

# 1981 PITTSBURGH PIRATES

46-56 4th  
MGR Chuck Tanner (#7)

## DP: 311 to 336

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	BA	SB	W/K	HR	T	D	L	R	RNG	Def.		
Jason Thompson #30	.242	0	PW	133	-	154	232	235	SLO		1B78, <b>PH</b>	L L
Phil Garner “Scrap Iron” #3	.254	4		111	113	124	244	236	AAR		2B50	R R
Tim Foli #10	.247	7	MK	-	111	123	241	235	AAR		SS81	R R
Bill Madlock “Mad Dog” #5	.341	18	MK	115	116	146	314	311	AAR		3B78	R R
Dave Parker “Cobra” #39	.258	6	MW	122	125	146	241	242	AAR	SD/T-1	OF60(RF), <b>PH</b>	L R
Omar Moreno #18	.276	39		111	115	132	244	246	S	SD/T-1	OF103(CF)	L L
Mike Easler “Hit Man” #24	.286	4		114	121	136	251	252	AR	T-1	OF90(LF/RF), <b>PH</b>	L R
Tony Pena #6	.300	1	MW	112	113	126	262	254	AR	SD	C64	R R
Dale Berra “Boo Boo” #4	.241	11		112	-	131	234	234	AAR		3B42, SS30, 2B18, <b>PH</b>	R R
Lee Lacy #17	.268	24		112	116	135	251	243	S	T-1	OF63(LF/RF), 3B1, <b>PH, PR</b>	R R
Steve Nicosia #16	.231	3	MK	113	114	135	235	231	SLO		C52	R R
Johnny Ray #3	.245	0		-	-	145	235	235	AAR		2B31	B R
Bill Robinson #28	.216	1		115	-	126	231	224	AR	LD(3B)	1B23, <b>PH</b> , OF7(RF/LF), 3B1	R R
Vance Law #2	.134	1	MW	-	113	-	155	155	AR		2B19, SS7, 3B2, <b>PH</b>	R R
Willie Stargell “Pops” #8	.283	0		-	-	132	244	252	SLO		<b>PH</b> , 1B9	L L
John Milner “Hammer” #34	.237	0	MK	121	-	125	226	234	AR	LD(OF)	<b>PH</b> , OF8(LF), 1B8	L L
Gary Alexander #35	.213	0	PK	115	124	154	224	224	AR	LD	1B9, OF8(LF/RF), <b>PH</b>	R R
Willie Montanez #14	.263	0	MW	MK	116	-	-	242	AR	SD(1B)	<b>PH</b> , 1B11	L L
Kurt Bevacqua #11	.259	0	PK	122	-	134	242	242	AR		<b>PH</b> , 2B4, 3B2	R R
Matt Alexander #36	.364	3		-	-	-	323	316	S		<b>PR</b> , OF6(CF/LF), <b>PH</b>	B R
Rick Rhoden	.188	0	MW	-	-	123	221	214	SLO		P21	R R
Eddie Solomon	.163	0	MW	PK	-	-	166	165	SLO		P22	R R
Jim Bibby	.143	0	MW	PK	122	-	145	164	SLO		P14	R R
Pascual Perez	.136	0	MW	PK	-	124	-	161	SLO		P17	R R
Rod Scurry	.158	0	PK	-	-	-	161	165	SLO		P27	L L
Luis Tiant	.188	0	MW	PK	-	-	153	221	SLO		P9	R R
John Candelaria	.231	0	PK	-	-	-	231	232	SLO		P6	L L
Don Robinson	.250	0	MW	PK	-	-	236	236	SLO		P16	R R
Odell Jones	.200	0	MW	PK	-	-	222	221	SLO		P13	R R
Pitcher R	.110	-	MW	PK	111	-	113	153	SLO			
Pitcher L	.110	-	MW	PK	111	-	113	145	SLO			

	ERA	IP	W	K	G	GS	SV			
Rick Rhoden #29	3.89	136	135	621	21	21	0	.188	R	R
Eddie Solomon #44	3.12	127	124	643	22	17	1	.163	R	R "Buddy J"
Jim Bibby #26	2.50	94	131	622	14	14	0	.143	R	R
Pascual Perez #25 #50	3.96	86	135	623	17	13	0	.136	R	R
Luis Tiant #38	3.92	57	133	616	9	9	0	.188	R	R "El Tiante"
Odell Jones #22	3.31	54	141	621	13	8	0	.200	R	R
John Candelaria #45	3.54	41	126	641	6	6	0	.231	L	L "The Candy Man"
Bob Long #34 #57	5.95	20	143	634	5	3	0	.000	R	R
Rod Scurry #19	3.77	74	145	552	27	7	7	.158	L	L
Kent Tekulve #27	2.49	65	126	622	45	0	3	.000	R	R "Teke"
Enrique Romo #15	4.54	42	136	622	33	0	9	.000	R	R
Don Robinson #43	5.87	38	146	632	16	2	2	.250	R	R "Caveman"
Victor Cruz #49	2.65	34	141	554	22	0	1	.000	R	R
Grant Jackson #23	2.51	32	132	622	35	0	4	.000	B	L "Buck"
Ernie Camacho #47	4.98	22	154	624	7	3	0	.000	R	R
Mark Lee #46	2.75	19	126	644	12	0	2	.500	R	R

The Bucs were 25-23 and 21-33 in the two halves of the strike-shortened '81 campaign...In April, higher-ups of the Louisiana Superdome made a serious inquiry about purchasing the Pirates franchise and moving it to New Orleans with team ownership disgruntled about their lease for Three Rivers Stadium... Team Leaders: Jason Thompson (15 HR); Dave Parker (48 RBI); Omar Moreno (120 base hits, 62 runs); Rick Rhoden (9 wins, 76 K's). Bill Madlock bested Boston's Carney Lansford by .005 of a point to win the major league batting title. Pete Rose's .325 was second to "Mad Dog" in the National League...Pirates batters hit .257 and 55 home runs while the pitching staff ended the season with a 3.56 ERA.