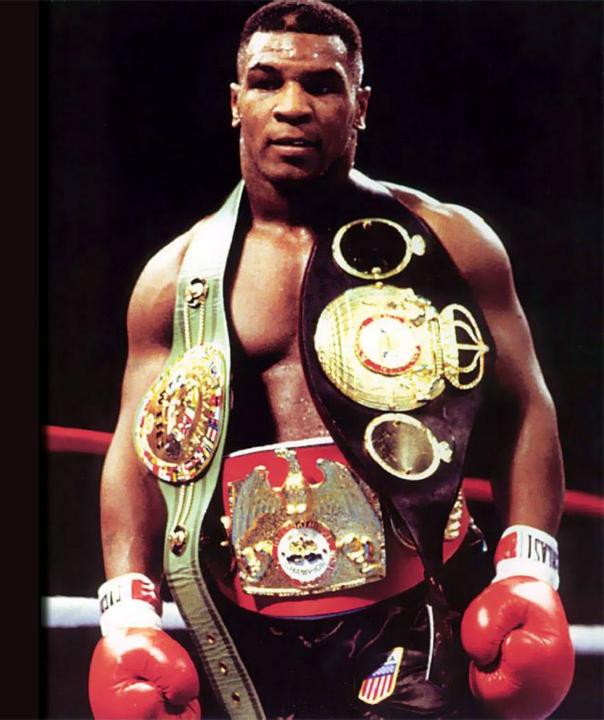
# MIKE

# Tyson

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#### WHO IS MIKE TYSON

- Michael Gerard Tyson was born on June 30<sup>th</sup> 1966 in Brooklyn New York
- Michael's father had left him at a very young age.
- As a child Mike had committed many crimes.
- He was sent to Tryon Reform School, where the history begins...



### THE YOUNGEST CHAMPION

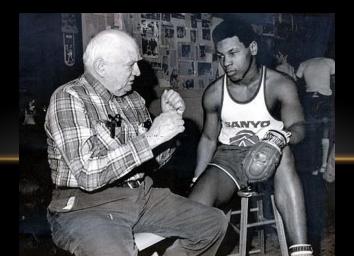
• Mike showed an interest in boxing, his talents were seen by Cus D'Amato a popular boxing trainer.

• Cus was impressed and said with his training Mike will be the youngest heavyweight champion of the world.

Cus adopted Mike and began training him.

# YOUNG STATISTICS

- Mike was the 1981 and 1982 Junior Olympic champion defeating every opponent by knockout.
- Mike began his professional boxing career at the age of 18.
- He had not lost a fight from 1985-1989



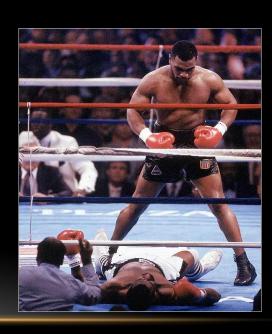
#### ROAD TO THE TOP

- Sadly along the way Mike had lost his dearest trainer and father figure Cus D' Amato.
- Cus always said Mike would be the youngest world champion and a year after Cus' death Mike was in the ring fighting for the heavyweight title.
- Mike became the first "Undisputed Champion"

# SPINKS VS. TYSON

- This fight is the fight that defines mike Tyson's career.
- Mike defeated Spinks before the bout started.
- Nothing would stop him





# WHO IS TO BLAME?

- His marriage was controlled, and he was accused of beating his wife.
- He fired those who helped him and started a downhill slide.



#### WHY IS HE ONE OF THE BEST

- In his career Tyson was 50 victories with 44 knockouts
- He was the street fighter of boxing.
- He brought a different exciting look to the sport of boxing.
- Mike was so good because he can never be figured out physically and mentally.



"God lets everything happen for a reason. It's all a learning process, and you have to go from one level to another"

Mike Tyson

