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# GU'S ROAD TO MARCH

Over the next five days, we take a look back at the Gonzaga Bulldogs' run to the 2015 NCAA men's basketball tournament



## NIT SEASON TIP-OFF



**Gonzaga 94, Saint Joseph's 42**  
Gary Bell Jr. (above) scores 18 and GU holds Hawks to school-record-low point total in Nov. 19 first-round dismantling in Spokane. The Bulldogs led 48-10 at half.



**Gonzaga 88, Georgia 76**  
Kyle Wiltjer (above) scored a then-career-high 32 points as GU raced to a 13-point halftime lead in the semifinal round at Madison Square Garden in New York on Nov. 26.



**Gonzaga 73, St. John's 66**  
The Bulldogs clamped down on defense in holding the Red Storm to 36.7 percent shooting to win the title on Nov. 28. Kevin Pangos (above right) was named MVP.

## TRENDS MVP

Gonzaga senior Kevin Pangos (main picture) averaged 13 points and seven assists per game and only turned the ball over four times in leading the Bulldogs to tourney title.



## Injury

Freshman Josh Perkins (above) left late in the Georgia game after a hard shot to the face from Georgia guard Kenny Gaines' knee broke his jaw. Perkins was sidelined for the rest of the season.

## Control

GU held its opponents to 36 percent shooting from the field and outrebounded them by 32 over the three games.

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