

# Ben Crenshaw

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I'm about five inches from being an outstanding golfer. That's the distance my left ear is from my right.

~Ben Crenshaw

A good golf course makes you want to play so badly that you hardly have the time to change your shoes.

~Ben Crenshaw

I'm going to leave y'all with one thought. I'm a big believer in fate. I have a good feeling about this.

~Ben Crenshaw

If we are to preserve the integrity of golf as left to us by our forefathers, it is up to all of us to carry on the true spirit of the game.

~Ben Crenshaw

The reason the Road Hole at St. Andrews is the most difficult par 4 in the world is that it was designed as a par 6.

~Ben Crenshaw

I don't have any big secret about putting. Just hit at it. It's either going to miss or go in.

~Ben Crenshaw

Golf is the hardest game in the world. There is no way you can ever get it. Just when you think you do, the game jumps up and puts you in your place.

~Ben Crenshaw

My golf game's gone off so much that when I went fishing a couple of weeks ago my first cast missed the lake.

~Ben Crenshaw

I feel like I've won the tournament.

~Ben Crenshaw

Hale Irwin is the exception. He just does everything so well.

~Ben Crenshaw

Hitting a shorter club to these greens means a great, great deal. Younger players are so much more capable length-wise.

~Ben Crenshaw

I know most players do, but I always keep both eyes opened. I still do it. I see two shafts, the real one and the transparent one. I look for what's on the inside edge of the transparent one

~Ben Crenshaw

The game embarrasses you until you feel inadequate.

~Ben Crenshaw

It's Star Wars golf. This place was designed by Darth Vader.

~Ben Crenshaw

I do not think I could go on living unless I felt that one day I might win the Open Championship at St. Andrews.

~Ben Crenshaw

The areas off the greens are masterpieces. I don't think there's anything like it in North America.

~Ben Crenshaw

As a golfer, you feel like you're perpetually on the rack [in foursomes]. Mentally, it's very difficult.

~Ben Crenshaw

I had a 15th club in my bag.

~Ben Crenshaw

It's emotional for every champion who decides to step down, it's a tough decision. It's probably easier for some, like me. But I'm just going to try to take it in stride. It's part of life.

~Ben Crenshaw

But, if you miss (the supposedly easy pin) by just a little bit, you're looking at the next putt from 30 feet. The ball just rolls away.

~Ben Crenshaw

I had a few miracles happen out there today.

~Ben Crenshaw

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