



## The 'UNDERDOG' Rallies

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Casey "The Underdog" Olson (8-2) dropped the first round, but took the last two to pull out a close-but-unanimous three-round decision over Tito Jones (4-2) in a featherweight bout.

Jones, from Sacramento, scored well with kicks and punches in the opening round. But Olson managed resounding takedowns in the second and third rounds to win 29-28 on all three official scorecards.

Olson, a former Fresno State wrestling star, knew his success would depend on his ability to take the bout to the mat.

"There's no doubt his hands are faster than mine," Olson said. "I just had to keep working, looking for takedowns."

Olson did just that in the second and third rounds, pulling slams that enabled him to control the action from the ground for the majority of both stanzas.

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