



# RICK LOVATO

LONG SNAPPER | 45



**Height:** 6-2 **Weight:** 249 **DOB:** Sept. 9, 1992 (Age 28)

**NFL Experience:** 5th Year (5th with Eagles) **Draft:** UDFA-15 by CHI **Acquired:** FA-16

**College:** Old Dominion **Hometown (HS):** Middletown, NJ (Middletown South)

**Pro Bowl:** 2020 **Super Bowl Champion:** 2017 (LII)

## CAREER STATISTICS

Year	Team	GP	ST	ST SNAPS	
			Tackles	No	Pct
2015	Green Bay	2	0	14	3%
2016	Washington	2	0	15	3%
	Philadelphia	3	0	25	6%
	<i>Totals</i>	5	0	---	---
2017	Philadelphia	16	4	149	33%
2018	Philadelphia	16	3	130	30%
2019	Philadelphia	16	5	135	30%
2020	Philadelphia	16	8	122	29%
<b>Totals</b>		<b>71</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>---</b>	<b>---</b>

  

PLAYOFFS					
2015	Green Bay	2	0	17	31%
2017	Philadelphia	3	0	23	32%
2018	Philadelphia	2	0	14	28%
2019	Philadelphia	1	0	6	27%
<b>Totals</b>		<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>---</b>	<b>---</b>

## CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶ Logged a career-high 8 special teams tackles in 2020
- ▶ Named to his first career **Pro Bowl** after helping **Jake Elliott** become the first K in Eagles history to start with 16 straight FGs in 2019 ... Elliott's streak of 20 consecutive FGs (12/23/18-12/1/19) marked the 2nd-longest ever by an Eagle, trailing only **Alex Henery** in 2012 (22) ... Became the first Eagles LS voted to the Pro Bowl since **Jon Dorenbos** following the 2014 campaign
- ▶ In 2018, snapped for first-year P **Cameron Johnston**, who established team records in gross (48.1) and net average (42.7)
- ▶ Served as the Eagles' LS during their **Super Bowl LII**-winning season in 2017 ... Helped Elliott kick the most 50+ yard FGs (5) in team history, including the longest ever by an Eagle (61 yards)

## COLLEGE HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶ Long snapped for Old Dominion in all 50 games during his four-year collegiate career ... Named FCS All-America in 2012

## BIRDSEED

- ▶ Began long-snapping during his freshman year at Middletown South (NJ) High School, where he also played C and DL ... Named third-team All-Monmouth County and was an all-conference selection following his senior season

## TRANSACTIONS

- ▶ **11/19/19** - Signed by PHI to 4-year extension ... **12/12/16** - Signed by PHI ... **11/29/16** - Waived by WAS ... **11/19/16** - Signed by WAS ... **9/3/16** - Waived by GB ... **12/22/15** - Signed by GB ... **8/31/15** - Waived by CHI ... **2015** - Signed by CHI as UDFA

**First job:** Worked at his dad's sub shop ... **Hobbies:** Playing guitar and skateboarding ... **Surprisingly good at:** "Flexibility. I'm probably the most flexible person on the team." ... **Favorite athlete growing up:** Derek Jeter ... **Favorite movie:** *Fast and Furious* ... **Favorite TV show:** *The Office*

