

Cleveland Cavaliers win 2016 NBA Finals Championship over Golden State

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OAKLAND, C.A.- The Cleveland Cavaliers pulled out a win against the Golden State Warriors in Game 7 of the 2016 NBA Finals Championship game. The crowd brought good energy to the Oracle Arena in Oakland, California as the game brought a suspenseful ending.

With two minutes left in the fourth quarter the game was tied at a score of 89-89. Both Cleveland and Golden State went into a drought until LeBron made a game changing defensive play when he made his third block of the game on Andre Iguodala's shot.

With 53 seconds left in the game Kyrie Irving made a three point shot for Cleveland resulting in a lead for the Cavaliers with a score of 92-89. Golden State kept missing shots and committed a foul on James with 10.6 seconds left.

"It was 89-89 for a good portion in the game, so I was just thinking the next team that scores has a great chance of winning the championship," Irving said in regards to his three point shot.

Golden State's Draymond Green knocked James to the ground resulting in him landing on his right wrist. James laid on the court in pain which brought concern to players and staff, but despite this small setback, James still played and his performance was not affected. He made the first of the two free throw shots allowing Cleveland to have the lead by four points.

"They continued the battle," Green stated. "They never quit, their leaders let LeBron put the team on his back, Kyrie put the team on his back and everybody followed suit."

The clock ran out of time and the Cleveland Cavaliers won the game with a score of 93-89, which meant a loss for the Golden State Warriors.

"It'll be good down the stretch to hold next year coming back and kind of remember this feeling and being an even better player," Stephen Curry said.

James scored 27 points, had 11 rebounds, and 11 assists.

"I came back to bring a championship to our city, I knew I was capable of doing it," James stated. "They say hard work pays off and that is what happened tonight."

James was named MVP of the game.