Michael Jordan was born on February 17th, 19643. His basketball career started in his high school years. He did not play in his second year of high school because he was too short. He did not give up. He practised a lot and he scored up to 25 or more points per game. He played for the McDonalds All-American Team at the University of North Carolina and he got a basketball scholarship. One of the most memorable moments was in March 1982 when he made the last shot with only 16 seconds before the end of the game and his team won the championship for the first time in 25 years. Michael left North Carolina one year before his graduation to enter the NBA. He became the best American Basketball player in the 1990`s. He received 5 MVP awards. He retired from his basketball career in 2003. Michael `Air` Jordan gained his nickname because of how high his slam dunks were. He wore uniform number 23. He is one of the best basketball players of all times.

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