



DATE OCTOBER 23, 1988 DAY OF WEEK SUNDAY STARTING TIME 1 PM

VISITOR NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS VS. HOME BUFFALO BILLS AT ORCHARD PARK, NY

WEATHER Cloudy TEMPERATURE 47 WIND AND DIRECTION West 10 mph

OFFICIALS
 REFEREE PAT HAGGERTY UMPIRE NEIL GEREB LINE JUDGE RON BAYNES SIDE JUDGE DAVE HAWK
 HEAD BACK SID SEMON FIELD JUDGE JOHN ROBISON ALSO REPLAY OFFICIAL CAL LEPORE
 LINESMAN SID SEMON JUDGE BANK WILLIAMS

LINEUPS

VISITOR

OFFENSE	DEFENSE
WR 86 Stanley Morgan	LE 96 Brent Williams
LT 64 Trevor Matich	NT 72 Tim Goad
LG 62 Sean Farrell	RE 60 Garin Veris
C 68 Mike Baab	LB 93 Tim Jordan
RG 61 Ron Wooten	LB 59 Vincent Brown
RT 78 Bruce Armstrong	LB 52 Johnny Rembert
TE 87 Lin Dawson	LB 50 Lawrence McGrew
TE 85 Steve Johnson	CB 42 Ronnie Lippett
QB 2 Doug Flutie	CB 26 Raymond Clayborn
RB 44 John Stephens	FS 31 Fred Marion
FB 34 Robert Perryman	SS 28 Jim Bowman

HOME

OFFENSE	DEFENSE
WR 86 Trumaine Johnson	LE 72 Art Still
LT 73 Will Wolford	NT 78 Fred Smerlas
LG 51 Jim Ritcher	RE 78 Bruce Smith
C 67 Kent Hull	LB 55 Carnellius Bennett
RG 65 Tim Vogler	LB 58 Shane Conlan
RT 70 Joe Devlin	LB 50 Ray Bentley
TE 88 Pete Metzelaars	LB 56 Darryl Talley
WR 83 Andre Reed	CB 29 Derrick Burroughs
QB 12 Jim Kelly	CB 37 Nate Odomes
RB 34 Thurman Thomas	SS 46 Leonard Smith
FB 35 Carl Byrum	FS 38 Mark Kelso

SUBSTITUTIONS

6 Jeff Feagles, 7 Teddy Garcia
 21 R Dupar, d 23 R McSwain, 30 M Tatupu
 39 M Allen, 41 D Holmes, 43 E Gibson
 53 T Benson, 56 A Tippett, 65 E Nelson
 73 D Villa, 76 T Rehder, 80 I Fryar
 81 R Francis, 83 C Jones, 90 T Williams
 66 P Fairchild, S Martin #82,
 22 E Profit **97 M Hodge**

SUBSTITUTIONS

4 J Kidd, 11 S Norwood, 20 S Cocroft
 21 W Davis, 22 E Tucker, 33 Ron Harmon,
 40 Robb Riddick, 45 Dw Drane, 59 Don Graham
 61 Len Burton, 71 Dale Hellestrae
 75 H Ballard, 80 Flip Johnson, 84 Keith McKelker
 87 Butch Rolle, 89 Steve Tasker,
 91 Jeff Wright, 94 Mark Pike, 96 Len Seals
 97 Scott Radeclie, 99 Hal Garner

11 T Eason, 14 S Grogan **DID NOT PLAY** 14 F Reich 39 J Mueller
 (Inactive 38 Roland James, 95 Ed Reynolds) (INACTIVE 8 Stan Gelbaugh, 85 Chris Burkett)

FIELD GOALS
(Made & Missed)

Garcia 0 for 3 25 wide left, 52 wide left 39 blocked NORWOOD 3 for 3 30, 35, 33 yds

	1	2	3	4	OT	TOTAL
NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS	7	6	0	7		20
BUFFALO BILLS	7	6	7	3		23

SCORING PLAY

TEAM	PERIOD	ELAPSED TIME	DESCRIPTION	SCORE	
				VISITOR	HOME
NE	1st	7:18	TDFRYAR 12 yd Flutie pass (Garcia) 34 yds 5 plays 1 def	7	0
BUFFALO		11:50	TD RIDDICK 1 yd run (Norwood) 9 plays 1 pen 69 yds	7	7
BUFFALO	2nd	3:04	FG NORWOOD 30 yds 8 plays 43 yds	7	10
NE	2nd	4:26	TD STEPHENS 11 yd run (Kick failed) 1 play 11 yds	13	10
BUFF	2nd	10:07	FG 35 yds NORWOOD 6 plays 61 yds	13	13
BUFFALO	3rd	13:51	TD METZELAARS, 10 yd Kelly pass (Norwood) 6 plays 75 yds	13	20
NE	4th	7:52	TD PERRYMAN 1 yd run (Garcia) 7 plays 4 def pen 34 yds	20	20
BUFFALO	4th	14:47	FG NORWOOD 33 yds (13 plays 69 yds)	20	23

ATTENDANCE 76,824 (TICKETS DISTRIBUTED 80,258 ; UNUSED 3,434) TIME 3:05
 4:13

FINAL INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

DATE OCT. 23, 1988

AT ORCHARD PK, N.Y.

VISITOR NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

HOME BUFFALO BILLS

RUSHING		ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD			
PERRYMAN		6	16	2.7	6	1			
STEPHENS		25	134	5.7	17	1			
FLUTIE		1	9	9.0	9				
DUPARD		9	18	2.0	5				
TATUPU		1	-1	-1.0	-1				
TOTALS		42	176	4.2	17	2			
PASSING		ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD	LG.	Had Int.	
FLUTIE		16	5	58	2 11	1	18	0	
TOTALS		16	5	58	2 11	1	18	0	
PASS RECEIVING		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
FRYAR		1	12	(12)	1				
DAWSON		1	18	18	0				
DUPARD		1	4	4	0				
STEPHENS		1	16	16	0				
MORGAN		1	8	8	0				
TOTALS		5	58	18	1				
INTERCEPTIONS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
CLAYBORN		1	7	7	0				
TOTALS		1	7	7	0				
PUNTING		NO.	YDS	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG.		
FEAGLES		5	191	38.2	0	1	49		
TOTALS		5	191	38.2	0	1	49		
PUNT RETURNS		NO.	FC.	YARDS	LG.	TD			
FRYAR		2	0	12	18	0			
TOTALS		2	0	12	18	0			
KICK OFF RETURNS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
MARTIN		4	56	23	0				
ALLEN		1	20	20	0				
TOTALS		5	76	23	0				
FUMBLES		FUM	OWN REC	YDS.	TD	OPP REC.	YDS.	TD	OUT BDS
VERIS						1	0	0	0
MARION ALLEN						1	8	0	0
ALLEN						1	0	0	0
TOTALS		0	0	0	0	3	8	0	0

RUSHING		ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD			
THOMAS		20	84	4.2	19				
BYRUM		6	22	3.7	11				
HARMON		2	12	6.0	9				
RIDDICK		4	9	2.3	5	1			
KELLY		3	27	9.0	15				
REED		1	36	36.0	36				
TOTALS		36	190	5.3	36	1			
PASSING		ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD	LG.	Had Int.	
KELLY		18	12	165	2 16	1	49	1	
TOTALS		18	12	165	2 16	1	49	1	
PASS RECEIVING		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
HARMON		1	20	20					
T. JOHNSON		6	132	49					
BYRUM		1	-3	-3					
THOMAS		1	2	2					
METZELAARS		1	10	(10)	1				
REED		1	3	3					
RIDDICK		1	1	1					
TOTALS		12	165	49	1				
INTERCEPTIONS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
NONE									
TOTALS									
PUNTING		NO.	YDS	AVG.	TB	IN 20	LG.		
KIDD		2	81	40.5	0	0	42		
TOTALS		2	81	40.5	0	0	42		
PUNT RETURNS		NO.	FC.	YARDS	LG.	TD			
TUCKER		2	1	5	5	0			
TOTALS		2	1	5	5	0			
KICK OFF RETURNS		NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD				
ROLLE		1	12	12	0				
HARMON		1	26	26	0				
TUCKER		2	31	16	0				
TOTALS		4	69	26	0				
FUMBLES		FUM	OWN REC	YDS.	TD	OPP REC	YDS.	TD	OUT BDS
KELLY			1						
HARMON			1						
TUCKER			1						
TOTALS		3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS vs. BUFFALO BILLS
(Visitor) (Home)

Date: OCTOBER 23, 1988 At: ORCHARD PARK, N.Y.

FINAL TEAM STATISTICS

	VISITOR PATRIOTS	HOME BILLS
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS	20	18
BY RUSHING	13	11
BY PASSING	3	7
BY PENALTY	4	0
THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY	2-10 = 20%	4-12 = 33%
FOURTH DOWN EFFICIENCY	0-0	1-1 = 100%
TOTAL NET YARDS	223	339
TOTAL OFFENSIVE (Inc. times thrown passing)	60	56
AVERAGE GAIN PER OFFENSIVE PLAY	3.7	6.1
NET YARDS RUSHING	176	190
TOTAL RUSHING PLAYS	42	36
AVERAGE GAIN PER RUSHING PLAY	4.2	5.3
NET YARDS PASSING	47	149
TIMES THROWN-YARDS LOST ATTEMPTING TO PASS	2-11	2-16
GROSS YARDS PASSING	58	165
PASS ATTEMPTS-COMPLETIONS-HAD INTERCEPTED	16-5-0	18-12-1
AVERAGE GAIN PER PASS PLAY (Inc. times thrown passing)	2.6	7.5
KICKOFFS-NO. IN END ZONE-TOUCHBACKS	8-1-1	4-0-0
PUNTS-NUMBER AND AVERAGE	5-38.2	2-40.5
HAD BLOCKED	0	0
FGs + PATs HAD BLOCKED	1	0
TOTAL RETURN YARDAGE	19	2-5
NO. AND YARDS PUNT RETURNS	2-12	2-5
NO. AND YARDS KICKOFF RETURNS	(5-76)	(4-69)
NO. AND YARDS INTERCEPTION RETURNS	1-7	0-0
PENALTIES-NUMBER AND YARDS	5-45	9-58
FUMBLES-NUMBER AND LOST	0-0	3-3
TOUCHDOWNS	3	2
RUSHING	2	1
PASSING	1	1
RETURNS	0	0
EXTRA POINTS MADE-ATTEMPTS	2-3	2-2
FIELD GOALS MADE-ATTEMPTS	0-3	3-3
TIME OF POSSESSION	30:36	29:24

BUFFALO BILLS VS NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

1st Quarter Play by Play

PATRIOTS WIN TOSS RECEIVE

NORWOOD Kickoff to Martin at 7, slips,

runs to 41, PENALTY PATRIOTS HOLD Allen

PATS 14:48

- 1-10 P 20, Stephens to LT 4 tp 24 Bennett
- 2- 6 P 24 Stephens sweeps left 5 to 29 Odomes
- 3- 1 P 29 Stephens to middle No gain Bennett
- 4- 1 P 29 Feagles punt to Tucker, fair catch at 32, punt 39 yds

BILLS 13:07

- 1-10 B 32 Byrum to right Loss 2 Browns
- 2-12 B 30 Kelly pass for Metzelaars Incomplete, cover Brown
- 3-12 B 30 Kelly to pass, Tippett forces fumble, Verls recovers at 20, loss 10

PATS 12:18

- 1-10 B 20 Stephens to middle No gain Smith Bruce
- 2-10 B 20 PENALTY BILLS OFFSIDE 5 yds (Nullifies Bills recovery of aborted snap)
- 2- 5 B 15 Flutie rolls right, out at 6, 9 yds FD 1
- 1- G B 6 Dupard to left, reverses right, No gain Still
- 2= G B 6 Flutie pass for Fryar Incomplete, cover Burroughs
- 3- G B 6 Tatupu to middle from shotgun Loss 1 Still, Kelso
- 4- G B 7 Garcia field goal from 15, 25 yds NO GOOD Wide left

BILLS 10:16

- 1-10 B 20 Kelly pass for Harmon v complete, fumbles Marlon recovers Bowman forces

PATS 10:18

- 20 yd pass completion, fumble return 8 yds
- 1-10 B 34 Perryman to right PENALTY BILLS ILLEGAL USE 5 yds FD 2
- 1-10 B 29 Perryman to middle 3 to 26 Talley
- 2- 7 B 26 Stephens to LG 8 to 18, PENALTY BILLS OFFS Bennett decl FD 3
- 1-10 B 18 Stephens to middle 4 to 14 Smerlas
- 2- 6 B 14 Stephens to RT 2 to 12 Talley
- 3= 4 B 12 Flutie pass COMPLETE TO FRYAR FOR TD ELAPSED TIME 7:18 FD 4

PAT Garcia Kick good 34 yds 5 plays 1 def penalty

BUFFALO 0 NEW ENGLAND 7

Garcia kickoff to Rolle at 24, returns to 36, Tatupu tackle 12 yd return

BILLS 7:35

- 1-10 B 36 Thomas to LG 7 to 43 V Jordan
- 2- 3 B 43 Thomas sweeps right 5 to 48 Brown FD 1
- 1-10 B 48 PENALTY PATRIOTS Goad offsidess, 5 yds
- 1- 5 P 47 Thomas sweeps left behind Byrum block 19 to 28 Marlon FD 2
- 1-10 P 28 Thomas sweeps right 6 to 22 McGrew
- 2= 4 P 22 Thomas to right behind Kitcher 10 to 12 Bowman FD 3
- 1- 10 P 12 Thomas to RT 4 to 8 Goad
- 2= 6 P 8 Harmon to middle 3 to 5 Brown
- 3- 3 P 5 Thomas to RT 4 to 1 McGrew FD 4
- 1- G P 1 Riddick to LG for TD elapsed time 11:50 FD 5 69 yds 9 plays 1 def pen

PAT NORWOOD KICK GOOD

BUFFALO 7 NEW ENGLAND 7

Norwood kickoff to END LINE, NO RETURN

PATS 3:03

- 1-10 P 20 Flutie rolls right, passes complete to Dawson at 38, 18 yds, tackle Conlar
- 1-10 P 38 Dupard to RT Loss 1 Talley
- 2-11 P 37 Flutie to pass, scrambles, passes complete to Fryar, at Bills 40
- PENALTY PATS HOLD Baab, 10 yds
- 2-21 P 27 Flutie rolls left, passes incomplete to Fryar
- 3-21 P 27 Flutie screen for Dupard Incomplete off pressure by B Smith
- 4-21 P 27 Feagles punt to Bills 45, downed, 28 yd punt

BILLS 1:12

- 1-10 B 45 Thomas to middle 4 to 49 Rembert
 - 2= 6 B 49 Thomas to RT 5 to 46 Nelson
- end of quarter 1:45 PM

BUFFALO 7 NEW ENGLAND 7

	PATS	BILLS
FIRST DOWNS	5	5
YDS. RUSHING	33	66
YDS. PASSING	30	10
A/C/I	5-2-0	2-1-0
3RD DOWN CONV.	1-4	1-2

BUFFALO BILLS VS NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS 2nd Quarter Play by Play

ZBILLS

3- 1 P 46 Riddick thru middle 5 to 41 Bowman FD 6
 1-10 P 41 Kelly pass complete to T Johnson at 21, 20 yds Clayborn FD 7
 1-10 P 21 Thomas sweeps left 3 to 18 Brown
 2- 7 P 18 Kelly pass complete to Byrum, tackle Brown at 21, loss 3
 3-10 P 21 Harmon to middle from shotgun, 9 to 12 Marion
 4- 1 P 12 Norwood field goal from 20, 30 yds GOOD Elapsed time 3:04 43 yds/ 8 plays
 BUFFALO 10 NEW ENGLAND 7
 Norwood kickoff to Martin at 8, tackle Pike at 23, 15 yd return
 PATS 11:47
 1-10 P 23 Stephens thru line 17 to 40 Kelso FD 6
 1-10 P 40 Flutie pass for Dawson Incomplete
 2-10 P 40 Flutie pass for Stephens Incomplete
 3-10 P 40 Flutie pass deflected Incomplete by Art Still
 4-10 P 40 Feagles punt to Tucker at 16, muffs punt, Pats recover at 11 by Allen
 PATS 10:39 46 yd punt
 1-10 B 11 Stephens off RT for TD Elapsed time 4:26 FD 7
 PAT Garcia kick NO GOOD Wide left 1 play 11 yds
 BUFFALO 10 NEW ENGLAND 13
 Garcia kickoff to Harmon at 6, tackle Gibson at 32

BILLS 10:25

1-10 B 32 Kelly pass complete to T Johnson at 45, 13 yds FD 8
 1-10 B 45 Thomas to RT No gain Rembert
 2-10 B 45 Kelly to pass, runs up middle to 47, 2 yds Goad
 3- 8 B 47 Kelly to pass sacked by Goad Loss 6
 4-14 B 41 Kidd punt to Fryar at 20, 39 yd punt, tackle Garner at 38, 18 yd return
 PATS 7:47
 1-10 P 38 Flutie scrambles, passes Incomplete to Stephens
 2-10 P 38 Flutie pass for Fryar Incomplete cover Burroughs
 3-10 P 38 Flutie to pass, runs, tackle L Smith at 43, PENALTY OFFSIDE Still 5 yds
 3- 5 P 43 Flutie pass for Francis Incomplete, cover Conlan
 4- 5 P 43 Feagles punt Tucker at 17, 40 yd punt, return to 22, tackle Villa, 5 ret

BILLS 6:47

1-10 B 22 Kelly pass complete to T Johnson, tackle Marlon at 39, 17 yds FD 9
 1-10 B 39 Redd on reverse 36 to Pats 25 Lippett FD 10
 1-10 P 25 Thomas off LT 4 to 21 Brown
 2- 6 P 21 Thomas slides left 4 to 17 Bowman
 3- 2 P 17 Kelly pass for Flip Johnson Incomplete
 4- 2 P 17 Norwood field goal from 25, 35 yds GOOD Elapsed time 10:07 6 plays 61 yds
 BUFFALO 13 NEW ENGLAND 13
 Norwood kickoff to Martin at 17, tackle Drane, no return
 PATS 4:45
 1-10 P 17 Perrman to RT 3 to 20 Wright
 2- 7 P 20 Stephens to middle 5 to 25 Talley
 3- 2 B 25 Stephen to middle 7 to 32 Bentley, B Smith FD 8
 1-10 P 32 Stephens to RT 9 to 41 L Smith
 2- 1 P 41 Perryman to middle 3 to 44 Talley FD 9 (2 minutes)
 1-10 P 44 Dupard sweeps right Loss 2 Bennett
 2-12 P 42 1:55 Flutie pass Incomplete, PENALTY STILL UNSP CONDUCT 15 yds FD 10
 1-10 B 43 1:46 Dupard sweeps right 7 to 36 Bentley
 2- 3 B 36 1:41 Dupard to RT 4 to 32 Still FD 11
 1-10 B 32 1:32 PATRIOTS TIME . . Dupard to LG PENALTY PATS HOLD Baab 10 yds
 1-20 B 42 1:24 Stephenson draw 3 to 39 Talley
 2-17 B 39 :53 Flutie pass for Fryar Incomplete, bobboles ball out of bounds
 3-17 B 399 :44 Flutie pass complete to Dupard at 35, 4 yds Tackle Davis, Burroughs
 4-13 B 35 :05 PATRIOTS TIME Garcia field goal from 42, 52 yds NO GOOD WIDE LEFT
 End of half 2:35 PM

BUFFALO 13 NEW ENGLAND 13

HALF TIME SUMMARY

NEW ENGLAND VS. BUFFALO

OCT. 23, 1988

ORCHARD PK. NY.

VISITOR

HOME

DATE

SITE

PERIOD SCORES

VISITOR 7 - 6 = 13

HOME 7 - 6 = 13

TIME OF POSSESSION

VISITOR 15:34

HOME 14:26

TEAM	PERIOD	ELAPSED TIME	SCORING PLAY	SCORE	
				VISITOR	HOME
NE	1	7:18	FRYAR 12 YD. PASS FROM FLUTIE (GARCIA)	7	0
BUF	1	11:50	RIDDICK 1 YD. RUN (NORWOOD) 9+1/64	7	7
BUF	2	3:04	NORWOOD 30 YD. FG.	7	10
NE	2	4:26	STEPHENS 11 YD. RUN (GARCIA MISS) 1/11	13	10
BUF	2	10:07	NORWOOD 35 YD. FG	13	13

TOTAL FIRST DOWNS

First Downs Rushing-Passing-by Penalty

THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY

TOTAL NET YARDS

Total No. Offensive Plays (Include times thrown passing)

NET YARDS RUSHING

NET YARDS PASSING

Gross Yards Gained Passing

Times Thrown—Yards Lost Attempting to Pass

PASS ATTEMPTS—COMPLETIONS—HAD INTERCEPTED

PUNTS—Number and Average

PENALTIES—Number and Yards

FUMBLES—Number and Lost

VISITOR	<u>PATRIOTS</u>	HOME	<u>BILLS</u>
	11		10
	7-2-2		7-3-0
	2-8-25%		2-6-33%
	134		180
	36		20
	100		129
	34		51
	34		67
	0-0		2-16
	13-3-0		7-5-0
	4-39.0		1-39
	4-35		4-30
	0-0		3-3

VISITORS NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS

HOME BUFFALO BILLS

RUSHING					
	ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD
PERRYMAN	3	9	3.0	3	
STEPHENS	13	75	5.8	17	
FLUTIE	1	9	9.0	9	
DUPARD	5	8	1.6	7	
TATUPU	1	-1	-1.0	-1	

PASSING							
	ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD	LG.	Had Int.
FLUTIE	13	3	34	0	1	18	0

PASS RECEIVING				
	NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD
FRYAR	1	12	12	1
DAWSON	1	18	18	
DUPARD	1	4	4	

RUSHING					
	ATT.	NET YARDS	AVG.	LONG GAIN	TD
THOMAS	13	75	5.8	19	
BYRUM	1	-2	-2.0	-2	
HARMON	2	12	6.0	9	
RIDDICK	2	6	3.0	5	1
KELLY	1	2	2.0	2	
REED	1	36	36.0	36	

PASSING							
	ATT.	COMP.	YARDS	TKD YDS.	TD	LG.	Had Int.
KELLY	7	5	67	2	16	20	0

PASS RECEIVING				
	NO.	YARDS	LG.	TD
HARMON	1	20	20	
T. JOHNSON	3	50	20	
BYRUM	1	-3	-3	

BUFFALO BILLS VS NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS 3rd Quarter Play by Play

GARCIA Kickoff to Tucker at 7, tackle Allen at 22, PENLTY BILLS PIKE
Hold 16 ret to 23, 10 yd pen to 13

BILLS 14:52

1-10 B 13 Thomas to LT 3 to 16 Brown & McGrew
2- 7 B 16 Thomas to middle No gain Brown
3- 7 B 16 Kelly to pass, runs to 26, 10 yds Marlon FD 11
1-10 B 26 Kelly pass complete to Thomas, tackle Tippett at 28, 2 yd gain
2- 8 B 28 Thomas off RT 3 to 31 Brown
3- 5 B 31 Kelly pass for Riddick off Pats rush incomplete
4- 5 B 31 Kidd punt to Fryar at 27, 40 yd punt Tackle Tasker at 20, loss 6 (42 yd punt)

PATS 10:53

1-10 P 20 -Stephens to middle 3 to 24 B Smith, Bentley
2- 7 P 24 Stephens to RT 7 to 31 Bennett, L Smith FD 12
1-10 P 31 Stephens slides outside right 7 to 38 Bentley
2- 3 P 38 Stephens thru RT 9 to 47 Kelso FD 13
1-10 P 47 Stephens thru RT 9 to 46 Burroughs
2- 1 B 46 Dupard to middle 3 to 41 Bennett FD 14
1-10 B 41 Dupard to RT 4 to 37 Smerlas, B Smith
2- 6 B 37 Stephens slides outside right to 27, 10 yds, L Smith FD 15
1-10 B 27 Stephens to LG 2 yo 25 L Smith, Talley
2- 8 B 25 Dupard to RG 5 to 20 Still
3- 3 B 20 Dupard tries sweeps right Loss 2 Bentley
4- 5 B 22 Garcia field goal from 29, 39 yds BLOCKED Ballard

BILLS 4:17

1-10 B 25 Kelly pass for Thomas incomplete at sideline
2-10 B 25 Kelly pass complete to T Johnson at 37, 12 yds FD 12 Tackle Lippett
1-10 B 37 Byrum to left 3 to 40 Rember
2- 7 B 40 Kelly pass complete to T Johnson at B 48, carries to 11, 49 yds FD 13
1-10 P 11 Thomas to left 1 to 10 Rember
2- 9 P 10 KELLY PASS COMPLETE TO METZELAARS IN END ZONE TD FD 14 Elapsed time 13:51
PAT NORWOOD Kick GOOD 6 plays 75 yds
BUFFALO 20 NEW ENGLAND 13
Norwood kickoff to Allen at 3, tackle Wright at 23 20 yd return
PATS :59
1-10 P 23 Stephens on draw 1 to 24 Still
2- 9 P 24 Flutie fakes, passes complete to Stephens at 40, 16 yds, Talley FD 16

End of quarter 3:19 PM

BUFFALO 20 NEW ENGLAND 13

	PATS	BILLS
FIRST DOWNS	16	14
YDS. RUSHING	158	149
YDS. PASSING	50	124
A/C/I	14-3-0	13-9-0
3RD DOWN CONV	3-9	3-8

BUFFALO BILLS VS NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS 4th Quarter Play by Play

PATS 15:00

1-10 P 40 Stephens to middle 1 to 41 Radecic, Smerlas
 2- 9 P 41 Stephens to right, slips Loss 1 Bennett
 3-10 P 40 Flutie rolls left, sacked by Bennett at 33, loss 7 Still 1/2 sack
 4-17 P 33 Feagles punt to Bills 32, downed by Allen, 35 yd pun

BILLS 13:00

1-10 B 32 Thomas to RT Loss 3 McGrew
 2-13 B 29 Kelly pass for Harmon Incomplete
 3-13 B 29 Kelly pass Intercepted by Clayborn at 41, out at 34, tackle T Johnson pass for Johnson

PATS 12:12

1-10 B 34 Stephens to left 4 to 30 Stevens Radecic
 2- 6 B 30 Stephens off LT 7 to 23 Radecic FD 17
 1-10 B 23 Perryman to RT 6 to 17 Conlan
 2- 4 B 17 PENALTY BILLS ENCHR B SMITH FD 18
 1-10 B 12 Stephens to LT at 10 PENALTY PATS HOLD Baab
 1-20 B 22 Flutie pass complete to Morgan at 14, 8 yds, tackle Burroughs
 2-12 B 14 Flutie passes incomplete off Radecic rush
 3-12 B 14 Flutie pass for Morgan, incomplete PENALTY BILLS INT DRANE FD 19
 1- G B 1 PENALTY BILLS OFFSIDE SMERLAS
 1- G B 1 Perry man to RT PENALTY BILLS OFFSIDE
 1- G B 1 Perryman to RT No gain Middle of line
 2- G B 1 Perryman to RT for TD Elapsed time 7:52 FD 20

PAT Garcla kick good 34 yds, 7 plays, 4 def penalties
 BUFFALO 20 NEW ENGLAND 20

Garcla kikkoff to Tucker at 1, tackle Allen at 16, 15 yd return

BILLS 6:54

1-10 B 16 Kelly pass complete to T Johnson, tackle Bowman at 37, 21 yds FD 15
 1-10 B 37 Kelly scrambles, passes complete to Reed at 40, 3 yds, tackle Clayborn
 2- 7 B 40 Kelly screen complete to Riddick, tackle Brown at 41, 1 yd gain
 3- 6 B 41 Kelly to pass, runs to Pats 45, PENALTY RATS OFFSIDE DECL FD 16 15 yds
 1-10 P 45 Byrum to middle 4 to 40 Brown
 2- 6 P 40 Byrum to RT 4 to 36 McGrew
 3- 2 P 36 Riddick to LT on dive 1 to 35 T Williams
 4- 1 P 35 Riddick to LG 2 to 33 Bowman FD 17
 1-10 P 33 2 minutes Byrum thru middle 11 to 22 Bowman, Marlon FD 18
 1-10 P 22 1:32 PATS TIME #1, Byrum to middle 2 to 20 Brown
 2- 8 P 20 1:26 PATS TIME #2, Thomas thru LT 6 to 14 Marlon, B Williams
 3- 2 P 14 1:06 PATS TIME #3, Thomas to middle Loss 1 B Williams
 4- 3 P 15 ::17 BILLS TIME #1, Norwood field goal from 23, 33 yds GOOD Elapsed time 14:47
 13 plays 69 yds

BUFFALO 23 NEW ENGLAND 20

Norwood kickoff to Martin at 16, tackle Graham at 34, 18 yd return

PATS :07
 1-10 P 34 Flutie to pass sacked by B Smith at 30, loss 4

End of game 4:05 PM

BUFFALO 23 NEW ENGLAND 20

BALL POSSESSION AND DRIVE CHART

VISITOR New England

New England AT Buffalo

DATE: 10/23/88

No.	Time Ball Received	Time Ball Lost	Time of Possess.	How Ball Obtained	Start Of Drive	Number Plays Held	Total Yards Gained	Yards In Penalty (+ or -)	Net Drive Yards	Number 1st Downs	Where Ball Lost (* In 20)	How Given Up
1	1448	1307	1:41	Kickoff	NE20	3	9		9	0	NE29	PUNT
2	1218	1026	1:52	Fumble	B20	6	8	+5	13	1	B7*	FG ATT.
3	1018	742	2:36	Fumble	B34	5	29	+5	34	3	0	TD.
4	303	112	1:51	Kickoff	NE20	4	17	-10	7	1	NE27	PUNT
5	1147	1039	1:08	Kickoff	NE23	4	17		17	1	NE40	PUNT
6	1039	1034	:05	Fumble (Pen)	B11	1	11		11	1	0	TD
7	747	647	1:00	PUNT	NE38	3	0	+5	5	0	NE43	PUNT
8	445	0	4:45	Kickoff	NE17	12	43	+5	48	4	B35	FG ATT.
9	1053	417	6:36	PUNT	NE24	11	57	-	57	4	B22	FG (Block)
10	59	1300	2:59	Kickoff	NE23	5	15	-	15	1	NE38	PUNT
11	1212	708	5:04	Intercept	B34	7	31	+3	34	4	0	TD
12	:07	0	:07	Kickoff	NE34	1	-4	0	-4	0	NE30	End of Game
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AVG - NE41

HOME Buffalo

No.	Time Ball Received	Time Ball Lost	Time of Possess.	How Ball Obtained	Start Of Drive	Number Plays Held	Total Yards Gained	Yards In Penalty (+ or -)	Net Drive Yards	Number 1st Downs	Where Ball Lost (* In 20)	How Given Up
1	1307	1218	:49	PUNT	B32	3	-12		-12	0	B20	Fumble
2	1026	1018	:08	FG ATT.	B20	1	20		20	0	B40	Fumble
3	735	310	4:25	Kickoff	B36	9	59	+5	64	5	0	TD
4	112	1156	4:16	PUNT	B45	8	38		38	2	NE12*	FG.
5	1025	747	2:38	Kickoff	B32	4	9		9	1	B41	PUNT
6	647	453	1:54	PUNT	B22	6	61		61	2	NE17*	FG
7	1452	1053	3:59	Kickoff	B13	6	18		18	1	B31	PUNT
8	417	109	3:08	FG (Block)	B25	6	75		75	3	0	TD
9	1300	1212	:48	PUNT	B31	2	-2		-2	0	B29	Intercept
10	654	:13	6:41	Kickoff	B16	13	69	-	69	4	NE15*	FG
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AVG - B27

Time of Possession	Visitor	<u>New England</u>	<u>819</u>	<u>715</u>	<u>745</u>	<u>717</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3036</u>
By Quarter	Home	<u>Buffalo</u>	<u>641</u>	<u>745</u>	<u>715</u>	<u>743</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2924</u>

Kickoff Drive Start Avg.	Home (No.-Yd. Line)	<u>4-B-24</u>	Vis. (No.-Yd. Line)	<u>6-NE-23</u>
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BUFFALO BILLS MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS

DRIVE ENGINEERING

Quarterback/Team	Drives Started	DRIVES ENDED BY										Points Yielded	
		TD	FG	FGA	Punt	Downs	Turn	SAF	Half	Game	Repl		
Flutie, N.E.	12	3		3	5						1		20
Kelly, Buf.	10	2	3		2		3						23

FIRST DOWN TENDENCIES

Team	RUSHING			PASSING			TOTAL			TIMES GAINED		
	Plays	Yards	Avg.	Plays	Yards	Avg.	Plays	Yards	Avg.	5+	0	Neg.
Patriots	23	95	4.1	5	22	4.4	28	117	4.2	9	5	3
BILLS	18	103	5.7	8	96	12.0	26	199	7.7	10	2	2

TURNOVER EXCHANGE

Patriots	0	Turnovers led to	0	BILLS	points
BILLS	4	Turnovers led to	20	Patriots	points

PENETRATED 20 YARD LINE

	Patriots	BILLS
Times	4	5
Scores	3	5
TD	3	2
FG	0	3

(1 FGA)

KICKOFFS

	Number	Returned	Opp. Avg. Start	EZ+
Patriots	4	4	B 24	0
BILLS	6	5	NE 23	1

AVERAGE STARTING FIELD POSITION

	Patriots	BILLS
Drives Started	12	10
Avg. Field Pos.	NE 41	B 27

YARDS LOST DUE TO PENALTIES

	Patriots	BILLS
Times penalized after gain	3	0
Yards lost due to penaties	27	0

GOAL-TO-GO SITUATIONS

	Opp. GTG Situations	SCORES			Opp. GTG	
		Total	TD	FG	Plays	Stops
Patriots	1	1	1	0	1	0
BILLS	2	1	1	0	5	4

THIRD DOWN EFFICIENCY

	Rush	Pass	3rd DOWN AND											Total	
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11+		
Patriots	1.4	1.6	0.1	1.1	0.1	1.1	0.1	0.1					0.2	0.2	2.10
BILLS	4.7	0.5	1.1	0.3	1.1		0.1	1.1	1.1	0.1			0.1	0.2	4.12

DEFENSIVE STATISTICS

(Unofficial)

Visitor								Home							
Tackles	Assists	Sacks	Yards Lost	Interceptions	Passes Defensed	Fumbles Recovered	Blocked Punt FG and PAT	Tackles	Assists	Sacks	Yards Lost	Interceptions	Passes Defensed	Fumbles Recovered	Blocked Punt FG and PAT
New England Patriots								Buffalo Bills							
26 Clayborn	2			1				21 Davis	1						
28 Bowman	6							29 Burroughs	2	1			2		
31 Marion	5	1				1		37 Odomes	1						
42 Lippett	3							38 Kelso	2	1					
43 Gibson	1							45 Drane	1						
50 McGrew	4	1						46 L. Smith	2	2					
52 Rembert	4							50 Bentley	3	2					
53 Benson	1							55 Bennett	5	3	1/2	7yds			
56 Tippett	2		1	10yds				56 Talley	6	4					
59 Brown	11	2			1			58 Conlon	2	1			1		
65 Nelson	1							59 Graham	1						
72 Goad	3		1	6yds				72 Still	4	2	1/2		1		
90 T. Williams	1							76 Smerlas	2	1					
93 Jordan	1							78 B. Smith	2	4	1	4yds			
96 B. Williams	2							91 Wright	2						
39 Allen	1					1		94 Pike	1						
73 Villa	1							97 Radecic	1	2					
								88 McElaney	1						
								89 Tasker	1						
								75 Ballard							1
								86 T. Johnson	1						

Forced Fumbles

56, 28,

Special Teams Tackles

53, 43, 73, 39

Misc. Tackles (Int/Fumble Returns)

Forced Fumbles

Special Teams Tackles

94, 45, 89, 91, 59,

Misc. Tackles (Int/Fumble Returns)

88, 86,