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NFL DRAFT 2015



Premier Cardinals safety Adrian Wilson announces Arizona's selection of former Missouri star defensive end Marcus Golden as the 58th pick of the NFL draft on Friday in Chicago.

PASSION PLAYS WITH CARDINALS

LB Golden, RB Johnson bring intensity to draft class on second day

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Passion can't be quantified, but it can be witnessed. And at what Cardinals scouts and coaches saw when they watched video of Missouri defensive end Marcus Golden, they knew he was running back David Johnson play football.

The passion was a big reason the Cardinals took Golden in the second round and Johnson in the third on Friday, the second day of the draft.

Red反思者薛家锐 was Missouri's man in attraction, but Golden, who had 10 sacks last year, may be his way on to the marquee, at least in the Cardinals' opinion.

The question continued to pop up when the Cardinals watched Missouri tape.

"Who he sells to?" Cardinals coach Bruce Arians said. "He's not the an underclassman. But, no, this guy is another and a half-to-the-wall player."

It was someone the Cardinals deemed worthy of the fifth overall pick.

The Cardinals traded down three picks in the second round with the Ravens and took Golden, receiving a fifth-round pick in return.

That gives them six picks in the last four rounds of



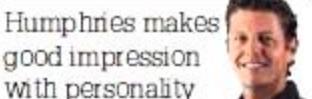
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Cardinals first-round draft pick D.J. Humphries is introduced at the Cardinals practice facility Friday in Tempe. Humphries was picked 24th overall in the NFL draft on Thursday.

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DAN BICKLEY ON THE NFL DRAFT

Humphries makes good impression with personality



D.J. Humphries looks you in the eye. That's a good start.

He talks softly, and when his lips move to be moving his expression never changes. You immediately notice the sharp will and playful nature. When he smiles, everything changes. He lights up the room. He looks like a different person.

In other words, the Cardinals' first-round draft pick from a local college and family just like another 300-pound athlete who once came in the Valley with great future. Sean Quinn O'Neal.

"That's not the first time I've heard that," Humphries said. "I get the same comparison when I was in high school. But I think it's true, as an offensive line."

Without swaying, Humphries lowers his voice and breaks into his best薛家锐 impression.

"How's it going, Cards Nation? I'm going to be the Big Little Cactus."

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