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Game Preview

Probable Starters:

#0 - Montae Glenn
#2 - Elijah McCadden
#4 - Tookie Brown
#13 - Quan Jackson
#53 - Isaiah Crawley

- The Eagles open a four-game road trip at Radford Friday. It's the final contest before a break for Christmas.
- The Eagles have won 12 of their last 16, dating back to last year, and are coming off a 79-74 overtime win over Bradley at home Tuesday night.
- GS ranks fifth in the country in field goal percentage (.514) and ninth in scoring, averaging 88.7 points a game. The Eagles have scored 80-plus eight times, 90-plus three times and over 100 twice.
- The Eagles are 13th in the country in free-throw attempts and 26th in makes.
- GS ranks 18th in the nation in turnover margin, eighth in turnovers forced and 25th in steals.
- The Eagles are 1-2 in true road games this season with losses at Arizona and UCF. GS is 4-2 away from home.
- Tookie Brown has been named to the Lou Henson Award Watch List for the second straight season. The award is given to the Mid-Major Basketball Player of the Year at the Final Four.
- Brown was named first-team All-Sun Belt and first-team All-District for the third consecutive season last year. He is the 17th player in the 43-year history of the Sun Belt to earn first-team accolades in three seasons and became the first Eagle to accomplish the feat in Georgia Southern history.
- Radford posted road wins at Notre Dame and Texas earlier this season.
- The Highlanders are on a four-game losing skid, and all four setbacks have come on the road. Radford is coming off a 65-58 loss at UNCG Tuesday night.
- Radford is 3-0 at home this season.
- Radford was picked to finish first in the 2018-19 Big South Preseason Poll with senior forward Ed Polite Jr. being named to the Big South Preseason All-Conference First Team and redshirt sophomore guard Carlik Jones being named to the Big South Preseason All-Conference Second team.
- Posting a school record 23 wins a season ago, Radford won the Big South Tournament and earned a bid to the 2018 NCAA Tournament where it went on to defeat LIU Brooklyn, 71-61, for the first NCAA Tournament victory in program history