2015 NCAA BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

First Four March 17-18 | **Second Round** March 19-20 | **Third Round** March 21-22 | **Sweet 16** March 26-27 | **Elite 8** March 28-29 | **Final Four** April 4 | **Championship** April 6 | **Final Four** April 4 | **Elite 8** March 28-29 | **Sweet 16** March 26-27 | **Third Round** March 21-22 | **Second Round** March 19-20

Brian Anderson / Steve Smith
MAAC, CC, 169, 305, 9-3, 0-0
16 Manhattan (19-13)
MEAC, CC, #256, #297, 8-4, 0-1
16 Hampton (16-17) M - 7
University of Dayton Arena
Dayton, OH
Tue 3/17 6:40
"THE LOST LYRICS" Come on and watch some basketball, you'll watch it all... day... long...Come on and watch some basketball, til.... your... pool sheet is done! ..Come on and watch some basketball, it's got it all...Tour-na-ment Madness ... Throw in a few parlays, Gambling is fun!... Walton and Wooden own the court, don't try them out... you'll...lose... Packer and Nantz call all the gammes, just watch... Billy be wrong... Come on and watch some basketball, your wife is mad... send..her out shopping...Coach K is gay... Duke really sucks

Thu 3/19 9:40 | Verne Lundquist / Jim Nantz | KFC YUM! Center (Louisville, KY) | CBS
Thu 3/19 7:10 | Fri 3/20 2:10 | Ian Eagle / Doug Gottlieb | Nationwide Arena (Columbus, OH) | TNT HD
Fri 3/20 4:40 | Thu 3/19 2:45 | Brian Anderson / Steve Smith | Consol Energy Cener (Pittsburgh, PA) | TBS HD
Thu 3/19 12:15 | Fri 3/20 2:45 | Marv Albert / Elmore / Webber | CenturyLink Center (Omaha, NE) | CBS
Fri 3/20 12:15 | Fri 3/20 9:20 | Jim Nantz / Raftery / G. Hill | Time Warner Arena (Charlotte, NC) | TRU HD

My Channels
CBS
TNT HD
TBS HD
TRU HD

Nickname / Odds to Win

Kentucky Wildcats	1 / 1
Duke Blue Devils	13 / 2
Wisconsin Badgers	13 / 2
Villanova Wildcats	8/1
Arizona Wildcats	17/1
Virginia Cavaliers	17/1
Gonzaga Bulldogs	22/1
North Carolina Tarheels	25/1
Iowa St Cyclones	35/1
Baylor Bears	40/1
Kansas Jayhawks	40/1
Notre Dame Fighting Irish	50/1

Fri 3/20 6:50 | Marv Albert / Elmore / Webber | CenturyLink Center (Omaha, NE) | TBS HD
SEC, AL, #55, #46, 7-5, 3-5
11 Ole Miss (20-12)
WCoast, AL, #38, #75, 10-2, 1-4 BYU -2
11 BYU (25-9)
Thu 3/19 9:50 | Thu 3/19 7:20 | Andrew Catalon / Steve Lappas | Veterans Memorial Arena (Jacksonville, FL) | TNT HD
Thu 3/19 4:10 | Thu 3/19 1:40 | Andrew Catalon / Steve Lappas | Veterans Memorial Arena (Jacksonville, FL) | TBS HD
University of Dayton Arena
Dayton, OH
Tue 3/17 9:10
Brian Anderson / Steve Smith

Utah Utes	55/1
Maryland Terrapins	60/1
Michigan St. Spartans	60/1
Oklahoma Sooners	60/1
SMU Mustangs	10/1
Louisville Cardinals	80/1
Wichita St. Shockers	80/1

Thu 3/19 4:40 | Thu 3/19 2:10 | Kevin Harlan / Reggie Miller | Rose Garden (Portland, OR) | TNT HD

SEC, CC, RPI #1, SOS #57, 12-0, 10-0
1 Kentucky (34-0)
16 Manhattan/Hampton
American, CC, RPI #40, SOS #54, 7-5, 6-3
8 Cincinnati (22-10)
Big Ten, AL, #52, #67, 8-4, 4-6 +1
9 Purdue (21-12)
Big 12, AL, RPI #24, SOS #39, 6-6, 7-8
5 West Virginia (23-9)
Mid Am, CC, #30, #66, 9-3, 0-2 -4
12 Buffalo (23-9)
Big Ten, AL, RPI #11, SOS #49, 9-3, 5-4
4 Maryland (27-6)
Horizon, CC, #50, #277, 10-2, 0-0 -5
13 Valparaiso (28-5)
Big East, AL, RPI #32, SOS #43, 8-4, 6-8
6 Butler (22-10)
Big 12, AL, #42, #15, 6-6, 3-12 +1
11 Texas (20-13)
ACC, CC, RPI #15, SOS #95, 9-3, 7-3
3 Notre Dame (29-5)
CAA, CC, #85, #202, 9-3, 0-0 -12
14 Northeastern (23-11)
MissValley, AL, RPI #18, SOS #119, 10-2, 2-2
7 Wichita State (28-4)
Big Ten, AL, #56, #22, 5-7, 4-9
10 Indiana (20-13) -5
Big 12, AL, RPI #2, SOS #1, 7-5, 12-7
2 Kansas (26-8)
WAC, CC, #107, #230, 12-0, 0-3
15 New Mexico St. (23-10) -11
Big Ten, CC, RPI #4, SOS #18, 11-1, 8-2
1 Wisconsin (31-3)
Big South,CC, #127, #317, 9-3, 0-1
16 Coastal Carolina (24-9) -20
Pac 12, AL, RPI #27, SOS #47, 10-2, 3-5
8 Oregon (25-9)
Big 12, AL, #46, #17, 5-7, 6-9
9 Oklahoma St. (18-13) Pick
SEC, AL, RPI #17, SOS #65, 10-2, 4-2
5 Arkansas (26-8)
Southern, CC, #48, #238, 11-1, 1-2
12 Wofford (28-6) -7
ACC, AL, RPI #12, SOS #2, 7-5, 7-10
4 North Carolina (24-11)
Ivy, CC, RPI #54, SOS #144, 10-2, 0-1
13 Harvard (22-7) -9
Big East, AL, RPI #31, SOS #8, 7-5, 8-7
6 Xavier (21-13)
11 Ole Miss/BYU
Big 12, AL, RPI #10, SOS #3, 8-4, 8-7
3 Baylor (24-9)
Sun Belt, CC, #61, #167, 10-2, 0-3
14 Georgia State (24-9) -8
A-10, CC, RPI #16, SOS #11, 7-5, 5-5
7 VCU (26-9)
Big Ten, AL, #39, #73, 7-5, 1-7
10 Ohio State (23-10) +3
Pac 12, CC, RPI #6, SOS #38, 11-1, 9-0
2 Arizona (31-3)
SWAC, CC, #125, #303, 11-1, 1-3
15 Texas Southern (22-12) -22

Quicken Loans Arena, Cleveland, OH
Quicken Loans Arena, Cleveland, OH
Staples Center, Los Angeles, CA
Staples Center, Los Angeles, CA

MIDWEST

WEST

All Times Eastern and Subject to change

Key: (LOCATED ABOVE TEAMS) Conference, Champ (CC) or At-large (AL), RPI Rank, Strength of Schedule Rank, Last 12 games, Record vs. Top 50 RPI

GARGANTUBRACKET

"The Bracket That Has Everything...Except Winners"

@czabe
www.theczabe.com

2015 National Champion

Points

Lucas Oil Stadium, Indianapolis, IN

Indianapolis, IN
Lucas Oil Stadium
Monday, April 6, 2015

Official Sponsor of the 2015 Gargantubracket

Helpful websites: www.kenpom.com ; www.bracketscience.com ; www.poologic.com; www.predictionmachine.com;

The FBI estimates that more than $2.5 billion is illegally wagered annually on March Madness

Odds of picking a perfect bracket? 9 QUINTILLION to 1.

#12 seeds only lose 67 percent of the time, meaning they win one in three times.
#13 and #14 seeds lose 82% and 84% of the time
#15 seeds are 15-9 ATS since 2005
#6 seeds hold an advantage over their #11 counterparts going 14-10 ATS and 17-7 SU since 2005

The best ATS value over the past six seasons has come in the #7/#10 matchup. The #7 seed holds a solid 17-7 mark both SU and ATS.

Point Spreads: Higher Seed Spread displayed (a spread of -4 means higher seed favored by 4). Spreads captured on sportsbook.com 3/15/15

© Steve Czaban & Brad Turner 2015
™ Gargantubracket

Big East, CC, RPI #3, SOS #52, 12-0, 13-1
Villanova (32-2) 1
- 22
Patriot, CC, #124, #192, 8-4, 0-2
Lafayette (20-12) 16
ACC, AL, RPI #41, SOS #6, 7-5, 3-7
NC State (20-13) 8
- 2
SEC, AL, #53, #97, 6-6, 3-2
LSU (22-10) 9
MissValley, CC, RPI #14, SOS #145, 11-1, 3-2
Northern Iowa (30-3) 5
- 7
Mountain West, CC, #73, #182, 7-5, 5-3
Wyoming (25-9) 12
ACC, AL, RPI #21, SOS #23, 7-5, 3-7
Louisville (24-8) 4
- 9
Big West, CC, #90, #158, 8-4, 0-2
UC Irvine (21-12) 13
Big East, AL, RPI #23, SOS #5, 6-6, 6-8
Providence (22-11) 6
Boise State/Dayton 11
Big 12, AL, RPI #19, SOS #16, 9-3, 12-6
Oklahoma (22-10) 3
- 13
Amer. East, CC, #108, #313, 11-1, 0-1
Albany (24-8) 14
Big Ten, AL, RPI #22, SOS #12, 9-3, 4-6
Michigan State (23-11) 7
- 5
SEC, AL, #36, #31, 7-5, 0-5
Georgia (21-11) 10
ACC, AL, RPI #7, SOS #26, 10-2, 9-3
Virginia (29-3) 2
- 17
Ohio Valley, CC, #105, #263, 9-3, 0-2
Belmont (22-10) 15
ACC, AL, RPI #5, SOS #9, 11-1, 11-3
Duke (29-4) 1
N. Florida/Robert Morris 16
Mount. West, AL, RPI #26, SOS #79, 9-3, 4-5
San Diego State (26-8) 8
- 2
Big East, AL, #37, #30, 8-4, 5-8
St. John's (21-11) 9
Pac-12, AL, RPI #20, SOS #34, 8-4, 3-7
Utah (24-8) 5
Southland, CC, #35, #194, 11-1, 0-3
Stephen F. Austin (29-4) 12
- 6
Big East, AL, RPI #25, SOS #10, 7-5, 4-10
Georgetown (21-10) 4
Big Sky, CC, #78, #235, 9-3, 0-1
East. Washington (26-8) 13
- 8
American, CC, RPI #13, SOS #40, 10-2, 7-4
Southern Methodist (27-6) 6
PAC-12, AL, #49, #29, 8-4, 2-8
UCLA (20-13) 11
- 3
Big 12, CC, RPI #9, SOS #13, 9-3, 13-5
Iowa State (25-8) 3
Conf USA, CC, #132, #109, 8-4, 1-3
UAB (19-15) 14
- 13
Big Ten, AL, RPI #43, SOS #28, 8-4, 3-6
Iowa (21-11) 7
A-10, AL, #33, #123, 10-2, 2-4
Davidson (24-7) 10
- 2
West Coast, CC, RPI #8, SOS #84, 11-1, 6-2
Gonzaga (32-2) 2
Summit, CC, #94, #248, 9-3, 0-3
N. Dakota State (23-9) 15
- 17

NRG Stadium, Houston, TX
NRG Stadium, Houston, TX
Carrier Dome, Syracuse, NY
Carrier Dome, Syracuse, NY

EAST

SOUTH

Thu 3/19 6:50 | Thu 3/19 9:20 | Brian Anderson / Steve Smith | Consol Energy Center (Pittsburgh, PA) | TBS HD
Fri 3/20 1:40 | Fri 3/20 4:10 | Spero Dedes / Mike Gminski | Key Arena (Seattle, WA) | TBS HD
Fri 3/20 9:57 | Fri 3/20 7:27 | Ian Eagle / Doug Gottlieb | Nationwide Arena (Columbus, OH) | TRU HD
Fri 3/20 12:40 | Fri 3/20 3:10 | Jim Nantz / Raftery / G. Hill | Time Warner Arena (Charlotte, NC) | TRU HD
Fri 3/20 7:10 | Fri 3/20 9:40 | Jim Nantz / Raftery / G. Hill | Time Warner Arena (Charlotte, NC) | CBS
Thu 3/19 7:27 | Thu 3/19 9:57 | Kevin Harlan / Reggie Miller | Rose Garden (Portland, OR) | TRU HD
Thu 3/19 3:10 | Thu 3/19 12:40 | Verne Lundquist / Jim Spanarkel | KFC Yum! Center (Louisville, KY) | TRU HD
Fri 3/20 7:20 | Fri 3/20 9:50 | Spero Dedes / Mike Gminski | Key Arena (Seattle, WA) | TNT HD

Nickname / Odds to Win

Northern Iowa Panthers	90/1
West Virginia Mountaineers	90/1
Butler Bulldogs	100/1
Ohio State Buckeyes	100/1
Texas Longhorns	100/1
Georgetown Hoyas	175/1
LSU Tigers	175/1
Xavier Musketeers	175/1
Arkansas Razorbacks	200/1
VCU Rams	200/1
Indiana Hoosiers	250/1
Iowa Hawkeyes	250/1
NC State Wolfpack	250/1
Ole Miss Rebels	250/1
Providence Friars	250/1
St. Johns Red Storm	250/1
Cincinnati Bearcats	300/1
Georgia Bulldogs	300/1
Oklahoma St. Cowboys	300/1

MountWest, AL, #44, #132, 10-2, 3-3
Boise State (25-8)
D - 3
A-10, AL, #28, #125, 9-3, 1-2
Dayton (25-8)
University of Dayton Arena
Dayton, OH
Wed 3/18 9:10
Ian Eagle / Doug Gottlieb

Oregon Ducks	300/1
San Diego St. Aztecs	300/1
UCLA Bruins	300/1
Brigham Young Cougars	300/1
Boise State Broncos	500/1
Davidson Wildcats	500/1
Dayton Flyers	500/1
Purdue Boilermakers	500/1

Atl Sun, CC, #166, #337, 10-2, 0-2
North Florida (23-11)
NF - 2
Northeast, CC, #174, #252, 8-4, 0-3
Robert Morris (19-14)
University of Dayton Arena
Dayton, OH
Wed 3/18 6:40
Ian Eagle / Doug Gottlieb

Stephen F. Austin Lumberjacks	500/1
Eastern Washington Eagles	1000/1
Valparaiso Crusaders	1000/1
Buffalo Bulls	1000/1
Wofford Terriers	1000/1
Wyoming Cowboys	1000/1
Harvard Crimson	1000/1
UC Irvine Anteaters	1000/1
UAB Blazers	1000/1
Georgia State Panthers	1000/1
Albany Great Danes	1000/1
Northeastern Huskies	1000/1
Belmont Bruins	1000/1
N. Dakota St Bison	1000/1
Texas Southern Tigers	1000/1
New Mexico St. Aggies	1000/1
Robert Morris Colonials	1000/1
North Florida Ospreys	1000/1
Lafayette Leopards	1000/1
Coastal Carolina Chanticleers	1000/1
Hampton Pirates	1000/1
Manhattan Jaspers	1000/1