



# **LUKE GIFFORD**

LB × NEBRASKA



6-3 × 243 × 8.28.95 × LINCOLN, NE × 7TH YEAR × ACQUIRED FA IN '25

#### **GOLDMINE**

 Gifford is a Nebraska native and always dreamt of attending and playing football at the University of Nebraska to stay closer to home. Gifford led the way for his younger brother, Isaac, who played safety at Nebraska (2020-24).



# **GIFFORD'S GOLDEN NUGGETS**

- In his free time, enjoys golfing and hunting.
- Two-sport high school athlete, competing in both basketball and football.
- Gifford's brother, Isaac, is currently a safety for the Carolina Panthers.



GIFFORD'S CAREER STATISTICS	}
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					TACKLES	;				II	NTERCEP	TIONS		F	UMBLES	3
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>TEAM</b>	<u>GP</u>	<u>GS</u>	<u>TOT</u>	<u>SOL</u>	<b>AST</b>	<b>SACKS</b>	<u>YDS</u>	<u>INT</u>	<b>YDS</b>	<u>LG</u>	<u>TD</u>	<u>PD</u>	<u>FF</u>	FR	<b>YDS</b>
2019	DAL	6	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0
2020	DAL	8	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0
2021	DAL	16	0	6	5	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	_	0	0	0	0	0
2022	DAL	16	0	5	3	2	0.0	0.0	0	0	_	0	0	1	1	0
2023	TEN	11	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	_	0	0	0	0	0
2024	TEN	16	4	35	21	14	0.0	0.0	1	0	_	0	2	0	0	0
TOTAL S		73	5	46	29	17	0.0	0.0	1	0	_	0	2	1	1	0

#### **PLAYOFFS**

TACKLES										UMBLES	3					
<b>YEAR</b>	<b>TEAM</b>	<u>GP</u>	<u>GS</u>	<u>TOT</u>	SOL	<u>AST</u>	<b>SACKS</b>	<b>YDS</b>	INT	<b>YDS</b>	<u>LG</u>	<u>TD</u>	PD	FF	FR	<b>YDS</b>
2021	DAL	1	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0
2022	DAL	2	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	_	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS		3	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	_	0	0	0	0	0

#### **Additional Statistics:**

Special Teams Tackles - 49: 2019 (6); 2020 (6); 2021 (5); 2022 (12); 2023 (6); 2024 (14); Postseason - 4: 2021 (1); 2022 (3)

#### **Milestones:**

**NFL Debut:** at NYJ (10/13/19); **First Start:** at Cle. (9/22/23); **First INT:** vs. Cin. (12/15/24) — QB Joe Burrow; **First FF:** at Min (11/20/22); **First FR:** at GB (11/13/22)

#### **GIFFORD'S TRANSACTIONS**

Originally signed as an undrafted free agent by Dal. on 5/1/19...Placed on the Reserve/Suspended List on 11/24/20...Reverted back to Dal. active roster on 12/11/20...Re-signed to a one-year deal with Dal. on 3/16/22...Signed a two-year deal with Ten. on 3/20/23...Released by Ten. on 9/3/24...Signed to Ten. practice squad on 9/4/24...Activated from Ten. practice squad on 9/14/24...Reverted back to Ten. practice squad on 9/14/24...Reverted back to Ten. practice squad on 9/23/24... Activated from Ten. practice squad on 9/21/24...Reverted back to Ten. practice squad on 9/23/24... Activated from Ten. practice squad on 9/27/24...Signed a one-year deal with SF on 3/13/25.



#### **2024 (TENNESSEE)**

- Started the season on the Tennessee practice squad before being promoted to the active roster on 9/27.
- Appeared in 16 games (4 starts) and totaled 35 tackles and 1 INT.
- Registered a career-high 10 tackles vs. Jax. (12/8).
- · Recorded 8 tackles vs. Cin. (12/15).
- · Recorded 8 tackles at Jax. (12/29).
- Recorded 7 tackles vs. Hou. (1/5/25).

#### **2023 (TENNESSEE)**

 Appeared in 11 games (1 start) and registered 6 special teams tackles.

#### 2022 (DALLAS)

· Appeared in 16 games and totaled 5 tackles, 1 FF and 1 FR.

#### **2021 (DALLAS)**

 Appeared in 16 games and totaled 6 tackles and 5 special teams tackles.

#### **2020 (DALLAS)**

· Appeared in 8 games and totaled 6 special teams tackles.

#### **2019 (DALLAS)**

· Appeared in 6 games and totaled 6 special teams tackles.

#### COLLEGE

Appeared in 29 games (18 starts) over five years (2014-18) at Nebraska and registered 109 tackles, 15.5 TFLs, 7.0 sacks, 3 PDs, 1 INT and 1 FF. In 2018, started in all 12 games and notched 62 tackles, 11.0 TFs, 5.5 sacks, 2 PDs and 1 FF. As a junior in 2017, appeared in 7 games (6 starts) and registered 39 tackles, 4.0 TFLs, 1.5 sacks, 1 INT and 1 PD. In 2016, appeared in 4 games and notched 1 tackle. As a redshirt freshman, appeared in 6 games and notched 7 tackles and 0.5 TFL. Redshirted in 2014.

#### **PERSONAL**

- Attended Southeast (NE) high school where he helped lead the team to an appearence in the Class A state playoffs, appearing on both offense and defense.
- Earned a degree in business management from Nebraska.
- Born Luke Gifford (8/28/95) in Lincoln, NE, to Sam and Shannon Gifford.

#### **INJURY REPORT**

**2019:** Placed on the Injured Reserve list on 12/17 with an arm injury.

**2020:** Inactive at LAR (9/13) with a hamstring injury. **2022:** Inactive vs. NYG (9/26) with a hamstring injury.

**2023:** Placed on the Injured Reserve list on 12/23 with a hamstring injury.



GIFFORD'S GAME-BY-GAME																												
2019 (D	allas)													2022 (D	allas)													
<u>Date</u> `	Орр	W/L	P/S	Tot	Sol As	t Sk	Yds	Int Y	ds F	PD	FF	FR۱	Yds_	<u>Date `</u>	Орр	W/L	P/S	Tot	Sol	Ast	Sk	Yds	Int	Yds	PD	FF	FR '	Yds
Sep 8	NYG	W	-	_		CTIVE		-	-	-	-	-	-	Sep 11	TB	L	1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 15			-	_	-INA(			-		-	-	-	-	Sep 18	Cin	W	1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	( 0	0	0	0	0
Sep 22	Mia	W	_	_	-INA(			_		-	_	-	_	Sep 26	at NYC	i W W	_ 1/0	_			,	Hams	-		_	_	_	0
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Oct 13	at NYJ	Ĺ	1/0	0	0 0					0	0		0	Oct 16	at Phi	W	1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 20	Phi	W	_	_		CTIVE				_	_	_	_	Oct 23	Det	W	1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 4	at NYG	W	1/0	0	0 0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Oct 30	Chi	L	1/0	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 10	Min	L	_	_		CTIVE		-	-	-	-	-	_	Nov 13	at GB	W	1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Nov 17	at Det	W	-	_		CTIVE				_	_		_	Nov 20	at Min		1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Nov 24	at NE	L	1/0	0	0 0		0.0		-	0	0	-	0	Nov 24	NYG	L T	1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Dec 22	at Phi	L	_	-IN	NJURED	RESE	RVE (A	rm)		- [	_	-	_	Dec 29	at Ten		1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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2020 (Dallas)  Date Opp W/L P/S Tot Sol Ast Sk Yds Int Yds PD  FF FR Yds Date Opp W/L P/S Tot Sol Ast Sk Yds Int   Yds PD FF   FR																												
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Sep 20	Atl	W	1/0	0	0 0		0.0		-	0	0	-	0	<u>Jan 22</u>	at SF	L	1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 27	at Sea	L	1/0	0	0 0		0.0			0	0		0	TOTALS			3/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Nov 1	at Phi	L	_	_		CTIVE		_	_	-	_	_	_	Sep 17	LAC	W	1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 8	Pit	L	1/0	0	0 0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Sep 24	at Cle	L	1/1	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Dec 13	at Cin	W	_	_		CTIVE		_	_	- I		_	_	Nov 12	at TB	Ľ	1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec 20	SF	W	_	_		CTIVE		_	_	-	_	_	_	Nov 19	at Jax		1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec 27	Phi	W	1/0	0	0 0		0.0	0	0	0	0		0	Nov 26	Car	L	1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jan 3	at NYG	L	1/0	0	0 0		0.0			0	0		0_	Dec 3	Ind	W	1/0	0	0	0		0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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Oct 16	at NE	W	1/0	0	0 0					0	0	0	0															
Oct 23	at Min	W	1/0	0	0 0		0.0			0	0		0															
Oct 30	Den	L	1/0	1	0 1		0.0	0	0	0	0		0															
Nov 13	at Atl	W	1/0	0	0 0		0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0															
Nov 20	at KC	L	1/0	0	0 0		0.0			0	0		0															
Nov 24	LV ot NO	L	1/0	0	0 0		0.0			0	0	0	0															
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Dec 24	Was	W	1/0	0	0 0		0.0		0	0	0		0															
Dec 29		L	1/0	0	0 0		0.0			0	0		0															
Jan 8	at Phi	W		3	3 0	0.0	0.0			0	0	0																
TOTALS			16/0	6	5 1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0															
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Date			. P/S	Tot	Sol As	st_Sk	Yds	Int Y	ds I	PD	FF	FR '	Yds															
Jan 16	SF	L	1/0	0	0 0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0															
TOTALS			1/0	0	0 0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0															



# **GIFFORD'S GAME-BY-GAME**

### 2024 (Tennessee)

Date	Орр	W/L	P/S	Tot	Sol	Ast	Sk	Yds	Int	Yds	PD	FF	FR	Yds
	ACTIVATED FROM TEN PRACTICE SQUAD ON 9/7													
Sep 8	at Chi	L	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
REVERTED BACK TO TEN PRACTICE SQUAD ON 9/9														
		A	CTIVAT	ED FI	ROM	TEN	PRA	CTIC	E SC	QAU	ON	9/14	ļ.	
Sep 15	NYJ	L	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
REVERTED BACK TO TEN PRACTICE SQUAD ON 9/16														
<b>ACTIVATED FROM TEN PRACTICE SQUAD ON 9/21</b>														
Sep 22	GB	L	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		RI	EVERTE	D BA	CK '	TO T	EN P	RACT	ICE	SQUA	ND 0	N 9/	23	
ACTIVATED FROM TEN PRACTICE SQUAD ON 9/27														
Sep 26	at Mia	W	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 13	Ind	L	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 20	at Buf	L	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 27	at Det	L	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 3	NE	W	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 10	at LAC	L	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 17	Min	L	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 24	at Hou	W	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec 1	at Was	L	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec 8	Jax	L	1/0	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec 15	Cin	L	1/1	10	7	3	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec 22	at Ind	L	1/1	8	5	3	0.0	0.0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Dec 29	at Jax	L	1/1	8	5	3	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Jan 5	Hou	L	1/1	7	2	5	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0_
<b>TOTALS</b>			16/4	35	21	14	0.0	0.0	1	0	2	0	0	0