

## **POST GAME QUOTES**

**Saturday, May 4, 2024**

**LAFC vs San Jose Earthquakes**

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**LAFC DEFENDER**

### **Q: On adapting**

A: I think it's tough to speak about me tonight, I will say I felt great. That game just make me a little bit like frustrated especially because of the results, because the way we play tonight I think the players we will let down the fans and the coaching staff but the way we played and we have to take a responsibility about the way we played and obviously it wasn't good tonight and the good thing is now we've got three days to bounce back against Vegas. So that's part of the schedule, but tonight it's going to be tough.

### **Q: You are an experienced player you know for your career. You've faced matches like this where you know anyone can basically go after anyone. What kind of mentality you take and bring to your teammates with your experience?**

A: Yeah, as you said, you know, I've been in the league for such a long time, been playing pro soccer for almost 20 years. So, I've been facing this kind of situation back in the days in my career, also with New York City Football Club. The thing with MLS, it's only one game. Obviously, there is an issue once we play away from home. It's something we need to fix, and we are going to start working on this from Monday and to work on this and speak about this already with the players and the staff. There's no need for alarm if I can say this, you know, it's only one game. I think we messed up tonight; we have to face our responsibility. But also, the most important thing now is to talk to each other, to stay together. We know the quality we have in this group and, yes, you know, it's just one game. Let's try to forget this game and focus on the next one. You know, that's the best thing you can do in this kind of situation. Losing games happen in soccer, you know, even the best team in the world loses games. So, what's most important is to reflect on why we lost, why we struggled in away games, compare the old games, and I'm sure, with the coaching staff, we'll find a solution for the next away games.