



## DENARD SPAN (4)

**POSITION:** Outfielder

**AGE:** 34 **BORN:** 2-27-84 in Washington, DC

**BATS:** Left **THROWS:** Left **HEIGHT:** 6-0 **WEIGHT:** 210

**ML SERVICE:** 9 years, 111 days

**CONTRACT STATUS:** Signed through 2018 with club option for 2019

**ACQUIRED:** In trade with Tampa Bay along with Alex Colomé (rhp) and cash considerations in exchange for Andrew Moore (rhp) and Tommy Romero (rhp) on May 25, 2018.

### 2017:

- **The Totals** – Hit .272 (135x497) with 73 runs, 31 doubles, 5 triples, 12 home runs, 43 RBI, 12 stolen bases, 40 walks, a .329 on-base percentage and a .427 slugging mark (.756 OPS) in 129 games with San Francisco.
- **Leader** – Led the Giants with 73 runs scored, despite a stint on the 10-day DL.
- **Getting Defensive** – Made all of his defensive appearances in center field, including 116 starts...his 116 starts in center were 8th-most in the NL.
- **Goodbye Baseball** – Belted a career-high 12 home runs, marking the second time in his career to hit double digits in home runs (also: 11, 2016 w/SF).
- **Power and Speed** – Reached double digits in home runs and stolen bases for the 2nd year in a row...joined Charlie Blackmon-COL and Ryan Braun-MIL as the only National League outfielders with 10+ home runs and 10+ steals in 2016 and 2017.
- **Do the Splits** – Posted a .284/.339/.465 slash line vs. right-handed pitchers, going 111-for-391 with 12 home runs...vs. left-handers, had a .226/.293/.283 slash line, going 24-for-106.
- **Heating Up** – Hit .374 (40x107) with 21 runs, 6 doubles, 3 triples, 2 home runs, 8 RBI and 9 walks in 27 games in the month of June...led the National League in hits in June, while also ranking 3rd in batting, 7th in runs and 8th in on-base percentage (.427).
- **Clutch** – Hit .345 (30x87) with runners in scoring position...among National Leaguers with at least 75 plate appearances with RISP, his .345 average was 15th-best.
- **Good Start** – Hit 3 leadoff home runs: May 12 vs. Cincinnati, June 30 at Pittsburgh and Aug. 19 vs. Philadelphia...his 3 leadoff homers ranked T5th-most in the NL (also: 5 others).
- **Inside Track** – On Aug. 19 at Philadelphia, led off the game with an inside-the-park home run off Jerad Eickhoff...according to the *Elias Sports Bureau*, Span was the first player to begin a game with an inside-the-park home run since Johnny Rucker did so for the New York Giants on June 20, 1945 vs. the Boston Braves at the Polo Grounds...marked Span's first career inside-the-park home run.
- **Four Score** – On June 30 at Pittsburgh, homered off Gerrit Cole to begin the game and went on to finish with 4 hits and a career-high-tying 4 runs...became the first Giants player to hit a leadoff home run and finish with at least 4 hits and 4 runs since Bobby Bonds on June 6, 1973 at Pittsburgh.
- **DL Stint** – Placed on the 15-day disabled list with a sprained right shoulder on April 26...activated on May 11...in 2 games on a rehab assignment with high-A San Jose, went 2-for-6 with 1 walk.

**PERSONAL:** Keiunta Denard Span... married the former Anne Schleper in January 2017...she was a member of the 2014 U.S. Olympic hockey team and three-time World Champion...the couple welcomed their first child, Denard James, this past offseason... resides in Odessa, FL...after being raised by his mother, Wanda, in a single-parent home, established the Denard Span Foundation in Tampa Bay, focused on support for single-parent families...hosts an annual holiday event in Tampa that recognizes single mothers and provides gifts for their children...during his high school career, led Tampa Bay Catholic High School to the 2001 state championship; was all-state as a junior and a senior...selected by Minnesota in the 1st round (20th overall) of the 2002 MLB First-Year Player Draft out of Tampa Bay Catholic HS...inducted into Tampa Bay Catholic's Baseball Hall of Fame on Feb. 10, 2010.

### SPAN'S CAREER HIGHS

**MOST HITS:** 5 – 5 times;

last: 6/2/17 at PHI w/SF

**MOST HOME RUNS:** 2 – 2 times;

last: 9/1/14 at LAD w/WAS

**MOST RBI:** 6 – 9/26/09 at KC w/MIN

**MOST STOLEN BASES:**

3 – 9/14/13 vs. PHI w/WAS

**LONGEST HITTING STREAK:**

29 – 8/17 – 9/18/13 w/WAS

**CAREER GRAND SLAMS:** None

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- 2003:** Made his pro debut at the age of 19 with Elizabethton in the Appalachian Rookie League...hit .271 (56x207) with 34 runs, 5 doubles, 1 triple, 1 home run, 18 RBI, 23 walks and 14 stolen bases in 50 games.
- 2004:** Split the season between the rookie level Gulf Coast League (GCL Twins) and single-A Midwest League (Quad Cities)...appeared in 64 games with Quad Cities, batting .267 (64x240) with 29 runs, 4 doubles, 3 triples, 14 RBI, 34 walks and 15 steals...in 5 games with the GCL Twins, hit .375 (6x16) with 1 run, 2 doubles, 1 RBI and 3 walks.
- 2005:** Started the year with high-A Fort Myers, where he was named to the Florida State League midseason All-Star Team...in 49 games with Fort Myers, hit .339 (63x186) with 38 runs, 3 doubles, 3 triples, 1 home run, 19 RBI, 22 walks, 13 stolen bases and a .410 on-base percentage... in late-June, earned a promotion to AA New Britain, where he hit .285 (76x267) with 47 runs, 6 doubles, 5 triples, 26 RBI, 22 walks and 10 steals in 68 games... led Twins minor leaguers in batting (.307) and ranked 2nd in stolen bases (23)...appeared in 24 games with Grand Canyon in the Arizona Fall League, batting .294 (30x102) with 7 stolen bases...following the season, *Baseball America* named him the fastest baserunner, best athlete and best defensive outfielder in the Twins organization for the second year in a row.
- 2006:** Led the Eastern League in hits, while also ranking 3rd in runs scored and 9th in batting...spent the entire season with AA New Britain, where he hit .285 (153x536) with 80 runs, 16 doubles, 6 triples, 2 home runs, 45 RBI, 40 walks and 24 stolen bases in 134 games...named to the Eastern League midseason All-Star squad.
- 2007:** Spent the season with AAA Rochester, batting .267 (130x487) with 59 runs, 20 doubles, 7 triples, 3 home runs, 55 RBI, 40 walks and 25 stolen bases in 139 games...his 25 steals were 3rd-most among Twins minor leaguers...ranked by *Baseball America* as a top-30 prospect in the Twins organization following the season for the 6th year in a row.
- 2008:** Broke into the Major Leagues, appearing in 93 games across two stints with the Twins...finished 6th in AL Rookie of the Year voting (Evan Longoria won the award)... hit .294 (102x347) with 70 runs, 16 doubles, 7 triples, 6 home runs, 47 RBI, 50 walks, 18 stolen bases and a .387 on-base percentage...optioned to AAA Rochester out of Spring Training but was recalled by the Twins on April 5 following an injury to Michael Cuddyer... made his Major League debut on April 6 vs. Kansas City at the age of 24...collected his first career hit, a single off Javier Vazquez, on April 7 at Chicago-AL...belted his first Major League home run off Mark Buehrle on July 28 vs. the White Sox... recorded his first multi-home run game in the first game of a doubleheader on Sept. 13 at Baltimore; finished 2-for-5 with 4 RBI...was the recipient of the Bill Boni Award as the Twins top rookie... played for the U.S. squad in the Futures Game at Yankee Stadium...in 40 games with AAA Rochester, hit .340 (53x156) with 32 runs, 11 doubles, 1 triple, 3 home runs, 14 RBI, 26 walks, 15 steals and a .434 on-base percentage.
- 2009:** Named to his first career Opening Day roster...shared the American League lead in triples (10) with Jacoby Ellsbury-BOS...in 145 games with the Twins, hit .311 (180x578) with 97 runs, 16 doubles, 10 triples, 8 home runs, 68 RBI, 70 walks, 23 stolen bases and a .392 on-base percentage...ranked among the top-10 AL leaders in batting (9th/.311), on-base percentage (10/.392)...made his first trip to the disabled list, June 17-25, with a right ear infection; in 2 games on a rehab assignment with AAA Rochester, went 2-for-6 with 1 run, 1 double, 1 walk and 1 stolen base...was the recipient of the Mike Augustin Award by the Twin Cities Chapter of the BBWAA for the best relationship with the media.
- 2010:** Recorded 10 triples for the 2nd year in a row, joining Zoilo Versalles (1963-65), Rod Carew (1976-78), Chuck Knoblauch (1996-97) and Christian Guzman (2000-01) as the only players in Twins history with back-to-back seasons of 10+ triples...scored the first run in Target Field history on April 12 vs. Boston...tied a modern Major League record with 3 triples on June 29 vs. Detroit; was the first player with 3 triples in a game since Rafael Furcal (4/21/02 vs. FLA w/ATL)...in 153 games with the Twins, hit .264 (166x629) with 85 runs, 24 doubles, 10 triples, 3 home runs, 58 RBI, 60 walks and 26 stolen bases.
- 2011:** Limited to 70 games with the Twins after a concussion sidelined him for most of four months...placed on the disabled list with concussion symptoms on June 10... collided with catcher Brayan Peña at home plate while trying to stretch a triple into an inside-the-park home run on June 3 at Kansas City...entered play on June 3 batting .297 (66x222)... activated from the disabled list on Aug. 2 after a rehab assignment with AAA Rochester, where he hit .205 (8x39) with 4 runs, 1 double, 2 RBI and 3 stolen bases in 10 games... between Aug. 2-13, went 2-for-35 (.057) with 1 run and 3 walks in 9 games...on the 15-

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day disabled list, Aug. 18 – Sept. 21, with migraine symptoms... went 5-for-18 (.278) with 4 runs, 2 doubles, 2 triples and 1 RBI over 5 games, from Sept. 21 through the end of the season...overall, hit .264 (75x284) with 37 runs, 11 doubles, 5 triples, 2 home runs, 16 RBI, 27 walks and 6 stolen bases in 70 games with Minnesota.

**2012:** In 128 games with the Twins, hit .283 (146x516) with 71 runs, 38 doubles, 4 triples, 4 home runs, 41 RBI, 47 walks and 17 stolen bases...his 38 doubles led the Twins and ranked 11th-most in the American League...recorded his first walk-off hit, a single in the bottom of the 15th inning, on June 17 vs. Milwaukee...had another walk-off hit, a 10th-inning double, on Sept. 13 vs. Kansas City...injured his right shoulder diving for a ball in center field on Aug. 12 vs. Tampa Bay...on the 15-day disabled list, Aug. 30 – Sept. 12, with a strained right sternoclavicular joint...was the recipient of the Carl R. Pohlad Award, which recognizes one Twins player or coach each season for outstanding community involvement and on-field performance.

**2013:** After 10 years in the Twins organization, was acquired by Washington in an offseason trade...led the Major Leagues with 11 triples...one of three finalists for the Rawlings NL Gold Glove Award for center field (won by Carlos Gómez-MIL)...did not commit an error in 153 games and 384 chances in center field...recorded a career-high 29-game hitting streak, Aug 17 – Sept. 18, batting .371 (46x124) during that span; was the longest hitting streak in the Majors in 2013 and remains the 2nd-longest in Nationals history behind Ryan Zimmerman (30) in 2009...recorded his 100th career stolen base on July 12 at Miami...appeared in 153 games with the Nationals, batting .279 (170x610) with 75 runs, 28 doubles, 11 triples, 4 home runs, 47 RBI, 42 walks and 20 stolen bases.

**2014:** Established a career-high with 184 hits, tied with Philadelphia's Ben Revere for the National League lead...also set career-highs in doubles with 39 and stolen bases with 31...his 184 hits set a single-season Nationals club record (since equaled by Daniel Murphy in 2016)...one of two Nationals in club history (since 2005) with at least 30 doubles and 30 stolen bases in a single season, joining Alfonso Soriano (2006)...among National League leaders, ranked 1st in multi-hit games (58), T4th in doubles (39), 5th in stolen bases (31), T5th in runs (94) and T7th in triples (8)...on the 7-day disabled list, April 12-19, with concussion symptoms...included a rehab assignment with Hagerstown...recorded his 2nd career multi-home run game on Sept. 1, 2014 at Los Angeles-NL...overall, hit .302 (184x610) with 94 runs, 39 doubles, 8 triples, 5 home runs, 37 RBI, 50 walks and 31 stolen bases in 147 games with the Nationals.

**2015:** Limited to 61 games – fewest in his career – due to three trips to the disabled list...began the season on the 15-day disabled list while recovering from right core muscle surgery...appeared with AA Harrisburg and A Hagerstown on a rehab assignment before being activated from the DL on April 19...hit safely in 19 of his first 24 games (4/19 – 5/20), batting .333 (34x102) with 19 runs, 9 doubles, 3 home runs and 13 RBI...equaled his career-high in hits (5) and runs (4) on April 28 at Atlanta; went 5-for-6 with 4 runs, 3 doubles, 1 home run and 1 RBI...remains the only player in Nationals club history with 3 doubles and 1 home run in a game...placed on the 15-day DL again on July 10 with back tightness; was batting .304 (72x237) at the time, 12th-best in the National League (min. 250 PA)...made 1 appearance with high-A Potomac on a rehab assignment before being activated from the DL on Aug. 25...appeared in just 2 games with the Nationals before being placed on the 15-day DL with left hip inflammation on Aug. 28; transferred to the 60-day DL on Sept. 26...finished the season batting .301 (74x246) with 38 runs, 17 doubles, 5 home runs, 22 RBI, 25 walks and 11 stolen bases in 61 games...was successful on 11-of-11 stolen bases attempts, joining Matt Duffy-SF as the only players in the Majors without a caught stealing (min. 10 SB attempts).

**2016:** In his first season with San Francisco, hit .266 (152x572) with 70 runs, 23 doubles, 5 triples, 11 home runs, 53 RBI, 53 walks and 12 stolen bases in 143 games...reached double-digits in home runs for the first time in his career...on Opening Day at Milwaukee (April 4), went 2-for-5 with 2 runs, 1 home run and 5 RBI, becoming the first Giants player with 5 RBI on Opening Day since Barry Bonds in 2002 and the first to do so in his Giants debut since the RBI became an official stat in 1920 (*Elias Sports Bureau*)...on June 2 at Philadelphia, equaled his career-high of 5 hits for the 5th time...on Aug. 4 at Philadelphia, belted a go-ahead home run in the 10th inning, his first career homer in extras...later, belted his 2nd career homer in extras on Sept. 24 at San Diego (10th inning)...one of seven players in the Major Leagues with 2 extra-inning home runs (Robinson Canó, 3).

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**POSTSEASON EXPERIENCE:** Has appeared in 14 career postseason games: 13 in the League Division Series and 1 in the National League Wild Card Game...is a career .258 (17x66) hitter in the postseason with 4 runs, 3 doubles, 1 triple, 2 RBI, 2 walks and 2 stolen bases...has hit safely in 10-of-14 career postseason games...made his postseason debut in the 2009 ALDS vs. New York-AL and collected multiple hits in each of the 3 games; finished 6-for-15 (.400)...faced the Yankees again in the 2010 ALDS and went 4-for-13 (.308), collecting at least 1 hit in each of the 3 games...appeared in 4 games with Washington in the 2014 NLDS vs. San Francisco; went 2-for-3 in Game 3 at the Giants... in the 2016 National League Wild Card Game with the Nationals, went 1-for-4 with 1 walk in a 3-0 win at the New York Mets...appeared in 3 games of the 2016 NLDS against the Chicago Cubs...was hitless in Game 2, but had 2 hits each in Games 3 and 4, including 1 double and 1 triple in Game 3 and 1 double in Game 4.

## SPAN'S PLAYING RECORD

YEAR	CLUB	AVG	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HB	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
2003	Elizabethton	.271	50	207	34	56	66	5	1	1	18	0	0	4	23	34	14	5	.319	.355
2004	Quad Cities	.267	64	240	29	64	74	4	3	0	14	4	1	3	34	49	15	8	.308	.363
	GCL Twins	.375	5	16	1	6	8	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	3	0	1	.500	.474
2005	Fort Meyers	.339	49	186	38	63	75	3	3	1	19	2	1	1	22	25	13	4	.403	.410
	New Britain	.285	68	267	47	76	92	6	5	0	26	5	2	8	22	41	10	8	.345	.355
2006	New Britain	.285	134	536	80	153	187	16	6	2	45	15	1	5	40	78	24	11	.349	.340
2007	Rochester	.267	139	487	59	130	173	20	7	3	55	21	0	0	40	90	25	14	.355	.323
2008	Rochester	.340	40	156	32	53	75	11	1	3	14	2	0	0	26	36	15	8	.481	.434
	MINNESOTA	.294	93	347	70	102	150	16	7	6	47	8	2	4	50	60	18	7	.432	.387
2009	MINNESOTA	.311	145	578	97	180	3	16	10	8	68	12	6	10	70	89	23	10	.415	.392
	Rochester #	.333	2	6	1	2	240	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	.500	.500
2010	MINNESOTA	.264	153	629	85	166	219	24	10	3	58	10	2	4	60	74	26	4	.348	.331
2011	MINNESOTA	.264	70	284	37	75	9	11	5	2	16	0	0	0	27	36	6	1	.359	.328
	Rochester #	.205	10	39	4	8	102	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	5	3	0	.231	.205
2012	MINNESOTA	.283	128	516	71	146	204	38	4	4	41	4	1	0	47	62	17	6	.395	.342
2013	WASHINGTON	.279	153	610	75	170	232	28	11	4	47	7	1	2	42	77	20	6	.38	.327
2014	WASHINGTON	.302	147	610	94	184	2	39	8	5	37	3	3	2	50	65	31	7	.416	.355
	Hagerstown #	.500	2	4	3	2	254	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	.500	.714
2015	Harrisburg #	.286	4	14	5	4	7	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	.500	.375
	Hagerstown #	.615	4	13	2	8	11	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	.846	.667
	WASHINGTON	.301	61	246	38	74	106	17	0	5	22	1	2	1	25	26	11	0	.431	.365
	Potomac #	.000	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000
2016	SAN FRANCISCO	.266	143	572	70	152	218	23	5	11	53	6	2	4	53	79	12	7	.381	.331
2017	SAN FRANCISCO	.272	129	497	73	135	2	31	5	12	43	1	1	3	40	69	12	7	.427	.329
	San Jose #	.333	2	6	0	2	212	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	.333	.429
	Minor Lg Totals	.288	574	2179	335	627	784	69	26	12	199	50	5	22	219	362	122	60	.358	.360
	<b>ML Totals</b>	<b>.283</b>	<b>1222</b>	<b>4889</b>	<b>710</b>	<b>1384</b>	<b>1937</b>	<b>243</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>637</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>.396</b>	<b>.348</b>

# MLB Rehab Assignment

## WILD CARD

YEAR	CLUB, OPP	AVG	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HB	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
2016	SF, NYM	.250	1	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	.250	.400

## DIVISION SERIES

YEAR	CLUB, OPP	AVG	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HB	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
2009	MIN, NYY	.400	3	15	1	6	7	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	.467	.400
2010	MIN, NYY	.308	3	13	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.308	.308
2014	WSN, SFG	.105	4	19	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	.105	.150
2016	SFG, CHC	.267	3	15	3	4	8	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	.533	.267
	DS Totals	.258	13	62	4	16	21	3	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	8	1	1	.339	.270

## SPAN's CAREER TRANSACTIONS

- Selected by Minnesota in the 1st round (20th overall) of the 2002 MLB First-Year Player Draft...signed by Twins scout Brad Weitzel.
- On the 15-day disabled list, June 17-25, 2009, with a right ear infection...included a rehab assignment with Rochester.
- On the 7-day disabled list, June 10 – Aug. 2, 2011, with concussion symptoms...transferred to the 15-day disabled list on June 23...included a rehab assignment with Rochester.
- On the 15-day disabled list, Aug. 18 – Sept. 21, 2011, with migraine symptoms.
- On the 15-day disabled list, Aug. 30 – Sept. 12, 2012, with a strained right sternoclavicular joint.
- Acquired by Washington from Minnesota in exchange for Alex Meyer (rhp) on Nov. 29, 2012.
- On the 7-day disabled list, April 12-19, 2014, with concussion symptoms...included a rehab assignment with Hagerstown.
- On the 15-day disabled list, April 5-19, 2015, with right core muscle surgery...included a rehab assignment with Harrisburg and Hagerstown.
- On the 15-day disabled list, July 10 – Aug. 25, 2015, with back tightness...included a rehab assignment with Potomac.
- On the 15-day disabled list, Aug. 28 – Nov. 2, 2015, with left hip inflammation... transferred to the 60-day disabled list on Sept. 26.
- Signed by San Francisco as a free agent on Jan. 8, 2016.
- On the 15-day disabled list, April 26 – May 11, 2017, with a sprained right shoulder... included a rehab assignment with San Jose.
- Acquired by Tampa Bay from San Francisco along with Christian Arroyo (inf), Matt Krook (lhp) and Stephen Woods Jr. (rhp) in exchange for Evan Longoria (inf) on Dec. 20, 2017.
- Acquired by Seattle from Tampa Bay along with Alex Colomé (rhp) and cash considerations in exchange for Andrew Moore (rhp) and Tommy Romero (rhp) on May 25, 2018.