Review: 1984 USFL Series II Eastern and Western Conference Sets

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Allred, Richie Franklin, Bill Jones and Willie O'Burke along with Graphic Artist Gene Sanny and USFL Consultant Paul Reeths have issued the new 1984 USFL Series II Eastern and Western Conference sets of 54 cards each to keep the history and memories alive of this Spring Professional Football league.

These new sets feature the teams of 1984 and bring back memories to me of the 1982 Topps Football sets with their League Leaders cards and Playoff/Championship Game cards.

The front of the card feature great player photos (many of which I have never seen before) with the back of the cards giving statistics and facts about each player. The write-ups on the back of the cards continue to feature interesting and informative facts about the players. For example on card #131 Ken Hobart they discuss his CFL career with both Hamilton Tiger-Cats and the Ottawa Rough Riders passing for over 5080 yards with 31 touch-downs is his career there.

There is also a header card that is unnumbered for each set that features the classic USFL logo and stating Series 1 or Series 2, Set of 54 cards and "With No Stick Of Bubble Gum". I had a good laugh when I saw that.

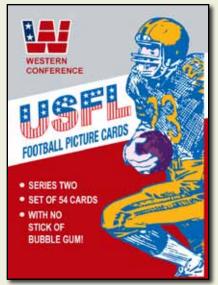
The printing of these two new series is once again crisp and clean with vibrant colors and great information of the players. I truly enjoyed the Leaders cards as they brought back some great memories for me about the league.



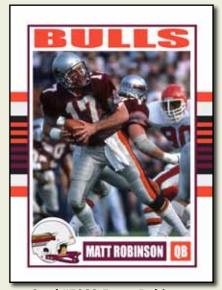
USFL Historians Greg Allred, Richie Franklin, Bill Jones and Willie O'Burke along with Graphic Artist Gene Sanny and USFL Consultant Paul Reeths have yet again captured the history and essence of the league and its players. I highly recommend purchasing these new sets along with their other USFL card sets

of you haven't already. It will be a great addition to your football card collections.

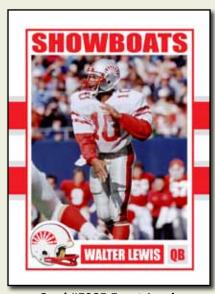
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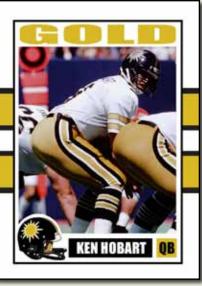
USFL Series II Header Card



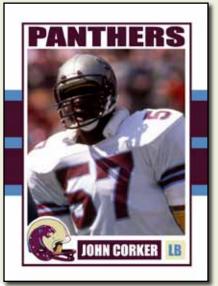
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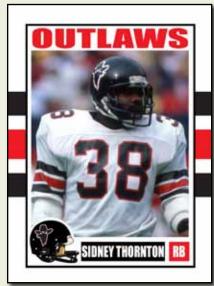
Card #E085 Front-Lewis



Card #W131 Front-Hobart



Card #W158 Front-Corker



Card #W163 Front-Thorton

