

# Game Eight Quotes



## Missouri State

### Head Coach Katie Abrahamson-Henderson

"I'm proud of the girls and so happy for them. We need to enjoy the moment and enjoy the night. We've had a tough season, but when you get to this point (referring to the MVC tournament), it's zero to zero."

"My team played with a lot of courage and they did a great job. We just have fun with it and that's what this experience is all about."

"We are very fortunate to have our crowd do what they do."

### Tiff Terwelp, 6-2, So., Forward

"I had to take it strong to Cassie Hager and stay in stance."

### Sarah Klaassen, 5-9, Sr., Guard

"You can't look past anyone. You have to play hard and never give up."

"The biggest thing is how much heart you play with."

"The crowd was behind us the whole game and we had to give them something to cheer about."

"I will start thinking about tomorrow, after a good night's sleep."

### Kari Koch, 5-8, Sr., Guard

"We have a full team and everyone is contributing and shooting, you can't leave any of us open."

"It's exciting and I am looking forward to tomorrow. It will be a good game!"

## Northern Iowa

### Head Coach Tony DiCecco

"Missouri State is a much different team than who we played earlier. They played extremely well and are so driven. It should be a great championship game."

"I thought we played very well. There were some stretches when we needed big baskets and we could not get that done. The open shots we had, we usually knock them down."

"We got the lead because we stayed aggressive and then we got tight. Maybe we should have used the clock more too."

### Cassie Hager, 6-7, Sr., Center

"Missouri State played with a lot more confidence and are playing very well in the tournament. We just didn't answer when we needed to."

"We never doubted ourselves coming in. We just knew it was over when the time hit the zero mark."

### Tara King, 6-0, Jr., Forward

"We can't make excuses as to why we lost. Missouri State stepped up and beat us."