

Steve Nash

Quotes

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I believe that the measure of a person's life is the affect they have on others.

~Steve Nash

The guys that improve every year are those that are always adding something to their game.

~Steve Nash

It's important for us, if we're going to be a good team, to be a good defensive team in the fourth quarter.

~Steve Nash

People have always doubted whether I was good enough to play this game at this level. I thought I was, and I thought I could be. What other people thought was really always irrelevant to me.

~Steve Nash

I learned at a young age to dribble with both hands, and that allows me to be more creative when I go against bigger and stronger opponents.

~Steve Nash

The NBA has the best point guards in the world, so it is important that I come ready to play every night.

~Steve Nash

My best move is probably my pull up jump shot.

~Steve Nash

My approach has been that a player with determination and a willingness to work harder than anyone else can accomplish anything. It's a simple formula. I've found it works.

~Steve Nash

Play because it's fun, and not to become a pro. If your goal is to

become pro, the best way to realize that is by loving what you do.

~Steve Nash

We were excited to win, staying undefeated is just the icing.

~Steve Nash

I don't care what other people say. I fight every day to be the best player I can.

~Steve Nash

Having a goal in your mind helps you manifest it in some way.

~Steve Nash

You should always want your coach to be critical. It gives you an opportunity to learn and to overcome adversity

~Steve Nash

You can't worry about things you have no control over.

~Steve Nash

I'm playing; I'm here. I'm going to fight until they tell me they don't want me anymore.

~Steve Nash

The playoffs are the playoffs. You just play who is put in front of you.

~Steve Nash

You should be able to voice your opinion and respect the voice of the other side. You should be willing to educate yourself and know what it is you're dealing with.

~Steve Nash

I know the strengths and weaknesses of my teammates. I make my passing decisions accordingly

~Steve Nash

I have to say I've worked very few days of my life. I used to have to cut the lawn, and when I was in junior high school, I worked at a concession stand at a stadium.

~Steve Nash

I have definitely gone through my ups and downs and faced my adversity and my nay-sayers, but managed to do all right. It is a pretty classic tale.

~Steve Nash

It seems like my whole life I've been this little Canadian kid dreaming somebody would give me a chance.

~Steve Nash

Sometimes I'm very impatient. I also feel the need to please everyone, which is unnecessary and impossible.

~Steve Nash

If every basketball player worked as hard as I did, I'd be out of a job

~Steve Nash

The pick and roll is more about bodies and eyes than speed and being fast

~Steve Nash

I simply want to be remembered as a great competitor and a great teammate.

~Steve Nash

I think it's important that people stand up for what they believe in. It's important that people discuss things.

~Steve Nash

I love being part of a team, any team. Not just playing, but the camaraderie, the whole thing. It's just what I get off on.

~Steve Nash

The toughest opponents to defend are Iverson, Marbury and Payton. They are all very talented and can shoot at anytime from anywhere.

~Steve Nash

We've been playing ugly. Without all of our bodies, we've been kicking it all over the shop, but fortunately we've been able to make the big buckets and rely on our defense for once.

~Steve Nash

The crowd gives us so much energy and we are able to really feed off of it. Hitting those shots and having the crowd go crazy helps boost our confidence. We love our fans.

~Steve Nash

I used to collect hockey cards. It was like Vegas at my school. You'd go to school with your box of cards, and at recess and lunchtime there were all these games we'd play.

~Steve Nash

It feels great to have my hard work pay off, especially when the fans made it hard for me.

~Steve Nash

What happened in the past is just that, the past. Champion or not.

~Steve Nash

Nothing is black-and-white, except for winning and losing, and maybe that's why people gravitate to that so much.

~Steve Nash

Anytime you play a finalist it's going to be a challenge.

~Steve Nash

Our centers spread the floor, shoot the three and block shots. We can play pick and pop.

~Steve Nash

My ideal day would be to get a good work out in, listen to music, talk to my family and friends on the phone, read and go to a good movie.

~Steve Nash

My father was a soccer player. All my friends played basketball though, so I stuck with basketball.

~Steve Nash

That's the key to our team. We have so many weapons. You can just pick your poison.

~Steve Nash

I try to only worry about things I have control over.

~Steve Nash

I have a tendency, especially when I'm playing with great players, to try and get them the ball.

~Steve Nash

I am not too accusatorial or defensive by nature. I have always been kind of philosophical about it, remembering that it is just a game. People take these things too seriously.

~Steve Nash

I think it was wishful thinking of me to dream of being an NBA player. And once I made the NBA I dreamed of being an All-Star, but I never dreamed of being an MVP.

~Steve Nash

I think you can get too focused on the championship and forget how rewarding it is to be part of a team.

~Steve Nash

I love basketball and I'm committed to it, but if I have to lock up my spirit because of basketball, it ain't worth it.

~Steve Nash

I feel very comfortable going at full speed.

~Steve Nash

I lick my fingers because I don't like when my hands get slick. Licking my fingers helps me keep a good grip on the ball.

~Steve Nash

My goal is to eliminate positions where I can't function.

~Steve Nash

I'd love to go somewhere warm, somewhere near the beach and somewhere with a cool culture. It could be Hawaii, Cuba, South America - anywhere that has a cool culture and a beautiful climate.

~Steve Nash

I am thrilled to be an Olympian, and I think that although we will be underdogs we can beat many teams and will be a surprise in Sydney.

~Steve Nash

My agility is the CEO of the United Global Agility Corporation

~Steve Nash

I know that to be a good player, you have to stay healthy, and you have to be as athletic as you can possibly be.

~Steve Nash

You know, once you have been through a certain amount of things in life, you definitely grow more comfortable with yourself.

~Steve Nash

Besides P.E., geography was my best class in high school. I was in this gifted class when I was younger, and it was wicked!

~Steve Nash

For the most part I try to just stay focused not on my play but on our team.

~Steve Nash

We play a different style than other teams. It's effective, but different. We run the floor, block shots and create turnovers.

~Steve Nash

It's cool to challenge myself to learn new things as opposed to going to play basketball in the park for millionth time.

~Steve Nash

The only reason I don't do more is because, like all of us, we have busy lives.

~Steve Nash

My best memories are because I was on teams I love - even going back to being a kid. Not just in the NBA.

~Steve Nash

I know what I can do and what I'm able to accomplish.

~Steve Nash

We've got very few bodies right now so we were tired, but we've also

got a lot of character and we want to win.

~Steve Nash

I hope my kids learn to put themselves first.

~Steve Nash

I have as much fun as anybody I know.

~Steve Nash

Sometimes it's difficult maintaining my friendships, but to me, it's well worth it.

~Steve Nash

Basketball isn't as popular in Canada as it is in the US. Hockey is by far the most popular sport in Canada.

~Steve Nash

The person who's had the biggest impact on my career is Rick Celebrini, the physiotherapist.

~Steve Nash

Well, my favorite band is Radiohead. But, you know, I am pretty fascinated in general with music. I love music. It is definitely an interest.

~Steve Nash

We love playing together and we love adversity. You know, back-to-back, the two best teams in the East.

~Steve Nash

My closest friends in the league are Dirk Nowitzki and Rex Chapman. Although I think Michael Finley and I will be friends forever.

~Steve Nash

The truth is I'm a bit old school. For me, it would be hard to put on a Lakers jersey. That's just the way it is.

~Steve Nash

Its crazy! I'm watching Linsanity hoping every shot goes in. Hope I never grow up.

~Steve Nash

When I think of my career, I can't help but think of the kid with his ball, falling in love.

~Steve Nash

Professional athletes die twice.

~Steve Nash

You have good games, you have bad games. You have good years, you have bad years. I have always been kind of philosophical about that.

~Steve Nash

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