

# Frank Lampard Quotes

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Before my mother died, she told me not to leave Chelsea.

~Frank Lampard

Barcelona are my favourite team in Spain, let's put it that way...

~Frank Lampard

I think as far as kids go, you just have to work hard. Work on your skills, keep focused.

~Frank Lampard

Goals never come easy. No one gives you goals.

~Frank Lampard

I can't stress the importance of working hard enough, work on all aspects of your game. If you does that and you have the ability, you'll come through.

~Frank Lampard

I think about all my successes and failures and sometimes the failures stick in your head as much as the wins. But you do move on.

~Frank Lampard

I am a man who likes to play consistently; I always play better when I'm on a run of games.

~Frank Lampard

If I lose the ball, I lose it trying to do the right thing. That's the way it is.

~Frank Lampard

I have never seen a player as driven and determined as me, quietly determined; that's why I always want to do the best.

~Frank Lampard

When you take a lot of stick you want to ram it down people's throats.

~Frank Lampard

My dad shaped the footballing side of me, and Mum shaped me as a person. I've always been very close to her - we've only ever had one argument, and that was over something stupid when I was 13.

~Frank Lampard

Nobody expects a footballer to have any kind of an IQ, which is a bit of an unfair stereotype.

~Frank Lampard

For present buying, I go to Harrods because there are great personal shoppers, who point me in the right direction.

~Frank Lampard

I don't want to be a passenger sitting on the bench not doing much, even in my older years.

~Frank Lampard

A lot of things happened when I left there, and to be fair they treated me really bad, and now I have to play against them so I don't have any feelings for them at all.

~Frank Lampard

I'm like everyone else: I want to play every game, but it's not possible.

~Frank Lampard

You remember the finals you lose as much as the ones you win.

~Frank Lampard

If you're going to be a man that reads the papers and takes everything as gospel truth, that's a sign of who you are, that isn't a sign of the reality.

~Frank Lampard

I'm not the kind of player to see out my time and sit with my bum on the bench too much. I want to be involved. That's my character.

~Frank Lampard

In a way, I've thrived on the competition, perhaps it has made a better player because of it.

~Frank Lampard

Reading with my children is incredibly important to me and a wonderful way to spend time together as a family, exploring magical worlds through books and stories.

~Frank Lampard

Of course it is going to be difficult for any player to get in the Chelsea side no matter who they are.

~Frank Lampard

I admit I was somewhat concerned when we started to sign so many players - naturally you are going to worry about whether you can retain your place in the side.

~Frank Lampard

In international football, you need pace and you need your players up top to create things out of nothing and run at people.

~Frank Lampard

Even with the quality of players that we have, they're an extremely hard side to break down and once they get on top of you, you find it difficult to stem the flow of attacks.

~Frank Lampard

I'm happy here, and why change when you love the club and the club's in a really good position right now.

~Frank Lampard

I think I work harder on the pitch, I cover more ground and my passing is more accurate.

~Frank Lampard

I didn't want to be the rebel who was bottom of the class, so I worked hard. They wanted me to stay on for A-Levels, but football came calling - that was my real love.

~Frank Lampard

Every season will have its dips and hard moments, and the challenge then is to make sure you don't get too down in those moments and make sure you come back fighting.

~Frank Lampard

I don't know if we'd have been as dominant as we were last season. The new things, the new ideas the manager brought in everyone took them on board so well. He is special.

~Frank Lampard

I'm really happy here. I think anyone who knows me well, and the fans too I hope, they know that I love the area, and the bond that I've had with the fans has been fantastic.

~Frank Lampard

If I could have been anyone in the world, it would have been Ronaldinho. He's fantastic, I love watching him.

~Frank Lampard

Of course, there will be few people who are sympathetic but you don't become a great team overnight, no matter how much money you have at your disposal.

~Frank Lampard

I loved being in America. It was a great experience. People will be

drawn to China because of the money but the lifestyle, everything about America, I couldn't recommend it enough.

~Frank Lampard

When I came to Chelsea from West Ham there were certain parts of my game I felt I needed to improve and I like to think now that I have shown dramatic improvement.

~Frank Lampard

I never relax on the year before. Every year I want to get more out of myself so I use it as a driving force, rather than a pressure thing.

~Frank Lampard

I fancy our chances at the European Championships.

~Frank Lampard

There is such a belief in the squad that we could really do something.

~Frank Lampard

Training's completely different now. It used to be a lot of running and work without the ball. Now it's all with the ball, which any player loves.

~Frank Lampard

If players are performing for you, their age shouldn't really matter, especially because the older players can bring their experience to the table.

~Frank Lampard

If I ever have a son, I would call him Frankie, and it's a family name - it's my dad and my dad's dad, so you know, it sticks. I won't forget it.

~Frank Lampard

That's the statement of the culture of England and Britain that someone would try to con a personal statement out of you to then be broadcast

everywhere for everyone to debate.

~Frank Lampard

The title is still on the cards until it's off the cards.

~Frank Lampard

I read Michael Caine's biography. It was about him growing up

~Frank Lampard

The advantage does lie with us because we're at home and if we can't motivate ourselves for this match then we can't motivate ourselves for any match. I think the crowd will be up for it as well.

~Frank Lampard

Footballers do get a hard time, and there is a lot of generalization going on. When you get to meet players and know them as lads, it's always a bit different.

~Frank Lampard

As far as I see it you just can't give Messi space in the dangerous areas - we have to close him down, get tight and give him as little room as we can because if you don't, he can destroy you.

~Frank Lampard

When I was at school, I wanted to be a lawyer.

~Frank Lampard

They're a very offensive team and even without Thierry Henry they can still do damage to you all over the pitch. (on Arsenal)

~Frank Lampard

But to be fair, Arsenal are a quality side. They're not where they are by chance - they are not top of the league and unbeaten because they are a bad team.

~Frank Lampard

When you look at the caliber of players in the England squad and their ability, why should we go into the tournament fearing anyone?

~Frank Lampard

People had said to me New York is kind of cutthroat and people walk past you on the street. I find it the opposite. I find that people want to talk.

~Frank Lampard

I think when you have spent the money that we have, it's bound to bring it's own pressure. The players have shown that they can handle that though. (on Chelsea)

~Frank Lampard

Being faster would probably make me better at football.

~Frank Lampard

I always dedicate my goals to my mum. I lost her a couple of years ago. She was my biggest supporter and is always with me.

~Frank Lampard

Everyone's got unfinished business with Barcelona. They're the greatest team in the world.

~Frank Lampard

I had a fear of losing, a fear of what might happen if I had a bad game. Would I get dropped? I don't remember a lot of stuff in my career.

~Frank Lampard

Obviously, it has taken time to work with the players around me and with so many new faces coming in the summer, in a way it's been more difficult.



~Frank Lampard

I like to go to America. That's where I go for most of my holidays.

~Frank Lampard

Having grown up watching Barcelona, Elen gets a bit annoyed watching me if I don't do flicks and tricks like Ronaldinho. I have to explain you can't do that all the time in a game!

~Frank Lampard

There's a few ugly ones. Carlo is probably the best looking [on chelsea players]

~Frank Lampard

I'm not silly. I understand that, with age and at different parts of your career, you have different challenges.

~Frank Lampard

Eden Hazard is a great player. He has magic

~Frank Lampard

Remember every team wants to beat Chelsea, probably even more than Manchester United or Arsenal because they believe we have an unfair advantage.

~Frank Lampard

There's so many kids out there and it's such a cut-throat world. I've seen a lot of my mates, you know, who are better players than me at a certain age, and they're not in football now.

~Frank Lampard

I am certainly not the most talented player in the world; there's many a more talented player than me.

~Frank Lampard

I had a chance to go to Italy when I was younger and that would have been tough because of the language. America is easier but I really loved it.

~Frank Lampard

I think every player enjoys praise and I have to work extremely hard on the training ground to bring my game together.

~Frank Lampard

But what club wouldn't welcome the chance to strengthen their side, what club would turn down the resources Chelsea have?

~Frank Lampard

I've enjoyed every minute of travelling and playing for my country. What an honour that is.

~Frank Lampard

Reading and writing is so important, and it's something I am really keen to promote. It's something that can be a bit lost these days with so much else going on.

~Frank Lampard

To be honest, I was Mum's boy. Always was, always will be.

~Frank Lampard

I was always pretty good at school, but a lot of it was memorising, maybe cheating off your mates, stuff that gets you through.

~Frank Lampard

When I look back, I didn't enjoy any of the big games. I didn't enjoy any of the finals. You enjoy lifting the trophy and the celebrations. But it was always the next game.

~Frank Lampard

I come from a football family which has really helped.

~Frank Lampard

But we have the players, as we have shown against good opposition this season, we're an extremely difficult side to live with at home. (on Chelsea)

~Frank Lampard

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