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## *History of The Atlanta Falcons*

<i>September 12, 1966</i>	“54,418 see Falcons lose in their N.F.L debut”
<i>November 21, 1966</i>	“27-to-16 triumph, first for Falcons”
<i>December 12, 1966</i>	“Falcons’ kicking defeats St Louis”
<i>October 14, 1968</i>	“Giants lose to Falcons, 24-21”
<i>October 5, 1970</i>	“Falcons win, 21-20, as 49ers miss kick”
<i>November 23, 1971</i>	“Falcons defeat Packers by 28-21”
<i>October 2, 1972</i>	“Falcons beat Rams first time, 31-3”
<i>November 26, 1973</i>	“Falcons down Jets, 28-20”
<i>August 31, 1975</i>	“The Falcons dismiss Norm Van Brocklin, Marion Campbell is successor”
<i>December 25, 1978</i>	“Falcons rally for Playoff victory”
<i>December 30, 1978</i>	“Today’s N.F.L Playoff opponents square off in war of words”
<i>December 31, 1978</i>	“Cowboys rally to defeat Falcons, 27-20”
<i>September 3, 1979</i>	“Falcons 40, Saints 34”
<i>November 3, 1980</i>	“Falcons rally to beat Bills, 30-14”
<i>November 10, 1980</i>	“Falcons defeat Cardinals, 33-27; take lead from Rams in West”
<i>December 8, 1980</i>	“Now the Falcons are ‘for real’”
<i>December 15, 1980</i>	“Falcons romp, 35-10, and gain first Divisional Championship”
<i>January 4, 1981</i>	“Falcons get big chance to achieve status”
<i>January 5, 1981</i>	“Cowboys rally to beat Falcons, 30-27”
<i>September 14, 1981</i>	“Falcons 31, Packers 17”

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<i>September 21, 1981</i>	“Falcons remain unbeaten”
<i>December 20, 1982</i>	“Falcons set back 49ers, 17-7”
<i>January 10, 1983</i>	“Vikings’ running overcomes Falcons”
<i>October 22, 1983</i>	“Falcons’ Andrews is noticed now”
<i>October 24, 1983</i>	“One Falcon finds several ways to defeat the Jets”
<i>November 29, 1983</i>	“Alert Falcon steals two Packer passes”
<i>September 10, 1990</i>	“Glorious start for Glanville, his Falcons crush the Oilers”
<i>October 12, 1990</i>	“Rison is blooming in new Falcon offense”
<i>December 8, 1991</i>	“Saints faltering as the Falcons fly high”
<i>December 9, 1991</i>	“Saints shudder as Falcons go marching in”
<i>December 16, 1991</i>	“In a wild scene, Falcons earn at least a wild card”
<i>December 29, 1991</i>	“Falcons frustrate Saints”
<i>January 1, 1992</i>	“Let the party go on, say the Falcons”
<i>January 4, 1992</i>	“It’s time to resume the Playoffs; Redskins play Falcons”
<i>January 5, 1992</i>	“Redskins score a very mushy victory: Falcons 7, Redskins 24”
<i>September 7, 1992</i>	“At least Jets get a kick out of Nagle: Jets 17, Falcons 20”
<i>December 14, 1992</i>	“Falcons 35, Buccaneers 7”
<i>December 12, 1993</i>	“49ers fumble away a punt, a kickoff and a 24-7 fourth-quarter lead to the Falcons”
<i>October 16, 1994</i>	“With the Falcons, Mathis is getting quite a big reception”
<i>September 22, 1995</i>	“Falcon passing game has the Jets on guard”
<i>December 11, 1995</i>	“Three 50-yard kicks boost the Falcons”
<i>December 25, 1995</i>	“In the nick of time, Falcons go to the Playoffs”
<i>December 31, 1995</i>	“Both Packers and Falcons are heavy on the offense”
<i>January 1, 1996</i>	“Falcons 20, Packers 37”
<i>October 27, 1997</i>	“Rankin Smith, 72, the owner of the Falcons, dies”
<i>October 5, 1998</i>	“Panthers 23, Falcons 51”
<i>December 21, 1998</i>	“Falcons clinch Division”

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<i>January 10, 1999</i>	“Falcons gain Title game behind Anderson’s running”
<i>January 18, 1999</i>	“Belief is the margin of victory as Falcons dance off to Miami”
<i>January 28, 1999</i>	“For Falcons, Dwight takes flight”
<i>January 31, 1999</i>	“After a long journey, Chandler finds success”
<i>February 1, 1999</i>	“A Crowning Performance: Broncos 34, Falcons 19”
<i>December 15, 1999</i>	“Reeves recalls a year ago and reveals his 3-point plan”
<i>December 29, 2001</i>	“Presumed deficient, now a proven winner”
<i>May 11, 2002</i>	“Amid Atlanta’s newness, a familiar face”
<i>October 14, 2002</i>	“Injuries and miscues send the Giants reeling: Falcons 17, Giants 10”
<i>October 21, 2002</i>	“A virtuoso show by Vick as Atlanta routs Carolina”
<i>November 11, 2002</i>	“Messy field leaves Falcons and Steelers mired in tie”
<i>November 18, 2002</i>	“Saints learn that Falcons are rivals”
<i>December 2, 2002</i>	“Falcons’ Vick, in a rush, takes over in overtime”
<i>January 1, 2003</i>	“Falcons must warm up to win at Lambeau”
<i>January 5, 2003</i>	“Falcons melt Lambeau Field’s cold-weather mystique”
<i>January 12, 2003</i>	“Vick can’t run or hide from defense of the Eagles”
<i>December 8, 2003</i>	“Vick shines in his return as the starter”
<i>December 21, 2003</i>	“Falcons ensure Bucs won’t make Playoffs”
<i>January 16, 2005</i>	“Falcons unveil a flashy revival of the Rams’ old turf show”
<i>January 24, 2005</i>	“McNabb and the Eagles let victory ring; Eagles 27, Falcons 10”
<i>November 25, 2005</i>	“Lions’ dismal performance is becoming a sad tradition; Falcons 27, Lions 7”
<i>September 8, 2008</i>	“After makeover, Falcons open with a victory”
<i>December 15, 2008</i>	“Falcons stay in the running as Turner does the legwork”
<i>December 22, 2008</i>	“Falcons get in; beat the Vikings 24-17”
<i>December 21, 2009</i>	“Sanchez initiated into Jets’ heartbreak club; Falcons 10, Jets 7”
<i>September 27, 2010</i>	“Saints miss short kick, and Falcons make them pay”
<i>November 29, 2010</i>	“Falcons edge Packers to maintain lead in N.F.C”

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*December 6, 2010*

“Falcons rally again and leave Buccaneers behind”

*January 3, 2011*

“Falcons’ big win at home ensures chance for more”