## **ORAL HISTORY COLLECTION**

**MAIN ENTRY:** Beckham, James Gordon

**DATE OF INTERVIEW:** July 2, 2008

**LOCATION OF INTERVIEW:** Lubbock, Texas

**INTERVIEWER:** Daniel U. Sánchez

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**IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:** 

LENGTH OF INTERVIEW: 0:25

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE: James Gordon Beckham, Brooks Wallace Award nominee,

discusses his life, education and experiences on the Georgia

Tech University Baseball team. This interview was conducted as part of the annual College Baseball Foundation's College Baseball Awards show.

## **ABSTRACT:**

FILE TIME STAMP

Background 0:00

Description of family

Father was a football player Football was first love

Georgia Tech

Baseball at Georgia Tech 0:10

Challenges First game

Became a better player by learning from failures

Lead by example

How the team improved

General questions about 0:20

Fans

Future plans Self analysis Character of baseball players

Brooks Wallace's award

Closing Comments 0:24

About father

Feelings about baseball

Interview Ended

**DATE OF BIRTH OF INFORMANT:** 1986

**GENDER OF INFORMANT:** Male

ETHNICITY OF INFORMANT: