

# 2000 IHSAA Girls Basketball State Finals

## Class 3A Championship Results

### CATHEDRAL WINS FIRST GIRLS BASKETBALL STATE TITLE

Indianapolis Cathedral had four players score in double figures and the Irish went on to a 58-44 victory over Columbia City in the Class 3A state championship on Saturday at Hinkle Fieldhouse in Indianapolis.

After coming up short a year ago against NorthWood in the Class 3A championship, Cathedral returned and won its first state championship in girls basketball. The victory marked the third state championship this school year for the Irish having won titles in volleyball (3A) and football (4A).

(Class 3A) Top-ranked Cathedral (27-1), coached by Linda Bamrick, were led in scoring by Ellen Rehme with 15 points. Asjah Zinnerman poured in 13, Jill Corbett 12 and Katie Miller 10 for Cathedral, which finished on an 18-game winning streak.

Cathedral forced Columbia City into 23 turnovers, which they turned into 18 points. Seventeen of those 23 turnovers were attributed to a Class 3A record 17 steals by the Irish. Amanda Matthews and Asjah Zinnerman accounted for four each.

Columbia City, coached by Wayne Kreiger, finished 20-6 in its first trip to the state finals. Senior center Brooksie King led the Lady Eagles with 22 points and seven rebounds.

### COLUMBIA CITY'S STROUP WINS ROY MENTAL ATTITUDE AWARD

Katie Stroup of Columbia City High School was selected by the IHSAA Executive Committee as the recipient of the Patricia L. Roy Mental Attitude Award in Class 3A Girls Basketball.

Academically, she ranks fourth in a class of 230 and is involved in a number of extracurricular activities both inside and outside of school. The 5-6 senior guard also has been a four-year participant in soccer and softball for the Eagles, and an all-conference selection in both sports.

She plans to major in aeronautical engineering at the United States Air Force Academy, Notre Dame or Purdue.

Farm Bureau Insurance, the corporate partner of the IHSAA, presented a \$1,000 scholarship to Columbia City High School in the name of Stroup.

### CLASS 3A POST-GAME QUOTES

#### Cathedral Coach Linda Bamrick

(On the defense) "One of the things we had to do was pressure their guards because they were so strong up front. We wanted to utilize our team speed and quickness up front."

(On Columbia City's Connie Myers) "I have a lot of respect for that lady today for rehabing, coming back and to play significant minutes. She only contributed four points but she's normally a 20-point scorer."

#### Columbia City Coach Wayne Kreiger

"What we weren't able to continually do is keep them off the boards and give them second and third shots. Connie Myers being our most productive rebounder obviously had very limited strength and hurt us in that

category team-wise but not because of effort. Brooksie King going against the 6-3 kid (Cathedral's Ellen Rehme), that was the effort every kid gave me."

(On halftime discussion) "I told the kids at halftime that we needed to sustain a level the first three minutes of the third quarter. Unfortunately, we couldn't do that."

## CLASS 3A CHAMPIONSHIP BOX SCORE

### Indianapolis Cathedral (27-1)

Name	Min.	FG	3FG	FT	R	A	F	S	TO	TP
Amanda Matthews	23	1-3	0-0	2-2	3	1	4	4	1	4
Jill Corbett	31	5-17	0-2	2-2	6	5	0	3	1	12
Ellen Rehme	22	4-8	0-0	7-7	8	0	3	1	1	15
Asjah Zinnerman	31	5-14	3-11	0-0	2	4	1	4	3	13
Sharika Webb	26	4-13	2-4	0-0	9	3	3	2	3	10
Katie Miller	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Shannon Branson	1	0-0	0-0	0-2	0	0	0	1	0	0
Whitney Townsend	1	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jessica Wright	14	2-6	0-0	0-0	4	0	2	2	2	4
Kara Allen	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rachel Brockman	2	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sarah Triller	7	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Team Total</b>		<b>21-63</b>	<b>5-17</b>	<b>11-13</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>58</b>
<b>Percentages</b>		<b>.333</b>	<b>.294</b>	<b>.846</b>						

Team Rebounds: 1

### Columbia City (20-6)

Name	Min.	FG	3FG	FT	R	A	F	S	TO	TP
Katie Stroup	20	2-6	1-4	0-0	3	1	5	0	3	5
Chasidy Myers	21	3-7	0-0	0-0	3	0	2	2	3	6
Brooksie King	29	11-17	0-0	0-1	7	1	3	2	3	22

Beth Moore	27	0-2	0-1	0-0	4	2	1	1	7	0
Rachel Pepler	22	1-3	0-0	1-1	2	0	0	0	2	3
Dana Roberts	5	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	1	0
Connie Myers	19	2-7	0-1	0-0	6	5	2	1	3	4
Lori Minnick	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Kara Davisson	1	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carrie Schrader	1	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mallory Faylor	14	2-4	0-0	0-4	6	1	0	1	1	4
<b>Team Totals</b>		<b>21-48</b>	<b>1-6</b>	<b>1-6</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>Percentages</b>		<b>.438</b>	<b>.167</b>	<b>.167</b>						

Team Rebounds: 5

**Score by Quarters:**

Indpls. Cathedral	10	15	12	21	-	58
Columbia City	12	8	10	14	-	44

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