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UTD MEN WIN BIG OVER ETBU

Richardson, TX - The UTD men's basketball team defeated East Texas Baptist University by the final score of 79-65 Saturday evening at the UTD Activities Center. The Comets improved their overall record to 3-12 and their ASC record to 2-8.

The Comets got off to a great start against ETBU. At the end of the first half, the Comets had a 10 point lead (44-34). ETBU fought back early in the second half, coming to within five points of the Comets. However, the Comets regrouped and won by 14 points (79-65).

The leader on the floor for the Comets was sophomore forward Brian Thomas, who finished the game with 29 points and nine rebounds, narrowly missing a double-double. Sophomore forward Tim Lazarus also played well, finishing with 17 points and nine rebounds, also narrowly missing a double-double.

The Comets will play again on Saturday, January 30 at home against cross-town rival the University of Dallas.