North Carolina A&T Post- Game Quotes 2018 Celebration Bowl December 15, 2018 Mercedes- Benz Stadium (Atlanta, Ga)

QB Lamar Raynard FS Richie Kittles WR Zachary Leslie

Lamar- On momentum switch

"You just had to fight. And you know, I told my guys on the sidelines, if something good happens keep playing, if something bad happens keep playing. And you know we rally together."

This not being an easy year

"From last year, from everything going so smoothly, going 12-0. This year I had some struggles personally. It was times when I doubted myself but my teammates, they stayed on me and the coaching staff, they stayed on me, picked me up. A lot of people doubted me, and you know they believed in me. I even doubted myself at times, like I said God is so good. I want to thank these guys, I want to thank North Carolina A&T for giving me a shot and playing quarterback here."

Richie Kittles

On defense taking a run and

"Like Lamar said Alcorn has a great team, so we knew coming in the game that 3 and 13 were those guys and we knew they were pretty good. We just stayed the course and like I said Alcorn is a great team and we just kept on fighting and fighting, and we just had to get those stops and once we got that stop, we knew we'd be good."

Everyone reflecting on the season

Zachary

It's just a blessing to be able to play this game. Coming into the game coach said just do it for the seniors. He was like this is one of the best senior groups to ever come through the school. So, he was like finish! That was our main focus going into the game was just finish! After halftime we went into the game to just finish!"

Team legacy

Lamar- Um... I really don't like to talk about myself, but you know I just tried to come in here each and every day and work hard for my teammates. I got to shout out my teammates because we put in work.

Coach Sam Washington

.Staying the course...

"There is this old saying we live and die with this one. If something bad happens keep playing. If something bad happens keep playing. And that's exactly what we did, and what we did we collected everybody together. I had Lamar to collect all the offensive guys, had Darryl collect all the defensive guys and they went through that little ritual. Keep Playing and they did!"