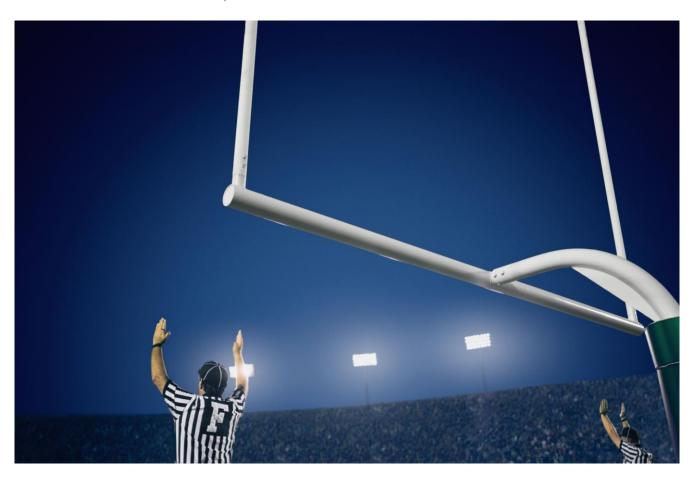
## **NEWSLETTER**

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# Week 2 NFL Top 3 Best Bets

Week 3 results 2-1 ATS, 7-2 for the season 77%

Dolphins-6.5 W 70-20

Cardinals+12 W 28-16

Bears+12.5 L 10-41

# Mike's Top 3 Bets NFL Week 3

#### Sunday October 1, 10:00 AM

#### Cincinnati-2.5

My power rating favors the Bengals by 1 and this line opened Tennessee -1.5 and has moved to the current line above. Tennessee has struggled with the AFC North posting a 2-12 ATS record and coming off a rout loss to AFC North Cleveland.

Tannehill has been sacked 13 times, had three interceptions in week 1 and just hasn't looked good so far. There isn't any value, but the line is low enough for a FG shot.

#### LA Rams-PK 10:00 AM

The Rams should get back Cooper Kupp this week and with Nacua will spread the defense. Power ratings favored the Colts by 2.5, but Kupp is worth 4 points and gives the Rams an edge in a pick em game. The Colts upset the Ravens which played without 7 starters.

#### Arizona+14 1:25

Arizona has played all three opponents tight and should have been 2-1 entering this matchup. The line, 14 is right on my number. The 49ers are 0-7 ATS with rest, played Thursday night, against sub 500 opponents. There is a possible look-ahead game with Dallas next week. The 49ers have increased their power rating by 4 points, so they are possibly due down.

Dobbs is interception free so far and threw for 321 yds against the Giants. The 49ers are rolling, even routed Arizona last season 38-13 and 38-10, but Arizona has the offense putting up 28 in the last two games. 30-17 would cover, 49ers gave up 23 to the Rams.

## Week 4 Power Ratings

#### AFC EAST

BUFFALO 31.5 ↑
MIAMI 29 ↑
NY JETS 13
NEW ENGLAND 18.5

#### **AFC SOUTH**

JACKSONVILLE 21 ↓
TENNESSEE 19 ↓
INDIANAPOLIS 21 ↑
HOUSTON 18 ↑

#### NFC EAST

PHILADELPHIA 27.5 ↑
DALLAS 26 ↓
N Y GIANTS 17 ↓
WASHINGTON 16 ↓

#### **NFC SOUTH**

ATLANTA 22.5 ↓
NEW ORLEANS 22.5
CAROLINA 18 ↓
TAMPA BAY 19 ↓

#### **AFC NORTH**

BALTIMORE 26.5 ↓ CINCINNATI 22.5 CLEVELAND 27.5 ↑ PITTSBURGH 21.5 ↑

#### **AFC WEST**

KANSAS CITY 31 ↑ L A CHARGERS 22 DENVER 16 ↓ LAS VEGAS RAIDERS 15 ↓

#### NFC NORTH

DETROIT 26 ↑ MINNESOTA 21.5 GREEN BAY 24 CHICAGO 12.5 ↓

#### NFC WEST

SAN FRANCISCO 30.5 ↑ SEATTLE 22.5 ↑ L A RAMS 21 ARIZONA 16 ↑



### SITUATIONAL PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

LINE VALUE FAVORITE 17-11-3 LINE VALUE DOG 10-5-1 DUE UP 0-0 DUE DOWN 1-0

EARLY START 3-4
OFF ROUT WIN 4-2
OFF ROUT LOSS 1-5
ROAD FAV LAYING 7.5 OR MORE 0-2
3<sup>RD</sup> ROAD GM IN 4 WEEKS 0-0
HOME FAVORITES 12-15-2
DIVISON FAVORITE HOME 1-5
DIVISION FAVORITE ROAD 4-3-2
DIVISION DOG AT HOME 3-5-2
DIVISION DOG ON ROAD 5-1

POSSIBLY DUE UP 1-1 POSSIBLY DUE DOWN 0-0 SPREAD RANGE FAVORITE 1-0 SPREAD RANGE DOG 1-1

VS 2022 PLOFF AT HOME 7-12-2 VS 2022 PLOFF ON ROAD 11-9-1 OFF THURSDAY AT HOME 0-2 OFF THURSDAY ON ROAD 2-1-1 OFF MONDAY NIGHT HOME 2-0 OFF MONDAY NIGHT ROAD 1-3 HOME DOGS 6-10-2 ROAD FAVORITES 11-7-2 ROAD DOGS 14-13-1 ROAD TEAMS 26-18-4



### KEY PLAYER ADJUSTMENTS

ARIZONA – K MURRAY (3), J DOBBS, J CONNER (3) M BROWN, R MOORE ATLANTA- D RIDDER, T HEINICKE, B ROBINSON, T ALLGEIER, D LONDON, M HOLLINS BALTIMORE- L JACKSON (10), T HUNTLEY, G EDWARDS, R BATEMAN, O BECKHAM BUFFALO- J ALLEN (10), K ALLEN, J COOK, DAVIS, S DIGGS (3), VON MILLER 3 CAROLINA- B YOUNG, A DALTON+, M SANDERS, C HUBBARD, A THIELEN (3), DJ CHARK CHICAGO- J FIELDS (7) PETERMAN, K HERBERT, D FOREMAN, D J MOORE (3), CINCINNATI- J BURROW (10), BROWNING, J MIXON, T WILLIAMS, J CHASE (4), T HIGGINS CLEVELAND- D WATSON, (7) THOMP-ROBINSON, J FORD, HUNT (3), A COOPER, E MOORE DALLAS- D PRESCOTT (7), C RUSH, T POLLARD (3), CD LAMB (4), B COOKS (3) M GALLUP DENVER- R WILSON, (3), J STIDHAM, J WILLIAMS, J JEUDY (3), C SUTTON DETROIT- J GOFF (7) T BRIDGEWATER, J GIBBS, D MONTGOMERY, A ST. BROWN (3) GREEN BAY- J LOVE, S CLIFFORD, A JONES (3), A J DILLON, C WATSON, R DOUBS HOUSTON- CJ STROUD, D MILLS, D PIERCE, D SINGLETARY, N COLLINS, R WOODS INDIANAPOLIS- A RICHARDSON, G MISHEW, J TAYLOR (4), Z MOSS, M PITTMAN, PIERCE JACKSONVILLE- T LAWRENCE (7), CJ BEATHARD, T ETIENNE (3) C KIRK, Z JONES KANSAS CITY- P MAHOMES (10), B GABBERT, PACHECO (3) KELSEY (4), K TONEY LAS VEGAS J GAROPPOLO, B HOYER, J JACOBS (3), Z WHITE, D ADAMS (4) J MEYERS LA CHARGERS- J HERBERT (7), E STICK, A EKELER (3), J KELLY, K ALLEN (4) WILLIAMS LA RAMS- M STAFFORD (7), B RYPIEN, RIVERS (3) C KUPP (4), V JEFFERSON, NACUA MIAMI- T TAGOVAILOA (7), M WHITE, R MOSTERT, ACHANE, T HILL (3), J WADDLE MINNESOTA- K COUSINS (7), N MULLINS, A MATTISON, AKERS, J JEFFERSON (4) NEW ENGLAND- M JONES, B ZAPPE, STEVENSON, ELLIOTT, SMITH-SCHUSTER, PARKER NEW ORLEANS- D CARR, J WINSTON, KAMARA (3), THOMAS, C OLAVE, M THOMAS NY GIANTS- D JONES (7), T TAYLOR, S BARKLEY (4), BRIEDA, HODGINS, SLAYTON NY JETS- Z WILSON, T SIEMIAN, B HALL, D COOK (3), G WILSON, A LAZARD PHILADELPHIA- J HURTS (10), M MARIOTA, D SWIFT, GAINWELL, AJ BROWN, D SMITH PITTSBURGH- K PICKETT, M TRUBISKY, N HARRIS, J WARREN, D JOHNSON, G PICKENS SAN FRANCISCO- B PURDY,(10) C MCCAFFERY (4), E MITCHELL, D SAMUEL (3), B AIYUK SEATTLE-G SMITH (7), D LOCK, K WALKER (3), DK METCALF, T LOCKETT (3) TAMPA BAY- B MAYFIELD (7), K TRASK, R WHITE, TUCKER, M EVANS (3) C GODWIN TENNESSEE-R TANNEHILL (7), M WILLIS, D HENRY (4), D HOPKINS (3), T BURKS WASHINGTON- S HOWELL, J BRISSETT, B ROBINSON, A GIBSON, MCLAURIN (3) DOTSON



#### Notes:

Teams are not rebounding off a rout loss this year so far. I expect a turnaround on that stat eventually. Right now, if you're bad, you are bad. A few teams should be getting some players back in the next few weeks which will strengthen their power ratings. Kupp for the Rams and Kamara for the Saints should give a boost to both offenses. We have three teams playing their 3<sup>rd</sup> road game in four weeks so we will see what kind of trend we get started with.

Teams playing their third road game in 4 weeks, Dolphins+2.5, Rams pk, and Raiders+6 (0-0 ATS).

There are five teams playing their 2<sup>nd</sup> game on the road this week. Falcons, Broncos, Rams, Patriots, Steelers.

Teams playing their 2<sup>nd</sup> road game are a combined 7-3-2 ATS through week 3.

Cleveland is due down this week, using caution with this one due to Ravens injuries, should no more by Wednesday or Friday's injury report.

# **Team Situations Hottest Stats**

Early Starts West-East (3-4 ATS) Broncos-3, Rams PK

**Road Favorite laying 7.5 or more.** Kansas City-9 (0-2 ATS) (bet against)

**Line value dogs (Pack**ers+1.5, Falcons+3, Bears+3, (0-3 ATS, last week, 10-5-1 ATS for season). Spread Range dog- (1-1 ATS) Baltimore+2, Giants+1.5.

VS 2022 playoff team on the road-Falcons+3 London, Dolphins+2.5, Commanders+7, Raiders+6, Patriots+7, Cardinals+14, Seahawks-1.5 (11-9-1 ats).

Division dog on the road, Dolphins+2.5, Ravens+2, Bucc's+3, Commanders+7, Raiders+6, Cardinals+14. (5-1 ATS).

Rout losses-teams to possibly bet on-Titans-1.5, Commanders+7, Jaguars-3 London. Rout wins- possible teams to bet against-Bills-6.5, Browns-2, Texans+3.5.

## **Coldest Stats**

Teams off a rout loss 1-5 ATS
Home Favorites 12-15-2 ATS
Division Favorite at Home 1-5 ATS
Vs 2022 playoff team at home 7-12-2 ATS

Off Thursday game at home 0-2 ATS. Off Monday game on road 1-3 ATS. Home teams 18-26-4 ATS