

## **KJ Simpson vs UCLA 2/15/2024 – Film**

Offensively, KJ was not very aggressive in creating his own shots. He missed several open looks and even blew a few layups, finishing with a poor 1-7 shooting performance. Despite his scoring woes, Simpson demonstrated good playmaking ability, effectively passing the ball to teammates in positions where only they could catch it.

Defensively, he struggled significantly against the opposing team's bigger guards. They kept him on his heels and largely disregarded his defensive presence, exploiting his lack of size and physicality. However, Simpson did show a positive aspect on the defensive end by rebounding well, securing 6 of his 7 total rebounds on the defensive glass.

Overall, he was ineffective in creating his own shots and connecting on wide-open attempts but showed promise as a playmaker for his teammates. Defensively, his lack of size and physicality was a liability against bigger guards, although he compensated somewhat with strong rebounding efforts.