

1996 HOUSTON ASTROS

82-80 2nd
MGR Terry Collins (#2)

DP: 311 to 331

Error: 351 to 355

| | BA | SB | W/K | HR | T | D | L | R | RNG | Def. | | |
|--------------------------------|------|----|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------|-------------------------------------|-----|
| Jeff Bagwell <i>"Baggy"</i> #5 | .315 | 21 | PW | 126 | 131 | 161 | 262 | 262 | AAR | SD | 1B162 | R R |
| Craig Biggio <i>"Bidge"</i> #7 | .288 | 25 | PW | 115 | 116 | 133 | 253 | 252 | AAR | SD | 2B162 | R R |
| Orlando Miller #24 | .256 | 3 | PK | 121 | 122 | 142 | 242 | 241 | AR | | SS117, 3B29 | R R |
| Sean Berry #17 | .281 | 12 | | 123 | 124 | 155 | 253 | 246 | AAR | | 3B110, PH | R R |
| Derek Bell #14 | .263 | 29 | | 116 | 121 | 143 | 246 | 242 | AAR | SD/T-1 | OF157(RF) | R R |
| Brian Hunter #19 | .276 | 35 | MW | 112 | 113 | 132 | 252 | 245 | AAR | T-1 | OF127(CF), PH | R R |
| Derrick May #16 | .251 | 2 | | 114 | 121 | 135 | 233 | 241 | AR | | OF71(LF), PH | L R |
| Rick Wilkins #3 | .213 | 0 | PK | 115 | 121 | 132 | 224 | 224 | SLO | | C82, PH | L R |
| James Mouton #6 | .263 | 21 | | 112 | 113 | 132 | 246 | 242 | S | | OF108(LF/CF/RF), PH, PR | R R |
| John Cangelosi #27 | .263 | 17 | | 111 | 114 | 131 | 242 | 243 | S | | OF78(LF/CF), PH | B L |
| Ricky Gutierrez #12 | .284 | 6 | | 111 | 112 | 124 | 253 | 251 | AAR | | SS74, PH, 3B6, 2B5 | R R |
| Bill Spiers #28 | .252 | 7 | | 116 | 121 | 135 | 234 | 241 | AAR | | 3B77, PH, 2B7, 1B4, SS4, OF2(CF/RF) | L R |
| Tony Eusebio #20 | .270 | 0 | | 111 | 114 | 132 | 245 | 244 | SLO | | C47, PH | R R |
| Randy Knorr #9 | .195 | 0 | | 112 | - | 132 | 216 | 216 | SLO | SD | C33, PH | R R |
| Kirt Manwaring #3 | .220 | 0 | | - | - | 122 | 231 | 225 | SLO | SD | C37 | R R |
| Mike Simms #23 | .176 | 1 | | 113 | 116 | 126 | 212 | 212 | AR | LD(OF) | PH, OF12(LF/RF), 1B5 | R R |
| Bobby Abreu #29 | .227 | 0 | | - | - | 124 | 231 | 231 | AAR | T-1 | PH, OF7(LF/RF) | L R |
| Ray Montgomery #21 | .214 | 0 | PK | 133 | - | 156 | 225 | 224 | AAR | | OF6(LF/RF/CF), PH, PR | R R |
| Shane Reynolds | .184 | 0 | MW PK | 116 | - | 126 | 216 | 213 | SLO | | P35 | R R |
| Darryl Kile | .137 | 0 | MW PK | - | - | 126 | 162 | 155 | SLO | | P35 | R R |
| Doug Drabek | .179 | 0 | MW | - | - | 114 | 215 | 212 | SLO | | P30 | R R |
| Mike Hampton | .238 | 0 | PK | - | - | 115 | 235 | 233 | AR | SD | P27, PR | R L |
| Donnie Wall | .205 | 0 | MW PK | - | - | 115 | 223 | 222 | SLO | | P26 | R 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 | | |
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| Shane Reynolds #37 | 3.65 | 239 | 123 | 552 | 35 | 35 | 0 | .184 | R R |
| Darryl Kile #57 | 4.19 | 219 | 141 | 542 | 35 | 33 | 0 | .137 | R R |
| Doug Drabek #15 | 4.57 | 175 | 133 | 563 | 30 | 30 | 0 | .179 | R R |
| Mike Hampton #10 SD | 3.59 | 160 | 132 | 614 | 27 | 27 | 0 | .238 | R L |
| Donnie Wall #56 | 4.56 | 150 | 124 | 613 | 26 | 23 | 0 | .205 | R R |
| Xavier Hernandez #31 #41 X | 4.22 | 75 | 134 | 534 | 58 | 0 | 6 | .000 | L R "X-man" |
| Todd Jones #59 | 4.40 | 57 | 146 | 562 | 51 | 0 | 17 | .000 | L R |
| Doug Brocail #46 | 4.58 | 53 | 141 | 613 | 23 | 4 | 0 | .000 | L R |
| Billy Wagner #13 | 2.44 | 52 | 153 | 456 | 37 | 0 | 9 | .000 | L L "Billy the Kid" |
| Alvin Morman #51 | 4.93 | 42 | 146 | 563 | 53 | 0 | 0 | .000 | L L |
| Danny Darwin #44 X | 5.95 | 42 | 126 | 612 | 15 | 6 | 0 | .100 | R R "Bonham Bullet" "Dr. Death" |
| Anthony Young #22 | 4.59 | 33 | 153 | 621 | 28 | 0 | 0 | .000 | R R |
| Mark Small #36 | 5.92 | 24 | 143 | 614 | 16 | 0 | 0 | .000 | R R |
| Greg Swindell #21 | 7.83 | 23 | 141 | 616 | 8 | 4 | 0 | .333 | R L |
| Jeff Tabaka #31 #41 | 6.64 | 20 | 153 | 555 | 18 | 0 | 1 | .000 | R L |
| Dean Hartgraves #58 | 5.21 | 19 | 164 | 553 | 19 | 0 | 0 | .000 | R L |
| John Hudek #35 SD | 2.81 | 16 | 133 | 545 | 15 | 0 | 2 | .000 | B R |
| Jim Dougherty #49 | 9.00 | 13 | 163 | 631 | 12 | 0 | 0 | .000 | R R |
| John Johnstone #39 | 5.54 | 13 | 134 | 636 | 9 | 0 | 0 | .000 | R R |
| Gregg Olson #30 X | 4.82 | 9 | 156 | 555 | 9 | 0 | 0 | .000 | R R "Otter" |

Astros Angle: The ballclub held a three game lead in the NL Central on June 10th and were tied for first with St. Louis at the All Star break with a 47-42 record. When the calendar flipped to September, they were still atop the standings by 2 ½ games over the Cards. A soft landing to the division title was aborted due to a NINE-game losing streak September 13th through the 24th. That stretch allowed the Cardinals, 17-9, for the final month, to lift themselves over the Astros who finished 8-17...Jeff Bagwell registered an MVP-like season (he wound up 9th) after collecting 48 doubles (third in MLB) and the sixth best on-base percentage in baseball (.451). His 1.021 OPS, 31 homers, 120 RBI, and 179 base hits topped the Houston hitters. He and Craig Biggio played in all 162 games. Biggio scored the most runs (113) and finished behind Bagwell with 174 base hits. "Bidge" led the majors after being hit by a pitch 27 times. As a team, Houston hit .262 and launched 129 home runs. They swiped 180 bases, 2nd in the league...Shane Reynolds's 16 wins led the pitching staff. He whiffed 204 batters to follow Darryl Kile who struck out 219 opposing hitters. Kile won 12 contests while Mike Hampton was good for 10. The staff ERA was 4.37 and racked-up 1,163 K's.