

Michael Jordan Quotes

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Some people want it to happen, some wish it would happen, others make it happen.

~Michael Jordan

I can accept failure, everyone fails at something. But I can't accept not trying.

~Michael Jordan

I've failed over and over and over again in my life and that is why I succeed.

~Michael Jordan

Never say never, because limits, like fears, are often just an illusion.

~Michael Jordan

Talent wins games, but teamwork and intelligence wins championships.

~Michael Jordan

Another day, another opportunity to prove everyone who doubts you wrong.

~Michael Jordan

If you run into a wall, don't turn around and give up. Figure out how to climb it.

~Michael Jordan

Don't be afraid to fail. Be afraid not to try.

~Michael Jordan

Get the fundamentals down and the level of everything you do will rise

~Michael Jordan

I've always believed that if you put in the work, the results will come.

~Michael Jordan

I'm not out there sweating for three hours every day just to find out what it feels like to sweat.

~Michael Jordan

You have to expect things of yourself before you can do them.

~Michael Jordan

As athletes, we're used to reacting quickly. Here, it's 'come, stop, come, stop.' There's a lot of downtime. That's the toughest part of the day.

~Michael Jordan

Focus like a laser, not a flashlight

~Michael Jordan

I know fear is an obstacle for some people, but it is an illusion to me . . . Failure always made me try harder next time.

~Michael Jordan

Always turn a negative situation into a positive situation.

~Michael Jordan

My attitude is that if you push me towards something that you think is a weakness, then I will turn that perceived weakness into a strength.

~Michael Jordan

Its better to shoot and miss, then to let time run out and wonder what if

~Michael Jordan

To be successful you have to be selfish, or else you never achieve. And once you get to your highest level, then you have to be unselfish. Stay reachable. Stay in touch. Don't isolate.

~Michael Jordan

I never feared about my skills because I put in the work. Work ethic eliminates fear. So if you put forth the work, what are you fearing? You know what you're capable of doing and what you're not.

~Michael Jordan

If you quit ONCE it becomes a habit. Never quit!!!

~Michael Jordan

If you do the work you get rewarded. There are no shortcuts in life.

~Michael Jordan

My father used to say that it's never too late to do anything you wanted to do. And he said, 'You never know what you can accomplish until you try.'

~Michael Jordan

Winners don't just learn the fundamentals, they master them. You have to monitor your fundamentals constantly because the only thing that changes will be your attention to them.

~Michael Jordan

You don't show up on game day and expect to be great. Greatness happens in practice. You have to expect things of yourself before you can do them.

~Michael Jordan

It's a habit of mine now, noticing labels, logos, shoes.

~Michael Jordan

I'm retired 99.9%. Of course, there always is that .1%.

~Michael Jordan

Nothing of value comes without being earned.

~Michael Jordan

Anything can happen if you are willing to put in the work and remain open to the possibility. Dreams are realized by effort, determination, passion and staying connected to that sense of who you are.

~Michael Jordan

It doesn't matter if you fall down, it's whether you get back up.

~Michael Jordan

I've never lost a game I just ran out of time.

~Michael Jordan

I can never stop working hard. Each day I feel that I have to improve. Hardwork...Determination...I gotta keep pushing myself.

~Michael Jordan

Just play. Have fun. Enjoy the game.

~Michael Jordan

My best skill was that I was coachable. I was a sponge and aggressive to learn.

~Michael Jordan

The harder I prepare, the luckier I seem to get.

~Michael Jordan

If you accept the expectations of others, especially negative ones, then you never will change the outcome.

~Michael Jordan

The reason I became such a successful athlete was my mind was saying that no matter who you put up against me, I am better, I am the best.

~Michael Jordan

Never think of the consequences of failing for you will always think of a negative result. Think only positive thoughts and your mind will gravitate towards those thoughts!

~Michael Jordan

My advice is find fuel in failure. Sometimes failure gets you closer to where you want to be.

~Michael Jordan

The best come from the worst

~Michael Jordan

Earn your leadership every day.

~Michael Jordan

The game is my wife. It demands loyalty and responsibility, and it gives me back fulfillment and peace.

~Michael Jordan

I play to win, whether during practice or a real game.

~Michael Jordan

I heave the basketball; I know it sails in a parabola, exhibiting perfect symmetry, which is interrupted by the basket. It's funny, but it is always interrupted by the basket.

~Michael Jordan

There is no 'i' in team but there is in win.

~Michael Jordan

If you are confident you have done everything possible to prepare yourself, then there is nothing to fear.

~Michael Jordan

Sometimes a winner is just a dreamer who never gave up.

~Michael Jordan

If you think and achieve as a team, the individual accolades will take care of themselves. Talent wins games, but teamwork and intelligence win championships.

~Michael Jordan

I want to wake up every day and do whatever comes in my mind, and not feel pressure or obligations to do anything else in my life.

~Michael Jordan

Sometimes you need to get hit in the head to realize that you're in a fight.

~Michael Jordan

My heroes are and were my parents. I can't see having anyone else as my heroes.

~Michael Jordan

All I knew is that I NEVER wanted to be AVERAGE.

~Michael Jordan

Figure out how to climb it, go through it, or work around it.

~Michael Jordan

People ask me if I could fly, I said, 'yeah....' for a little while.

~Michael Jordan

Being nervous isn't bad. It just means something important is happening.

~Michael Jordan

I realized that if I was going to achieve anything in life I had to be

aggressive. I had to get out there and go for it... I know fear is an obstacle for some people, but it's an illusion to me.

~Michael Jordan

It's not about the shoes, it's what you do in them.

~Michael Jordan

When I was young, I had to learn the fundamentals of basketball. You can have all the physical ability in the world, but you still have to know the fundamentals.

~Michael Jordan

Every time I feel tired while I am exercising and training, I close my eyes to see that picture, to see that list with my name. This usually motivates me to work again.

~Michael Jordan

If you can't stop thinking about it, don't stop working on it.

~Michael Jordan

Since I've been in chiropractic, I've improved by leaps and bounds both mentally and physically.

~Michael Jordan

You have competition every day because you set such high standards for yourself that you have to go out every day and live up to that.

~Michael Jordan

Authenticity is about being true to who you are, even when everyone around you wants you to be someone else

~Michael Jordan

I've always believed that if you put in the work, the results will come. I don't do things half-heartedly. Because I know if I do, then I can expect

half-hearted results.

~Michael Jordan

Sometimes, things may not go your way, but the effort should be there every single night.

~Michael Jordan

Any fear is an illusion. You think something is standing in your way, but nothing is really there. What is there is an opportunity to do your best and gain some success.

~Michael Jordan

I never thought a role model should be negative.

~Michael Jordan

I missed 9000 shots in my career, lost almost 300 games and missed the shot to win the game 26 times.

~Michael Jordan

Enjoy every minute of life. Never second-guess life.

~Michael Jordan

The key to success is failure

~Michael Jordan

Failure makes me work even harder.

~Michael Jordan

Everybody has talent, but ability takes hard work.

~Michael Jordan

Even when I'm old and grey, I won't be able to play it, but I'll still love the game.

~Michael Jordan

I can't speak for the future. I have no crystal ball.

~Michael Jordan

I realize that I'm black, but I like to be viewed as a person, and this is everybody's wish.

~Michael Jordan

Don't let them drag you down by rumors just go with what you believe in.

~Michael Jordan

When I step onto the court, I'm ready to play. If you're going up against me, you'd better be ready. If you're not going to compete, I will dominate you.

~Michael Jordan

Work ethics eliminates fear.

~Michael Jordan

I'm all about challenges and seeing if I can go out and see if I can achieve something. If at the end of the day I do it, great. If I don't, I can live with myself.

~Michael Jordan

Excellence isn't a one-week or one-year ideal. It's a constant.

~Michael Jordan

My mother is my root, my foundation. She planted the seed that I base my life on, and that is the belief that the ability to achieve starts in your mind.

~Michael Jordan

A coach is someone that sees beyond your limits and guides you to greatness!

~Michael Jordan

My body could stand the crutches but my mind couldn't stand the sideline.

~Michael Jordan

I've had tendinitis since college.

~Michael Jordan

The best evaluation I can make of a player is to look in his eyes and see how scared they are.

~Michael Jordan

Limits, like fear, is often an illusion.

~Michael Jordan

Each time I step on the basketball court, I never know what will happen. I live for the moment. I play for the moment.

~Michael Jordan

The basketball court for me, during a game, is the most peaceful place I can imagine. On the basketball court, I worry about nothing. When I'm out there, no one can bother me.

~Michael Jordan

Confidence allows you to progress in something you're attempting to accomplish, whether it's playing basketball or baseball or whether it's trying to succeed in business.

~Michael Jordan

If you put your mind to doing whatever it is you want to do, good things can happen.

~Michael Jordan

I'm not a Twitterer, I'm not a twerker, I'm not a Facebooker. I am a ... nothin' ... I'm old school.

~Michael Jordan

You always have to focus in life on what you want to achieve.

~Michael Jordan

Don't be like me. Be better than me. That's the goal.

~Michael Jordan

If you're trying to achieve, there will be roadblocks. I've had them; everybody has had them

~Michael Jordan

Obstacles don't have to stop you.

~Michael Jordan

If you pass the ball to Bill Cartwright, you'll never get the ball from me.

~Michael Jordan

Republicans buy sneakers, too.

~Michael Jordan

The good part about being famous is being able to help people. The hard part is every day you have to be in a good mood, because that is what people expect. You learn to get good at it.

~Michael Jordan

Patience. I will become what I know I am.

~Michael Jordan

Being afraid on the court, means you're not confident of your skills

~Michael Jordan

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