

2011 TAMPA BAY RAYS

91-71 2nd
MGR Joe Maddon (#70)

DP: 311 to 333

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	BA	SB	W/K	HR	T	D	L	R	RNG	Def.		
Casey Kotchman #11	.306	2		114	115	133	256	256	AR	SD	1B146	L L
Ben Zobrist #18	.269	19		121	123	152	244	244	AAR		2B131, OF38(RF)	B R
Reid Brignac #15	.193	3	MW PK	111	-	114	215	216	AR		SS91	L R
Evan Longoria "Longo" #3	.244	3		132	-	152	241	234	AAR	SD	3B130	R R
Matt Joyce #20	.277	13	PK	123	124	151	245	246	AAR		OF136(RF/LF)	L R
B. J. Upton #2 <u>Melvin, Jr.</u>	.243	36	PK	123	125	143	236	234	S	SD	OF151(CF)	R R
Sam Fuld #5	.240	20		112	116	141	233	234	AAR		OF87(LF/RF/CF)	L L
Kelly Shoppach #10	.176	0	PK	125	-	132	212	212	SLO		C86	R R
Johnny Damon "Caveman" #24	.261	19		116	123	142	236	243	AAR		DH, OF16(LF), 1B1	L L
Sean Rodriguez #1	.223	11		115	121	141	231	226	AAR		SS60, 2B48, 3B30, 1B5, OF2(LF)	R R
Desmond Jennings #8	.259	20	PK	123	126	142	242	242	AAR		OF60(LF/CF)	R R
John Jaso #28	.224	1		114	115	136	224	231	AR		C82	L R
Elliot Johnson #9	.194	6	PK	115	122	135	223	215	AR		SS52, 2B9, 1B2, OF2(CF/LF)	B R
Justin Ruggiano #16	.248	1	MW PK	122	-	134	242	235	AAR		OF36(LF/RF/CF)	R R
Felipe Lopez #45 +	.216	1	MW PK	114	-	131	231	224	AR		3B23, 1B6	B R
Dan Johnson #24 #29	.119	0		115	-	122	151	152	SLO		1B21, 3B3	L R
Robinson Chirinos #38	.218	0	PK	114	-	126	225	225	AR		C19, 1B1	R R
Brandon Guyer #30	.195	0	MW	125	-	134	216	216	AAR		OF14(RF/LF)	R R
Jose Lobaton #31	.118	0		-	-	116	153	151	AR		C14	B R
Pitcher R	.110	-	MW PK	111	-	113	153	145	SLO			
Pitcher L	.110	-	MW PK	111	-	113	145	146	SLO			

	ERA	IP	W	K	G	GS	SV			
James Shields #33	2.82	249	131	543	33	33	0	.000	R R	"Jamie" "Big Game James"
David Price #14	3.49	224	131	536	34	34	0	.000	L L	
Jeremy Hellickson #58 SD	2.95	189	136	612	29	29	0	.000	R R	
Wade Davis #40	4.45	184	133	616	29	29	0	.500	R R	
Jeff Niemann #34	4.06	135	131	561	23	23	0	.333	R R	
Alex Cobb #53	3.42	53	136	565	9	9	0	.000	R R	
Andy Sonnanstine #21	5.55	36	133	641	15	4	0	.000	L R	
Joel Peralta #62	2.93	68	131	542	71	0	6	.000	R R	
Kyle Farnsworth #43	2.18	58	124	545	63	0	25	.000	R R	
Juan Cruz #37	3.88	49	152	541	56	0	0	.000	R R	
Cesar Ramos #27 #55	3.92	44	151	563	59	0	0	.000	L L	
Brandon Gomes #47	2.92	37	141	551	40	0	0	.000	R R	
Adam Russell #36	3.03	33	152	633	36	0	0	.000	R R	
J. P. Howell #74	6.16	31	151	553	46	0	1	.000	L L	James Phillip
Jake McGee #57	4.50	28	141	544	37	0	0	.000	L L	
Matt Moore #55	2.89	9	133	441	3	1	0	.000	L L	
Alex Torres #56	3.38	8	165	526	4	0	0	.000	L L	
Dane De La Rosa #49	9.82	7	135	535	7	0	0	.000	R R	

The Rays opened the season losing their first six games and trailed the Red Sox by NINE games for the American League Wild Card on September 3rd. Tampa Bay went on to beat the Boston's six out of seven games in September to tie them for the A.L. Wild Card on September 26th with two games to play in the regular season. Enter the Yankees two days later: The Rays trailed New York, 7-0, going into the bottom of the eighth inning before they loaded the bases with no one out. The inning was highlighted by Evan Longoria's 3-run homer to close the score to 7-6. Dan Johnson hit a home run in the last of the ninth to tie the game which proceeded to the bottom of the twelfth, 7-7. This battle, which is commemorated as "Game 162," will live on forever in Rays' lore. It was ended by Longoria with a walk-off homer over the lowest part of the outfield wall in the left field corner of Tropicana Field for an 8-7 victory. The Rays claimed a berth in the post-season for the third time in team history but were knocked out by Texas in the ALDS in four games. Tampa Bay won the first game in Texas, 9-0, allowing only two hits by the Rangers before dropping three straight contests...Evan Longoria led the Rays with 31 homers and 99 RBI. B. J. Upton socked 23 home runs. Ben Zobrist followed with 20 dingers and 91 RBI. He posted a team leading 158 base hits, 99 runs scored, and 46 doubles. Matt Joyce added 19 taters and DH Johnny Damon sixteen of the Rays 172 round-trippers for the season. They hit .244 as a team, twelfth place in the league. The ball club led the A.L. with 155 stolen bases...James Shields was the winningest pitcher on the staff with a 16-12 record and was tops in strikeouts (225), complete games (11), and shutouts (four). David Price went 12-13 with 218 K's. Jeremy Hellickson won thirteen ball games. Wade Davis and Jeff Niemann both won eleven. The Rays' staff ended the year second in the league in ERA (3.58)...Tampa Bay would finish six games behind the Yankees...Their zero and six start was the worst in franchise history but they finished April with a 15-12 record. After 81 games, the Rays were 45-36 and in third place just 3 ½ out of first.