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WHAT TO LOOK FOR – A LOOK BACK

500 CLUB: Denver quarterback **PEYTON MANNING** passed for a career-high 479 yards and four touchdowns in the Broncos' 41-20 win against previously-undefeated Arizona (3-1). **Manning joined BRETT FAVRE (508) as the only quarterbacks in NFL history with 500 career touchdown passes.**

Manning – who now has 503 career touchdown passes – threw his 500th touchdown pass on his 8,573rd attempt in his 244th regular-season game. Favre recorded his 500th career touchdown pass on his 9,924th pass attempt in his 293rd career game.

The performance marked Manning's 13th career 400-yard passing game, tying Pro Football Hall of Famer DAN MARINO for the most in NFL history.

A look at how quickly Favre and Manning reached each major touchdown pass milestone in terms of games and attempts:

NUMBER OF GAMES TO REACH MILESTONE TDs					
PLAYER	100	200	300	400	500
Brett Favre	62	107	167	228	293
Peyton Manning	56	106	157	209	244

NUMBER OF ATTEMPTS TO REACH MILESTONE TDs					
PLAYER	100	200	300	400	500
Brett Favre	2,030	3,533	5,645	7,699	9,924
Peyton Manning	1,922	3,689	5,306	7,226	8,573

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COOL BREES: New Orleans quarterback **DREW BREES** passed for 371 yards and two touchdowns in the Saints' 37-31 overtime win against Tampa Bay.

Brees, who has passed for 40,307 yards since joining New Orleans in 2006, is the **seventh quarterback in NFL history with 40,000 passing yards with one franchise.** Brees accomplished the feat in his 132nd game with the Saints, **surpassing DAN MARINO (Miami Dolphins, 153 games) as the fastest quarterback to reach 40,000 passing yards with a team.**

The quarterbacks with 40,000 passing yards with one team and the number of games it took each of them to reach the milestone:

PLAYER	TEAM	NO. OF GAMES TO REACH 40,000 PASS YARDS
Drew Brees	New Orleans Saints	132
Dan Marino	Miami Dolphins	153
Peyton Manning	Indianapolis Colts	154
Tom Brady	New England Patriots	162
Brett Favre	Green Bay Packers	164
Dan Fouts	San Diego Chargers	168
John Elway	Denver Broncos	183

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COWBOY WAY: Dallas tight end **JASON WITTEN** had four catches for 59 yards in the Cowboys' 20-17 overtime win against Houston. **Witten (10,014) is the third tight end in NFL history with 10,000 career receiving yards,** joining **TONY GONZALEZ (15,127)** and Pro Football Hall of Famer **SHANNON SHARPE (10,060).**

Witten is the second-fastest tight end to reach the milestone (180 games). Gonzalez reached 10,000 yards in his 177th game, while Sharpe did so in his 203rd game.

Running back **DE MARCO MURRAY** rushed for 136 yards and became the **third player in NFL history to rush for at least 100 yards in each of his team's first five games to start a season**, joining Pro Football Hall of Famers **JIM BROWN** (six games in 1958) and **O.J. SIMPSON** (five games in 1973 and 1975).

The longest start-of-season streaks in NFL history with at least 100 rushing yards:

PLAYER	TEAM	YEAR(S)	STREAK
Jim Brown	Cleveland	1958	6
O.J. Simpson	Buffalo	1973	5
O.J. Simpson	Buffalo	1975	5
DeMarco Murray	Dallas	2014	5*

* Active streak

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TOM TERRIFIC: New England quarterback **TOM BRADY** passed for 292 yards and two touchdowns in the Patriots' 43-17 win against Cincinnati on *Sunday Night Football*, becoming the **sixth player in NFL history to reach 50,000 career passing yards**. In 15 seasons, Brady has passed for 50,232 yards.

The NFL players with the most career passing yards:

PLAYER	YEARS	PASSING YARDS
Brett Favre	1991-2010	71,838
Peyton Manning*	1998-present	66,257
Dan Marino	1983-1999	61,361
Drew Brees*	2001-present	52,655
John Elway	1983-1998	51,475
Tom Brady*	2000-present	50,232

* Active

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