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## **TONY ROMO/DALLAS QB**

Romo's 2015 campaign ended with a broken clavicle. He's also 3 years removed from a discectomy to relieve pain from a herniated disk. Statistically, these injuries flare up 3 years post surgery. With the Dallas offensive line looking strong, Romo should be a late round pick at best. His backup Dak Prescott is a potential late-round sleeper, as Kellen Moore has not proven he can play in the league.

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## **JORDY NELSON/GREEN BAY WR**

Nelson will be a roll of the dice. He has the potential to be a huge asset, but he's taken limited reps and sat out a significant portion of the preseason. Because he's 31 years old and coming off of a season-ending torn ACL, there are several red flags. While there might be a "Go Big" opportunity to pick Nelson up, he could leave you high and dry if you draft him too early.

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## JOE FLACCO/BALTIMORE QB

Flacco's unimpressive 2015 season ended in week 11 with a torn ACL and MCL. Reports suggest his knee is "not totally normal." As it stands, Flacco is just 8 months removed from ACL reconstruction, putting him within the average 6-9 month recovery timeline to begin the 2016 season. Still, fantasy owners determined to draft Flacco should intend to put him in the backup roll.

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