Who are the Miami Dolphins?

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Is it the team that made numerous mistakes and commited several penalties and let an opportunity get away from them against the Jets, the same team that showed up the next week against the Arizona Cardinals and got dismantled. Or is it the team that showed up last week against New England, controlling the ball on both sides of the line of scrimage and looked crisp, sharp and played under control with a minimum of penalties.

Our Dolphins are probably somewhere in the middle, young and with enough talent to give teams a battle everytime they step on the field, but not quite enough pieces to get into the playoffs this year. A team that will play hard and now with a convincing win under there belts against the New England Patriots, are starting to believe in Coach Tony Sparano and the coaching staff and what they are trying to instill in this team. A team that appears at this moment to have a very bright future.

We will learn a lot about this team next weekend when the San Diego Chargers come into town for a key game for the Phins and Chargers as well. Considered to be perhaps the most talented team in the NFL, the Chargers will present a HUGE challange to this football team next weekend, and I am very much looking forward to seeing how Miami steps up to the challange.

What team will show up? The team that let a game get away against the Jets and was beaten badly by Arizona. Or will it be the team that destroyed the New England Patriots last Sunday 38-13. If it's the later, then Miami has an excellent chance of winning the football game.

Next Sunday can't get here quick enough.