heisman process. You will often hear media or fans complain that a certain player was snubbed by not being invited to the Heisman ceremony. But the finalists are not determined arbitrarily. Starting from the understanding that there will always be a minimum of three finalists, whether or not more will be invited is determined by how close the fourth-place finisher's point total is to that of the third place finisher's, how close the fifth-place finisher's is to that of the fourth-place finisher's and so on.

In the 2008 Heisman vote, for instance, Florida's Tim Tebow finished third with 1,575 points. The fourth-place finisher, Graham Harrell of Texas Tech, totaled 213 points. Because of the huge gap between those totals, Harrell was not invited to the ceremony, which featured just three finalists. In 2010, Kellen Moore's fourth place finish of 635 points brought him much closer to LaMichael James' third-place finish of 916, so Moore was included as one of the four finalists. The fifth-place finisher in 2010, Justin Blackmon of Oklahoma State, had just 105 points. There was a clear demarcation of support between him and Moore, so the finalists were capped at four.

In other words, the closeness of the point totals determines the final number of finalists. Where major gaps exist, that's where you get a cutoff.

### 8. When are the finalists chosen?

Lately, the announcement of the finalists has become its own special event, with their names announced by ESPN at some point on the Monday night prior to the Heisman ceremony.

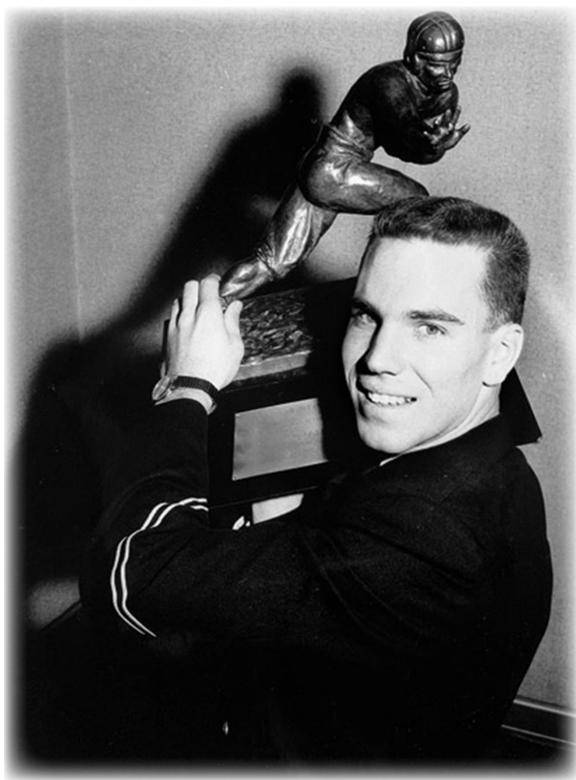
# Hall of Fame Heismans

## Heisman Winners Elected to the National Football Foundation's College Football Hall of Fame

Yr Elected	Name	School	Heisman Yr
1951	Nile Kinnick	Iowa	1939
1954	Jay Berwanger	Chicago	1935
	Tom Harmon	Michigan	1940
	Frank Sinkwich	Georgia	1942
1955	Clint Frank	Yale	1937
	Davey O'Brien	TCU	1938
1959	Doc Blanchard	Army	1945
	Doak Walker	SMU	1948
1960	John Lujack	Notre Dame	1947
1961	Glenn Davis	Army	1946
1966	Dick Kazmaier	Princeton	1951
1969	Larry Kelley	Yale	1936
	Les Horvath	Ohio State	1944
1972	Bruce Smith	Minnesota	1941
	Angelo Bertelli	Notre Dame	1943
1973	Leon Hart	Notre Dame	1949
1974	Billy Vessels	Oklahoma	1952
1975	Alan Ameche	Wisconsin	1954
	Pete Dawkins	Army	1958
1976	Vic Janowicz	Ohio State	1950
	John David Crow	Texas A&M	1957
1977	Joe Bellino	Navy	1960
1979	John Lattner	Notre Dame	1953
	Howard Cassady	Ohio State	1955
	Ernie Davis	Syracuse	1961
1981	Roger Staubach	Navy	1963
1982	Terry Baker	Oregon State	1962
1983	O.J. Simpson	USC	1968
1985	Paul Hornung	Notre Dame	1956
	Mike Garrett	USC	1965
1986	Steve Spurrier	Florida	1966
	Archie Griffin	Ohio State	1974/75
1988	Gary Beban	UCLA	1967
1990	Jim Plunkett	Stanford	1970
	Earl Campbell	Texas	1977
1991	Steve Owens	Oklahoma	1969
	Pat Sullivan	Auburn	1971
1993	John Cappelletti	Penn State	1973
1994	Tony Dorsett	Pittsburgh	1976
1995	Billy Sims	Oklahoma	1978
1996	Charles White	USC	1979
1997	George Rogers	South Carolina	1980
1998	Bo Jackson	Auburn	1985
1999	Herschel Walker	Georgia	1982
2000	Marcus Allen	USC	1981
	Johnny Rodgers	Nebraska	1972
2003	Barry Sanders	Oklahoma State	1988
2004	Andre Ware	Houston	1989
2005	John Huarte	Notre Dame	1964

# Hall of Fame Members

Yr Elected	Name	School	Heisman Yr
2006	Charlie Ward	Florida State	1993
	Mike Rozier	Nebraska	1983
2007	Doug Flutie	Boston College	1984
2008	Billy Cannon	Louisiana State	1959
2010	Tim Brown	Notre Dame	1987
	Gino Torretta	Miami (FL)	1992
2011	Eddie George	Ohio State	1995
2012	Ty Detmer	BYU	1990
2013	Ron Dayne	Wisconsin	1999
	Vinny Testaverde	Miami (FL)	1986
	Danny Wuerffel	Florida	1996
2015	Ricky Williams	Texas	1998
2017	Matt Leinart	USC	2004
2018	Charles Woodson	Michigan	1997



**Roger Staubach**

## Heisman in the Bowls

### Notable bowl performances by Heisman winners

**Doak Walker vs. Oregon, 1949 Cotton Bowl** – Walker led SMU to a 21-13 victory over Oregon. He ran for 66 yards and one touchdown on 14 carries and threw for 79 yards on 6-of-10 passing. He also kicked two extra points.

**Ernie Davis vs. Syracuse, 1961 Liberty Bowl** – Davis was excellent in leading the Orange to a come-from-behind 15-14 win over Miami. He rushed for 140 yards and a touchdown on 30 carries. His touchdown and two-point conversion reception cut the lead to 14-8 and, then he rushed for 24 of the 51 yards on Syracuse's game-winning drive.

**Terry Baker vs. Villanova, 1962 Liberty Bowl** – Baker, one of the original dual-threat quarterbacks, rushed for 137 yards and passed for 123 in Oregon State's 6-0 win. His 99-yard first-quarter touchdown run remains the longest in bowl history.

**Jim Plunkett vs. Ohio State, 1971 Rose Bowl** – Plunkett helped engineer Stanford's 27-17 upset of the unbeaten Buckeyes, throwing for 265 yards and a touchdown, while also rushing for 26 yards.

**Johnny Rodgers vs. Notre Dame, 1973 Orange Bowl** – The versatile Rodgers, who normally played wingback, played I-back against the Irish and capped his illustrious career by scoring four touchdowns and passing for another (a 52-yarder to Frosty Anderson). He finished with 15 carries for 84 yards rushing and caught three passes for 71 yards as the No. 8 Cornhuskers crushed the No. 10 Irish 40-6.

**Tony Dorsett vs. Georgia, 1977 Sugar Bowl** – Dorsett and Pittsburgh closed out a dream undefeated season by beating No. 5 Georgia 27-6. Dorsett rushed for 202 yards and a touchdown on 32 carries as the Panthers won the national title.

**Charles White vs. Ohio State, 1980 Rose Bowl** – No. 3 USC beat No. 1 Ohio State 17-16 as White overcame the flu to rush for 247 yards on 39 carries. He scored the winning touchdown on a dive over the pile with 1:32 to play to finish off an 83-yard drive in which he rushed for 71 yards on six attempts.

**Barry Sanders vs. Wyoming, 1988 Holiday Bowl** – Oklahoma State crushed Wyoming 62-14 as Sanders rushed for 222 yards and five touchdowns. If the NCAA counted bowl game stats from back then, his single-season numbers would be absurd: 2,850 rushing yards and 44 touchdowns.

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### Notable bowl performances, continued....

**Danny Wuerffel vs. Florida State, 1997 Sugar Bowl** – A little over a month after getting sacked six times and throwing three picks against the terrific Seminole defense in a 24-21 loss, Wuerffel rebounded to throw for 306 yards and three touchdowns as the Gators walloped FSU 52-20 for their first national championship.

**Ricky Williams vs. Mississippi State, 1999 Cotton Bowl** – Williams rushed for 203 yards and two touchdowns on 30 carries to lead the Longhorns to a 38-11 victory over the Bulldogs.

**Ron Dayne vs. Stanford, 2000 Rose Bowl** – Dayne keyed his team's second straight Rose Bowl win by rushing for 209 yards and a touchdown on 34 carries as the Badgers beat Stanford 17-9.

**Matt Leinart vs. Oklahoma, 2005 BCS title game** – Leinart turned in a virtuoso performance against the Sooners, throwing for 332 yards and five touchdowns to lead the No. 1 Trojans to a 55-19 win over No. 2 Oklahoma in the BCS title game.

**Johnny Manziel vs. Oklahoma, 2013 Cotton Bowl** – Manziel exploded for a Heisman-bowl-record 516 yards of total offense as the Aggies routed the Sooners, 41-13. Manziel passed for 287 yards, rushed for 229 (a bowl record for a QB) and totaled four touchdowns.

**Derrick Henry vs. Clemson, 2016 College Football Playoff Championship Game** – Henry became the first Heisman winner to capture a College Football Playoff crown as he rumbled for 158 yards and three touchdowns on 36 carries in Alabama's 45-40 victory over Clemson. His big highlight was a 50-yard touchdown run to open the scoring.

### Won Heisman and National Title in same season

Davey O'Brien, 1938

Bruce Smith, 1941

Angelo Bertelli, 1943

Felix "Doc" Blanchard, 1945

John Lujack, 1947

Leon Hart, 1949

Tony Dorsett, 1976

Charlie Ward, 1993

Danny Wuerffel, 1996

Charles Woodson, 1997

Matt Leinart, 2004

Mark Ingram, 2009

Cam Newton, 2010

Jameis Winston, 2013

Derrick Henry, 2016

## Heisman & Other Sports

### Heisman winners who also played basketball

**Nile Kinnick** -- The future Hawkeye led his football team to an undefeated season as a senior in high school, but he also scored 485 points for the basketball team, helping them advance to the district finals. At Iowa, he played football, basketball and baseball as a freshman and was the hoops team's second-leading scorer as a sophomore.

**Tom Harmon** -- Harmon was an all-conference basketball player and three-year letterman at Horace Mann High in Gary, Ind. He also lettered in basketball at Michigan. He was inducted into the state of Indiana's Basketball Hall of Fame in 1992.

**Glenn Davis** -- Perhaps the finest all-around athlete ever to play at Army, Davis earned a letter in basketball as a guard for the Knights.

**John Lujack** -- Lujack lettered in four sports at Notre Dame, including basketball.

**Doak Walker** -- The legendary Walker also lettered in basketball for SMU.

**Dick Kazmaier** -- According to Kazmaier, he had a better year freshman year in basketball at Princeton than he did in football. He was relegated to the bench in subsequent years, but he would not be stopped when he stepped on the gridiron.

**Paul Hornung** -- Hornung averaged 6.1 points per game as a sophomore for the Irish basketball team, but he gave up the sport to concentrate on his school work.

**Joe Bellino** -- Bellino was the star of Winchester High's basketball team, which won the Massachusetts state title during his sophomore and junior seasons. The squad's 55-game win streak was snapped during his senior year. He later lettered in basketball for the Midshipmen.

**Ernie Davis** -- Davis played basketball as a freshman at Syracuse. He put up impressive numbers, with 10.2 points and 9.6 rebounds per game. He once pulled down 18 rebounds against Canisius.

## Heisman & Other Sports

**Terry Baker** -- Baker is the answer to one of the great trivia questions in sports, as the Oregon State star remains the only player to win a Heisman and appear in an NCAA basketball Final Four. Baker averaged 13.4 points per game as a senior point guard and was named national Sportsman of the Year by Sports Illustrated. He also led the Beavers to the Elite 8 as a junior. Despite his football prowess, Baker always said that basketball was his true love.

**Steve Spurrier** -- Spurrier was all-state in four sports, including basketball, coming out of Science Hill High in Johnston, Tenn.

**Charlie Ward** -- Ward is the only Heisman winner to play in the NBA. At Florida State, Ward was the point guard on the Seminoles team that advanced to the Elite Eight. He still holds FSU records for career steals (236), steals in a game (9) and ranks sixth all-time in assists at 396. He joined the basketball team just 15 days after winning the Heisman Trophy in December of 1993. He started 16 games at the point guard position that year and averaged 10.5 points and 4.9 assists for the season. He was selected in the first round (26th overall) of the 1994 NBA draft by the New York Knicks and played 11 seasons in the league.

### Heisman winners who Played Major League Baseball

Vic Janowicz  
Bo Jackson

### Notable Heisman Track Stars

**Glenn Davis** - Army's "Mr. Outside" might've been the fastest of the early Heisman winners, with a best of 9.6 in the 100-yard dash. Some old-time observers claimed that track would have been Davis' best sport, had he concentrated on it. As evidence, note that in 1947 he ran a 6.1-second 60-yard dash at Madison Square Garden. In doing so, he beat Barney Ewell, who would go on to win the silver medal in the 100 meters at the London Olympics in 1948.

**Billy Cannon** - At Istrouma High in Baton Rouge, Cannon set a state record with 57-4 in the shot put and ran the 100 yard dash in 9.7 seconds. At LSU, he threw the heavier college shot over 54 feet and improved his 100 time to 9.5 seconds (9.4 wind-aided).

**O.J. Simpson** - The 1968 Heisman winner ran the third leg on USC's world-record setting 440-yard relay that won the NCAA title in the spring of 1967. Since the 440 relay is no longer run in the track world -- meters became the preferred standard in subsequent years -- the record still stands to this day. Simpson is one of the fastest running backs in the history of college football, with a best of 9.53 in the 100-yard dash and a 10.3 in the 100-meter dash. He finished sixth in the 100 at the NCAA championships in 1967, making him the first of three Heisman winners to earn All-American honors in both track and football.

**Herschel Walker** - The 1982 winner joined Simpson as a football/track All-American when he placed seventh in the NCAA's 100-meter dash final in the spring of 1981. Walker ran a wind-aided 10.30 in a race won by future Olympic gold medalist Carl Lewis. The spring before winning the Heisman, Walker clocked a personal-best 10.23 and went as low as a 10.10 with the aid of the wind. He also ran the 55-meter dash in 6.11 seconds.

**Bo Jackson** - Jackson might be the best athlete in the history of the Heisman. Not only did he run a best of 10.44 in the 100 meters at 6-1, 225 pounds, he also twice qualified for the NCAA indoor 60-yard dash while at Auburn (his 6.18 60 yard dash run in 1983 is still in the Auburn record books). He was also a high-level decathlete in high school with a best mark of 8,340. Though some of his claimed marks are unverifiable, we do know he high jumped 6-foot-9, triple jumped 48-8, threw the discus over 150 feet, the shot put over 50 feet and went 12.9 in the 110-yard hurdles.

**Robert Griffin III** - As a dual-sport athlete at Copperas Cove (Texas) High, Griffin III was probably more coveted for his hurdling ability than he was for his quarterbacking skills. As a junior in high school, he ran a nation-best-tying 13.46 in the 110-meter high hurdles and a nation-leading 49.56 in the 400-meter hurdles (the second-fastest time in prep history). He graduated high school at the end of 2007 and enrolled at Baylor in time for the 2008 spring semester, immediately taking up his place on the track roster. After a brief interruption to take part in spring football, Griffin III returned to the track and promptly won the Big 12 title in the 400 meter hurdles before finishing third at the NCAA championships with a personal-best time of 49.22 -- a mark that garnered him an invite to the 2008 Olympic Trials, where he placed 11th. To fully appreciate what Griffin III accomplished that spring, consider that he did it during what should have been his senior year in high school and without the benefit of an uninterrupted training regimen.



# Heisman Veterans



When we think of the Heisman Trophy, we first think of the heroic deeds of great men on the football field. It just so happens that some Heisman winners were also heroic and great off the field while serving with distinction in our nation's armed forces.

The award's first winner, **Jay Berwanger** of Chicago ('35), enrolled in the Navy's flight-training program and became a naval officer during World War II. A punctured eardrum kept his successor, Yale's **Larry Kelley** ('36), out of the war.

Kelley's teammate, **Clint Frank** ('37), attained the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in the Army Air Corps, serving as an aide to General Jimmy Doolittle during World War II. Doolittle, as you may recall, was responsible for the daring bombing raids on Japan in the early years of the conflict.

**Nile Kinnick** ('39) left law school after one year and enlisted in the Naval Air Reserve, reporting for induction three days before the attack on Pearl Harbor. On June 2, 1943, Kinnick was on a routine training flight from the aircraft carrier USS Lexington, when his plane developed an oil leak. Kinnick was forced to execute an emergency landing in the water, but he died in the process. His body was never recovered and Kinnick became the first Heisman Trophy winner to die, a month and seven days shy of his 25th birthday.

## Heisman Veterans

**Tom Harmon** of Michigan ('40) was also a pilot. After graduating, he enlisted in the Army Air Corps and was later awarded a Silver Star for his actions as a member of the 449th fighter squadron.

Another Big Ten winner, **Bruce Smith** of Minnesota ('41) served in the Navy as a fighter pilot. Smith's moving speech while being awarded the Heisman came just a few days after Pearl Harbor:

**Frank Sinkwich** of Georgia ('42) was in the Marine Corps when he won his Heisman, but he was discharged soon after due to flat feet.

Notre Dame's first winner, **Angelo Bertelli** ('43) was unable to attend the trophy presentation due to his being in Marine Corps training in early December of 1943. The initial ceremony was rescheduled and he accepted it later on January 12, 1944 in New York City.

Ohio State's **Les Horvath** ('44) was not only a junior lieutenant in the Navy, but also a dentist for the service.

Army's **Glenn Davis** ('46) served three years in the Army, while his teammate **Felix 'Doc' Blanchard** ('45) chose to embark upon a career in the U.S. Air Force as a fighter pilot. He garnered a commendation for bravery in 1959 after preventing his faltering plane from crashing into a village. He later flew 113 missions during the Vietnam War and retired from the Air Force in 1971 as a colonel.

Notre Dame's **John Lujack** ('47) spent his time in the Navy hunting German submarines in the English Channel as an ensign. SMU's **Doak Walker** served in the Army for a year. Princeton's **Dick Kazmaier** ('51) spent three years in the Navy and attained the rank of lieutenant.

Oklahoma's **Billy Vessels** ('52) was later a U.S. Army officer. Irish winners **John Lattner** ('53) and **Paul Hornung** ('56) served in the Air Force and Army, respectively.

Army's **Pete Dawkins** ('58) became the highest-ranking Heisman winner, going on to become a brigadier general in the Army. He won a bronze star for his service in Vietnam.

The last two Heisman veterans belong to the Navy. **Joe Bellino** ('60) served 28 years in the fleet and became a captain. **Roger Staubach** ('63), was a Supply Corps officer for the Navy at Chu Lai in Vietnam, commanding 41 enlisted men.

## Famous Heisman Speeches



*Minnesota's **Bruce Smith** made the following remarks upon accepting his Heisman on Dec. 9, 1941, a mere two days after the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor:*

"Mr. Chairman, Mr. President and members of the Downtown Athletic Club, ladies and gentleman: So much of emotional significance has happened in such a brief space of time that the task of responding on such an occasion leaves me at a loss to assign relative value.

"No college football player could ask for a greater honor or thrill than to have his name added to the list of Jay Berwanger, Larry Kelley, Clint Frank, Davey O'Brien, Nile Kinnick and Tom Harmon, who preceded me in winning this coveted Heisman Trophy. My gratitude is sincere and my appreciation deeply felt. I can really only accept this trophy on behalf of my great Minnesota teammates and one of the greatest coaches of all time Bernie Bierman.

"Our team was good this year and literally carried me along to this honor. It was a year which was so productive with successful, outstanding and colorful players. The sportwriters and radio ambassadors had to make an exceptionally difficult decision, as was indicated by the small margin of votes between Angelo Bertelli of Notre Dame and myself.

## Famous Heisman Speeches

"I hope I can justify your decision of the majority. My dad, who is here this evening, is a lawyer back in Faribault, Minnesota. He tells me that the proper way to explain it is that I would be holding the trophy in trust of my teammates. Since I seem to be getting elaborate, however, I want to openly and firmly thank those teammates and my coach for without them this honor would have been absolutely impossible. To them I owe everything.

"Football certainly has become an important part of American life. It even seems to have a place in diplomacy. I remember reading in the newspapers that Mr. Caruso, the Japanese envoy, told the newspapermen on arriving here that he expected to carry the ball for a touchdown. As you all know by now, it didn't work out that way. It looked as though he tried a quarterback sneak before the field was ruled.

"In the Far East they may think American boys are soft, but I have had, and even have now, plenty of evidence in black and blue to prove that they are making a big mistake. I think America will owe a great debt to the game of football when we finish this thing off. If six million American youngsters like myself are able to take it and come back for more, both from a physical standpoint and that of morale. If teaching team play and cooperation and exercise to go out and fight hard for the honor of our schools, then likewise the same skills can be depended on when we have to fight to defend for our country.

"This is my first visit to New York and I find it very exciting. To the members of the Downtown Athletic Club, I offer my sincere thanks."

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*In 1973, in one of the most moving speeches in the history of the Heisman, Penn State's **John Cappelletti** dedicated the trophy to his 11-year-old brother, Joey, who was battling leukemia. Some excerpts from his acceptance speech:*

"My mother and my father, there isn't a greater couple around. I know my mother always cries at these affairs, so I want to try not to. She's a very, very strong woman and very dedicated, not only to her children and husband, but also to God, and I think this helped her out with putting up with us and going through all she has gone through. I think one small example of this, a personal thing with me that I think a lot of people may have noticed, is that my legs are as straight as arrows and that I have no trouble walking now or running, but one time in my life I couldn't walk without tripping. My mother not only brought me through this but she brought just about every member of our family through something like this.



"My father is a very quiet man, he's been a great father to all of us. He asked me the other day when I was home what I thought of him as a father. I wouldn't say much to him then because it's hard to express things like that, but there is no greater person I have more respect for than this man.

"The next part — I'm very happy to do something like this — I thought about it since the Heisman was announced 10 days ago. ... The youngest member of my family, Joseph, is very ill. He has leukemia. If I can dedicate this trophy to him tonight and give him a couple days of happiness, this is worth everything. I think a lot of people think that I go through a lot on Saturdays and during the week as most athletes do, and you get your bumps and bruises and it is a terrific battle out there on the field. Only for me it is on Saturdays and it's only in the fall. For Joseph, it is all year round and it is a battle that is unending with him and he puts up with much more than I'll ever put up with and I think that this trophy is more his than mine because he has been a great inspiration to me."



**The Heisman  
& Professional Football**

# Heisman Winners in the Draft

NFL Draft

Name	Draft Yr	Team	Round
Jay Berwanger	1936	Philadelphia Eagles	1st*
Larry Kelley	1937	Detroit Lions	9th
Clint Frank	1938	Detroit Lions	12th
Davey O'Brien	1939	Philadelphia Eagles	1st
Nile Kinnick	1940	Brooklyn Dodgers	2nd
Tom Harmon	1941	Chicago Bears	1st*
Bruce Smith	1942	Green Bay Packers	13th
Frank Sinkwich	1943	Detroit Lions	1st*
Angelo Bertelli	1944	Boston Yanks	1st*
Doc Blanchard	1946	Pittsburgh Steelers	1st
Glenn Davis	1947	Detroit Lions	1st
John Lujack	1946	Chicago Bears	1st
Doak Walker	1949	Boston Yanks	1st
Leon Hart	1950	Detroit Lions	1st*
Vic Janowicz	1952	Washington Redskins	7th
Dick Kazmaier	1952	Chicago Bears	15th
Billy Vessels	1953	Baltimore Colts	1st
John Lattner	1954	Pittsburgh Steelers	1st
Alan Ameche	1955	Baltimore Colts	1st
Howard Cassady	1956	Detroit Lions	1st
Paul Hornung	1957	Green Bay Packers	1st*
John David Crow	1958	Chicago Cardinals	1st
Billy Cannon	1960	Los Angeles Rams	1st*
Joe Bellino	1961	Boston Patriots (AFL)	19th
Ernie Davis	1962	Washington Redskins	1st*
Terry Baker	1963	Los Angeles Rams	1st*
Roger Staubach	1964	Dallas Cowboys	10th
John Huarte	1965	New York Jets (AFL)	2nd
Mike Garrett	1966	Los Angeles Rams (NFL)	2nd
Steve Spurrier	1967	San Francisco 49ers	1st
Gary Beban	1968	Los Angeles Rams	2nd
O.J. Simpson	1969	Buffalo Bills	1st*
Steve Owens	1970	Detroit Lions	1st
Jim Plunkett	1971	New England Patriots	1st*
Pat Sullivan	1972	Atlanta Falcons	2nd
Johnny Rodgers	1973	San Diego Chargers	1st
John Cappelletti	1974	Los Angeles Rams	1st
Archie Griffin	1976	Cincinnati Bengals	1st
Tony Dorsett	1977	Dallas Cowboys	1st
Earl Campbell	1978	Houston Oilers	1st*
Billy Sims	1980	Detroit Lions	1st*
Charles White	1980	Cleveland Browns	1st
George Rogers	1981	New Orleans Saints	1st*
Marcus Allen	1982	Oakland Raiders	1st
Herschel Walker	1985	Dallas Cowboys	5th
Mike Rozier	1984	Pittsburgh Maulers (USFL)	1st
Doug Flutie	1985	Los Angeles Rams	11th
Bo Jackson	1986	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	1st*
Vinny Testaverde	1987	Tampa Bay Buccaneers	1st*
Tim Brown	1988	Los Angeles Raiders	1st
Barry Sanders	1989	Detroit Lions	1st

# Pro Football Honors

Name	Draft Yr	Team	Round
Andre Ware	1990	Detroit Lions	1st
Ty Detmer	1992	Green Bay Packers	9th
Desmond Howard	1992	Washington Redskins	1st
Gino Torretta	1993	Minnesota Vikings	7th
Rashaan Salaam	1995	Chicago Bears	1st
Eddie George	1996	Houston Oilers	1st
Danny Wuerffel	1997	New Orleans Saints	4th
Charles Woodson	1998	Oakland Raiders	1st
Ricky Williams	1999	New Orleans Saints	1st
Ron Dayne	2000	New York Giants	1st
Chris Weinke	2001	Carolina Panthers	4th
Eric Crouch	2002	St. Louis Rams	3rd
Carson Palmer	2003	Cincinnati Bengals	1st*
Matt Leinart	2006	Arizona Cardinals	1st
Troy Smith	2007	Baltimore Ravens	5th
Tim Tebow	2010	Denver Broncos	1st
Sam Bradford	2010	St. Louis Rams	1st*
Mark Ingram	2011	New Orleans Saints	1st
Cam Newton	2011	Carolina Panthers	1st*
Robert Griffin III	2012	Washington Redskins	1st
Johnny Manziel	2014	Cleveland Browns	1st
Jameis Winston	2015	Tampa Bay Bucs	1st*
Marcus Mariota	2015	Tennessee Titans	1st
Derrick Henry	2016	Tennessee Titans	2nd
Baker Mayfield	2018	Cleveland Browns	1st*
Lamar Jackson	2018	Baltimore Ravens	1st

\*- First overall pick

## Heisman Winners Inducted into the Pro Football Hall of Fame

Class	Name	NFL Team
1985	Roger Staubach	Dallas Cowboys
	O.J. Simpson	Buffalo Bills
1986	Doak Walker	Detroit Lions
	Paul Hornung	Green Bay Packers
1991	Earl Campbell	Houston Oilers
1994	Tony Dorsett	Dallas Cowboys
2003	Marcus Allen	L.A. Raiders
2004	Barry Sanders	Detroit Lions
2015	Tim Brown	L.A. Raiders

## Heisman Winners named NFL Player of the Year

Year	Team	Name	Award
1944	Frank Sinkwich	Detroit Lions	Carr
1961	Paul Hornung	Green Bay Packers	UPI-AP-Bell
1971	Roger Staubach	Dallas Cowboys	Bell
1973	O.J. Simpson	Buffalo Bills	AP-Bell
1978	Earl Campbell	Houston Oilers	PFWA
1979	Earl Campbell	Houston Oilers	AP-Bell-PFWA
1985	Marcus Allen	L.A. Raiders	AP-PFWA
1997	Barry Sanders	Detroit Lions	SN-FD-Bell-SI
2015	Cam Newton	Carolina Panthers	AP



## Pro Football Honors



In addition to being the first Heisman Trophy winner, **Jay Berwanger** was also the first overall selection in the first NFL draft held in 1936.

# Pro Football Honors

## Heisman Winners Named AFL-AFC Player of the Year

Year	Name	Team
1972	O.J. Simpson	Buffalo Bills
1973	O.J. Simpson	Buffalo Bills
1975	O.J. Simpson	Buffalo Bills
1978	Earl Campbell*	Houston Oilers
1985	(OFF) Marcus Allen	L.A. Raiders

\* Indicates Rookie

### Awards Key

**Carr:** Joe F. Carr Trophy presented from 1921-39 by the league

**UPI:** Presented from 1953-69/switched to AFC and NFC Player of the Year awards in 1970

**AP:** Presented since 1957

**Bell:** Bert Bell Trophy presented since 1959 by the Maxwell Club of Philadelphia

**PFWA:** Presented since 1976 by the Professional Football Writers Association

**SN:** The Sporting News

**FD:** Football Digest

**SI:** Sports Illustrated

## Heisman Winners who were the NFC Player of the Year

Year	Name	Team
1981	Tony Dorsett	Dallas Cowboys

## Heisman Winners who were the NFL-NFC Rookie of the Year

Year	Name	Team
1955	Alan Ameche	Baltimore Colts
1977	Tony Dorsett	Dallas Cowboys
1980	Billy Sims	Detroit Lions
1981	George Rogers	New Orleans Saints
1989	Barry Sanders	Detroit Lions

## Heisman Winners who were the AFL-AFC Rookie of the Year

Year	Name	Team
1971	Jim Plunkett	New England Patriots
1978	Earl Campbell	Houston Oilers
1982	Marcus Allen	L.A. Raiders

## Pro Football Honors

### Heisman Winners Named NFL Rookie of the Year

Year	Name	Team
1996	Eddie George	Houston Oilers
1998	Charles Woodson	Oakland Raiders
2010	Sam Bradford	St. Louis Rams
2012	Cam Newton	Carolina Panthers
2013	Robert Griffin III	Washington Redskins

### Heisman Winners Named CFL Player of the Year

Year	Name	Team
1953	Billy Vessels	Edmonton Eskimos
1991	Doug Flutie	Calgary Stampeders
1992	Doug Flutie	Calgary Stampeders
1993	Doug Flutie	Calgary Stampeders
1994	Doug Flutie	Calgary Stampeders
1996	Doug Flutie	Toronto Argonauts
1997	Doug Flutie	Toronto Argonauts



**Billy Vessels**

# The Super Bowl

## Heisman Winners on Super Bowl Rosters

In all, 18 Heisman winners have been listed 26 times on a Super Bowl roster, with 22 appearances in the game itself.

1967 - Mike Garrett (Kansas City), Paul Hornung\* (Green Bay)  
1968 - Billy Cannon (Oakland)  
1970 - Mike Garrett\*(Kansas City), John Huarte\*(Kansas City)  
1971 - Roger Staubach (Dallas)  
1972 - Roger Staubach\*(Dallas)  
1976 - Roger Staubach(Dallas)  
1978 - Roger Staubach\*(Dallas), Tony Dorsett(Dallas)  
1979 - Roger Staubach(Dallas), Tony Dorsett(Dallas)  
1981 - Jim Plunkett\* (Oakland)  
1982 - Archie Griffin (Cincinnati)  
1984 - Marcus Allen\* (LA Raiders), Jim Plunkett\*(LA Raiders)  
1988 - George Rogers\* (Washington)  
1997 - Desmond Howard (Green Bay Packers)  
2000 - Eddie George (Tennessee)  
2001 - Ron Dayne (New York Giants)  
2003 - Tim Brown (Oakland), Charles Woodson (Oakland)  
2004 - Chris Weinke (Carolina)  
2009 - Matt Leinart (Arizona)  
2011 - Charles Woodson\* (Green Bay)  
2016 - Cam Newton (Carolina)

\* - won Super Bowl

## Heisman Winners Named Super Bowl MVP

Bowl	Date	Name	Team
VI	1/16/72	Roger Staubach	Dallas Cowboys
XV	1/25/81	Jim Plunkett	Oakland Raiders
XVIII	1/22/84	Marcus Allen	L.A. Raiders
XXXI	1/26/97	Desmond Howard	Green Bay Packers

## Other Superlatives

### Won Heisman, National Title & Super Bowl

Tony Dorsett  
Marcus Allen  
Charles Woodson

### Won Heisman, National Title, Super Bowl, Super Bowl MVP

Marcus Allen

## The Super Bowl

**Won Heisman, National Title, NFL MVP, Super Bowl & Super Bowl MVP**

Marcus Allen

**Most Super Bowl appearances by a Heisman winner**

5 - Roger Staubach

**Most Super Bowl rings by a Heisman winner**

2 - Roger Staubach, Jim Plunkett

**Most rushing yards by a Heisman winner in a Super Bowl**

191 - Marcus Allen, 1984.

**Most passing yards by a Heisman winner in a Super Bowl**

265 - Cam Newton, 2016

**Most TD passes by a Heisman winner in a Super Bowl**

3 - Jim Plunkett (1981), Roger Staubach (1979)

**Most TDs scored by a Heisman winner in a Super Bowl**

2 - Marcus Allen (1984), Eddie George (2000)



**Heisman  
Season Statistics**

# Total Offense

*Minimum: 2,000 yards gained in a Heisman-winning regular season*

Player	Year	Yards
Ty Detmer	1990	5,022
Lamar Jackson	2016	4,928
Andre Ware	1989	4,661
Baker Mayfield	2017	4,650
Robert Griffin III	2011	4,642
Johnny Manziel	2012	4,600
Sam Bradford	2008	4,529
Marcus Mariota	2014	4,452
Chris Weinke	2000	4,070
Cam Newton	2010	3,998
Tim Tebow	2007	3,970
Jameis Winston	2013	3,820
Doug Flutie	1984	3,782
Jason White	2003	3,640
Danny Wuerffel	1995	3,525
Carson Palmer	2002	3,513
Charlie Ward	1993	3,371
Gino Torretta	1992	3,036
Matt Leinart	2004	2,957
Jim Plunkett	1970	2,898
Troy Smith	2006	2,740
Barry Sanders	1988	2,628
Eric Crouch	2001	2,625
Vinny Testaverde	1986	2,454
Marcus Allen	1981	2,342
Pat Sullivan	1971	2,328
Terry Baker	1962	2,261
Mike Rozier	1983	2,148
Ricky Williams	1998	2,124
Steve Spurrier	1966	2,078
Roger Staubach	1963	2,073
Rashaan Salaam	1994	2,055

**Highest total offense average per game:** 423.7, Andre Ware, 1989.

**Most yards of total offense gained, game:** 610, Lamar Jackson vs. Syracuse, 2016.

**Most yards of total offense gained, one half:** 510, Andre Ware vs. SMU, 1989.

**Most 500-yard games of total offense, season (including bowl game):** 3, Johnny Manziel, 2012.

**Passed for 2,000, rushed for 1,000 yards, season:** Johnny Manziel, 2012; Cam Newton, 2010; Lamar Jackson, 2016.

**Passed for 3,000 yards, rushed for 1,000 yards, season:** Lamar Jackson, 2016.

**Most Yards Per Play, season:** 9.42, Jameis Winston, 2013.

**Most Yards Per Play, game:** 13.86, Sam Bradford vs. Washington, 2008.



# Rushing

*Season Yardage. Minimum: 500 yards gained in a Heisman-winning regular season.*

Player	Year	Games	Yards
Barry Sanders	1988	11	2,628
Marcus Allen	1981	11	2,342
Mike Rozier	1983	12	2,148
Ricky Williams	1998	11	2,124
Rashaan Salaam	1994	11	2,055
Derrick Henry	2015	13	1,986
Tony Dorsett	1976	11	1,948
Ron Dayne	1999	11	1,834
Eddie George	1995	12	1,826
Charles White	1979	10	1,803
Bo Jackson	1985	11	1,786
George Rogers	1980	11	1,781
Billy Sims	1978	11	1,762
Herschel Walker	1982	11	1,752
Earl Campbell	1977	11	1,744
O.J. Simpson	1968	10	1,709
Archie Griffin	1974	11	1,620
Mark Ingram	2009	13	1,542
Lamar Jackson	2016	12	1,538
Steve Owens	1969	10	1,523
John Cappelletti	1973	10	1,522
Mike Garrett	1965	10	1,440
Cam Newton	2010	13	1,409
Archie Griffin	1975	11	1,357
Johnny Manziel	2012	12	1,181
Eric Crouch	2001	12	1,115
Billy Vessels	1952	10	1,072
Howard Cassady	1955	10	958
Les Horvath	1944	9	891
Dick Kazmaier	1951	9	869
Tim Tebow	2007	12	857
Tom Harmon	1940	8	852
Joe Bellino	1960	10	834
Ernie Davis	1961	10	823
Frank Sinkwich	1942	11	762
Doc Blanchard	1945	9	718
Glenn Davis	1946	10	712
Marcus Mariota	2014	13	669
Robert Griffin III	2011	12	644
Alan Ameche	1954	9	641
Billy Cannon	1959	10	598
Jay Berwanger	1935	8	577
John David Crow	1957	8	562
Terry Baker, Oregon State	1962	10	538
Doak Walker	1948	10	532



# Rushing

*Yards Per Game in a Heisman-winning season*

Player	Year	Yards
Barry Sanders	1988	238.9
Marcus Allen	1981	212.9
Ricky Williams	1998	193.1
Rashaan Salaam	1994	186.8
Charles White	1979	180.3
Mike Rozier	1983	179.0
Tony Dorsett	1976	177.0
O.J. Simpson	1967	170.9
Ron Dayne	1999	166.7
Bo Jackson	1985	162.4
George Rogers	1980	161.9
Billy Sims	1978	160.2
Herschel Walker	1982	159.3
Earl Campbell	1977	158.5
Derrick Henry	2015	152.8
Steve Owens	1969	152.3
John Cappalletti	1973	152.2
Eddie George	1995	152.2
Archie Griffin	1974	147.3
Mike Garrett	1965	144.0
Lamar Jackson	2016	128.1
Archie Griffin	1975	123.4
Mark Ingram	2009	118.6
Cam Newton	2010	108.4
Billy Vessels	1952	107.2
Tom Harmon	1940	106.5
Les Horvath	1944	99.0
Johnny Manziel	2012	98.4

**Most yards gained per game:** 238.9, Barry Sanders, 1988.

**Most yards gained/carry (min. 215 rushes):** 7.81, Mike Rozier, 1983.

**Reached 1,000 yards by the fifth game:** Marcus Allen (1981), Barry Sanders (1988), Ricky Williams (1998).

**Most yards gained by a quarterback:** 1,538, Lamar Jackson, 2016.

**Most 200-yard games in a season:** 8, Marcus Allen, 1981.

**Most consecutive 200-yard games:** 5, Marcus Allen (1981), Barry Sanders (1988).

**Most 300-yard games in a season:** 4, Barry Sanders, 1988.

**Most consecutive 300-yard games:** 2, Ricky Williams, 1998.

**Longest rush:** 99 yards, Terry Baker vs. Villanova, 1962.

**Most yards gained in one game:** 350, Ricky Williams vs. Iowa State, 1998.

**Most carries in a season:** 403, Marcus Allen, 1981.

**Most carries per game, season:** 36.6, Marcus Allen, 1981.

**Most carries in a game:** 55, Steve Owens vs. Oklahoma State, 1969.

**Most rushing touchdowns, season:** 37, Barry Sanders, 1988.

**Most yards in a bowl game:** 247, Charles White vs. Ohio State, 1980 Rose Bowl.

# Passing

*Total Regular Season Yardage in a Heisman-winning season  
(minimum: 2,500)*

Player	Year	Games	Yards
Ty Detmer	1990	12	5,188
Andre Ware	1989	11	4,699
Sam Bradford	2008	13	4,464
Baker Mayfield	2017	13	4,340
Chris Weinke	2000	12	4,167
Robert Griffin III	2011	12	3,998
Jameis Winston	2013	13	3,820
Marcus Mariota	2014	13	3,783
Jason White	2003	13	3,744
Carson Palmer	2002	12	3,639
Danny Wuerffel	1996	12	3,625
Doug Flutie	1984	11	3,454
Johnny Manziel	2012	12	3,419
Lamar Jackson	2016	12	3,390
Tim Tebow	2007	12	3,132
Gino Torretta	1992	11	3,060
Charlie Ward	1993	11	3,032
Matt Leinart	2004	12	2,990
Jim Plunkett	1970	11	2,715
Cam Newton	2010	13	2,589
Vinny Testaverde	1986	11	2,557
Troy Smith	2006	12	2,507

## Passer Rating

Quarterback	Year	Rating
Baker Mayfield	2017	203.76
Robert Griffin III	2011	192.31
Jameis Winston	2013	190.05
Cam Newton	2010	188.16
Marcus Mariota	2014	186.79
Sam Bradford	2008	186.28
Tim Tebow	2007	177.85
Jason White	2003	167.99
Troy Smith	2006	167.87
Danny Wuerffel	1996	167.86
Vinny Testaverde	1986	165.79
Davey O'Brien	1938	165.33
Chris Weinke	2000	163.09
Charlie Ward	1993	157.84
Ty Detmer	1990	155.89
Johnny Manziel	2012	155.85
John Huarte	1964	155.13
Matt Leinart	2004	154.53
Doug Flutie	1984	153.43
Lamar Jackson	2016	153.34
Andre Ware	1989	152.51

# Passing

## Passer Rating (cont.)

Roger Staubach	1963	150.30
Carson Palmer	2002	148.31
Gary Beban	1967	135.61
Gino Torretta	1992	133.48
Pat Sullivan	1972	133.45
Steve Spurrier	1966	125.31
Jim Plunkett	1970	124.51
Eric Crouch	2001	124.31
Paul Hornung	1956	108.04

**Most passing yards gained per game:** 432.3, Ty Detmer, 1990.

**Most yards per pass attempt:** 11.7, Baker Mayfield, 2017.

**Most attempts, season:** 578, Andre Ware, 1989.

**Most attempts per game, season:** 52.5, Andre Ware, 1989.

**Most completions, season:** 365, Andre Ware, 1989.

**Most completions per game, season:** 33.1, Andre Ware, 1989.

**Most touchdown passes:** 48, Sam Bradford, 2008.

**Most touchdown passes per game:** 4.2, Andre Ware, 1989.

**Highest pass efficiency rating:** 203.76, Baker Mayfield, 2017

**Highest completion percentage:** .723, Robert Griffin III, 2011.

**Most passing yards, game:** 560, Ty Detmer vs. Utah State, 1990.

**Most passing yards in a game by a returning Heisman winner:** 599, Ty Detmer vs. San Diego State, 1991.

**Most touchdown passes in a game:** 7, Andre Ware vs. Temple, 1989.

**Most touchdown passes in a bowl game:** 5, Matt Leinart vs. Oklahoma, 2005 Orange Bowl.



Sam Bradford

# Receiving

## *Regular Season Receptions*

<b>Name</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>Receptions</b>
Desmond Howard	1991	61
Johnny Rodgers	1972	54
Eddie George	1995	44
Tim Brown	1987	39
Mark Ingram	2009	30
Marcus Allen	1981	29
Ricky Williams	1998	24
Rashaan Salaam	1994	24
Glenn Davis	1946	20
Leon Hart	1949	19
Barry Sanders	1988	19
OJ Simpson	1968	18
Larry Kelley	1936	17
Joe Bellino	1960	17
Ernie Davis	1961	16
Pete Dawkins	1958	16
Charles White	1979	16

## *Regular Season Receiving Yardage*

<b>Name</b>	<b>Year</b>	<b>Yards</b>
Desmond Howard	1991	950
Johnny Rodgers	1972	919
Tim Brown	1987	846
Pete Dawkins	1958	494
Eddie George	1995	389
Larry Kelley	1936	372
Glenn Davis	1946	348
Mark Ingram	2009	322
Rashaan Salaam	1994	294
Joe Bellino	1960	280
Doak Walker	1948	278
Ricky Williams	1998	262
Leon Hart	1949	257
Charles Woodson	1997	231
Marcus Allen	1981	217
John Lattner	1953	204

# Receiving

## Regular Season Touchdown Receptions

Name	Year	TDs
Desmond Howard	1991	19
Johnny Rodgers	1972	8
Pete Dawkins	1958	6
Glenn Davis	1946	6
Leon Hart	1949	5
Larry Kelley	1936	4
Tim Brown	1987	3
Joe Bellino	1960	3
Mark Ingram	2009	3
Felix "Doc" Blanchard	1945	3
Charles Woodson	1997	2
Ernie Davis	1961	2

**Highest Yards per Catch, Season:** 41.50, Felix "Doc" Blanchard, 1945.

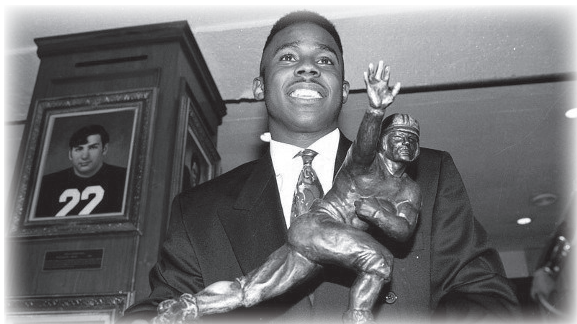
**Most Catches in One Game:** 8, Desmond Howard, 1991; Johnny Rodgers, 1972; Eddie George, 1995.

**Most TD receptions in One Game:** 3, Desmond Howard (at Boston College; vs. Indiana), 1991.

**Most Receiving Yards in One Game:** 155, Desmond Howard at Minnesota, 1991.

**Highest Yards per Catch, Game:** 64.0, Herschel Walker at Kentucky, 1982.

**Most 100-yard receiving Games, Season:** 4, Desmond Howard, 1991



**Desmond Howard**

# Scoring

*Total Regular Season Touchdowns Accounted For*

Player	Year	Pass	Rush	Rec	PR/KR	Total
Sam Bradford	08	48	5	0	0	53
Marcus Mariota	14	38	14	1	0	53
Lamar Jackson	16	30	21	0	0	51
Tim Tebow	07	29	22	0	0	51
Cam Newton	10	28	20	1	0	49
Andre Ware	89	46	3	0	0	49
Baker Mayfield	17	41	5	1	0	47
Ty Detmer	90	41	4	0	0	45
Robert Griffin III	11	36	9	0	0	45
Johnny Manziel	12	24	19	0	0	43
Jameis Winston	13	38	4	0	0	42
Jason White	03	40	1	0	0	41
Danny Wuerffel	96	39	2	0	0	41
Barry Sanders	88	0	37	0	2	39
Carson Palmer	02	32	4	0	0	36
Chris Weinke	00	33	1	0	0	34
Matt Leinart	04	28	3	0	0	31
Troy Smith	06	30	1	0	0	31
Charlie Ward	93	27	4	0	0	31
Doug Flutie	84	27	3	0	0	30
Vinny Testaverde	86	26	4	0	0	30
Mike Rozier	83	0	29	0	0	29
Ricky Williams	98	0	27	1	0	28
Frank Sinkwich	42	10	16	0	0	26
Eric Crouch	01	7	18	1	0	26
Eddie George	95	0	24	1	0	25
Terry Baker	62	15	9	0	0	24
Rashaan Salaam	94	0	24	0	0	24
Marcus Allen	81	0	22	1	0	23
Derrick Henry	15	0	23	0	0	23
Desmond Howard	91	0	2	19	2	23
Steve Owens	69	0	23	0	0	23
Pat Sullivan	71	21	2	0	0	23
Tony Dorsett	76	0	21	1	0	22
Dick Kazmeier	51	13	9	0	0	22
Davey O'Brien	38	19	3	0	0	22
O.J. Simpson	68	0	22	0	0	22
Tom Harmon	40	6	15	0	0	21
Jim Plunkett	70	18	3	0	0	21
Ron Dayne	99	0	20	0	0	20
Billy Sims	78	0	20	0	0	20
Billy Vessels	52	2	17	1	0	20

**Most touchdowns scored:** 39, Barry Sanders, 1988.

**Most touchdowns scored in one game:** 6, Ricky Williams vs. Rice and NMSU, 1998.

**Most touchdowns scored in a bowl game:** 5, Barry Sanders vs. Wyoming, 1988.

**At least 20 TD passes and 20 TD rushes:** Tim Tebow, 2007; Cam Newton, 2010; Lamar Jackson, 2016.

# Miscellaneous Stats

*All stats regular season unless otherwise noted*

**Most all-purpose yards, season:** 3,250, Barry Sanders, 1988

**Most all-purpose yards per game, season:** 295.5, Barry Sanders, 1988.

**Most all-purpose yards per play, season:** 17.24, Desmond Howard, 1991.

**Most kickoff return yards, season:** 456, Tim Brown, 1987

**Most punt return yards, season:** 607, Johnny Rodgers, 1972.

**Highest Yards per Catch, Game:** 64.0, Herschel Walker at Kentucky, 1982.

**Most 100-yard receiving Games, Season:** 4, Desmond Howard, 1991

## The progression of the Heisman rushing record

1935 -- Jay Berwanger, 577 yards

1940 -- Tom Harmon, 852 yards

1944 -- Les Horvath, 891 yards

1952 -- Billy Vessels, 1,072 yards

1965 -- Mike Garrett, 1,440 yards

1968 -- O.J. Simpson, 1,709 yards

1976 -- Tony Dorsett, 1,948 yards

1981 -- Marcus Allen, 2,342 yards

1988 -- Barry Sanders, 2,628 yards

## The progression of the Heisman total touchdown record

1935 -- Jay Berwanger, 6

1938 -- Davey O'Brien, 22

1942 -- Frank Sinkwich, 26

1983 -- Mike Rozier, 29

1984 -- Doug Flutie, 30

1988 -- Barry Sanders, 39

1989 -- Andre Ware, 49

2007 -- Tim Tebow, 51

2008 -- Sam Bradford, 53

2014 -- Marcus Mariota, 53

## Punt Return TDs in Heisman-winning seasons

Charles Woodson, 77 yards vs. Ohio State, 1997

Desmond Howard, 93 yards vs. Ohio State, 1991

Barry Sanders, 61 yards vs. Texas A&M, 1988

Tim Brown, 66 & 71 yards (2 TDs) vs. Michigan State, 1987

Tim Brown, 74 yards vs. Air Force, 1987

Johnny Rodgers, 64 yards vs. Minnesota, 1972

Johnny Rodgers, 52 yards vs. Kansas State, 1972

Mike Garrett, 87 & 74 yards (2 TDs) vs. California, 1965

Billy Cannon, 89 yards vs. Mississippi, 1959

Pete Dawkins, 80 yards vs. Villanova, 1958

Vic Janowicz, 61 yards vs. Iowa, 1950

Doak Walker, 75 yards vs. Pittsburgh, 1948