



POST-GAME NOTES

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'69 '70 '87 '91

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'65 '87 '91

WORLD CHAMPIONS
'87 '91

MINNESOTA TWINS (27-33) VS. LOS ANGELES ANGELS (36-28)

Friday, June 8, 2018 – TARGET FIELD – MINNEAPOLIS, MN

FINAL	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E	LOB
Los Angeles	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	4	7	0	5
Minnesota	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	7	0	7

WINNING PITCHER: Ramirez (2-2)

LOSING PITCHER: Pressly (0-1)

SAVE: Parker (6)

FIRST PITCH: 7:12

GAME TIME TEMP: 73 degrees, wind from ESE at 10 mph

TIME OF GAME: 3:21

ATTENDANCE: 28,383

HOME RUNS: Grossman (2nd, 6th inning off Richards, 0 on, 1 out, 2-2 pitch, 429 feet to right field)

Kinsler (7th, 7th inning off Pressly, 1 on, 2 out, 1-2 pitch, 411 feet to left field)

Upton (15th, 8th inning off Reed, 0 on, 0 out, 1-1 pitch, 420 feet to left center field)

PITCHING LINES:

TWINS

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	WP	PITCHES/K
Lance Lynn	6.0	4	1	1	2	7	0	0	105/64
Ryan Pressley (L)	1.0	2	2	2	0	2	1	0	22/17
Addison Reed	1.0	1	1	1	0	0	1	0	10/6
Tyler Duffey	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	10/8

ANGELS

	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	WP	PITCHES/K
Garrett Richards	5.1	6	2	2	3	7	1	0	105/65
Noe Ramirez (W)	1.1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	22/13
Jose Alvarez	1.1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	21/14
Blake Parker (S)	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	17/10

NEXT GAME:

Angels vs. Twins

Saturday, June 9, 7:10 pm

RHP Kyle Gibson (1-3, 3.54)

vs.

LHP Tyler Skaggs (4-4, 3.27)

TWINS NOTES:

- **THE TWINS** lost the first game of the three game series to the Halos and fall to 2-3 against them and 5-9 against the AL West...fall to 11-7 against Los Angeles-AL since 2016...the Twins are now 5-4 on their current 11-game homestand and fall back to 16-16 at Target Field...14 of their last 16 games have been decided by three or fewer runs, going 6-8 in those contests and are now 16-25 in games decided by two runs or fewer this year...today the Twins signed 2018 second round pick Ryan Jeffers, fourth round pick DaShawn Kiersey Jr. and eighth round pick Chris Williams.
- **LANCE LYNN** allowed one run over 6.0 innings on four hits and one walk with seven strikeouts but did not factor into the decision...in his last four starts has only allowed four runs over 24.2 innings...this was his fifth quality start of the year and his fourth in a row...in six starts at Target Field this year, has allowed 11 ER in 31.2 IP...seven strikeouts are the most since he struck out seven at Chicago-AL on May 5...allowed four consecutive hits in the second inning when he allowed his only run, but struck out Mike Trout with the bases loaded.
- **EDUARDO ESCOBAR** (2-for-4) singled in the first inning and tripled in the third and has now hit safely in nine of his last 10 games...over his last 10 games, seven of which have been multi-hit games, hitting .447 (17-for-38) with five home runs, 15 RBI...has 36 extra-base hits this season, entered the day tied for fourth most in the AL.
- **ROBBIE GROSSMAN** (1-for-4) hit a solo home run in the sixth inning, his second of the year and first since April 26 at New York-AL.
- **MIGUEL SANO** (1-for-4) doubled and drove in a run in the second and now has now hit in nine straight game against the Angels, hitting .375 (15-for-38) with three doubles and seven RBI over that stretch.
- **EDDIE ROSARIO** (2-for-4) hit a pair of singles, his 24th multi-hit game this season; entered the day tied for fourth in multi-hit games in the AL...since May 1, hitting .367 (54-for-147) with 12 doubles, 11 home runs, 31 RBI and 27 runs scored.

ANGELS NOTES:

- **THE ANGELS** took the first of the three game series against Minnesota, extending their winning streak to five games and have now win six of their last seven games...this is the first of a nine-game road trip and improve to 19-10 on the road this year...they are 7-12 in their last 19 games against the Twins and are 3-2 against Minnesota this year...only their second win in their last seven games at Target Field...improve to 12-8 against the AL Central this year...are now 27-5 in games in which they score first.
- **GARRETT RICHARDS** allowed two runs on six hits and three walks with seven strikeouts and did not factor into the decision, his fifth no decision of the year...in his last seven starts, has allowed nine earned runs and has struck out 39...has allowed two-or-fewer runs in 11 of his last 14 road starts...Angels starters have now held opponents to three or fewer runs in 31 of their last 36 starts.

- **IAN KINSLER** (2-for-4) hit a go-ahead two-run home run in the seventh inning and is now hitting .366 (15-for-41) with five home runs and 10 RBI over his last 10 games...this is his 11th multi-hit game of the year and his second in three games.
- **JUSTIN UPTON** (1-for-3) hit a solo home run in the eighth inning and has now started the month of June hitting .423 (11-for-26) with four home runs and six RBI
- **JOSE FERNANDEZ** (1-for-3) recorded his first major league hit with a single in the second inning.
- **MARTIN MALDONADO** (2-for-4) recorded an RBI single in the second inning, his 11th RBI in his last 15 games...his 11th multi-hit game of the season and his first since May 29 against Detroit.