Concacaf Nations League 2023/24

QUARTER-FINALS

**Thursday, November 16, 2023**

They will face each other for the first time in a knockout stage series in the Nations League and in any Concacaf national team tournament. The two-time CNL champion, the United States, will play in a direct elimination series in the CNL for the third consecutive time.

In their last 10 matches against each other, the United States holds the advantage with 7 victories and two defeats. In their most recent 3 encounters, the United States won them with a goal difference of 19 goals for and 0 goals against. The results of those matches were 6-0 in 2019, 7-0 in 2021, and 6-0 in 2023.

The last time they faced each other was in the group stage of the 2023 Gold Cup, with a 6-0 victory for the United States, with goals from Jesús Ferreira (14', 38', p 45+3'), Cade Cowell (65), Gianluca Busio (79), and Brandon Vázquez (90+4').

**All-Time series: 29 games**

**21 wins for the United States**

**4 draws**

**4 wins for Trinidad & Tobago**

**59 goals for the United States**

**14 goals for Trinidad & Tobago**

**United States (USA)**

**Record in Concacaf Nations League**: GP-12 W-11 D-0 L-1 (GF-42 GA-6).

Record in CNL 2022/23: **GP-6 W-5 D-1 L-0 (GS-19 GA-2).**

**Top Scorers in CNL**: Weston McKennie (6), Jordan Morris (5), Christian Pulisic (5), Ricardo Pepi (4) Jesús Ferreira (4), Joshua Sargent (3).

**Top Scorers CNL 2022/23**: Jesús Ferreira (4), Ricardo Pepi (4), Christian Pulisic (3), Jordan Morris (2).

**Top Assists**: Weston McKennie (4), Jordan Morris (4), Lucas de la Torre (4), Christian Pulisic (3), Giovanni Reyna (2), Paul Arriola (2).

**All-Time Saves**: 23. Goalkeepers: Zack Steffen (9), Ethan Horvath (6), Brad Guzan (5), Matt Turner (3). Clean Sheets history (5).

**Saves in** 2022/23 (4).

**Victory with the most goals**: 7-0 vs. Cuba (League A - Group A / CNL 2019/20).

**Appearances in CONMEBOL Copa América**: 4 (1993, 1995, 2007, 2016). Four Place Uruguay 1995, United States 2016.

**Record in CONMEBOL Copa América**: GP-18 W-5 D-2 L-11 (GF-18 GA-29).

**Players to Watch:**

**Jesús Ferreira.** He was the top scorer of the 2023 Gold Cup (7 goals) and finished the tournament with the most shots (21) with a (33% effectiveness rate).

**Weston McKennie.** He is the leading scorer for the United States in the CNL with (6) goals in addition to 4 assists. He provided a goal assist with 1 pass in the semifinals of the 2019/20 CNL against Honduras and scored the opening goal against Mexico in the final of the 2019-20 edition.

**Christian Pulisic.** He scored 3 goals and provided 1 assist in the CNL finals. So far, Pulisic has 5 goals and 3 assists in the CNL. He scored goals in the knockout stages of the previous 2 editions of the CNL (2019/20 and 2022/23). He was the top scorer for the USA in the qualifiers for the FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022 with (5).

**Trinidad** **and** **Tobago (TRI)**

**Record in Concacaf Nations League**: GP-14 W-7 D-3 L-4 (GF-25 GA-25).

**Top Scorers**: Joevin Jones (3), Ryan Telfer (3), Neveal Hackshaw (2), Nathaniel James (2), Noah Powder (2), Reon Moore (2), Noah Powder (2).

**Top Assists**: Ryan Telfer (3), Levi García (2), Reon Moore (1), Aubrey David, Alvin Jones, Shannon Gómez.

**Record in CNL 2023-24**: GP-4 W-3 D-0 L-1 (GF-10 GA-9).

**Top Scorers CNL 2023-24**: Nathaniel James (2), Reon Moore (2).

**All-Time Saves**: 57. Goalkeepers: Marvin Phillip (27), Denzil Smith (22), Nicklas Frenderup (4), Christopher Biggette (4). Clean Sheets history (4).

**Saves in 2023/24** (22).

Victory with the most goals: 4-1 vs. St. Vincent & The Grenadines (League B - Group C / CNL 2022/23).

Appearances in CONMEBOL Copa América: 0

**Players to watch**:

**Reon Moore.** He has scored 2 goals, provided 1 assist, and attempted (9) shots in the 2023/24 CNL. He also scored 2 goals and provided 1 assist for the Defence Force in the 2023 Concacaf Caribbean Cup.

**Ryan Telfer.** He has (2) assists, one goal scored, 4 shots attempted, and 130 passes in 4 appearances in the 2023/24 CNL.

**Denzil Smith.** He is the goalkeeper with the highest number of saves (22) and 10 clearances in the 4 matches of the CNL 2023/24 League A. He didn't concede any goals in his debut against Curacao.