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Suns fast start propels them past Raptors

The Suns jumped out to a 10-0 start at the end of the first quarter, and a 20-4 lead by half-time. The start was aided by great defense and team passing. Will Myers (10 points, 5 rebounds, 1 assist, 3 steals) lead the way, scoring all 10 of his points in the first half, including 6 points off off steals. Jared Volz (6 points, 3 rebounds, 3 steals) also added 4 points in the half. Blake Deloreto (14 points, 10 rebounds, 1 assist) did a great job from the point guard position, spacing the floor and finding open team-mates. Deloreto also played great defense, pressuring the ball each possession.

The Raptors began to get some offensive momentum in the second-half, thanks to good passing and solid defense. The Raptors were lead by the combination of Devan Barnwell (4 points, 2 rebounds, 1 assist, 5 steals) and Milo Reynolds (6 points, 1 rebound), who were able to work together to get open shots. Michael Touma and Spencer Juliano also played solid defense in the second-half, adding good on-the-ball pressure.

While the Raptors cut the lead 26-12 at the end of the 3rd, the Suns ultimately pulled away in the 4th. Blake Deloreto added 6 points near the end of the quarter to put the Raptors away. The Suns doubled up the Raptors to win 32-16.