



Duke Player Postgame Quotes

Duke vs. NC State



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Duke senior guard Grayson Allen (Jan. 6, 2018)

On defensive problems

"Their offense was better than our defense tonight. They scored the ball really well. I thought their guards got to whatever spot they wanted to and their bigs were really solid too. IT was a game where we couldn't stop them. Credit to them, they executed really well and guys made big shots."

On feeling when teams execute well:

"There's obviously something we can do about it. We're going to hear about it in film once we see the tape and figure out what that is. But 90 something points, it was their offense."

On recent losses in PNC Arena:

"They always have a good crowd. I've played here at least twice now and they always have a very good crowd. No matter what the success of the team is, they're going to bring it. Teams play off that momentum at home. It doesn't matter who you are, you're going to feed off that. They're extremely talented so when they get going, they hit shots and the crowd gets behind them, it's a tough place to play."

Duke freshman forward Marvin Bagley III (Jan. 6, 2018)

On defensive issues:

"Defense, that's the main thing. We keep giving up 90 points a game. We shouldn't be doing that. We should have a lockdown defense. Being able to talk out there, helping on the defensive end is what we should be doing. But it's just not there right now."

On youth causing defensive problems:

"No, we just need to talk out there. Basketball has no age in my opinion. The main thing is we need to play on defense to get wins and we're just not doing it right now."