

World Football League Cards Series IV and Quarterback Collection Subset Review

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Gridiron Greats Magazine has been following the continuing efforts of Greg Allred, Richie Franklin, Bill Jones, and Willie OBurke, WFL historians and collectors, who have produced a series of historical cards keeping the memories of the World Football League alive and well for collectors. They have issued their fourth series WFL football card set featuring Cards #211 to 280 of the players with four highlight cards and a 35 card Quarterback subset series.

Again I was truly impressed with both of these new series. The Quarterback collection subset of 35 cards was unique in that the majority of the quarterbacks were all featured in game action shots with the exceptions of Gary Danielson and George Mira. Complete statistics of the quarterbacks from their AFL, CFL, NFL, WFL and USFL careers are included on the backs of their cards which to me was an enormous task to put together and is very appreciated by this collector/historian of the game.

(color combinations and numbering). It is once again an exhaustive look at all of the players of this league.

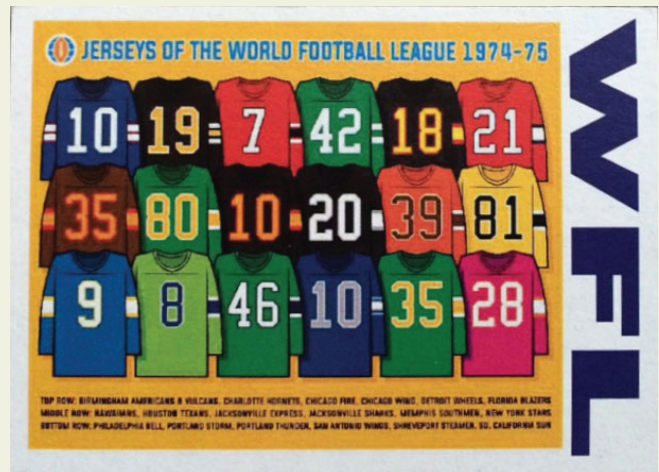
You can find ordering information on this set at either their website WFLFootballCards.com or by checking out their ad in this issue. Again this Series IV set along with the Quarterback subset are a must have in my opinion for any football card collector and collection. Collectors seeking something new and fresh for their collections should collect all of the four series and subsets of this never forgotten and revolutionary league.

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#6 from the WFL Quarterback subset of King Corcoran

The player selection again is comprehensive. Some of the players in this new fourth series include Brian Dowling (a Yale Quarterback who I watched play in person many Saturdays at the Yale Bowl), Vince Clements, Howard Strickland, and Jimmy Edwards to name several. I especially liked Card #211 that featured the jerseys of the WFL



WFL Card #211 of the various jerseys worn in the league.