



Melvin Adams has been an NCAA All-American basketball player, professional basketball competitor and member of the world famous Harlem Globetrotter. He is currently a communicator and entertainer. His energetic and engaging presentation style make him a favorite for events of all kinds.

Melvin has had the privilege of speaking to over 8,000,000 youth through school assemblies, basketball clinics/camps and other events. In addition to speaking responsibilities, he is also frequently engaged in interviews and guest appearances in various forms of media. Melvin's passion for reaching America's youth has provided countless opportunities to speak, perform and share with groups.

Melvin was born in 1971 and grew up in the ghetto of Houston, Texas. He was challenged early in life with extremely negative circumstances; however, he dreamed of playing professional basketball. At the age of 13, his father died. With the consistent pressure of financial burdens and surrounded by hopeless situations, Melvin turned to sports where hard work and endless practices kept him from trouble. During these years, he led the district in assists and steals, and averaged 16 points per game for the Eisenhower High School's Eagles.

Melvin graduated from San Jose Christian College where he was a two-time NCAA III All-American basketball player. He remains the all-time scoring, assists and steals leader in the Warrior's history. After college, Melvin continued to focus on basketball and was given the opportunity to play professional basketball. He later joined the Harlem Globetrotters and was named Mr. Globetrotter numerous times. The award is presented yearly to the teammate that most exemplifies the excitement and energy associated with the Harlem Globetr...

Testimonials

You touched many lives--both young and old--that evening. You received rave reviews from many of the people in attendance that night. I even heard people talking about you a couple of weeks later who weren't even there . . . and saying POSITIVE things, too!

- Generation Life.

Melvin was outstanding! At the top of our list as the best there is as a keynote speaker, Melvin made us think, he was entertaining, and he motivated us to care for all our kids. He made our day extraordinary for the volunteers and staff in Cy-Fair ISD.

- Cypress-Fairbanks ISD.

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Speech Topics

- ☐ Youth
- ☐ University/College
- ☐ Teambuilding
- ☐ Sports
- ☐ Religion / Faith
- ☐ Personal Growth

