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# JEREMIAH ATTAOCHU

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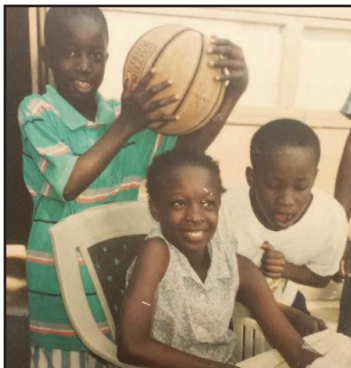
1.17.93 || WASHINGTON, D.C. || 5TH YEAR || ACQUIRED FA IN '18

### AWARDS & HONORS

**2016:** San Diego Chargers Walter Payton NFL Man of the Year

### GOLDMINE

- Attaochu was the Chargers nominee for the 2016 Walter Payton NFL Man of the Year award, which recognizes players for their excellence both on and off the field. Attaochu utilized his platform to launch Glory's Hope Sickle Cell Foundation, which is named after his sister, Glory, who was diagnosed with the disease as a child. Sickle Cell Disease affects roughly 100,000 Americans each year, but Attaochu's home country of Nigeria is especially vulnerable, nearly matching the total number affected in the United States. Attaochu has hosted blood drives, fundraising campaigns and workshops in both Africa and the United States, including his hometown of Washington D.C.
- Attaochu spent time on Capitol Hill working with American Diabetes Association's Team Tackle campaign in 2016. Attaochu, along with 44 current and former NFL players, engaged in panel discussions at the White House regarding the current state of diabetes prevention, research and treatment efforts.



### ATTAOCHU'S GOLDEN NUGGETS

- His last name is pronounced uh-TAU-choo.
- Attaochu was first introduced to football in the ninth grade after joining the tryout line for the football team rather than the soccer team, as he had originally intended. While the game of football had other plans for him, Attaochu remains a soccer fan and cheers for the United States, Nigeria and France.
- A science, tech and culture major at Georgia Tech, Attaochu strengthened his professional resume as an intern at Barton Executive Search in Atlanta from May 2012 to July 2013.

### GOLDMINE (CONTINUED)

- Attaochu, born in Ibadan, Nigeria, moved to the United States when he was eight years old. His father, Paul, studied as an exchange student during the 1980's when he met Jeremiah's mother, Comfort. The couple then moved to the United States and settled in Washington D.C., where they raised Jeremiah and his three siblings, Glory, Samuel and David.

### ATTAOCHU'S CAREER STATISTICS

YEAR	TEAM	GP	GS	TACKLES					YDS	INTERCEPTIONS				FUMBLES		
				TOT	SOL	AST	SACKS	INT		YDS	LG	TD	PD	FF	FR	YDS
2014	SD	11	0	8	6	2	2.0	13.0	0	0	-	0	1	1	0	0
2015	SD	15	12	52	42	10	6.0	39.0	0	0	-	0	1	1	0	0
2016	SD	8	1	7	7	0	2.0	19.0	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0
2017	LAC	4	0	6	5	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	-	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>38</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>71.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

#### Additional Statistics:

**Special Teams Tackles** – 11: 2014 (2); 2015 (3); 2016 (4); 2017 (2)

**Blocked Punt** – 1: 2014 (1)

#### Milestones:

**NFL Debut:** at Arz. (9/8/14); **First Start:** at Cin. (9/20/15); **First Sack:** at Arz. (9/8/14 – QB Carson Palmer); **First FF:** at Arz. (9/8/14 – QB Carson Palmer)

### ATTAOCHU'S CAREER HIGHS

**Total Tackles:** 9 vs. Pit. (10/12/15)

**Solo:** 7 vs. Pit. (10/12/15)

**Assists:** 3 vs. Mia. (12/20/15)

**Sacks:** 2 (2 times) Last at GB (10/18/15)

**Forced Fumbles:** 1 (2 times) Last at KC (12/13/15)

**Passes Defended:** 1 (2 times) Last at Jax. (11/29/15)

### ATTAOCHU'S TRANSACTIONS

Originally a 2nd-round (50th overall) draft choice by SD in 2014...Placed on the Injured Reserve List on 12/3/16... Signed a one-year deal with SF on 3/15/18.



## 2017 (LOS ANGELES CHARGERS)

- Appeared in 4 games and finished the season with 6 tackles.

## 2016 (SAN DIEGO CHARGERS)

- Appeared in 8 games (1 start) and recorded 7 tackles and 2.0 sacks.
- Collected a sack of Saints QB Drew Brees vs. NO (10/2) which led to a Chargers game-winning drive.

## 2015 (SAN DIEGO CHARGERS)

- Saw action in 15 games (12 starts) and registered career highs in tackles (52) and sacks (6.0).
- Picked up 2.0 sacks vs. Cle. (10/4).
- Collected 2.0 sacks at GB (10/18).
- Recorded 1.0 sack and 1 FF at KC (12/13).

## 2014 (SAN DIEGO CHARGERS)

- Made his NFL debut at Arz. (9/8). Blocked a punt that led to a FG, and later added a 4-yd. sack of Cardinals QB Carson Palmer and 1 FF.
- Sacked Raiders QB Derek Carr for a 9-yd. loss in a victory vs. Oak. (11/16).

## COLLEGE

Played in 49 games (37 starts) at Georgia Tech and set school records in career sacks (31.5) and sack yds. (226). His 31.5 career sacks ranked as the fifth-most in ACC history. After placing sixth in the nation in sacks (12.5) as a senior in 2013, earned Third-Team All-America honors by Associated Press and *CBS Sports*, along with First-Team All-ACC honors. In his junior season, started all 13 games and collected 69 tackles and 10.0 sacks. Received Honorable Mention All-ACC honors for the second-consecutive season. As a sophomore in 2011, earned Honorable Mention All-ACC honors after posting 59 tackles, 11.5 TFLs and 6.0 sacks in 11 games (10 starts). Played in 12 games as a true freshman and finished the season with 23 tackles, 4.0 TFLs and 3.0 sacks.

## PERSONAL

- Attended Archbishop Carroll (Washington D.C.) HS where he served as a team captain his junior and senior seasons.
- Registered 118 tackles, 14 sacks and 4 TDs returned by blocked kick or fumble as a senior.
- Son of Paul and Comfort Attaochu.
- Born Jeremiah Aijmaoso Attaochu (1/17/93) in Ibadan, Nigeria.

## INJURY REPORT

- 2014:** Inactive 5 games [vs. Jax. (9/28), vs. NYJ (10/5), vs. KC (10/19), at Den. (10/23) and at Mia. (11/2)] with a hamstring injury.
- 2015:** Missed the first 2 games of the regular season [vs. Det. (9/13) and at Cin. (9/20)] with a hamstring injury.
- 2016:** Inactive 3 games [at Atl. (10/23), at Den. (10/30) and vs. Ten. (11/6)] with an ankle injury. Placed on the Injured Reserve List with a foot injury on 12/3.
- 2017:** Inactive 2 games [at Den. (9/11) and vs. Mia (9/17)] with a hamstring injury.



## ATTAOCHU'S GAME-BY-GAME

### 2014 (San Diego)

Date	Opp	W/L	P/S	Tot	Sol	Ast	Sk	Yds	Int	Yds	PD	FF	FR	Yds
Sep 8	at Ari	L	1/0	3	3	0	1.0	4.0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sep 14	Sea	W	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 21	at Buf	W	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 28	Jax	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct 5	NYJ	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct 12	at Oak	W	1/0	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 19	KC	L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct 23	at Den	L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov 2	at Mia	L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov 16	Oak	W	1/0	2	2	0	1.0	9.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 23	StL	W	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 30	at Bal	W	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec 7	NE	L	1/1	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Dec 14	Den	L	1/1	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec 20	at SF	W	0	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec 28	at KC	L	1/0	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>			<b>11/0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

### 2015 (San Diego)

Date	Opp	W/L	P/S	Tot	Sol	Ast	Sk	Yds	Int	Yds	PD	FF	FR	Yds
Sep 13	Det	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sep 20	at Cin	L	1/1	2	2	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep 27	at Min	L	1/1	5	5	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 4	Cle	W	1/1	3	3	0	2.0	13.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 12	Pit	L	1/1	10	7	3	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 18	at GB	L	1/1	2	2	0	2.0	13.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 25	Oak	L	1/0	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 1	at Bal	L	1/0	5	5	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 9	Chi	L	1/1	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 22	KC	L	1/1	7	7	0	0.5	0.5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 29	at Jax	W	1/1	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Dec 6	Den	L	1/1	3	3	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec 13	at KC	L	1/1	3	3	0	1.0	7.0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Dec 20	Mia	W	1/0	6	5	1	0.5	0.5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec 24	at Oak	L	1/1	8	3	5	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jan 3	at Den	L	1/1	6	3	3	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>TOTALS</b>			<b>15/12</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>6.0</b>	<b>39.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

### 2016 (San Diego)

Date	Opp	W/L	P/S	Tot	Sol	Ast	Sk	Yds	Int	Yds	PD	FF	FR	Yds	
Sep 11	at KC	L	1/0	2	1	1	1.0	14.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sep 18	Jax	W	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Sep 25	at Ind	L	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct 2	NO	L	1/0	2	2	0	1.0	5.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct 9	at Oak	L	1/1	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct 13	Den	W	1/0	1	0	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Oct 23	at Atl	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Oct 30	at Den	L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nov 6	Ten	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Nov 13	Mia	L	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Nov 27	at Hou	W	1/0	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
<b>PLACED ON INJURED RESERVE (Foot) ON 12/3</b>															
<b>TOTALS</b>			<b>8/1</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>19.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	

### 2017 (Los Angeles Chargers)

Date	Opp	W/L	P/S	Tot	Sol	Ast	Sk	Yds	Int	Yds	PD	FF	FR	Yds
Sep 11	at Den	L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sep 17	Mia	L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sep 24	KC	L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct 1	Phi	L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct 8	at NYG	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct 15	at Oak	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oct 22	Den	W	1/0	3	2	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oct 29	at NE	L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nov 12	at Jax	L	1/0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 19	Buf	W	1/0	1	1	0	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nov 23	at Dal	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec 3	Cle	W	1/0	2	1	1	0.0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec 10	Wsh	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec 16	at KC	L	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec 24	at NYJ	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dec 31	Oak	W	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>TOTALS</b>			<b>4/0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>