

Dallas Wings Quotes

Head Coach Fred Williams

(On tonight's win)

“It was a very important win for us. We put a lot of energy in that New York game and a few other ones at home and got so close. Tonight, I thought the young ladies really played well. Having 12 players helped, you're able to go to the bench and put fresh players in. It's still going to take us a few games to really get ready and get in the flow. Skylar (Diggins) played really well out there and Odyssey (Sims) was in the flow getting to the rim. Glory Johnson did a great job running the floor and defending.”

(On the Wings' offense)

“My effort was to get them to the rim driving. Teams lay off of us a little bit to take three's. I think last week we shot 34 times from three, and made half of them. We're a good rebounding team and we're getting second-chance shots. We're leading the league in offensive boards and it shows we can get to the boards and get a lot more opportunities.”

(On the 3rd quarter)

“We got a couple isolation plays to get to the rim. (Aerial Powers and Karima Christmas) kept seeing the seams and the gaps to go through. They are pretty strong players who can do that. I thought they made some good decisions.”

Dallas Wings Players

Forward Karima Christmas

(On snapping the losing streak)

“It was important. We kind of felt it in New York. We came out strong and we wanted to build on that. We came in here to protect homecourt and we finally got this win.

“We played really well today, and last game too. Just being able to pull it out in the end is something to be proud of.”

(On having entire team available to play)

“We're trying to get together in the game flow, having everyone back out there again. It's a different rotation and different lineups. Getting a feel for each other is something that has gotten better in the last few games.”

Forward Aerial Powers

(On her defense leading to offense)

“When I am doing things defensively, I feel engaged a little bit more. When I got that block (in the 3rd quarter), I got a little hype and that's when everything got going for me.”

(On her third quarter scoring)

“I just got good looks. My team was penetrating well and kicking it to me and I

just knocked down the shots.”

(On her on court personality)

“It comes from my passion for basketball. I love basketball. When we do something good, it excites me no matter what it is.”