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**2025 NCAA® Division I women’s basketball championship**

Round 2 • #25/25 Ole Miss vs. #14/15 Baylor

Foster Pavilion • Waco, Texas

March 23, 2025

**POSTGAME NOTES**

**Ole Miss Notes:**

* No. 25/25 Ole Miss moves to be 22-10 on the year.
* Ole Miss head coach Yolette McPhee-McCuin moves to 125-94 in her seventh year at Ole Miss and 219-157 overall.
* Freshman guard Sira Thienou put up 16 points and graduate guard/forward Madion Scott earned 12 points to earn their 18th and 21st double figure scoring appearance of the season, respectively.
* The Rebels head to the Sweet 16 for the second time in three years. This is the second time in program history the Rebels are the No. 5 seed in the Sweet 16 with the last time being in the 1989-90 season.
* Ole Miss takes down the Bears in Waco for the first time in program history.
* The Rebels move to a 17-4 record when leading in the first quarter this season.

**Baylor Notes:**

* No. 14/15 Baylor finish the season 27-9.
* The Bears are 2-2 all-time vs. Ole Miss and are 1-1 in Waco.
* BU head coach Nicki Collen moves to be 102-36 in her fourth season.
* Baylor holds a 58-20 all-time record in the NCAA Tournament and are 19-3 when hosting the first two rounds of the tournament.
* The Bears fall for the first time when leading at halftime, 27-0, in the 2024-25 campaign and are 94-9 in Collen era.
* Baylor is 3-3 vs. ranked foes this season and a 21-21 under Collen.
* Jaida Walker (13), Aaronette Vonleh (16), Sarah Andrews (14) and Darianna Littlepage-Buggs (10) all had 10-plus point performances. This is Walker’s 22nd, Vonleh’s 27th, Andrews’ 20th and Littlepage-Bugg’s 19th of the season.