

# 2009 TAMPA BAY RAYS

84-78 3rd

MGR Joe Maddon (#70)

## DP: 311 to 332

## Error: 351 to 354

	BA	SB	W/K	HR	T	D	L	R	RNG	Def.		
Carlos Pena #23	.227	3	PK	136	141	156	231	231	AR	SD	1B133	L L
Ben Zobrist #18	.297	17		126	133	153	255	254	AAR		2B91, OF70( <u>RF</u> /LF/CF), SS13, 1B3, 3B1	B R
Jason Bartlett #8	.320	30		116	123	144	264	263	AAR		SS134	R R
Evan Longoria "Longo" #3	.281	9	PK	126	-	154	253	246	AAR	SD	3B151	R R
Gabe Gross #26	.227	6	PK	115	116	136	231	231	AR		OF100(RF)	L R
"B. J." Upton #2 <u>Melvin Jr.</u>	.241	42	PK	114	116	141	234	234	S	SD/T-1	OF144(CF)	R R
Carl Crawford #13	.305	60		115	122	136	255	256	S	SD	OF154(LF)	L L
Dioner Navarro #30	.218	5		115	-	132	225	225	AR		C113	B R
Pat Burrell "Pat the Bat" #5	.221	2	PK	121	122	134	232	225	AR		DH, OF2(LF/RF)	R R
Willy Aybar #16	.253	1		123	-	136	243	236	AR		1B31, 2B28, DH, 3B18	B R
Akinori Iwamura #1	.290	9		111	113	136	251	253	AAR		2B67, 3B1	L R
Gabe Kapler #27	.239	5		122	123	151	236	233	AR		OF88( <u>RF</u> /LF/CF)	R R
Michel Hernandez #41	.242	2		112	114	125	235	234	AR		C35	R R
Gregg Zaun #9 X	.287	0		123	-	151	252	252	SLO		C29	B R
Reid Brignac #15	.278	2	MW PK	112	121	152	246	246	AR		SS28, 2B3	L R
Matt Joyce #20	.188	1		142	-	153	213	215	AR		OF9(RF/CF)	L R
Fernando Perez #38	.206	0	PK	-	-	-	224	222	AAR		OF14( <u>CF</u> /LF/RF)	B R
Joe Dillon #11	.300	0		121	-	-	262	254	AR		DH, 3B3, 2B2	R R
Chris Richard #32	.105	0	PW PK	-	-	-	143	145	AAR		1B13	L L
Shawn Riggans #9	.143	0		133	-	-	164	156	AR		C7	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					
James Shields #33	4.14	220	125	563	33	33	0	.000	R R	"Jamie"		
Matt Garza #22 LD	3.95	203	136	543	32	32	0	.000	R R			
Jeff Niemann #34	3.94	181	133	566	31	30	0	.000	R R			
David Price #14	4.42	128	141	555	23	23	0	.333	L L			
Scott Kazmir #19 +	5.92	111	141	556	20	20	0	.000	L L			
Andy Sonnanstine #21	6.77	100	132	621	22	18	0	.273	L R			
Wade Davis #58	3.72	36	134	536	6	6	0	.000	R R			
Lance Cormier #31	3.26	77	133	626	53	0	2	.000	R R			
J. P. Howell #39	2.84	67	145	514	69	0	17	.000	L L	<u>James Phillip</u>		
Grant Balfour #50	4.81	67	144	534	73	0	4	.000	R R			
Dan Wheeler #35	3.28	58	122	554	69	0	2	.000	R R			
Joe Nelson #46	4.02	40	155	544	42	0	3	.000	R R			
Randy Choate #36 #37	3.47	36	133	555	61	0	5	.000	L L			
Brian Shouse #52	4.50	28	125	615	45	0	0	.000	L L			
Russ Springer #36 #37 X	4.11	15	123	564	26	0	1	.000	R R			
Dale Thayer #59	4.61	14	113	622	11	0	1	.000	R R			
Jeff Bennett #47 X	9.95	13	155	645	11	0	0	.000	R R			
Troy Percival #40	6.35	11	141	615	14	0	6	.000	R R			
Chad Bradford #53	4.35	10	121	626	20	0	0	.000	R R			
Jason Isringhausen #44	2.25	8	154	556	9	0	0	.000	R R			

The defending American League champions didn't qualify for the playoffs in '09, but the Rays still posted their second winning season in franchise history...Carlos Pena led the ball club with 39 homers. He knocked in 100 runs and scored ninety-one. Evan Longoria (33 home runs) was the team leader with 113 RBI and 100 runs scored. Super-utilityman Ben Zobrist clubbed 27 dingers, drove home 91, and scored 91 times. Carl Crawford led the ball club in hits (185) while driving in 68 base runners and scoring ninety-six runs. He ended the year third in the majors in stolen bases. On May 3<sup>rd</sup>, Crawford swiped SIX bags in a game to set a team record and tie the major league mark. He later said he had no idea he had stolen six bases, and if he had known, he would have tried for number seven. The Rays speedster was the All Star Game MVP with a game-saving catch. He hit fifteen home runs for the year. Pat Burrell added fourteen. The Rays hit .263 and 199 homers...Jeff Niemann led the pitching staff with 13 wins while Matt Garza topped the staff with 189 strikeouts. James Shields (11-12) struck out 167 batters. Former first-round draft pick David Price made his major league debut against the Indians, May 25th, pitching just over three innings. He didn't figure in the decision while giving up two earned runs, four hits, five walks, and striking out six. He finished the season 10-7 in wins and losses. The staff ERA was 4.33...The Rays were third in the AL East nineteen games behind the Yankees. Carlos Pena was lost for the year in September with a broken finger which may have been a large reason the team lost eleven straight games that month...Evan Longoria won his first Gold Glove...At the All Star break, the Rays record was 48-41, 6 ½ games out of first.