

Texas Stix 18 Gold



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Of all the positions on the field, why did you choose to play your position?

I chose to play 2nd base because I like being in all the action of the play. When you are in the infield, the ball comes to you so much faster than in the outfield. My favorite part of playing second is diving for balls.

What's your favorite softball memory?

My favorite memory would be playing Antonian, the number one team in our district, in our last home game during my high school season. It was our senior night and we beat them 4-3 off a game winning shot down third base line.

What makes softball fun for you?

The thing that makes softball fun for me are my teammates and my coaches. They push me to be better and encourage me to play my hardest every single play. There is never a dull moment with them around.

Who is your favorite sports athlete and why are they your favorite?

My favorite sports athlete would be Josh Hamilton because he was able to overcome his addiction to drugs with the help of his family and is now one of the best baseball players of today. And also because he is just an awesome baseball player.

What's the best advice anyone has ever given to you?

The best advice that I was given was from my mom. She told me that no matter what happens on or off the field, I should give my absolute everything and that I should never give up on myself.

Tell something about yourself that your teammates don't know.

Something that my teammates don't know about me is that I am extremely afraid of the dark. I mean extremely afraid.

If you bought a car to match your personality, what would it be?

I would buy a new Chevy camaro.

If someone gave you \$1,000 unexpectedly, what would you do with it?

I would go to Barnes n Nobles and buy tons of books.

If you invited 3 people to dinner with you - who would you invite and why?

I would invite Princess Diana, Derek Jeter, and Kenny Chesney.

Would you rather be All-State or valedictorian of your class?

I would rather be valedictorian.