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Kaepernick' s last football game

Tuesday, San Francisco 49ers fans finally received what they've asked - Colin Kaepernick is now the team's starting quarterback. Chip Kelly didn't have much of a choice - while it wasn't necessarily Blaine Gabbert's fault the 49ers' offense was one of the worst units in the league, he certainly wasn't the solution to that problem. Is Kaepernick? Probably not. Much has happened since the last time Kaepernick took the field for the 49ers: Jim Tomsula and his staff were fired, Kaepernick underwent multiple offseason surgeries and was retained by the team, securing his nearly \$12 million salary. He avoided being cut in the preseason despite two terrible performances, and you might have heard about a situation involving the national anthem - at this point, so many people have appropriated incorrect (at best) significance to that peaceful protest I'm not quite sure what that's about anymore. It's a lot, and through it all, it's easy to forget how bad Kaepernick was the last time he took the field. Kaepernick was replaced by Gabbert last year for a reason - he turned in one of the worst quarterbacking seasons in recent NFL history. The Browns wouldn't have started him. Let's refresh the memory: Last season, Kaepernick had a defense-adjusted yards over replacement - Football Outsiders' ultimate value quotient - of minus-182, 35th in the NFL. By all the stats, he was one of the worst quarterbacks in the league. These numbers look even worse when you consider that the 49ers went to a single-read offense for Kaepernick after his terrible four-interception performance against the Arizona Cardinals in Week 3.Each progressive interception in that game was worse - it was a total unraveling. It only decentralized further from there. Kaepernick lost the 49ers locker room after a home loss to the Packers in Week 4 - Torrey Smith and Anquan Boldin both vent their frustrations with the [insert all expletives here] playing their quarterback during and after the game (the latter being more of the passive-aggressive variety, as two of the most loquacious and intelligent players on the team refused to talk to the media). Kaepernick was air-mailing throws all over the field, and when he didn't, he was skipping easy ones like this. The 49ers went to a read-option offense for the next two games, and Kaepernick and the Niners didn't look half bad. They weren't a good team, but they weren't ashamed. But then the defense found out. The unraveling became a meltdown. Kaepernick's performance in the 49ers' Week 7 Thursday Night Football game last year was one of the worst quarterback performances in recent NFL history. As I wrote at the time his mechanics had become so disorganized that even the punch became an adventure in forward passing. We're talking about 10-yard outs being thrown 15 feet over the receivers' heads. Eventually, the 49ers stopped throwing the ball on the third and long, so was the fight. It was getting worse and worse and You honestly couldn't tell if Kaepernick was throwing the ball away or aiming for intended receivers toward the end of the game. There were basic mental lapses, too - on a third down in the second quarter, he broke the huddle with 17 seconds remaining on the game clock, only to try to change the game with three seconds remaining. The Niners were hit with a delay-of-game flag. Week 8 was the official end. Any competent coach would have benched Kaepernick long before that game in St. Louis, but it was Tomsula in charge... Kaepernick just wasn't allowed to throw over the first-down sticks in that game. The 49ers had a one-read system in place, and that read never went beyond the first-down marker, regardless of the scenario. Kaepernick's lack of awareness eventually forced the 49ers' hand - they had to go to Gabbert after the Rams decided to stop covering wide receivers at the line of scrimmage and Kaepernick didn't recognize it. Kaepernick was, without a doubt, the worst quarterback in the NFL last season. He played so badly that he made Gabbert look competent in comparison. He made mistakes that a quarterback would get in high school. Maybe that bad form will change under Kelly - the 49ers have run three times more zone-read plays than any other team in the NFL this season, despite having Gabbert at quarterback, and theoretically Kaepernick should thrive in those situations. Then again, the defense will be able to stack the box with nine or 10 players, daring Kaepernick to make the pitches he showed last year he couldn't make. That's what happened last year, and then it gets worse. Maybe the injuries were a factor in the bad game last year, but that doesn't explain the complete lack of awareness and football smarts Kaepernick displayed. Maybe Kelly can tap into the same magic Jim Harbaugh found in Number 7, but until that is proven, one has to assume that we're going to get a repeat of 2015.As for the contract - the one that could well guarantee Kaepernick \$14 million for next season should he get hurt this year - Kelly pleaded ignorance and said Tuesday that it had nothing to do with his decision to start Kaepernick. Despite the fact that the 49ers front office leaked to NFL Network that the team and Kaepernick were working on a new deal that would ease the team's concerns about injury guarantees, Kelly's statement is somewhat credible - while it would be ridiculous to play Kaepernick given his contract and the risk of injury behind that offensive line, something the front office is clearly aware of , it is much more likely that the 49ers have a completely dysfunctional organization where the head coach and general manager have no communication and cannot lead a team in unison. The No matter what Kaepernick's contract is for Sunday's game against Buffalo, he will have the game with much to prove. Even borderline mediocrity would be a huge upgrade for number 7. in this topic Colin Kaepernick Colin Kaepernick and 2012 Données générales Nom completion Rand Kaepernick Nationality United States Birth November 3, 1987 (age 33) in Milwaukee, Wisconsin Size 1.93 m (6-4) Weight 104 kg (229 lbs) Nickname Hood Number 7 Position College Quarterback of Amateur Career 2006-2010 Nevada Professional Career NFL 49ers Draft San Francisco (2011, 36th overall) 2011-2016 49ers san Francisco pro career. Since 2011 statistics on nfl.com change Colin Rand Kaepernick, born on November 3, 1987 in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, is an American football player. Selected in the second round of the 2011 NFL Draft, the quarterback played six seasons for the San Francisco 49ers. A mobile player, he became a starter in the 2012 season after alex smith's injury and guided his team to Super Bowl XLVII, which it lost to the Baltimore Ravens. After another season and a loss at the gates of the Super Bowl, his opponents adapted to his style of play and limited his production on the field. During the 2016 season, Colin Kaepernick became the center of media attention by kneeling during the U.S. national anthem to protest racism in the United States and police violence against minorities. In the midst of the presidential election, the player becomes a divisive figure, taken to the heart of Donald Trump and his supporters. At the end of the 2016 season, Kaepernick used the option of his contract with the San Francisco 49ers to terminate his contract and become a free agent. Colin Kaepernick was not recruited by another league team and filed a lawsuit against the league and the owners in November 2017 for conspiring to stop making him an NFL player. An activist with awards from GQ, Sports Illustrated and Amnesty International, he is the star of a Nike advertising campaign for the 30th anniversary of the slogan Just do it. Childhood Biography Colin's mother, Heidi Russo, was 19 years old when he was born in Milwaukee, Wisconsin on November 3, 1987. Abandoned during her pregnancy by the child's biological father, she entrusts him to adoption. A few days after his birth, the Métis child was adopted by Rick and Teresa Kaepernick, whose name he was known as a marital status. Kaepernick already had two children, a son named Kyle and a daughter named Devon. Two of the couple's other children, Lance and Kent, died of heart deformities shortly after birth. A few years after these tragedies, the couple decided to expand the family by adopting. Five weeks after his birth, young Colin arrived in the family who lived in rural Wisconsin, where he was surprised by the only black child in the town of Fond du Lac. In 1991, when he was 4 years old, the family moved to Turlock, California after a professional change by Rick Kaepernick. His academic performance in primary school is excellent, so it is to participate in the Talented Students program. At Pitman High School, Colin Kaepernick shows athletic talent and is a star in three different sports. His brother's friends, Kyle, nicknamed him Bo after Bo Jackson. Able to throw baseball at high speeds, he attracted the attention of professional recruiters but passionate about American football, refused offers to play the sport in college, even though he weighed less than 80 kg and was described as fine as paper. College Career After one off-field season, Colin Kaepernick became the Nevada Wolf Pack in 2007. Recruited by Nevada Wolf Pack coach Chris Ault, the creator of the gun team, Kaepernick joined the only college team in 2006 to give him a scholarship to play American football. In his freshman year, he didn't play because of his redshirt status. Colin Kaepernick made his debut in 2007 replacing Nick Graziano during the game after the starter was out with a foot injury. In that game, Kaepernick passed for 384 yards, threw four touchdowns and ran for 60 yards in a 49-41 loss. This part allows him to get the place of holder. In his first game as such, he was one of the players in a historic game between the Nevada Wolf Pack and the Boise State Broncos that ended with Nevada losing 69-67 after four overtimes. The game, which saw one of the highest scores in national Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) history, was televised nationally and

