

Hermann Maier

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It's good to ski for fun, but I still want to win races as often as possible.

~Hermann Maier

It was necessary to organize my career to remain at the top level until Salt Lake City.

~Hermann Maier

When you have won everything in your career, what's left? Why go on?

~Hermann Maier

I sat down with my trainers to check my past seasons and to see what could be done to keep me motivated and in good shape. I had to find a new motivation, a new momentum.

~Hermann Maier

I have a strong lead so far, and I would be proud to win it because it remains the summit for a skier. I also aim to collect several smaller crystal trophies at Are, especially the GS Cup.

~Hermann Maier

When I was a child, all I wanted was to enter the Austrian team and to compete on the World Cup tour. I had to fight hard to reach this. I wanted badly to win each race.

~Hermann Maier

My attitude on skis is different now. I have learned to put less pressure on myself and on the edges of my skis when I'm racing, to be keep myself more under control.

~Hermann Maier

I planned to stop in 2002 after the Salt Lake City Olympics. I felt able to remain competitive another four years, and I wanted to stop while I'm still at the top.

~Hermann Maier

I still have many goals left, especially the Overall World Cup standings.

~Hermann Maier

I lost races because I wanted too much to win them in beating my rivals.

~Hermann Maier

Franz Klammer was my great idol in my younger years.

~Hermann Maier

I'm happy to belong to this group of top champions having excelled here.

~Hermann Maier

The crowd is wonderful. There is always a superb atmosphere in the finish area. It's good for the World Cup. I missed it a lot when I had to rest and it's so nice to be back here.

~Hermann Maier

If I remain healthy, I can win more races, but I don't think so much about setting new records. I'm already proud to have become the leading Austrian World Cup racer.

~Hermann Maier

For the moment, the snow is quite wet and soft. If it was hard or icy, it would be a perfect downhill for my style, because I could fight even harder.

~Hermann Maier

I still have more to fight for in the coming years.

~Hermann Maier

I like to win. If I lose, I'm not very happy.

~Hermann Maier

I trained well this week but I think it will take some time until I recover my best rhythm in this specialty.

~Hermann Maier

It's funny to have become an elegant skier now. But my drive is still the same.

~Hermann Maier

It was really tough to race the GS a day after the downhill, but that's over now. I'm looking forward for the rest of the season which is also quite interesting.

~Hermann Maier

One victory more or less doesn't make the difference for me now.

~Hermann Maier

Being famous hasn't made my life any easier. Every minute I'm dealing with the baby-sitters is one more minute I'm not training.

~Hermann Maier

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