

1977 PITTSBURGH PIRATES

96-66 2nd
MGR Chuck Tanner (#7)

DP: 311 to 333

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		BA	SB	W/K	HR	T	D	L	R	RNG	Def.		
Bill Robinson #28		.304	12		125	-	151	262	255	AAR	LD(3B)	1B86, OF43(LF), 3B17	R R
Rennie Stennett #6		.336	28	MK	112	114	132	313	266	AAR	SD	2B113	R R
Frank Taveras #10		.252	70		-	114	126	242	236	S		SS146	R R
Phil Garner #3 #17		.260	32		116	124	145	243	242	AAR		3B107, 2B50, SS12	R R
Dave Parker "Cobra" #39		.338	17		121	124	151	311	311	AAR	SD/T-1	OF158(RF), 2B1	L R
Omar Moreno #18		.240	53		113	121	133	233	234	S	SD	OF147(CF)	L L
Al Oliver "Scoop" #16		.308	13	MK	121	123	142	255	261	AAR		OF148(LF/CF)	L L
"Duffy" Dyer #5 Donald		.241	6	PW	112	113	126	234	234	AR		C93	R R
Ed Ott "The Otter" #14		.264	7		115	121	135	243	243	AR		C90	L R
Willie Stargell "Pops" #8		.274	0	PK	133	-	155	242	246	SLO		1B55	L L
Fernando Gonzalez #12 #13		.276	3		115	-	135	252	245	AR		3B37, OF16(LF), 2B6, SS2	R R
Ken Macha #29 #30		.274	1		-	-	123	246	245	AR	LD	PH, 3B17, 1B11, OF4(LF/RF)	R R
Mario Mendoza #11		.198	0	MW	-	-	122	223	216	AR		SS45, 3B19, P1	R R
Bobby Tolan #24	X	.203	1		116	-	136	221	222	AR		PH, 1B20, OF2(LF)	L L
Jim Fregosi #29	X	.286	2	PW	126	134	142	255	251	AR		PH, 1B15, 3B1	R R
Jerry Hairston, Sr. #22	X	.192	0		122	-	134	221	215	AR	LD	PH, OF14(LF/RF), 2B1	B R
Miguel Dilone #37		.136	12	MW MK	-	-	-	161	155	S		PR, OF17(LF/CF/RF)	B R
Dale Berra #4		.175	0	MW	-	-	115	215	211	AR		3B14	R R
Ed Kirkpatrick #23	+	.143	1	PW	122	-	145	156	161	AR		1B10, OF2(CF/LF), 3B1	L R
John Candelaria		.225	0	MW	-	115	131	225	231	SLO		P33	L L
Jerry Reuss		.171	0	PK	-	-	116	211	211	SLO		P33	L L
Jim Rooker		.186	1	PK	-	-	113	215	214	SLO		P30	R L
Bruce Kison		.261	1	MW PK	113	-	134	244	242	SLO		P33	R R
Odell Jones		.143	0	MW PK	-	-	-	164	156	SLO		P34	R R
Terry Forster		.346	0	MW	-	122	134	312	313	SLO		P33	L L
Rich Gossage		.217	0	MW PK	-	-	123	232	224	SLO		P72	R R
Larry Demery		.150	0	PK	-	125	-	164	162	SLO		P39	R R
Grant Jackson		.333	0	MW PK	-	-	126	266	266	SLO		P49	B L
Kent Tekulve		.250	0	MW PK	-	-	-	236	236	SLO		P72	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			
John Candelaria #45	2.34	231	124	615	33	33	0	.225	L L	"The Candy Man"
Jerry Reuss #41	4.11	208	133	621	33	33	0	.171	L L	
Jim Rooker #19	3.08	204	132	631	30	30	0	.186	R L	
Bruce Kison #25	4.90	193	131	614	33	32	0	.261	R R	
Odell Jones #36	5.08	108	131	615	34	15	0	.143	R R	
Larry Demery #44	5.08	90	144	635	39	8	1	.150	R R	
Terry Forster #51	4.43	87	134	611	33	6	1	.346	L L	
Ed Whitson #46 #47	3.45	16	152	566	5	2	0	.000	R R	
Rich Gossage #54	1.62	133	136	515	72	0	26	.217	R R	"Goose"
Kent Tekulve #27	3.06	103	133	615	72	0	7	.250	R R	"Teke"
Grant Jackson #23 #35	3.86	91	141	626	49	2	4	.333	B L	"Buck"

In a very unusual trade between the Pirates and Oakland A's on November 5, 1976, the Bucs acquired Chuck Tanner to be their manager in exchange for beloved catcher Manny Sanguillen. Five weeks later, the Pirates picked up flame-throwing relievers "Goose" Gossage and Terry Forster from the White Sox for Richie Zisk... Willie Stargell hit his 400th career home run against the Phillies, June 10th. Bill Robinson led the Buccos with 26 homers and 104 RBI. Dave Parker was the N.L. batting champion while posting league highs in base hits (215) and doubles (44). He was third in MVP balloting and won a Gold Glove. Parker was also the team leader with 107 runs scored. The Bucs ended the year second in the league in batting (.274) and seventh with 133 homers. Frank Taveras was the major league leader in steals. Their 1,550 hits topped the N.L. as well as their 260 stolen bases... John Candelaria led the pitching staff with a 20-5 record. Jim Rooker was 14-9 in wins/losses. Gossage finished 11-9 with a staff high 151 K's. Southpaw Jerry Reuss won ten ballgames. The staff ERA was 3.61...Pittsburgh spent 27 days of the schedule in first place as late as May 27th, but ended the year second to Philadelphia by five games in the NL East. They were 10-8 versus the Phils during the regular season.