

Moses Malone

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I'll always be Number 1 to myself.

~Moses Malone

I never thought I'd lead the NBA in rebounding, but I got a lot of help from my team-mates - they did a lot of missing.

~Moses Malone

I was on the playground all night. I ain't never go to parties or nothing. I'd get out of school at 3 and be out there playing until one in the morning with one streetlight. For real.

~Moses Malone

I'm never gonna try it, because you got to pay a lot for cocaine, and that's not the way I want to spend my money.

~Moses Malone

I came up in a small town ghetto and I never did think I'd be a celebrity or famous athlete, I was just loving to play the game of basketball. And I worked hard at everything I did.

~Moses Malone

To be a great offensive rebounder, you have to think like a defensive rebounder and battle for position while also being in the flow of your offense. And then it's just being determined.

~Moses Malone

The only reason people are saying I'm the number-one player is because I'm with the number-one team.

~Moses Malone

When I was 15, they changed the playground rules because I was dominating everything and blocking everything that came my way.

~Moses Malone

When I retire, I wanna be able to just lay back. Only way to make it happen is to be investing my money, not spending it.

~Moses Malone

I don't talk to reporters, because they're gonna write what they want to write, so let 'em write what they want to write.

~Moses Malone

I figure a lot of folks are probably looking to find out if Moses Malone is into that stuff, but the closest I come to drugs is drinking a Coca-Cola. I don't want that cocaine; it's not for me.

~Moses Malone

When the ladies see an athlete walking around, they think, Well, he got the cocaine, so let's go get high with him.

~Moses Malone

I never thought I was the best; I just thought I was one of the best.

~Moses Malone

I've always just wanted to play ball, that's all. I didn't want to do no interviews, because I didn't want to be bothered with reporters.

~Moses Malone

Reporters don't know me, because I don't talk to them; I just talk to the players.

~Moses Malone

I enjoy money. You got to know how to enjoy it, though. A lot of people enjoy it the wrong way: They spend it all.

~Moses Malone

I'm conservative with my money. I'm the one who's got a family and I can't be playing basketball forever, so when I retire, I want to live on

what I've made.

~Moses Malone

Owners want to make their team a winner so they can get more fans in the stands, and that's why they go after the best ball-players and pay 'em what they're worth.

~Moses Malone

People got to realize that the owners who been paying me are a lot richer than I am. It's not like I was born rich; I had to play basketball to make this type of money.

~Moses Malone

Seems like everybody wants to know if an athlete is on drugs, so you got to stay clear of wild people.

~Moses Malone

I started playing ball when I was 13 and a half. Before that, I just wanted to play football and baseball but I kept growing so I figured it was time for basketball.

~Moses Malone

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