

# MICHAEL PHELPS: The Olympic Champion



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Born on June 30th, 1985; Michael Phelps is a famous swimmer from the United States. He was born in Baltimore, a city in the state of Maryland.

Michael started swimming at a very young age. He showed great talent and worked very hard to improve.

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Michael Phelps has won 23 Olympic gold medals. This makes him the most successful Olympic champion ever. His achievements are a result of his  dedication and hard work. Apart from swimming, Michael has other hobbies and interests. He loves spending time with his family and playing golf.

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Michael also talks about the importance of mental health. He believes that it is important to take care of your mind just like your body. His story inspires many young athletes around the world.

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