

1968 CINCINNATI REDS

83-79 4th
MGR Dave Bristol (#4)

DP: 311 to 333

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	BA	SB	W/K	HR	T	D	L	R	RNG	Def.		
Lee May " <i>Big Bopper</i> " #23	.290	4		123	-	143	255	252	AR	SD(1B)	1B122, OF33(<u>RF</u> /LF)	R R
Tommy Helms #19	.288	5	MW MK	111	112	132	253	252	AR	SD(2B)	2B127, SS2, 3B1	R R
Leo Cardenas " <i>Chico</i> " #16	.235	2		113	114	124	235	232	AR		SS136	R R
Tony Perez #24	.282	3		116	122	135	251	251	AR		3B160	R R
Pete Rose " <i>Charlie Hustle</i> " #14	.335	3		113	115	141	312	266	AAR	T-1	OF148(<u>RF</u> /CF), 2B3, 1B1	B R
Vada Pinson #28	.271	17		112	115	136	243	245	AAR	SD/T-1	OF123(CF)	L L
Alex Johnson #29	.312	16	MW	111	113	132	263	261	AAR	LD	OF141(LF)	R R
Johnny Bench #5	.275	1		116	121	144	251	245	AR	SD	C154	R R
Mack Jones #12	.252	2		123	124	136	234	241	AAR		OF60(CF/LF), PH	L R
Fred Whitfield #17	.257	0		122	-	136	236	242	SLO		PH, 1B41	L L
" <i>Chico</i> " Ruiz #15 <u>Giraldo</u>	.259	4		-	112	115	242	242	AR		PH, 2B34, 1B16, 3B5, SS3	B R
" <i>Woody</i> " Woodward #6 <u>William</u>	X.244	1		-	-	114	241	234	AR		SS41, 2B9, 1B1	R R
Don Pavletich #8	.286	0	PK	114	116	131	255	251	SLO		PH, 1B22, C5	R R
Pat Corrales " <i>Ike</i> " #7	.268	0	PK	-	-	133	251	243	SLO		C20	R R
Jim Beauchamp #55	.263	0	PK	122	-	134	246	242	AR		PH, OF13(<u>CF</u> /LF/RF), 1B1	R R
Hal McRae #11	.196	1	PK	-	-	114	221	216	AR	LD	2B16	R R
Bob Johnson #6 +	.267	0		-	-	-	246	243	AR		PH, SS2, 1B1	R R
Jimmie Schaffer #25	.167	0	PK	-	-	-	166	166	SLO		PH, C2	R R
George Culver	.121	0	MW PK	-	-	113	153	152	SLO	SD	P42	R R
Jim Maloney	.243	0	MW PK	116	-	136	233	235	AR		P33	L R
Gary Nolan	.130	0	PK	115	-	124	154	154	SLO		P23	R R
Tony Cloninger X	.206	0	MW	131	-	152	224	222	SLO		P17	R R
Gerry Arrigo	.075	0	MW PK	-	113	116	131	135	SLO		P36	L L
Clay Carroll X	.250	0	MW	-	-	-	236	236	SLO		P58	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			
George Culver #39 SD	3.23	226	134	624	42	35	2	.121	R R	
Jim Maloney #46	3.61	207	136	546	33	32	0	.243	L R	
Gerry Arrigo #35	3.33	205	135	565	36	31	0	.075	L L	
Gary Nolan #38	2.40	150	134	556	23	22	0	.130	R R	
Tony Cloninger #32 #40 X	4.04	91	145	563	17	17	0	.206	R R	
Milt Pappas #32 +	5.60	63	121	611	15	11	0	.063	R R	"Gimpy"
Mel Queen #22	5.89	18	132	536	5	4	0	.125	L R	
John Tsitouris #37	7.11	13	151	631	3	3	0	.000	R R	
Ted Abernathy #33	2.46	135	141	624	78	0	13	.000	R R	
Clay Carroll #36 X	2.29	122	126	623	58	1	17	.250	R R	"Hawk"
Bob Lee #48	5.15	65	146	624	44	1	3	.200	R R	"Moose" "Horse"
Jay Ritchie #30	4.61	57	124	622	28	2	0	.000	R R	
Bill Kelso #26 #41	3.98	54	131	564	35	0	1	.000	R R	
Billy McCool #42	4.97	51	162	616	30	4	2	.125	R L	
Ted Davidson #36 +	6.23	22	132	643	23	0	0	.000	R L	
Dan McGinn #31	5.25	12	166	512	14	0	0	.000	L L	

The Reds were an also-ran in '68 hovering around the .500 mark practically all the way through and finishing the year 14 games behind the pennant-winning Cardinals. Cincinnati won seven of the eighteen regular season meetings with the Cards...The ball club's .273 batting average was the best in the N. L.; their 1,573 base hits and 690 runs scored also headlined the league. They placed third in home runs (106). Pete Rose led the big leagues in batting average while his enigmatic teammate, Alex Johnson, finished fourth. Rose also tied the Braves Felipe Alou for the most base hits (210) in the majors while Rose (42) and Johnson (32) ended the season among the top ten in doubles. The twenty-seven-year-old Rose scored the most runs on the Reds (94). Lee May (80 RBI) was the home run leader with twenty-two; Tony Perez produced 18 homers and led the team in RBI (92). The N. L. Rookie of the Year, twenty-year-old Johnny Lee Bench, popped 15 dingers to go with 40 doubles and 82 RBI. He also was awarded his first of ten career Gold Gloves...Fireballing Jim Maloney was the biggest winner on the pitching staff (16), racked up the most strikeouts (181), and completed the most games (8) and shutouts (5). Lefty Gerry Arrigo (140 K's) won twelve games and George Culver contributed eleven. The staff ERA was tenth in the league (3.56)...The Redlegs welcomed just over 733,000 baseball fans to Crosley Field with its quirky terraced outfield.