

# Bob Costas Quotes

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Today, Gun, Running, Want, Alive, Utah, Believe, Intention, Preparation,  
Jordan, Different, Athlete, Lasts, Eye*

Champions don't become champions in the field---they are merely recognized there.

~Bob Costas

The best thing about sports is the sense of community and shared emotion it can create.

~Bob Costas

If OJ Simpson did not have a handgun, Nicole and Ron would still be alive today.

~Bob Costas

If that's the last image of Michael Jordan...how magnificent is it!?

~Bob Costas

The National League game is chess; The American League is checkers.

~Bob Costas

(He was) a fragile hero to whom we had an emotional attachment so strong and lasting that it defied logic.

~Bob Costas

We're still buzzin' about Bruce Springsteen at halftime, but I'll tell you if there was one guy we weren't thinking was 'Born To Run' it was James Harrison.

~Bob Costas

All that's missing for Utah is a blindfold and a cigarette.

~Bob Costas

People will speculate about what they want, but that is not my intention.

~Bob Costas

He was our symbol of baseball at a time when the game meant something to us that perhaps it no longer does.

~Bob Costas

It doesn't seem that long ago to me that the word 'irreverent' seemed affixed to my name. 'Irreverent newcomer.' I went from irreverent to venerable in what seems to me like the blink of an eye.

~Bob Costas

Yes folks, their gold medal looks the same as everybody elses.

~Bob Costas

We're used to comeback stories in the world of sports, but the Gail Devers story is remarkable. This is a comeback from an illness which almost killed her.

~Bob Costas

It occurs to me as we're all sitting here thinking of Mickey, he's probably somewhere getting an earful from Casey Stengel, and no doubt quite confused by now.

~Bob Costas

If Jovan Belcher didn't possess a gun, he and Kasandra Perkins would both be alive today.

~Bob Costas

Mickey Mantle was baseball.

~Bob Costas

commenting on baseball players who test positive for steroids: It's an announced test, so you not only failed the steroid test, you failed the IQ test.

~Bob Costas

When we lose Fenway, we lose the sense that somebody sat here and watched Ted Williams hit.

~Bob Costas

I don't want to be in the Jerry Sandusky business.

~Bob Costas

17 seconds from Game 7, or from Championship number 6, Jordan, open, Chicago with the lead. Time out Utah, 5.2 seconds left, Michael Jordan running on fumes with 45 points.

~Bob Costas

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