

1969 CLEVELAND INDIANS

62-99 6th
MGR Alvin Dark (#5)

DP: 311 to 335

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	BA	SB	W/K	HR	T	D	L	R	RNG	Def.		
Tony Horton #11	.278	3		123	124	141	246	246	AR	1B157		R R
Vern Fuller #13	.236	2		113	114	131	233	233	AR	2B102, 3B7		R R
Larry Brown #16	.239	5		112	113	122	236	233	AR	SS101, 3B29, 2B5		R R
Max Alvis #10	.225	1		111	-	122	233	226	AR	3B58, SS1		R R
Ken Harrelson "Hawk" #40	X .222	17		125	131	136	226	226	AAR	OF144(RF/LF), 1B16		R R
Jose Cardenal #1	.257	36		114	115	133	243	241	AAR	OF142(CF), 3B5		R R
Russ Snyder #27	.248	3		112	-	124	234	236	AR	OF84(LF/CF/RF)		L R
"Duke" Sims #9 Duane	.236	1	PW PK	126	-	135	233	233	SLO	C102, OF3(LF/RF), 1B1		L R
Lou Klimchoc #29	.287	0	MK	115	121	136	252	252	SLO	3B56, 2B21, C1		L R
Zoilo Versalles "Zorro" #17	+ .226	3		111	112	131	234	226	AR	LD(SS) 2B46, 3B30, SS3		R R
Eddie Leon #24	.239	2		113	-	123	236	233	AR	SS64		R R
Richie Scheinblum #28	.186	0		111	112	121	215	214	SLO	OF50(LF/RF/CF)		B R
Frank Baker #21	.256	2		114	122	132	235	242	AR	LD OF46(LF)		L R
Dave Nelson #14	.203	4		-	-	-	225	221	AAR	2B33, OF2(LF/RF)		R R
Chuck Hinton #23	.256	2		115	123	132	242	241	AR	LD OF40(LF/RF/CF), 3B14		R R
Ray Fosse "Marion Mule" #8	.172	1	PK	114	-	124	212	211	AR	C37		R R
"Cap" Peterson #20 Charles	.227	0	PW	112	-	122	231	231	SLO	LD OF30(LF/RF), 3B4		R R
Lee Maye #26	+ .250	1		112	-	126	236	236	AR	OF28(LF/RF)		L R
Ken Suarez #7	.294	1		113	-	134	255	253	SLO	C36		R R
Joe Azcue #6	+ .292	0		123	-	-	253	253	SLO	C6		R R
Russ Nagelson #25	.353	0		-	-	-	311	315	AR	OF3(RF/LF), 1B1		L R
Sam McDowell	.174	0	MW PK	-	-	121	166	212	SLO	LD P39		L L
Luis Tiant	.235	0	MW PK	115	122	131	235	232	SLO	P38		R R
Steve Hargan	.159	0	MW PK	-	-	-	166	164	SLO	P32		R R
Dick Ellsworth	X .133	0	MW PK	-	-	-	154	155	SLO	P34		L L
Juan Pizarro	X .200	0	PK	-	-	-	214	222	SLO	P48		L L
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					
Sam McDowell #48 LD	2.94	285	135	535	39	38	1	.174	L L	"Sudden Sam"		
Luis Tiant #33	3.71	250	145	613	38	37	0	.235	R R	"El Tiante"		
Stan Williams #35	3.94	178	135	555	61	15	12	.100	R R	"Big Daddy"		
Steve Hargan #34	5.70	144	146	623	32	23	0	.159	R R			
Dick Ellsworth #42 #50	X 4.13	135	131	641	34	22	0	.133	L L			
Mike Paul #39	3.61	117	143	552	47	12	2	.000	L L			
Juan Pizarro #43 #49	X 3.16	83	152	621	48	4	4	.200	L L			
Ron Law #41	4.99	52	152	623	35	1	1	.143	R R			
Horacio Pina #31	5.21	47	151	566	31	4	1	.500	R R			
Larry Burchart #36	4.25	42	146	614	29	0	0	.000	R R			
Jack Hamilton #32	+ 4.40	31	155	633	20	0	1	.000	R R			
Gary Kroll #37	4.13	24	166	514	19	0	0	.000	R R			
Phil Hennigan #38	3.31	16	126	612	9	0	0	.000	R R			
"Sonny" Siebert #42	+ 3.21	14	152	626	2	2	0	.250	R R	Wilfred Charles		
Gary Boyd #54	9.00	11	166	552	8	3	0	.000	R R			
Vicente Romo #43	+ 2.25	8	135	546	3	0	0	.500	R R			

The Indians ended the '69 season with twenty-four wins LESS than they had in '68. In '69, the Tribe hit .237 and 119 home runs. The year before, the numbers were .234 and seventy-five. The ball club even scored fifty-seven MORE runs in '69....Ken Harrelson and Tony Horton were the co-leaders in homers with twenty-seven. Horton led the team with 93 RBI; Harrelson accounted for eighty-four. Horton led the Tribe in hits (174); Harrelson scored the most runs (83). "Duke" Sims added 18 dingers...In '69, the Indians pitching wasn't as good. The staff ERA, 3.94, was more than a run HIGHER than '68. They also gave up 200-plus MORE runs in '69 than the year prior. Sam McDowell led the staff with an 18-14 record and 279 K's. After a marvelous year in '68 (21-9, 264 K's), Luis Tiant was 9-20 with 156 strikeouts. Dick Ellsworth and Stan Williams were next winning six games apiece...The Tribe won only THREE season series. They beat the two expansion teams (Seattle and Kansas City) as well as a mediocre Yankee ball club. Versus the similarly bottom-feeding Senators, the Indians won THREE of eighteen meetings...General Manager Gabe Paul resigned his post July 1st after nine seasons on the job...Cleveland ended the year 46 ½ games behind the AL East champion Baltimore Orioles.