

# Holt McCallany

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You make choices, as a young man. I knew I wanted to be an actor, so I pursued that, but the desire to compete still stayed with me.

~Holt McCallany

The greatest gift that an actor can have is good scripts because then you're relieved of the responsibility of trying to elevate the material.

~Holt McCallany

I've always believed my success in the entertainment business is an inevitability. You have to believe that; you have to be an optimist.

~Holt McCallany

You can get into a place in your life where you no longer are in control of events, and events are in control of you.

~Holt McCallany

I love boxing, and boxing has always been my favorite sport. I was always into it, and I boxed recreationally all of my life.

~Holt McCallany

I love the whole world of boxing and the sense of community that exists there.

~Holt McCallany

If you're going to play a champion athlete, people expect you to look a certain way, and you also have to have the stamina to be able to continue to perform.

~Holt McCallany

Boxing is a place where, if you haven't done the training, that's going to be exposed very quickly.

~Holt McCallany

I watched tapes and became a historian of the sport, and tried to

combine certain elements and find things in the gym and saw what worked for me.

~Holt McCallany

I had always wanted to play a boxer, all of my life. I grew up watching great boxing films.

~Holt McCallany

I love boxing. I really respect the guys and admire the guys who do it. But, I'm very, very happy with my career as an actor. I made the right choice.

~Holt McCallany

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