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## Sul Ross takes 44-43 overtime loss to William Jewel in NAIA

*From Wire Reports*

ALPINE, Texas — William Jewell quarterback Kelly Groom hit Scott Martin with a 20-yard scoring pass in the third overtime to lead the Cardinals to a 44-43 victory over Sul Ross State in an NAIA Division II quarter-final game Saturday.

Sul Ross, the TIAA champion,

had a chance to win the game after Andrew Hill's 8-yard scoring run pulled the Lobos to within one point at 44-43, but Maurice Stevens was stopped inches short of the goal line on the 2-point conversion try.

Regulation play ended with the game tied 30-30. Each team scored in the first overtime be-

fore a scoreless second extra period.

Under the NAIA format, in overtime each team is given the ball on its opponent's 20-yard line for one series of plays.

The loss dimmed a glittering performance by Sul Ross' Larry Hill, the TIAA's all-conference quarterback, who completed 31

of 55 passes for 415 yards, four touchdowns and one interception.

Groom hit on 17 of 22 passes for 251 yards.

William Jewel (9-1) will meet Northwestern Iowa in an NAIA semifinal game Dec. 4 in Liberty, Mo. Sul Ross ends the season at 8-1.