

Beckham hangs up his boots

Football superstar David Beckham is to retire at the end of this season at age 38. On top of an enviable trophy haul, Beckham is also one of the world's richest sportsmen with a fortune of £175m

1975: Born May 2, in London, England

1986: Mascot for **Manchester Utd** against West Ham

1989: Signs schoolboy forms for United

1992: Wins FA Youth Cup. Makes professional debut

1996: Makes England debut in World Cup qualifier

1998: Vilified by fans after being sent off in World Cup match against Argentina

1999: Marries Spice Girl **Victoria Adams** in lavish wedding. They have four children, **Brooklyn** (born 1999), **Romeo** (2002), **Cruz** (2005), **Harper** (2011).

Manchester Utd win famous treble of League, FA Cup and Champions League

2000: Appointed England team captain

2002: England knocked out of World Cup by eventual winners Brazil

2003: Leaves Man Utd for **Real Madrid**

2005: Helps London bid team win 2012 Olympics

2006: Resigns England captaincy after elimination from World Cup

2007: Wins first title since joining Real in final match before joining **LA Galaxy**

2009-10: Loan spells at **AC Milan** in unique "timeshare" arrangement with Galaxy

2012: Plays key role in London 2012 opening ceremony. Wins second MLS Cup in final match for Galaxy, joining newly-rich **Paris St-Germain** on five-month contract

2013: PSG win first League title in 20 years



HONOURS

Ligue 1, France	(2013) 1
MLS Cup, U.S.	(2011, 12) 2
La Liga, Spain	(2007) 1
Premier League, England	6 (1996, 97, 99, 2000, 01, 03)
FA Cup, England	(1996, 99) 2
UEFA Champions League	(1999) 1

BRAND BECKHAM 2013

Salary	£132,000
PSG salary donated to charity	£4m
Endorsements	
Including Adidas, Samsung,	£28.3m
Chinese Super League	
5-year deal signed 2013 for ambassadorial role	£50m

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