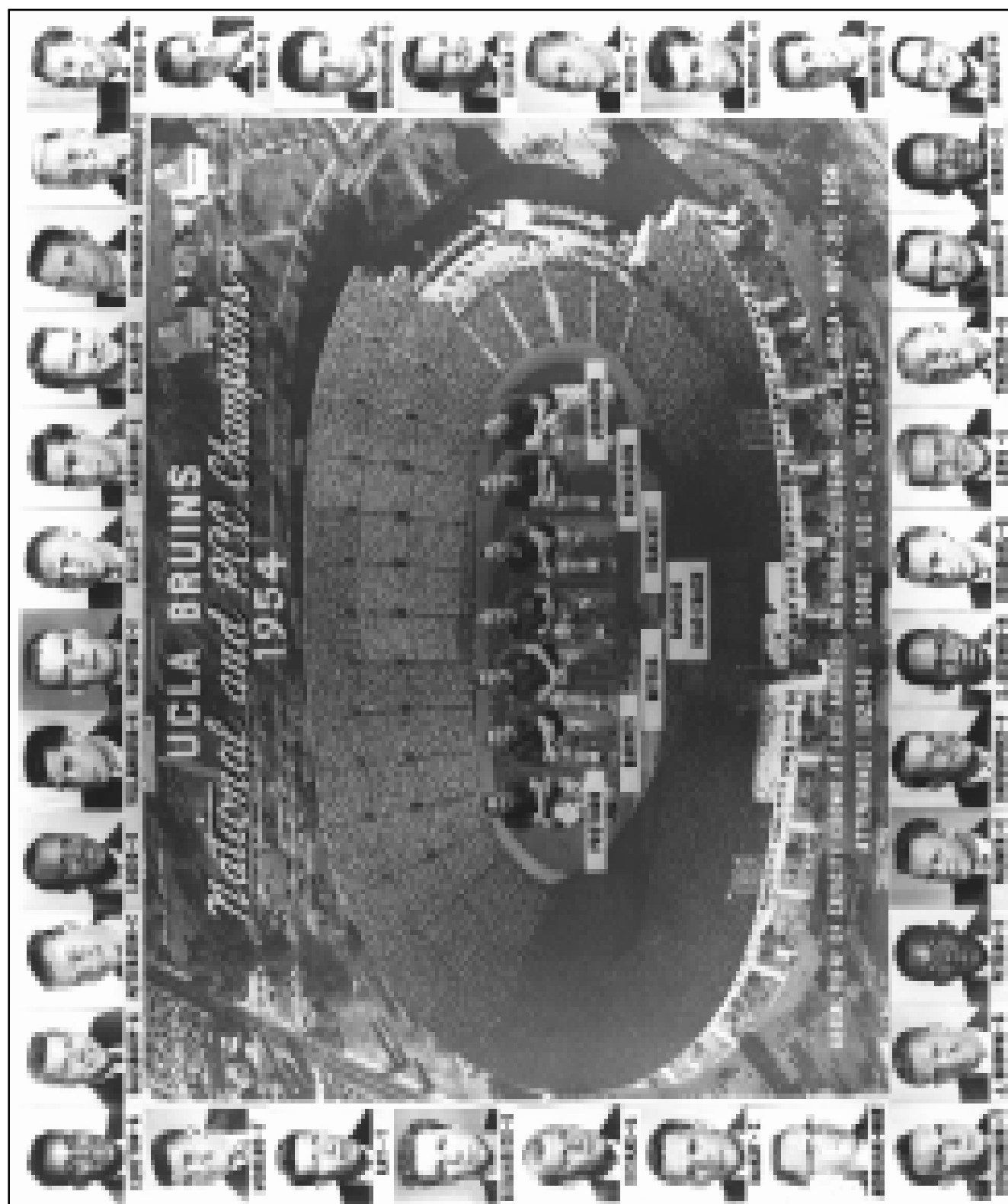




# 1954 BRUINS — NATIONAL CHAMPIONS

Fifty years ago, UCLA fielded the finest football team in the school's history. The 1954 Bruins compiled a perfect 9-0 record and, at the end of the season, were voted National Champions by United Press International.

Most of the key players from the 1953 Bruins, who were 8-2, returned in 1954, led by legendary head coach Henry R. "Red" Sanders. During his nine seasons in Westwood, Sanders' winning percentage was .773 and he won three Pacific Coast Conference titles.

The Bruins opened the 1954 season on Sept. 18 with a 67-0 victory over San Diego Navy at the Coliseum. The point total was the highest in school history at the time. The following week, the Bruins improved to 2-0 with a 32-7 victory at Kansas.

On Friday night, Oct. 1, amid much pre-game hype, defending national champion Maryland invaded the Coliseum. Playing in front of 73,376 fans, Bob Davenport rushed for 87 yards and both touchdowns in a 12-7 Bruin victory.

The next week, UCLA received its sternest test of the year. Playing Washington in Seattle, UCLA built a 21-0 lead. The Husky passing attack brought the home team within striking distance and a missed PAT was the difference in a 21-20 Bruin win.

Stanford was next on the hit parade and the Indians were hit often. The Bruins rushed for 418 yards and threw for 59 more. Defensively, they intercepted quarterback John Brodie eight times. UCLA scored early and often en route to a 72-0 win and a victory margin that is still the school record.

The carnage continued the following week as the Bruins won 61-0 at Oregon State. UCLA accounted for 593 yards total offense, including 498 on the ground.

The following week, California scored the only touchdown UCLA's defense allowed in the season's final five games, but it wasn't nearly enough. The Bruins won 27-6 in Berkeley behind 113 yards rushing and 120 yards passing by Primo Villanueva.

The Bruins improved to 8-0 the following week, shutting out Oregon, 41-0 in the Coliseum.

On Nov. 20, the Bruins faced USC before 102,548 fans in the sold out Coliseum. UCLA held a 7-0 lead entering the fourth quarter and exploded for 27 points in the final 15 minutes to finish the season with a perfect 9-0 record.

UCLA did not play in the Rose Bowl following that magical season because of the "no-repeat" rule. It was voted No. 1 on the United Press International poll and shared the national championship with Ohio State (the Associated Press champ).

The 1954 team set numerous records, including points in a season (367), points in a game (72) and touchdowns in a season (55). It led the nation in scoring offense (40.8 average) and scoring defense (4.4 average). Today, it still ranks No. 1 in school history in rushing defense (659 yards), total defense (1,708 yards) and scoring defense (40 points) while its 40.8 scoring average ranks second in school history.

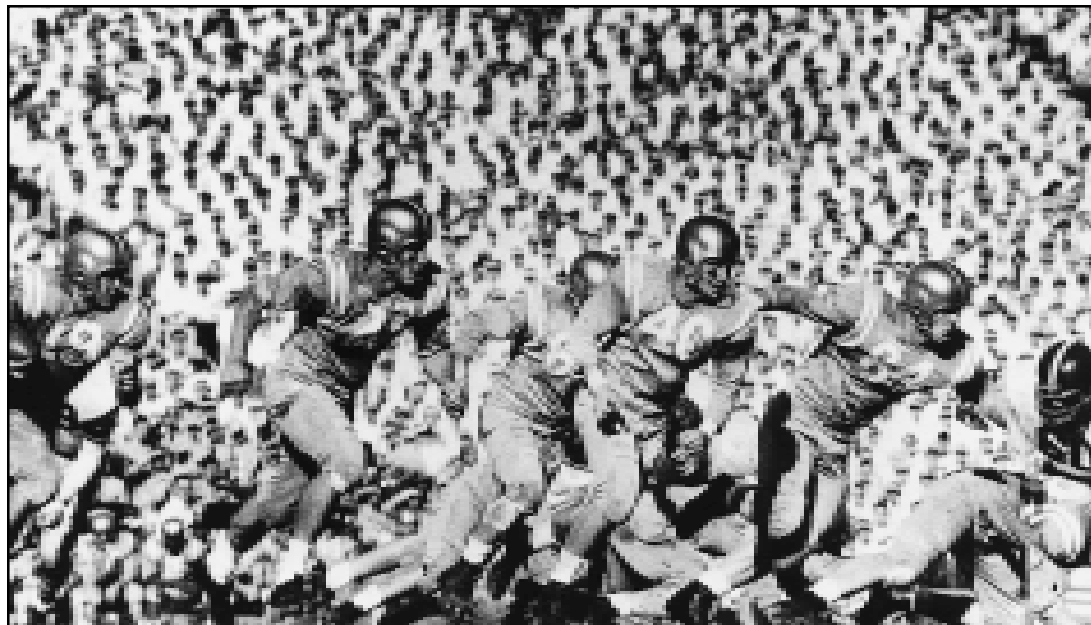
Jack Ellena, Jim Salsbury, Bob Davenport and Primo Villanueva all earned first-team All-America honors, as well as All-Coast and All-PCC acclaim. Eight other Bruins were named All-America honorable mention, including Sam Boghosian, who earned Academic All-America acclaim and was first-team All-Coast.

Other All-America honorable mentions included Hardiman Cureton (All-Coast and All-PCC second team), John Peterson (All-Coast second team), Bob Heydenfeldt (All-Coast second team), Jim Decker (All-PCC second team), Joe Ray (All-Coast and All-PCC second team), Terry Debay (second-team Academic All-American), and Rommie Loudd. Bob Long was selected second-team All-Coast and All-PCC while Gil Moreno and Warner Benjamin earned All-Coast honorable mention.

Decker led the team and ranked fifth in the PCC in rushing with 508 yards, followed by Villanueva with 486 and Davenport with 479. Villanueva passed for 400 yards and five touchdowns to lead the team while Davenport led the PCC in scoring with 11 touchdowns and Sam Brown led the league in

punt returns (26.2 average and three touchdowns). Heydenfeldt ranked second in punting (39.9).

Tommy Prothro, who would later become head coach at UCLA after a successful stint at Oregon State, was a key assistant coach on this team. He was inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1991.

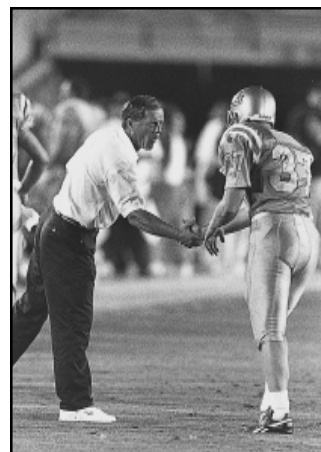


The 1954 National Champion Bruins in action — Primo Villanueva (19), Bob Davenport (27), Sam Boghosian (67), Terry Debay (40), Jim Salsbury (64)

# ***BRUINS IN THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL FOUNDATION HALL OF FAME***

| <b>Player</b>    | <b>Years at<br/>UCLA</b> | <b>Year<br/>Inducted</b> |
|------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Gary Beban       | 1965-67                  | 1988                     |
| Terry Donahue*   | 1976-95                  | 2000                     |
| Kenny Easley     | 1977-80                  | 1991                     |
| Tom Fears        | 1946-47                  | 1976                     |
| Bill Kilmer      | 1958-60                  | 1999                     |
| Donn Moomaw      | 1950-52                  | 1973                     |
| Tommy Prothro*   | 1965-70                  | 1991                     |
| Jerry Robinson   | 1975-78                  | 1996                     |
| Red Sanders*     | 1949-57                  | 1996                     |
| Al Sparlis       | 1941-42,45               | 1983                     |
| Kenny Washington | 1937-39                  | 1956                     |

\* Head Coach



**Terry Donahue**

## **Gary Beban**

UCLA's starting quarterback from 1965-67 ... Only UCLA player to win Heisman Trophy (1967) ... Consensus All-American in 1967 ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1988 ... Ranks eighth in career passing with 4,087 yards and fifth in career total offense with 5,358 yards ... Ranks fourth in school history with 35 career touchdowns, eighth in scoring ... Led the team in passing and total offense three times ... Charter member of UCLA Athletic Hall of Fame.

## **Terry Donahue**

Served as head coach for 20 years (1976-85) ... The winningest coach in school history with a record of 151-74-8 and the winningest coach in Pacific-10 Conference history with 98 league victories ... The first coach in NCAA history to win a bowl game in seven consecutive seasons (1982-88) ... His teams went on to win eight straight bowls overall ... Led UCLA to five Pac-10 titles, four Rose Bowls and a post-season record of 8-4-1 ... Won his final five games against USC, becoming the only coach in the history of the series to win five consecutive games, and finished with a 10-9-1 record in the series ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 2000 ... Inducted into the UCLA Athletic Hall of Fame in 2001.

## **Kenny Easley**

Played free safety for UCLA from 1977-1980 ... Became a starter in the second game of his freshman year ... One of two three-time consensus All-Americans in UCLA and Pac-10 history (1978-80) ... First defensive four-time first-team All-Pac-10 player (1977-80) ... Ranks first on UCLA career interception list with 19 and third in career tackles with 374 ... Inducted into the UCLA Athletic Hall of Fame in 1991 ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1991.

## **Tom Fears**

Tom played wide receiver in 1946-47 ... Earned All-Coast recognition as a senior ... Starred with the Los Angeles Rams of the NFL ... Inducted into the UCLA Athletic Hall of Fame in 1989 ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1976.

## **Bill Kilmer**

Bill played single-wing halfback in 1958-59-60 ... Named All-American in 1960 ... Team MVP in 1960 ... Led the nation in total offense that season ... Led UCLA in total offense, passing and punting in 1959-60 and both rushing and scoring in 1960 ... Went on to a highly successful NFL career as a quarterback with San Francisco, New Orleans and Washington ... Played in the 1973 Super Bowl with the Redskins ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1999.



**Tommy Prothro**



**Jerry Robinson**

# ***BRUINS IN THE NATIONAL FOOTBALL FOUNDATION HALL OF FAME***

## **Donn Moomaw**

Starting linebacker/center for UCLA from 1950-52 ... Earned All-American honors in 1950 and consensus honors in 1952 ... All-Conference from 1950-52 ... Fourth in the 1952 Heisman Trophy balloting ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1973 ... 1952 Academic All-American ... First round draft choice of Los Angeles Rams in 1953 NFL Draft ... Charter member of UCLA Athletic Hall of Fame and the GTE Academic All-America Hall of Fame.

## **Tommy Prothro**

Served as head coach from 1965-70 ... Compiled record of 41-18-3 and his winning percentage of .686 ranks second in UCLA history (three years minimum) ... Led UCLA to its first bowl win, a 14-12 victory over Michigan State in the 1966 Rose Bowl ... Four of his six teams ranked in the final UPI Top 10 ... Coached UCLA's only Heisman Trophy winner (Gary Beban) ... Inducted into the UCLA Athletic Hall of Fame in 1986 ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1991.

## **Jerry Robinson**

Starting linebacker for UCLA from 1976-78 and a reserve receiver in 1975 ... The nation's first three-time consensus All-American since SMU's Doak Walker in 1947-49 and the first ever in Pac-10 and UCLA history (1976-78) ... All-Conference from 1976-78 ... Ranks first on UCLA career tackles list with 468 and first (161), second (159) and third (147) on the single-season list ... 10th in the 1978 Heisman Trophy balloting ... Inducted into the UCLA Athletic Hall of Fame in 1991 ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1996.

## **Red Sanders**

Served as head coach from 1949 through 1957, passing away shortly before the 1958 season ... Led UCLA to its only national championship in 1954 ... Compiled a record of 66-19 and his winning percentage of .773 is the highest in UCLA history ... Won three Pacific Coast Conference titles ... Charter member of the UCLA Athletic Hall of Fame ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1996.

## **Al Sparlis**

Al played guard in 1941-42-45 ... Named an All-American following the 1945 season ... Starter on UCLA's first Rose Bowl team in 1943 ... Returned to UCLA after a three-year stint in the U.S. Air Force ... Named team MVP in '45 ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1983.

## **Kenny Washington**

Played halfback for UCLA from 1937-1939 ... UCLA's first All-American in 1939 ... All-Conference in 1939 ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1956, the first UCLA player so honored ... Ranks 14th on UCLA career rushing list with 1,915 yards (he ranked first from 1939 through 1972) and 15th in total offense with 3,206 yards ... Led the team in passing and rushing three straight seasons ... Charter member of the UCLA Athletic Hall of Fame.

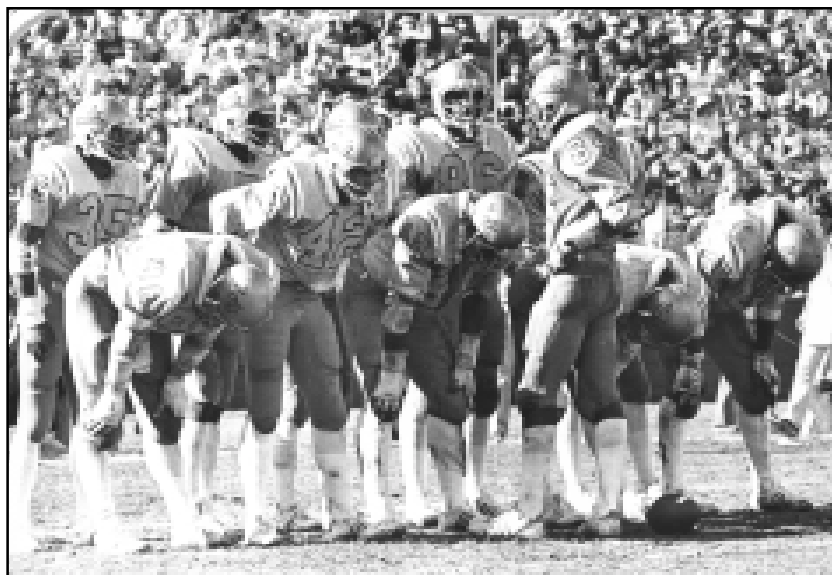


**Gary Beban**



**Kenny Easley**

**Jerry Robinson (84) was the defensive leader in a Hall of Fame career**



# ALL-AMERICAN BRUINS

Here is UCLA's list of 81 first-team All-American selections (72 players), headed by three-time consensus choices Jerry Robinson and Kenny Easley. Robinson (1976-77-78), an inside linebacker, and Easley (1978-79-80), a free safety, are the only three-time consensus All-Americans in Pacific-10 Conference history.

The list also includes 1967 Heisman Trophy winner Gary Beban, 1988 Davey O'Brien Award winner Troy Aikman, Outland Trophy winners Jonathan Ogden (1995) and Kris Farris (1998), 1998 Unitas Award winner Cade McNown and two-time All-Americans Donn Moomaw, Paul Cameron, Bob Davenport, John Lee and Chris Sailer. Sailer is the only Bruin to earn first-team All-America honors at two positions in the same season.

|      |                       |      |                        |
|------|-----------------------|------|------------------------|
| 1939 | Kenny Washington, h   | 1981 | * Tim Wrightman, te    |
| 1945 | Al Sparlis, g         |      | Luis Sharpe, ot        |
| 1946 | * Burr Baldwin, e     | 1983 | * Don Rogers, s        |
| 1950 | Donn Moomaw, lb       | 1984 | John Lee, pk           |
| 1952 | * Donn Moomaw, lb     | 1985 | * John Lee, pk         |
| 1952 | Paul Cameron, hb      | 1987 | Gaston Green, tb       |
| 1953 | * Paul Cameron, hb    |      | Ken Norton, lb         |
| 1954 | * Jack Ellena, t      | 1988 | *# Troy Aikman, qb     |
| 1954 | Jim Salsbury, g       |      | * Darryl Henley, cb    |
| 1954 | Bob Davenport, fb     |      | Carnell Lake, olb      |
| 1955 | Bob Davenport, fb     |      | Charles Arbuckle, te   |
| 1955 | * Hardiman Cureton, g | 1989 | Frank Cornish, c       |
| 1955 | Rommie Loudd, e       |      | Kirk Maggio, p         |
| 1955 | Jim Brown, g          | 1990 | Eric Turner, s         |
| 1957 | * Dick Wallen, e      |      | Roman Phifer, olb      |
| 1958 | Bill Leeka, t         | 1991 | Matt Darby, s          |
| 1960 | Bill Kilmer, hb       | 1992 | * Carlton Gray, cb     |
| 1961 | Ron Hull, c           | 1993 | * J.J. Stokes, wr      |
| 1962 | Kermit Alexander, hb  |      | * Jamir Miller, olb    |
| 1966 | * Mel Farr, hb        |      | * Bjorn Merten, pk     |
| 1966 | John Richardson, dl   |      | Marvin Goodwin, s      |
| 1967 | *† Gary Beban, qb     |      | Vaughn Parker, ot      |
|      | * Don Manning, lb     |      | Craig Novitsky, og     |
|      | Larry Slagle, ot      | 1994 | Kevin Jordan, fl       |
| 1969 | * Mike Ballou, lb     | 1995 | *& Jonathan Ogden, ot  |
|      | Floyd Reese, dt       |      | Karim Abdul-Jabbar, tb |
| 1971 | Dave Dalby, c         | 1997 | * Chad Overhauser, ot  |
| 1973 | Jimmy Allen, db       |      | Chris Sailer, pk       |
|      | Efren Herrera, k      |      | Chris Sailer, p        |
|      | * Kermit Johnson, rb  |      | Skip Hicks, tb         |
|      | James McAlister, rb   |      | Shaun Williams, fs     |
|      | Fred McNeill, de      | 1998 | *& Kris Farris, ot     |
|      | Al Oliver, ot         |      | *% Cade McNown, qb     |
| 1975 | * John Sciarra, qb    | 2000 | * Freddie Mitchell, wr |
| 1975 | Randy Cross, og       | 2001 | * Robert Thomas, lb    |
|      | Cliff Frazier, ng     | 2003 | * Dave Ball, de        |
| 1976 | Jeff Dankworth, gb    |      |                        |
|      | Oscar Edwards, db     |      |                        |
|      | * Jerry Robinson, lb  |      |                        |
| 1977 | * Jerry Robinson, lb  |      |                        |
| 1978 | * Kenny Easley, s     |      |                        |
|      | * Jerry Robinson, lb  |      |                        |
| 1979 | * Kenny Easley, s     |      |                        |
| 1980 | * Kenny Easley, s     |      |                        |
|      | Freeman McNeil, tb    |      |                        |

\*Consensus Selection  
†Heisman Trophy Winner  
#Davey O'Brien Quarterback Award Winner  
&Outland Trophy winner  
%Johnny Unitas Senior Quarterback Award winner



**Skip Hicks**



**Jamir Miller**

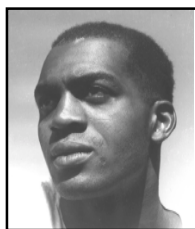


**Jonathan Ogden**

# ALL-AMERICAN BRUINS

## A HISTORICAL LOOK AT UCLA'S FIRST-TEAM ALL-AMERICANS

(Listed in chronological order)



### #13 Kenny Washington

Kenny played halfback in 1937-38-39 ... Named UCLA's first football All-American in 1939 ... Twice named team MVP in '37 and '39 ... National total offense leader with 1,370 yards in '39 ... His career rushing total of 1,915 yards was a UCLA record which stood for 34 years ... His No. 13 jersey was the first to be retired at UCLA ... Inducted into the National

Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1956 ... Played professionally for the Los Angeles Rams in 1946-48.

#### Rushing

| Year   | TCB | Yds  | YL  | Net  | Avg |
|--------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|
| 1937   | 138 |      |     | 530  | 3.8 |
| 1938   | 147 |      |     | 573  | 3.7 |
| 1939   | 169 |      |     | 812  | 4.8 |
| Totals | 454 | 2275 | 360 | 1915 | 4.2 |

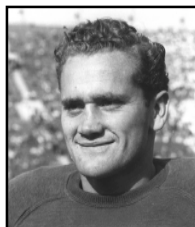
#### Passing

| Year   | PA  | PC | YDS  | PCT  | TD |
|--------|-----|----|------|------|----|
| 1937   | 72  | 34 | 495  | .472 | 3  |
| 1938   | 65  | 21 | 214  | .323 | 3  |
| 1939   | 92  | 38 | 582  | .409 | 7  |
| Totals | 229 | 93 | 1291 | .406 | 13 |



### #58 Al Sparlis

Al played guard in 1941-42-45 ... Named an All-American following the 1945 season ... Starter on UCLA's first Rose Bowl team in 1943 ... Returned to UCLA after a three-year stint in the U.S. Air Force ... Named team MVP in '45 ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1983.



### #38 Burr Baldwin

Burr played end in 1941-42-46 ... Consensus All-American in 1946 ... UCLA's first consensus All-American ... 1946 team MVP and co-captain ... Seventh in 1946 Heisman Trophy balloting ... Played in UCLA's first two Rose Bowls ... Starter on UCLA's first regular-season unbeaten team (1946) ... Jersey number is retired ... Member of UCLA Athletic Hall of Fame.

#### Receiving

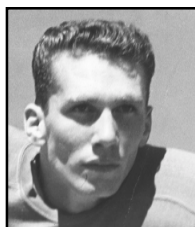
| Year | No | Yds | Avg  | TD |
|------|----|-----|------|----|
| 1946 | 18 | 374 | 20.8 | 3  |



### #80 Donn Moomaw

Donn played linebacker in 1950-51-52 ... He was named an All-American in 1950 and a consensus All-American in 1952 ... UCLA's first two-time All-American ... Team posted a 19-7-1 record in his three seasons ... Twice named team MVP in '50 and '52 ... Co-captain in 1952 ... Fourth in the Heisman Trophy balloting in 1952 ... Had his jersey number retired ... Na-

tional Football Foundation Hall of Fame member ... A first-round draft choice by the Los Angeles Rams in 1953.



### #34 Paul Cameron

Paul played halfback in 1951-52-53 and earned consensus All-America honors in 1953 ... Team MVP in '51 and '53 ... Conference total offense leader in 1951 ... Rushing and scoring leader in 1953 ... Led Bruins to the 1954 Rose Bowl game ... Third in the '53 Heisman Trophy balloting and sixth in 1952 ... Bruins went 21-6-1 in his three seasons ... Had his jersey number re-

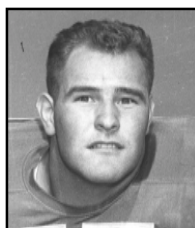
tired ... Played in both the NFL and the Canadian Football League.

#### Rushing

| Year   | TCB | Yds  | YL  | Net  | Avg | TD |
|--------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|----|
| 1951   | 159 | 820  | 223 | 597  | 3.8 | 5  |
| 1952   | 75  | 303  | 114 | 189  | 2.5 |    |
| 1953   | 146 | 829  | 164 | 665  | 4.6 | 13 |
| Totals | 380 | 1952 | 501 | 1451 | 3.8 |    |

#### Passing

| Year   | PA  | PC  | YDS  | PCT  | INT | TD |
|--------|-----|-----|------|------|-----|----|
| 1951   | 134 | 66  | 885  | .493 | 9   | 10 |
| 1952   | 96  | 36  | 518  | .375 | 5   | 8  |
| 1953   | 106 | 39  | 478  | .370 | 9   | 7  |
| Totals | 336 | 141 | 1881 | .420 | 23  | 25 |



### #77 Jack Ellena

Jack played tackle in 1952-53-54 ... Named a consensus All-American in 1954 ... An All-Conference performer in all three seasons ... Alternate team captain in 1954 ... Keyed the defense of UCLA's undefeated 1954 national championship team ... Finished seventh in the 1954 Heisman Trophy balloting ... Team posted 25-3 record in his three seasons ... Two-time

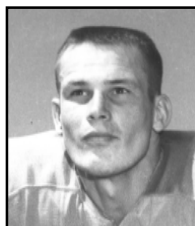
Pacific Coast Intercollegiate Heavyweight wrestling champion ... Went on to play in both the NFL and the Canadian Football League.



### #64 Jim Salsbury

Jim was a rare four-year letterwinner who played guard in 1951-52-53-54 ... Earned All-American honors in 1954 ... Named All-Coast in 1952 and 1954 ... An outstanding and dominating blocker ... A big reason the 1954 national champions averaged over 40 points per game ... Team posted 30-6-1 record in his four seasons ... Went on to play for the Detroit Lions

and the Green Bay Packers from 1955-58.



### #27 Bob Davenport

Bob played fullback in 1953-54-55 ... He was the first Bruin to earn back-to-back All-American honors in 1954 and '55 ... Scored 25 touchdowns in 26 games during his three years ... Played for three Pacific Coast Conference champions and was a member of the 1954 National Championship team ... Member of two Rose Bowl teams ... 1955 team MVP

... Team posted a 26-4 record in his three seasons ... Went on to play a season in the Canadian Football League.

#### Rushing

| Year   | TCB | Yds  | YL | Net  | Avg | TD |
|--------|-----|------|----|------|-----|----|
| 1953   | 113 | 449  | 11 | 438  | 3.9 | 7  |
| 1954   | 105 | 505  | 26 | 479  | 4.6 | 11 |
| 1955   | 100 | 420  | 5  | 415  | 4.2 | 7  |
| Totals | 318 | 1374 | 42 | 1332 | 4.2 | 25 |

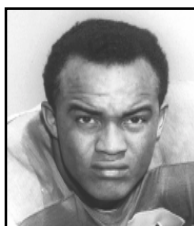
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## #60 Hardiman Cureton

Hardiman played guard in 1953-54-55 and earned consensus All-America honors in 1955 ... 1955 team captain ... Member of the 1954 National Championship team ... Played on three Pacific Coast Conference championship teams ... Three-year starter on teams which produced a 26-4 record ... Played both offensive and defensive line ... Went on to play

several years in the Canadian Football League.

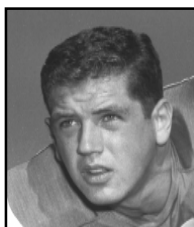


## #82 Rommie Lound

Rommie played end in 1953-54-55 and was named All-American in 1955 ... Leading pass receiver on the '54 National Championship team ... Member of two Rose Bowl teams and three Pacific Coast Conference title teams ... Also played defense ... Team posted a 26-4 record in his three seasons ... Played in the NFL and the Canadian Football League.

### Receiving

| Year   | No | Yds | Avg  | TD |
|--------|----|-----|------|----|
| 1953   | 5  | 64  | 12.8 | 1  |
| 1954   | 13 | 157 | 12.1 | 4  |
| 1955   | 7  | 132 | 18.9 | 1  |
| Totals | 25 | 355 | 14.2 | 6  |



## #63 Jim Brown

Jim played guard in 1954-55 ... Earned All-American honors in '55 ... Transferred from Santa Clara, which dropped its program ... Teamed with Hardiman Cureton to form perhaps the nation's top guard tandem ... Member of the 1954 National Championship team ... Team went 18-2 in his two seasons.

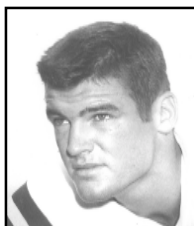


## #82 Dick Wallen

Dick played end for three seasons from 1956-57-58 ... He was named a consensus All-American in 1957 ... Team MVP in the 1957 season ... Led the team in pass receiving for three straight years ... Led the team in interceptions in 1957 and in scoring in 1958 ... Made a then school record 10 catches vs. Florida in 1958.

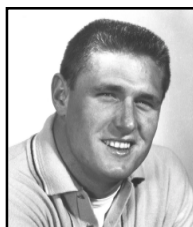
### Receiving

| Year   | No | Yds | Avg  | TD |
|--------|----|-----|------|----|
| 1956   | 23 | 308 | 13.4 | 2  |
| 1957   | 20 | 303 | 15.2 | 3  |
| 1958   | 19 | 211 | 11.1 | 3  |
| Totals | 62 | 822 | 13.3 | 8  |



## #72 Bill Leeka

Bill played tackle in 1956-57-58 ... Named All-American in 1958 ... All-Coast selection in 1957 and '58 ... Quick and consistent player who went both ways ... Coach Red Sanders called him "one of the best tackles he had ever coached."



## #17 Bill Kilmer

Bill played single-wing halfback in 1958-59-60 ... Named All-American in 1960 ... Team MVP in 1960 ... Led the nation in total offense that season ... Led UCLA in total offense, passing and punting in 1959-60 and both rushing and scoring in 1960 ... Finished fifth in the 1960 Heisman Trophy balloting ... Went on to a highly successful NFL career as a quarterback

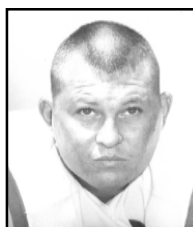
with San Francisco, New Orleans and Washington ... Played in the 1973 Super Bowl with the Redskins ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in December 1999.

### Rushing

| Year   | TCB | Yds  | YL  | Net  | Avg | TD |
|--------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|----|
| 1958   | 50  | 229  | 34  | 195  | 3.9 | 1  |
| 1959   | 94  | 456  | 68  | 388  | 4.1 | 3  |
| 1960   | 163 | 951  | 148 | 803  | 4.9 | 8  |
| Totals | 307 | 1636 | 250 | 1386 | 4.5 | 12 |

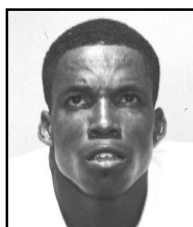
### Passing

| Year   | PA  | PC  | YDS  | PCT  | INT | TD |
|--------|-----|-----|------|------|-----|----|
| 1958   | 25  | 4   | 93   | .160 | 0   | 0  |
| 1959   | 101 | 41  | 702  | .406 | 5   | 7  |
| 1960   | 129 | 64  | 1086 | .495 | 8   | 8  |
| Totals | 255 | 109 | 1881 | .427 | 13  | 15 |



## #50 Ron Hull

Ron played center in 1959-60-61 ... Earned All-American honors in 1961 ... 1961 team captain ... Last of the single-wing centers ... Conference champions in 1959 and '61 ... Member of the '62 Rose Bowl team which played Minnesota.



## #33 Kermit Alexander

Kermit played halfback in 1960-61-62 ... Earned All-American honors in 1962 ... Two-time team MVP and All-Around Excellence award winner ... Team leader in pass receiving and kickoff returns in '61 and '62 ... 1962 rushing leader ... Also one of the team's top defensive players ... A first-round selection in the NFL draft by San Francisco ... Enjoyed a long NFL career from

1963-76 with San Francisco, Los Angeles and Philadelphia.

### Receiving

| Year   | No | Yds | Avg  | TD |
|--------|----|-----|------|----|
| 1960   | 6  | 33  | 5.5  | 0  |
| 1961   | 11 | 271 | 24.6 | 1  |
| 1962   | 12 | 178 | 14.8 | 1  |
| Totals | 29 | 482 | 16.6 | 2  |

### Rushing

| Year   | TCB | Yds | YL | Net | Avg | TD |
|--------|-----|-----|----|-----|-----|----|
| 1960   | 6   | 23  | 0  | 23  | 3.8 | 0  |
| 1961   | 30  | 170 | 5  | 165 | 5.5 | 1  |
| 1962   | 82  | 499 | 27 | 472 | 5.8 | 6  |
| Totals | 118 | 692 | 32 | 660 | 5.6 | 7  |

### All-Purpose

| Year   | Rush | Rec | KO  | PR  | Tot  |
|--------|------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| 1960   | 23   | 33  | 0   | 12  | 68   |
| 1961   | 165  | 271 | 157 | 131 | 724  |
| 1962   | 472  | 178 | 313 | 26  | 989  |
| Totals | 660  | 482 | 470 | 169 | 1781 |

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## #22 Mel Farr, Sr.

Mel played halfback in 1964-65-66 ... Earned consensus All-American acclaim in '66 ... Named All-Coast in '65-66 ... Named Most Improved Player in '65 ... Named team MVP in '66 ... Team leader in rushing in '65-66 ... Seventh in the '66 Heisman Trophy balloting ... Team went 21-9-1 in his three seasons ... First-round pick and No. 7 overall selection in the '67 NFL draft by Detroit ... Played with the Lions

from 1967-73 and was NFL Rookie of the Year in 1967.

### Rushing

| Year   | TCB | Yds  | YL | Net  | Avg | TD |
|--------|-----|------|----|------|-----|----|
| 1964   | 27  | 93   | 7  | 86   | 3.2 | 0  |
| 1965   | 122 | 843  | 22 | 821  | 6.7 | 7  |
| 1966   | 138 | 812  | 3  | 809  | 5.9 | 9  |
| Totals | 287 | 1748 | 32 | 1716 | 6.0 | 16 |



## #75 John Richardson

John played defensive line in the 1964-65-66 seasons ... Named an All-American in 1966 ... Started all 10 games in 1966 for a team that finished fifth in the AP rankings and posted a 9-1 record ... Only one opponent scored more than 16 points against the Bruins that season ... At 254 pounds, he was the largest defensive lineman, to date, in school history ... Named a

second-team All-American following the 1965 season in which he started each game, including the 1966 Rose Bowl win, UCLA's first bowl victory, over No.1-ranked Michigan State ... Played both sides of the ball during the 1964 season ... Selected in the ninth round of the 1967 NFL draft by the Miami Dolphins ... Played with the Dolphins from 1967-71 and from 1972-73 with the Cardinals ... Was a member of the Dolphins' 1972 Super Bowl championship team.



## #16 Gary Beban

Gary quarterbacked the Bruins in 1965-66-67 ... Earned consensus All-America honors in 1967 ... Heisman Trophy winner in 1967 ... Three-time All-Coast performer ... Led team in total offense, passing and scoring in 1965-67 ... Finished fourth in the 1966 Heisman Trophy balloting ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in 1988 ... Still ranks in

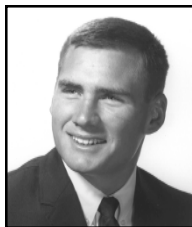
the top 10 all-time at UCLA in career passing (No. 8 with 4,087 yards), total offense (No. 5 with 5,358 yards) and touchdowns scored (No. 4 with 35) ... One of eight players to have his number retired ... A charter member of UCLA's Hall of Fame ... A second-round selection by the Los Angeles Rams, he also played a couple of seasons with the Washington Redskins.

### Passing

| Year   | PA  | PC  | YDS  | PCT  | INT | TD |
|--------|-----|-----|------|------|-----|----|
| 1965   | 152 | 78  | 1483 | .513 | 6   | 9  |
| 1966   | 157 | 78  | 1245 | .497 | 10  | 6  |
| 1967   | 156 | 87  | 1359 | .557 | 7   | 8  |
| Totals | 465 | 243 | 4087 | .523 | 23  | 23 |

### Rushing

| Year   | TCB | Yds  | YL  | Net  | Avg | TD |
|--------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|----|
| 1965   | 194 | 856  | 266 | 590  | 3.0 | 14 |
| 1966   | 123 | 595  | 141 | 454  | 3.7 | 10 |
| 1967   | 145 | 504  | 277 | 227  | 1.6 | 11 |
| Totals | 462 | 1955 | 684 | 1271 | 2.8 | 35 |



## #50 Don Manning

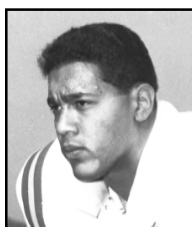
Don played linebacker in 1965-66-67 ... Earned consensus All-American honors in 1967 ... Named All-Coast in 1966-67 ... Team interception leader in 1966 ... Team posted a three-year record of 24-5-2 ... Played in UCLA's first Rose Bowl victory following the 1965 season ... He and Beban became the first Bruins to make consensus All-American in the same year.



## #77 Larry Slagle

Larry played offensive line in the 1965-66-67 seasons ... Named an All-American in the 1967 season ... Co-captain of the 1967 Bruin team which featured Heisman Trophy winner Gary Beban ... Earned honorable mention all-conference honors in 1966 ... Started for most of the '65 season and was a member of the '66 Rose Bowl winning Bruin team...Team went

24-5-2 in his three seasons ... Selected in the 11<sup>th</sup> round of the '68 NFL draft by the St. Louis Cardinals ... Played from 1968-71 in the Canadian Football League for Winnipeg.



## #57 Mike Ballou

Mike played middle linebacker in 1967-68-69 ... Earned consensus All-America honors in 1969 ... Started 29 of 30 games in his career ... 1969 tri-captain ... Served as captain of his team in the Shrine All-Star Game ... Played the 1970 season with the Boston Patriots.



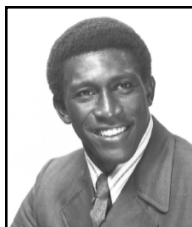
## #74 Floyd Reese

Floyd played defensive tackle and middle guard in 1967-68-69 ... Started in 28 of his 30 career games ... Named Rookie of the Year in 1967 and team MVP in 1969 ... 1969 tri-captain and keyed one of UCLA's all-time best defenses ... Currently general manager of the Tennessee Titans.



## #50 Dave Dalby

Dave played center in 1969-70-71 ... Earned All-America honors in 1971 ... Started all 31 career games ... 1970-71 All-Coast selection ... 1971 co-captain and team MVP ... Enjoyed a long professional career with the Raiders from 1972-85 after being selected in the fourth round ... Appeared in the 1977, '81 and '84 Super Bowls.



## #20 Jimmy Allen

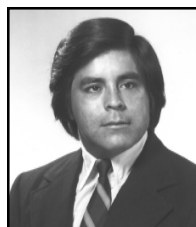
Jimmy played defensive back in 1972-73 ... Named All-American in 1973 ... Started all 22 games in his career and the team posted a 17-5 record ... Team interception leader and Rookie of the Year in 1972 ... 1973 Leadership award winner ... Set UCLA record with 100-yard interception return vs. California in 1973 ... Drafted in the fourth round by the Pittsburgh Steelers in 1974 ... Played for Pittsburgh and

the Detroit Lions from 1974-81 ... Appeared in the 1975-76 Super Bowls with the Steelers.

### Interceptions

| Year   | No | Yds | Avg  | TD |
|--------|----|-----|------|----|
| 1972   | 7  | 42  | 6.0  | 0  |
| 1973   | 3  | 100 | 33.3 | 1  |
| Totals | 10 | 142 | 14.2 | 1  |

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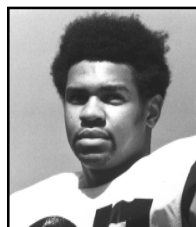
## #1 Efen Herrera

Efen was the Bruin place-kicker in 1971-72-73 ... Named All-American in 1973 ... UCLA's scoring leader in 1971-72 ... Set seven school kicking records ... Connected on 121 of 127 PATs and 24 of 47 field goals in his career ... His 193 career points rank No. 10 all-time at UCLA ... Drafted by the Detroit Lions in the seventh round in 1974 ... Played from 1974-82

with the NFL's Dallas, Seattle and Buffalo franchises ... Appeared in the 1978 Super Bowl with the Cowboys.

### Kicking

| Year   | FGA | FGM | XPA | XPM | Pts |
|--------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1971   | 21  | 10  | 16  | 16  | 46  |
| 1972   | 15  | 6   | 47  | 45  | 63  |
| 1973   | 11  | 8   | 64  | 60  | 84  |
| Totals | 37  | 24  | 127 | 121 | 193 |



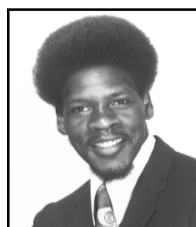
## #37 Kermit Johnson

Kermit played running back in 1971-72-73 ... Named a consensus All-American in 1973 ... All-Coast selection in 1972-73 ... Finished 10th in the 1973 Heisman Trophy balloting ... 1972 All-Around Excellence award winner ... 1973 tri-captain and MVP ... Set seven individual game, season and career records ... Had Pac-10 record 7.53 yard per carry average in 1973

... First Bruin to rush for over 1,000 yards in a single season (1,129 in 1973) ... Broke Kenny Washington's 34-year old UCLA career rushing record with 2,495 yards and still ranks ninth on the career list ... Went on to play a couple of seasons with the San Francisco 49ers after being a seventh-round selection in the 1974 draft.

### Rushing

| Year   | TCB | Yds  | YL | Net  | Avg | TD |
|--------|-----|------|----|------|-----|----|
| 1971   | 80  | 423  | 9  | 414  | 5.2 | 2  |
| 1972   | 140 | 989  | 37 | 952  | 6.8 | 7  |
| 1973   | 150 | 1139 | 10 | 1129 | 7.5 | 16 |
| Totals | 370 | 2551 | 56 | 2495 | 6.7 | 25 |



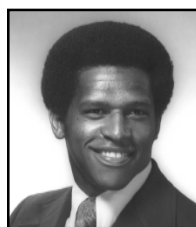
## #32 James McAlister

James played running back in 1972-73 ... Named All-American in 1973 ... Teamed with Kermit Johnson to form one of the best backfields in school history ... Averaged 5.3 yards per carry and gained 1,492 yards in his career ... Team went 17-5 in his two seasons ... His 27-0 1/2 long jump has been a school record mark since 1973 ... Played in the NFL

with the Eagles in 1975-76 and the New England Patriots in 1978 after being a sixth-round pick of the Raiders in 1974.

### Rushing

| Year   | TCB | Yds  | YL | Net  | Avg | TD |
|--------|-----|------|----|------|-----|----|
| 1972   | 158 | 825  | 47 | 778  | 4.9 | 9  |
| 1973   | 123 | 717  | 3  | 714  | 5.9 | 8  |
| Totals | 281 | 1542 | 50 | 1492 | 5.3 | 17 |



## #92 Fred McNeill

Fred played defensive end in 1971-72-73 ... Named All-American in 1973 ... Selected All-Coast in 1972-73 ... 1971 Rookie of the Year ... 1972 Leadership award winner ... 1972 team tackle leader ... 1973 team tri-captain ... First-round pick of the Minnesota Vikings in the 1974 NFL draft ... Team advanced to the 1975 and '77 Super Bowls ... Played with the Vikings from

1974-85.



## #70 Al Oliver

Al played offensive tackle in the 1972 and 73 seasons ... Named an All-American in 1973 ... Transferred to UCLA from Cerritos College ... Started 10 games as a senior in 1973 ... Helped clear the way for running back Kermit Johnson who ran for 1,129 yards that season and set seven school marks ... Team went 9-2 in 1973 and was ranked 12<sup>th</sup> in the final AP poll ...

Started three games in 1972 ... The Bruins defeated No. 1-ranked Nebraska in 1972 to open the season and went on to post an 8-3 record ... Selected in the third round of the 1974 NFL draft by the Los Angeles Rams.



## #15 John Sciarra

John played quarterback in 1972-73-74-75 ... Named a consensus All-American in 1975 ... 1973 Leadership award winner ... Team Offensive MVP in 1974-75 ... 1975 tri-captain ... Led Bruins to a win in the 1976 Rose Bowl over top-ranked Ohio State and was named player of the game ... Ranks eighth in career total offense (4,464 yards), 16th in career passing (148

completions) and 16th in rushing (1,813 yards) ... Finished seventh in the 1975 Heisman Trophy balloting ... Team went 32-10-3 in his four seasons ... NCAA Post-Graduate scholarship winner ... National Football Foundation Scholar-Athlete ... NCAA Top 10 award winner ... Played in the Canadian Football League and with the Philadelphia Eagles from 1978-83 ... Was on 1981 Eagle Super Bowl team.

### Rushing

| Year   | TCB | Yds  | YL  | Net  | Avg  | TD |
|--------|-----|------|-----|------|------|----|
| 1972   | 10  | 137  | 7   | 130  | 13.0 | 0  |
| 1973   | 72  | 557  | 61  | 496  | 6.9  | 5  |
| 1974   | 91  | 508  | 108 | 400  | 4.4  | 4  |
| 1975   | 198 | 966  | 179 | 787  | 3.9  | 14 |
| Totals | 371 | 2168 | 355 | 1813 | 4.9  | 23 |

### Passing

| Year   | PA  | PC  | YDS  | PCT  | INT | TD |
|--------|-----|-----|------|------|-----|----|
| 1972   | 0   | 0   | 0    | .000 | 0   | 0  |
| 1973   | 62  | 27  | 503  | .435 | 3   | 3  |
| 1974   | 92  | 47  | 835  | .511 | 5   | 4  |
| 1975   | 145 | 74  | 1313 | .510 | 14  | 8  |
| Totals | 299 | 148 | 2651 | .495 | 22  | 15 |



## #51 Randy Cross

Randy played center and guard in 1973-74-75 ... Named All-American in 1975 ... Starter in 28 of his 34 career games, including the final 23 ... Named team's outstanding lineman in 1974-75 ... Member of the 1976 Rose Bowl team which defeated top-ranked Ohio State ... Team went 24-7-3 in his three seasons ... Second-round selection of the 49ers in the '76 NFL draft

... Played with San Francisco from 1976-88 and was on Super Bowl teams in '82, '85 and '89 ... Works as NFL television analyst.



## #76 Cliff Frazier

Cliff played nose guard in 1974-75 ... He earned All-American honors for the 1975 season ... One of three captains for the 1975 squad ... Member of the 1976 Rose Bowl team which defeated top-ranked Ohio State ... 1975 team defensive MVP ... Second-round pick of the Kansas City Chiefs in the 1976 draft.

### Tackles

| Year | TT | Sacks | TFL | INT |
|------|----|-------|-----|-----|
| 1975 | 90 | 4     | 10  | 0-0 |

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## #19 Jeff Dankworth

Jeff played quarterback in 1974-75-76 ... Earned All-America honors in 1976 ... 1974 Rookie of the Year ... 1976 total offense leader and tri-captain ... Team offensive MVP in 1976 ... Finished 10th in Heisman Trophy balloting in 1976 ... Team posted 24-7-4 record in his three seasons ... NCAA Post-Graduate Scholarship winner ... NCAA Top 10 award winner ... Football

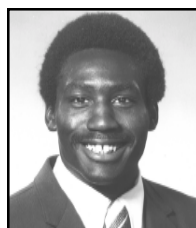
Foundation Hall of Fame Scholarship winner.

### Rushing

| Year   | TCB | Yds  | YL  | Net  | Avg | TD |
|--------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|----|
| 1974   | 61  | 359  | 51  | 308  | 5.0 | 4  |
| 1975   | 16  | 118  | 11  | 107  | 6.7 | 1  |
| 1976   | 155 | 943  | 128 | 815  | 5.3 | 11 |
| Totals | 232 | 1420 | 190 | 1230 | 5.3 | 16 |

### Passing

| Year   | PA  | PC | YDS  | PCT  | INT | TD |
|--------|-----|----|------|------|-----|----|
| 1974   | 46  | 20 | 309  | .435 | 4   | 1  |
| 1975   | 3   | 2  | 33   | .667 | 0   | 0  |
| 1976   | 120 | 66 | 866  | .550 | 7   | 4  |
| Totals | 169 | 88 | 1208 | .521 | 11  | 5  |



## #21 Oscar Edwards

Oscar played defensive back in 1975-76 ... Earned All-American honors in 1976 ... 1976 team MVP on defense ... 1976 tri-captain ... Had highs of 14 tackles each against USC and ASU in 1976 ... 1975 Outstanding Defensive Player award ... Second team All-Coast selection in 1975 ... Had 165 tackles and the team posted a 18-4-2 record in his two seasons ...

Transferred from Riverside City College.

### Tackles

| Year   | TT  | T-AT  | Sacks | TFL | INT |
|--------|-----|-------|-------|-----|-----|
| 1975   | 75  |       | 0     | 2   | 2-0 |
| 1976   | 90  | 45-45 | 1     | 6   | 2-0 |
| Totals | 165 |       | 1     | 8   | 0-0 |



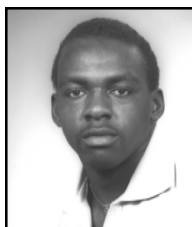
## #84 Jerry Robinson

Jerry played linebacker in 1976-77-78 after lettering as a receiver in 1975 ... First Bruin to earn consensus All-American honors in three straight years (1976-77-78) and the nation's first since Doak Walker of SMU in 1947-48-49 ... Led team in tackles in 1977-78 ... Still holds the UCLA record for career tackles (468) and ranks one, two and three on the season list ...

Finished 10th in the 1978 Heisman Trophy balloting ... His No. 84 has been retired ... 1979 first-round draft choice by Philadelphia ... Played for the Eagles in the 1981 Super Bowl and enjoyed a 13-year NFL career with the Eagles and Raiders ... Inducted into the UCLA Athletics Hall of Fame in 1991 ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame in December 1996.

### Tackles

| Year   | TT  | T-AT    | Sacks | TFL | INT   |
|--------|-----|---------|-------|-----|-------|
| 1975   | 1   |         | 0     | 0   | 0-0   |
| 1976   | 159 | 98-61   | 0     | 8   | 2-141 |
| 1977   | 147 | 87-60   | 2     | 4   | 1-95  |
| 1978   | 161 | 106-55  | 1     | 3   | 1-26  |
| Totals | 468 | 291-176 | 3     | 15  | 4-262 |



## #5 Kenny Easley

Kenny played free safety in 1977-78-79-80 ... First player in Pac-10 history to be named a first-team All-League selection in four straight years ... UCLA's second three-time consensus All-American ... UCLA's all-time interception leader (19) ... Ranks third in career tackles (374) ... 1977 Rookie of the Year ... 1978 Most Improved Player ... 1979 Outstanding Player of

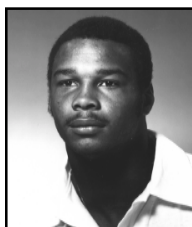
the USC game ... 1980 Leadership award winner ... 1979-80 Defensive team MVP ... Finished ninth in the 1980 Heisman Trophy balloting ... His No. 5 has been retired ... First-round pick and No. 4 selection overall by Seattle in the 1981 NFL draft ... Played from 1981-87 with the Seahawks ... Inducted into the National Football Foundation Hall of Fame and the UCLA Athletics Hall of Fame in 1991.

### Tackles

| Year   | TT  | T-AT    | Sacks | TFL | INT    |
|--------|-----|---------|-------|-----|--------|
| 1977   | 93  | 38-55   | 2     | 0   | 6-33   |
| 1978   | 98  | 61-37   | 0     | 1   | 7-71   |
| 1979   | 78  | 59-19   | 0     | 0   | 4-19   |
| 1980   | 105 | 73-32   | 0     | 3   | 2-63   |
| Totals | 374 | 231-143 | 2     | 4   | 19-186 |

### Interceptions

| Year   | No | Yds | Avg  | TD | Lg |
|--------|----|-----|------|----|----|
| 1977   | 6  | 33  | 5.5  | 0  | 24 |
| 1978   | 7  | 71  | 10.1 | 0  | 33 |
| 1979   | 4  | 19  | 4.8  | 0  | 11 |
| 1980   | 2  | 63  | 31.5 | 1  | 62 |
| Totals | 19 | 186 | 9.8  | 1  | 62 |



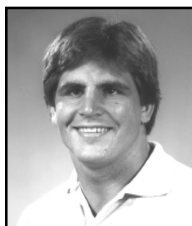
## #24 Freeman McNeil

Freeman played tailback in 1977-78-79-80 ... Named All-Conference in 1979-80 ... 1979-80 UCLA rushing leader ... 1980 team scoring leader and Offensive Player of the USC game ... 1979-80 Offensive team MVP ... 1978 Most Improved Player ... Ended his career as UCLA's top single-season rushing leader with 1,396 in 1979 (still ranks No. 3) and all-time career ball

carrier with 3,195 yards (still ranks second) ... First-round pick and No. 3 selection overall by the New York Jets in the 1981 NFL draft ... Played from 1981-92 with the Jets.

### Rushing

| Year   | TCB | Yds  | YL  | Net  | Avg | TD | Lg |
|--------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|----|----|
| 1977   | 50  | 288  | 2   | 286  | 5.7 | 3  |    |
| 1978   | 81  | 426  | 18  | 408  | 5.0 | 2  |    |
| 1979   | 271 | 1439 | 43  | 1396 | 5.2 | 6  |    |
| 1980   | 203 | 1144 | 39  | 1105 | 5.4 | 10 | 72 |
| Totals | 605 | 3297 | 102 | 3195 | 5.3 | 21 | 72 |



## #91 Tim Wrightman

Tim played tight end in 1978-79-80-81 ... Named consensus All-American in 1981 ... Named All-Pac-10 in 1980-81 ... UCLA's Rookie of the Year in 1978 ... Leading receiver in 1979 ... Winner of the team All-Around Excellence award in 1979 and 1981 ... Finished his Bruin career as the No. 2 all-time receiver with 73 catches ... Named to the 1981 Academic All-American team ... Third-round selection of the

Bears in the 1982 NFL draft ... Member of the 1986 Chicago Bears Super Bowl team ... Played in the United States Football League (first member of the Chicago Blitz) and then with the Bears again in 1985-87 ... Inducted into the UCLA Athletics Hall of Fame in 2003.