



**2007 SOCCER
CHAMPIONSHIP**

2007 NCAA Women's Soccer Championship

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Florida

Head Coach Becky Burleigh

Opening Statements:

"I'd like to give credit to Miami; I thought they really took us out of our rhythm in the first half. I certainly didn't think we played as well as were capable of playing, but we're going to have to step it up and make a few adjustments if we want to go deep into the tournament.

On scoring multiple goals:

The team is a little bit more relaxed once we put one in the net, and I think secondly that teams play differently against us after we scored."

On facing UCF:

"They're one team that attacks with a lot of players, so that's going to be something that we're going to have to get a handle one right in the very beginning of the game."

Senior KeLeigh Hudson

On Ashley Harris:

"The fact that we have so many people that can put a goal in is a great thing; you're not relying on just one person. Her (Ashley Harris) lightning speed, and the pressure that she provides up against their defense just gives us so much more to go on the attack. We know we're going to have more than one chance on goal. Being able to have more than one opportunity gets us feeling more confident that we'll put one in the net. We just give an all-out effort, that's how a lot of goals are scored"

About UCF winning against the Gators a few years ago in the tournament:

"I can remember being here and losing that game at home in the first round. It's always going to be in the back of your mind but just like every other game we've lost we put it behind us and we learn from our mistakes."

Freshman Karly Findorff

On scoring first two collegiate goals

"I've been waiting for one of those for awhile. I hit a few posts earlier in the season so getting that is a great thing. I give total credit to Lauren (on the first goal). We won the game so that's all that matters."

On playing with the eight-member senior class

"Being a freshman the last thing I want to do is go out on a loss with this team. These seniors have been absolutely amazing and to send them out with a national championship would be like a dream. With everyone contributing it's a total team effort. Our bench is amazing. I can hear them all the time when I'm on the field. It's so encouraging. It's just a 100-percent team effort."

Senior Ashley Harris

On providing a spark offensively

"I don't think it has any role difference, just a position difference and starting up a little higher than normal. The main thing is you have more opportunities to score goals. I don't feel any different in how I'm playing, it's just with the positioning you're up higher and there are more opportunities to finish it."

On the team's attitude

Our team's not going to give up, even at the last second. The main thing is getting the first goal. I don't remember too many games we've lost where we scored first. We feed off other people. If one person is playing well everyone else is playing hard for that person."