

Earl Lloyd

Lloyd was born in Alexandria, Virginia in April 8 1928. Earl Lloyd was raised by his father, Theodore Benjamin Lloyd, and mother, Daisy Mitchell Lloyd, in the Berg area of Alexandria. Lloyd's mother's wisdom influenced him to become a good student and an outstanding athlete at Lyles-Crouch Elementary School and Parker-Gray High School.

Earl Lloyd. played collegiate Basketball at West Virginia State College. For a living Earl Lloyd would play in the NBA. Earl opened up many basketball opportunities for future African American.

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Earl Lloyd Leads West Virginia State to two CIAA Conference and Tournament Championships in 1948-49.

Earl Lloyd was Named All-American in 1949

Earl Lloyd was the first black NBA player to win a NBA title in 1955

1. My **philosophy** was if they weren't calling you names, you weren't doing anything. Earl Lloyd. **Philosophy**, Names, Calling.

2. One kid said to me, he said, Mr. Lloyd, we really owe you.

3. You can do amazing things when people love you. Earl Lloyd. ...

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