



JOSÉ BERRÍOS

#17

Height: 6-0 Weight: 205 B/T: R/R Age: 25 (5/27/94 in Bayamón, PR)

2019: 8-5, 2.96 ERA CAREER: 37-31, 4.10 ERA

- He is making his 21st start and appearance of 2019.
• He is making his 92nd career start and 93rd career appearance.

2019 MAJOR LEAGUE DAY-BY-DAY

Table with columns: Date, Opp., Dec., IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO, Left/Final, Notes, Pitches/K. Includes rows for 3/28, 4/2, 4/7, 4/14, 4/20, 4/27, MAR/APR TOTALS, MAY TOTALS, JUNE TOTALS, JULY TOTALS, and 2019 TOTALS/CAREER TOTALS.

WINLESS, DESPITE DOMINANCE: Berríos was finally able to pitch back in his home confines on Saturday, snapping a four-game streak of starts, all coming on the road, dating back to his last start at Target Field on June 17 vs. Boston...

Berríos has pitched to a 2.62 ERA (44.2 IP, 13 ER) in the seven games since his last win on June 6 at Cleveland...over that stretch, he is 0-3 and the Twins are 1-6, but his ERA ranks fifth in the American League, behind Mike Fiers (3-0, 1.72), Gerrit Cole (6-0, 1.90), Marcus Stroman (3-3, 2.30) and Shane Bieber (5-1, 2.57)...

TURNING THE CORNER: Berríos owns a 2.96 ERA through 20 starts this season, and has seen an uptick in performance in a myriad of different pitching categories between 2017-18 and 2019.

Table comparing 2017-18 (58 GAMES) and 2019 (20 GAMES) stats: RECORD, INNINGS PITCHED, WALK %, ERA, SO/BB, QUALITY STARTS*.

Berríos is tied for fifth in the American League (T-10th in MLB) with 14 quality starts, while 15 out of his 20 starts have gone at least 6.0 innings (including seven 7.0+ inning efforts)...

YOUNG GUN: At 25 years old, Berríos continues to establish himself as one of the top young pitchers in Twins history...his 2.96 ERA is the lowest by a Twins starter younger than 26 years old since Johan Santana's Cy Young campaign in 2004 (2.61 ERA)...

Kyle Gibson and Jake Odorizzi are also on-pace to have SO/9 rates higher than 8.00, would become first trio of Twins to do so in the same season.

RANKING LA MAKINA: Below is a chart of where he ranks among all American League pitchers:

Table with columns: STAT, NUMBER, AL RANK (ML RANK). Rows include ERA, Quality Starts, Pitches Per Inning, Walks/Batters Faced, Walks/9.0 Innings, Fielding-Independent Pitching, Strikeouts/Walks, Innings Pitched.

EL REY DE CHICAGO: Berríos owns a lifetime line of 8-2, 2.21 ERA (73.1 IP, 18ER) with 16 walks and 76 strikeouts over 11 games (all starts) vs. the White Sox; his 2.21 ERA is the 15th-lowest ERA all-time vs. the Pale Hose (min. 10 starts)...

INDUCING WEAK CONTACT: José has been able to create weak contact for the entirety of his career, but especially over the past two seasons...since 2018, he has allowed an average exit velocity of 86.0 MPH on balls put into play, and only two American League starters have a lower average exit velocity on batted balls...

A large part of Berríos' success in 2019 has been the horizontal movement on his curveball, a pitch he has thrown 602 times this season...according to Baseball Savant, his hook breaks 17.3 inches across the plate (7.2 inches more than average), ranking him fourth in baseball (min. 250 curveballs thrown).

BERRÍOS FIRES SCORELESS INNING IN ASG: Berríos was selected to his second consecutive All-Star Game as he replaced the injured Jake Odorizzi...José was handed the ball in the third inning, and following a leadoff double to Arizona's Ketel Marte, he would shut down the next three batters: a strikeout of 2018 NL Rookie of the Year Ronald Acuña Jr., another of 2018 NL Most Valuable Player Christian Yelich and a fly out recorded by his brother-in-law Javier Báez.

Berríos became the first Twin to pitch a scoreless inning in back-to-back All-Star Games since Joe Nathan in 2008-09.

TOMORROW'S STARTER - MICHAEL PINEDA, RHP (SEASON- 6-5, 4.41 ERA ; CAREER- 46-46, 4.10 ERA)

Pineda will take the ball tomorrow night, as he makes his first road start since June 29, here at Guaranteed Rate...is 2-2 with a 2.93 ERA (40.0 IP, 13 ER) over his last seven starts, with five ER coming on his start June 23 at KC...as mentioned, is facing the White Sox for the second consecutive start here in Chicago, as last time he earned the win, firing 6.0 innings of one-run ball with eight strikeouts...is 2-3 over his career vs. the Pale Hose, with a 3.19 ERA (31.0 IP, 11 ER) and 30 strikeouts to seven walks...has 95 strikeouts this year to just 21 walks...didn't factor into the decision in his last start on Sunday against the Athletics, despite throwing 5.1 innings with eight strikeouts in an eventual 7-6 Twins win.

2019 HIGHS

CG's: --
SHO's: --
CG Low Hit: --
Innings: 8.0, 6/17 vs. BOS
SO's: 10, 2x, last: 6/17 vs. BOS
Walks: 3, 8x, last: 7/20 vs. OAK
Hits: 12, 5/13 vs. LAA
Home Runs: 3, 4/20 at BAL-G1
Win-Streak: 5, 4/14-5/7
Loss-Streak: 3, 6/17-present

CAREER HIGHS

CG's: 2, last 6/7/18 vs. CWS
SHO's: 1, 4/1/18 at BAL
CG Low-Hit: 3, 4/1/17 at BAL
Innings: 9.0, 2x, last 6/7/18 vs. CWS
SO's: 12, 6/24/18 vs. TEX
Walks: 6, 8/9/18 at CLE
Hits: 12, 5/13/19 vs. LAA
Home Runs: 3, 5x, last 4/20/19-G1 at BAL
Win-Streak: 5, 4/14-5/7/19
Loss-Streak: 6, 8/6-9/27/16

CAREER NOTES

- Teamed with Jake Odorizzi (11 Ks on March 30 against the Indians) to become just the second pair of pitchers in baseball history (since 1893 - when the mound was placed at its current distance to home plate) to start a team's season with consecutive double-digit strikeout totals...the only others to ever do it were Hall of Famer Randy Johnson, along with Curt Schilling, for the 2001 Arizona Diamondbacks.
• Finished 2018 with 32 starts, his fifth-straight season with at least 28 starts; along with Kyle Gibson (32) and José Berríos (32), they became the first trio of Twins with 30-plus starts in the same season since 2007 (Johan Santana - 33, Carlos Silva - 33, and Boof Bonser - 30).

2019 MISC. NUMBERS

Table with columns: W, L, ERA, G/GS, IP, ER, AVG, H, AB, HR, BB, SO. Rows include Home, Road, Day, Night, Grass, Turf, and Runners On.

6.0-PLUS IP/QUALITY STARTS

Table with columns: YEAR, STARTS, 6+ IP, QS. Rows for 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, and TOTALS.

MORE MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS

Table with columns: BASE RUNNERS, PICK-OFFS, SB-ATT, GIDP. Row for BERRÍOS.

2019 RUNS/HITS PER INNING

Table with columns: INNING, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9. Row for RUNS/HITS.

BERRÍOS VS. CHICAGO-AL

2019 vs. Chicago-AL (2 starts): 1-1, 2.57 ERA (14.0 IP, 4 ER), 0 BB, 9 SO
2019 vs. Chicago-AL at Home (1 start): 1-0, 1.35 ERA (6.2 IP, 1 ER), 0 BB, 4 SO
2019 vs. Chicago-AL on Road (1 start): 0-1, 3.68 ERA (7.1 IP, 3 ER), 0 BB, 5 SO
Career vs. Chicago-AL (11 starts): 8-2, 2.21 ERA (73.1 IP, 18 ER), 16 BB, 76 SO
Career vs. Chicago-AL at Home (6 starts): 6-0, 1.21 ERA (44.2 IP, 6 ER), 6 BB, 53 SO
Career vs. Chicago-AL on Road (5 starts): 2-2, 3.77 ERA (28.2 IP, 12 ER), 10 BB, 23 SO

BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPS

Table with columns: Berríos vs. the White Sox (PLAYER, AVG, AB, H, HR, BB, SO) and Giolito vs. the Twins (PLAYER, AVG, AB, H, HR, BB, SO). Rows list various players.

TWINS STARTERS IN 2019

Table with columns: Pitcher, Last Start (IP-H-R-ER-BB-K-HR), Dec., Starts, QS, Team Rec., Run Supp., RS, AVG. Rows list Berríos, Gibson, Odorizzi, Pérez, Pineda, Smeltzer, Stewart, Thorpe.

STRIKEOUTS FOR GOOD: Berríos will donate \$50 per strikeout in 2019 to Fundación CAP...Fundación CAP is a non-profit organization that since 1989 has been working for children with cancer at Hospital Pediátrico, the leading public pediatric hospital in Puerto Rico and the only one that treats certain types of cancer...the mission of CAP is to ensure that all children with cancer, regardless of their financial resources, have access to first-rate cancer treatment in Puerto Rico, close to their family and home...entering today's start, Berríos is set to donate \$5,700.

PITCH SELECTION: Below is the breakdown of his 2019 repertoire, according to Baseball Savant: PITCH NUMBER (vs. RHB-LHB)/AVG MPH PERCENTAGE. Rows include Fastball, Curveball, Sinker, Changeup.

MISC. HIGHS AND LOWS

Table with 2 columns: Statistic and Value. Includes categories like Most Runs, Game (Team), Most Hits, Inning (Team), etc.

SCORE BY INNING

Table with 11 columns: Inning (1-9, XTRA, TOTAL) and 2 rows: OPPONENT, TWINS.

INJURED LIST

Table with 6 columns: PLAYER, INJURY, DATE ON, RETRO, DATE OFF, GAMES MISSED. Lists injured players and their status.

BOLD indicates currently on IL *60-day IL REHAB UPDATE: N/A

EJECTIONS

Table with 5 columns: DATE, PLAYER/MGR/CH, UMPIRE, REASON, CAREER. Lists ejections during games.

STARTS BY POSITION

Table with 10 columns: Position (C, 1B, 2B, SS, 3B, LF, CF, RF, DH) and 19 rows of player statistics.

STARTS BY BATTING ORDER

Table with 9 columns: Batting Order (1-9) and 19 rows of player statistics.

MOST USED LINEUP [7X]

Table with 2 columns: Player and Pos. Lists the most common lineup combinations.

OUTFIELD ASSISTS

Table with 2 columns: Player and Assists. Lists outfielders and their total assists.

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

FOR THE TWINS

HITTING: Hit for the Cycle: J. Polanco, 4/5/19 at PHI (11 all-time) Grand Slam: B. Buxton, 5/18/19 at SEA (1 as a team in 2019) Inside-the-Park Home Run: B. Buxton, 8/18/17 vs. ARI (2 as a team in 2017, 54 all-time) Pinch-Hit Home Run: E. Rosario, 7/18/19 vs. OAK (1 as a team in 2019) Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: M. LeCroy, 9th inning, 5/19/04 at TOR (15 all-time) Five-Hit Game: C. Cron, 5/23/19 at LAA (3 in 2019) Six-Hit Game: K. Puckett, 5/23/91 vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett) Two Hits, One Inning: J. Field, 2nd inning, 9/29/18 vs. CWS (2 as a team in 2018) Two Home Runs, One Inning: M. Cuddyer, 8/23/09 at KC (1 all-time) Two-Home Run Game: M. Sanó, 7/23/19 vs. NYY (19 as a team in 2019) Three-Home Run Game: M. Kepler, 6/7/19 at CLE (1 as a team in 2019, 10 all-time) Back-to-Back Home Runs: J. Polanco/N. Cruz, 7/23/19 vs. NYY (9 as a team in 2019) Three Consecutive Home Runs: N. Cruz/E. Rosario/C. Cron, 4/26/19 vs. BAL (1 in 2019) Three Home Runs, One Inning: M. Sanó/J. Schoop/M. Kepler (7th), 5/23/19 at LAA (4 in 2019) Four Home Runs, One Inning: S. Mack/K. Puckett/K. Hrbek/H. Bush, 5/2/92 at NYY Walk-Off Home Run: W. Astudillo, 9/9/18 vs. KC (4 as a team in 2018) Leadoff Home Run: M. Garver, 7/20/19 vs. OAK (5 as a team in 2019) Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: E. Núñez/B. Dozier, 5/25/16 vs. KC Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run: Last actual pitcher Jim Kaat, 6/11/72 at CLE; Chris Gimenez catcher pitching in relief, 9/3/18 at TEX

PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):

No-Hitter: F. Liriano, 5/3/11 at CWS (6 all-time) One-Hitter: E. Santana, 4/15/17 vs. CWS (14 all-time) Two-Hitter: E. Santana, 5/24/17 at BAL (43 all-time) 10+ Innings Pitched: B. Radke (10.0 innings), 9/21/97 vs. MIL 10+ Strikeouts: 10, J. Berrios, 6/17/19 vs. BOS (3 as a team in 2019) Complete Game Shutout: J. Berrios, 4/1/18 at BAL (1 as a team in 2018) Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Mays/C. Silva, 5/19-20/05 vs. TOR vs. MIL Back-to-Back Shutouts: 5/6-7/19 at TOR (2 games, 8-0 and 3-0) Four Strikeouts in an Inning: Z. Duke, 3/29/18 at BAL (7th inning)

MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: L. Arraez/J. Schoop/M. Sanó, 7/22 vs. NYY - E. Encarnacion hitting (13 all-time) Position Player Pitching: E. Adrianza, 7/17/19 vs. NYM (1 as a team in 2019) Three or more Steals, One Game: E. Adrianza (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017) Steal of Home: Thomas, 8/2/13 vs. HOU Pure Steal of Home: R. Becker, 9/27/97 at CLE Home Run in First ML At-Bat: E. Rosario, 5/6/15 vs. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch)

AGAINST THE TWINS

HITTING: Hit for the Cycle: A. Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time) Grand Slam: M. Semien, 7/4/19 at OAK (2 allowed as team in 2019) Inside-the-Park Home Run: A. Mondesi, 4/2/19 at KC (44 allowed all-time) Pinch-Hit Home Run: D. Smith, 7/17/19 vs. NYM (2 allowed in 2019) Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: J. Sands, 8/8/15 at CLE Five-Hit Game: D. Gregorius, 7/23/19 vs. NYY Six-Hit Game: J. Segura, 5/28/13 at MIL (3 allowed all-time) Two Hits, One Inning: J. Profar, 6th inning, 9/2/18 at TEX (6 allowed in 2018) Two Home Runs, One Inning: D. Nilsson, 5/17/96 vs. MIL Two-Home Run Game: M. Semien, 7/4/19 at OAK (7 allowed in 2019) Three-Home Run Game: J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR Back-to-Back Home Runs: M. Canha/R. Laureano, 7/20/19 vs. OAK (5 allowed in 2019) Three Consecutive Home Runs: A. Jones/V. Castilla/J. Franco, 6/11/02 vs. ATL Three Home Runs, One Inning: R. Chirinos/N. Mazara/J. Profar, 9/2/18 at TEX Four Home Runs, One Inning: C. Everett/T. O'Leary/J. Varitek/M. Burkhardt, 7/3/00 vs. BOS Walk-off Home Run: K. Davis, 9/21/18 at OAK (10 allowed in 2018) Leadoff Home Run: M. Semien, 7/19/19 vs. OAK (1 allowed in 2019) Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: S. Smith/M. Machado, 7/7/17 vs. BAL (1 in '17) Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run: Jon Lester, 7/1/18 at CHC

PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):

No-Hitter: Jer. Weaver, 5/2/12 at LAA (5 all-time) One-Hitter: C. Kluber, 8/14/15 vs. CLE (23 all-time) Two-Hitter: R. Halladay, 5/29/05 at TOR (49 all-time) 10+ Innings Pitched: A. Fernández (10.0 innings), 10/1/95 at CHW 10+ Strikeouts: 11, T. Bauer, 7/13/19 at CLE (2 times in 2019) Complete Game Shutout: J. Arrieta, 6/21/15 vs. CHC (2 times in 2015) Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Williams/Jer. Weaver, 5/1-2/12 at LAA Back-to-Back Shutouts: 4/6/15 - 4/8/2015 vs. DET (2 games, 0-4 and 0-11) Four Strikeouts in an Inning: F. Hernández, 6/3/10 vs. SEA (8th inning)

MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: J. Donaldson/A. Rosales/C. Carter, 8/21/12 at OAK - T. Plouffe hitting (8 all-time) Position Player Pitching: C. Davis, 4/20/19 at BAL (1 in 2019) Three or more Steals, One Game: W. Merrifield (3), 7/2/17 at KC (1 in 2017) Steal of Home: R. Davis, 8/1/18 vs. CLE Pure Steal of Home: S. Green, 5/26/00 vs. TEX Home Run in First ML At-Bat: C. Richard, 7/17/00 vs. STL

2019 TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS

Table with 3 columns: DATE, DELAYED/PPD, NOTES. Lists weather-related game delays and postponements.

Summary table with 5 columns: Year (2010-2019) and PPD/DEL counts.

** Target Field has experienced 48 delayed games, 24 postponed games, 1 suspended game and 1 rain shortened game in the park's history (since 2010). Longest delay: 4:50. **

