

Isaiah Stevens (Colorado St.) 6'0 180 lbs. PG -Sophomore (1/7 & 1/9 UNLV, 1/14 & 1/16 San Jose St., 1/19 & 1/21 Utah St., 11/27 & 11/29 Boise St.)

Started all 32 games as a true freshman last season leading the Rams in scoring (13.3 ppg, 13th in MW), assists (4.5 apg, 3rd in MW) and minutes (32.7 mpg) while shooting 46.7 percent from the floor, 38.0 percent from the three-point line and a team-best 81.6 percent from the charity stripe. Had 13.3 ppg (t-14th), 2.7 rebounds, 4.7 assists (3rd) and 2.27 assist-to-turnover ratio (3rd) per game in conference play in earning Mountain West Freshman of the Year honors from both the coaches and the media, Third Team All-MW from the coaches and honorable mention from the media. Scored in double figures in 24 games, including a team-high six of 20 or more points.

Offensively, is a good one-on-one scorer off the dribble. Very good at getting downhill and is a decent finisher against contact. Effective mid-range shooter but he takes a lot of contested shots from 3pt range and overall has horrible shot selection. He also forces plays and needs to learn how to read defensive rotations better. He needs to improve his ability to get separation against matchups and be a more effective playmaker. Right now, he doesn't create a lot of offense or scoring opportunities for his teammates. Also, he gets striped a lot, forces plays that leads to stupid turnovers.

Defensively, uses his quickness at times to take charges and is a scrappy on-ball defender when he chooses to be. He gives up his cushion too easily and gets beat against penetration too often. His close-outs need work, and he struggles at times with on-ball screens or hand-offs. Overall, he is an average defender at best with a short-wingspan that doesn't allow him to effectively contest shots even when he does a good job of closing-out on a shooter.

Stevens is an above average college player that has potential to be a great player. Right now he probably should stay another two seasons and continue to develop his decision making, shot selection, playmaking and defense. Right now, his skill set, how he plays and limited measurables don't translate well to the NBA.

NBA Positions: PG

NBA Player Comparison: Pooh Jeter

NBA Career Potential: Back-up PG.

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