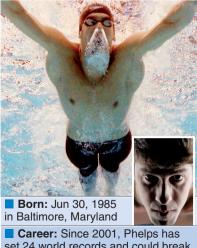
Michael Phelps

American swimmer who currently holds six world records and won eight medals at the Athens Games



set 24 world records and could break the record of 33 held by Mark Spitz

Olympic gold. 100m butterfly: 2004 Silver. 200m butterfly: 2004

200m individual medlev: 2004 400m individual medley: 2004 2004

4x200m freestyle relay: 4x100m medley relay 2004 Bronze. 200m freestyle: 2004

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