

KENTUCKY ALL-AMERICANS

(26 Players Chosen 39 Times)

* Consensus; † Second Team Consensus



BASIL HAYDEN
Forward—1921



BURGESS CAREY
Guard—1925



CAREY SPICER
F—1929-31



PAUL McBRAYER
Guard—1930



FOREST SALE
C-F—1932-33



ELLIS JOHNSON
Guard—1933



JOHN DeMOISEY
Center—1934



LeROY EDWARDS
Center—1935



BERNARD OPPER
Guard—1939



LEE HUBER
Guard—1940-41



BOB BRANNUM
Center—1944



JACK PARKINSON
Guard—1946



RALPH BEARD
G—47-48*-49*



ALEX GROZA
C—47-48†-49*



WALLACE JONES
Forward—1949†



BILL SPIVEY
Center—1951*



CLIFF HAGAN
C—1952*, 54*



FRANK RAMSEY
G—1952, 54†



BOB BURROW
Center—1956†



VERNON HATTON
Guard—1958



JOHNNY COX
Forward—1959*



COTTON NASH
C-F—62†-63†-64*



PAT RILEY
Forward—1966



LOUIE DAMPIER
Guard—1966†



DAN ISSEL
C—1969-70*



KEVIN GREVEY
Forward—74-75

WHO WERE THE 'FABULOUS FIVE'?

The most frequently asked question tossed at basketball historians and sports authorities is "Who were the 'Fabulous Five' of Kentucky?" The answer is Alex Groza (center), Ralph Beard and Kenny Rollins (guards), Wah Wah Jones and Cliff Barker (forwards). This famous 1948 team, captained by Rollins, won 36 and lost 3 while sweeping to Kentucky's first NCAA title and went on to participate as a unit in the Olympic Games—helping the USA team capture the world championship. Rollins graduated after the '48 season, but the remaining foursome continued to play havoc with collegiate basketball and copped another NCAA title for Kentucky in 1949 on a record of 36-2.

SEC CAGE CHAMPIONS BY YEARS

1933	.....	Kentucky
1934	.....	Alabama
1935	.....	Ky., LSU (Tie)
1936	.....	Tennessee
1937	.....	Kentucky
1938	.....	Ga. Tech
1939	.....	Kentucky
1940	.....	Kentucky
1941	.....	Tennessee
1942	.....	Kentucky
1943	.....	Tennessee
1944	.....	Kentucky
1945	.....	Kentucky
1946	.....	Kentucky
1947	.....	Kentucky
1948	.....	Kentucky
1949	.....	Kentucky
1950	.....	Kentucky
1951	.....	Kentucky
1952	.....	Kentucky
1953	.....	LSU
1954	.....	Ky., LSU (Tie)
1955	.....	Kentucky
1956	.....	Alabama
1957	.....	Kentucky
1958	.....	Kentucky
1959	.....	Miss. State
1960	.....	Auburn
1961	.....	Miss. State
1962	.....	Ky., Miss. St. (Tie)
1963	.....	Miss. State
1964	.....	Kentucky
1965	.....	Vanderbilt
1966	.....	Kentucky
1967	.....	Tennessee
1968	.....	Kentucky
1969	.....	Kentucky
1970	.....	Kentucky
1971	.....	Kentucky
1972	.....	Ky., Tenn. (Tie)
1973	.....	Kentucky
1974	.....	Vandy., Ala. (Tie)
1975	.....	Ky., Ala. (Tie)

(Tournament decided champion until 1951. Title determined by regular season play starting in 1951. Kentucky did not play a schedule in 1953 due to NCAA suspension.)