

*Perry P.*Gettin' in the GameSM Athlete (since 2001)**My sport:** Golf
Hemophilia A*My life at a glance*


I was named Most Valuable Player twice while playing golf for the University of California (Irvine), where I also won 3 golf tournaments. I became a professional golfer in 1988 and have played on the Asian, Australian, Canadian, Japanese, Nike, and PGA tours. My professional career highlights include 5 Canadian tour event titles, more than 30 victories in California, and participation in 3 US Open tournaments (1992, 1997, and 1998). My wife, Lori, and I have twins, Scott and Diana. We live in Laguna Niguel, California, where we love to watch our kids play sports and perform in the theater. I still like playing competitive golf and hope to establish myself on the Champions Tour and the European Senior Tour. I also enjoy teaching golf to children and adults.

My preferred topics

- Believing in yourself and finding your passion in life
- Taking a negative (hemophilia) and turning it into a positive (becoming a stronger individual)
- Inspiring children to be physically active for their entire lives

My message to you

"Don't be afraid to try something new to accomplish your goals. Find your passion and work hard—and your dreams can come true. I am a great example of someone who was not afraid to reach for the stars, even when some people said I could not do it. Be confident in yourself, believe in your abilities, and great things can happen!"

-Perry


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