



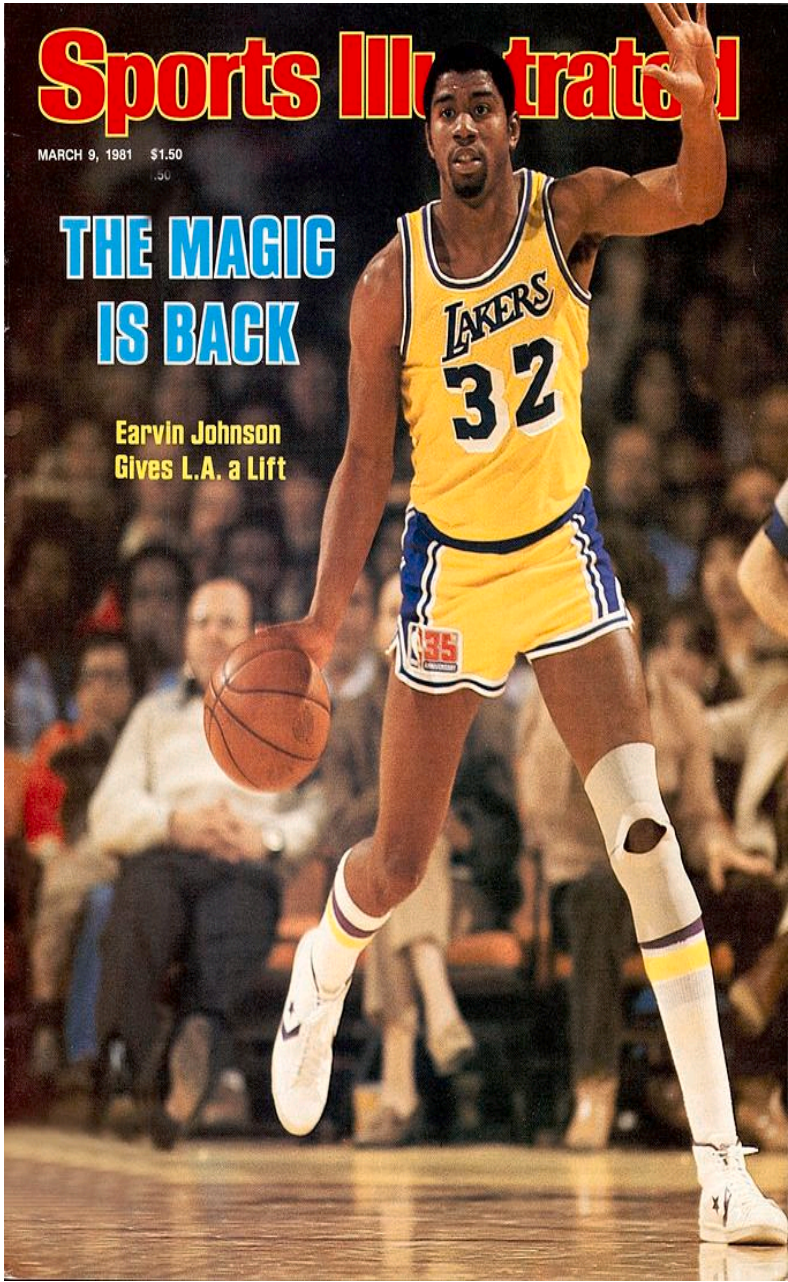
Top Five Las Angeles Lakers
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1 MAGIC JOHNSON

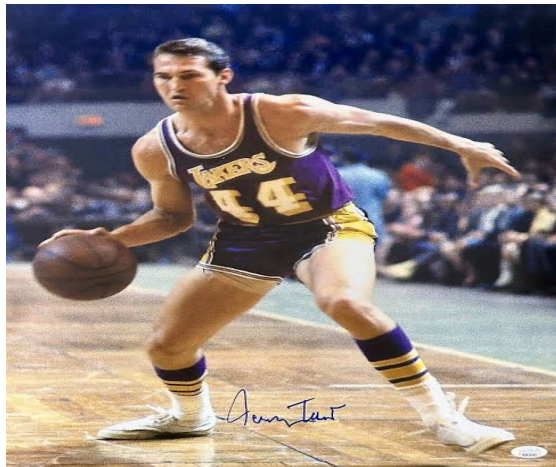
Magic Johnson is the best passer of all time at least! He's known for it and in my opinion, he's the best Laker of all time. His best season was 1986-1987 and he's a five-time champion. He's also the best Laker because he's a great passer, scorer and defender. He played the game the right way. Ya, he's a legend!





#2 - Kobe Bryant

"The Mamba" Kobe Bryant is known as arguably the G.O.A.T Greatest Of All Time. He has the 4th most points in the history of the NBA. It's looking like Kevin Durant might pass him in 5th all time in points. Kobe is a LEGEND and a five time champion. Sadly, he died on January 26, 2020 in Calabasas, California because of a helicopter crash in foggy conditions. That was known as the most tragic day in NBA history.



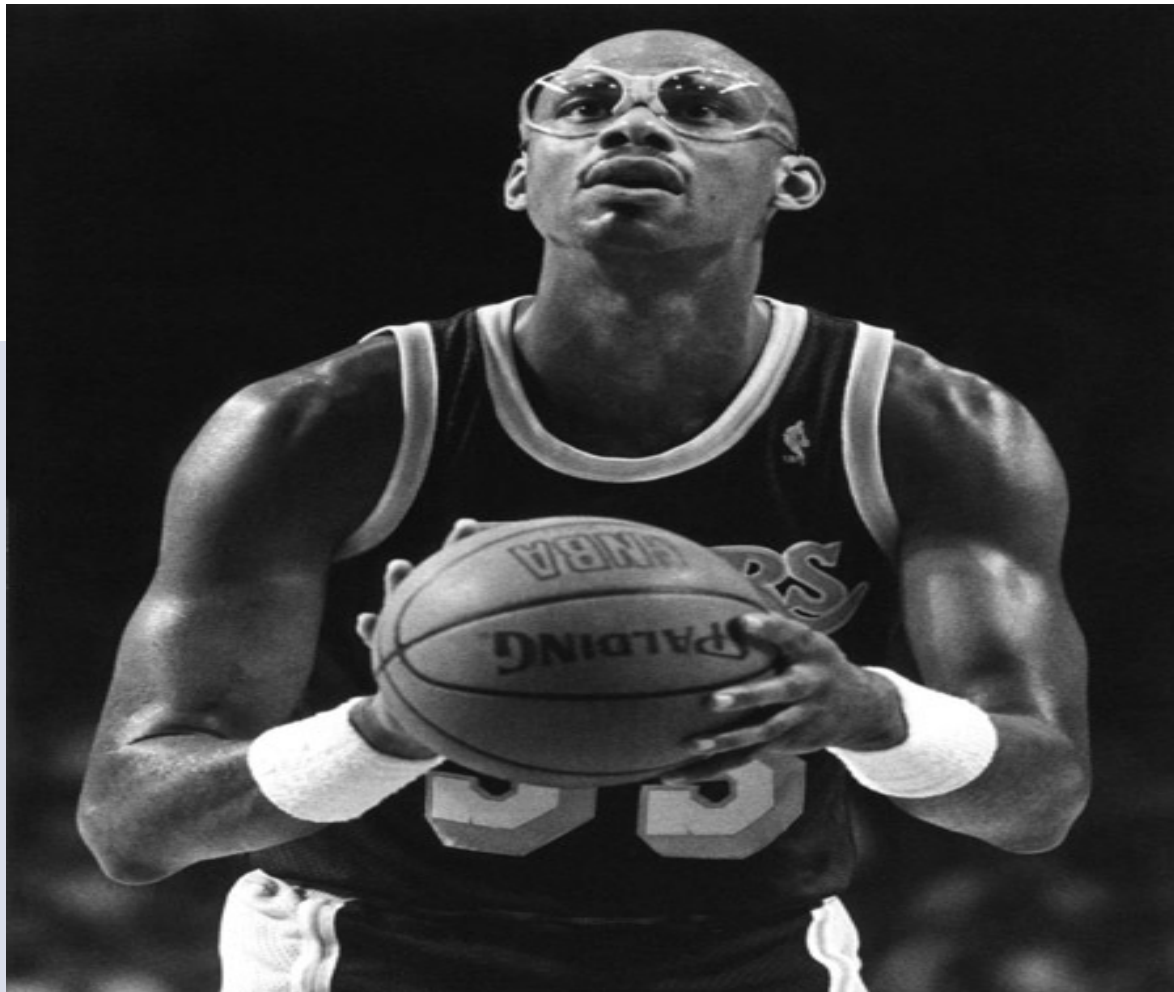
#3 - Jerry West

Jerry West is known for being an absolute legend. He's also known as the LOGO. His famous dribble move made him the logo. His best Season was 66-67. He is like the old Steph Curry; he's known as the best player at that time. He made the finals nine times before he won his first championship and was one of the best basketball executives of all time. He died on June 12, 2024. That day was so sad for the entire NBA league.



#4 - Shaquille O'Neal

Shaq is 7 '1 he's the most dominant player of all time, he's played with a bunch of superstars like Kobe Bryant, LeBron James, Steve Nash, Penny Hardaway, Dwayne Wade, Kevin Garnett, Amere Stoudamire, Paul Pierce and Ray Allen. He's most known for playing for the Lakers and the Magic. I chose him because I personally like him for being dominant and just being insane at basketball. Fun Fact: Shaq has only been blocked on a dunk 9 times!



**Number Five
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar**

Kareem's best season on the LA Lakers is 1980-1981 he averaged 26 points, 57.4 FG %, 0.0 3PT %, 76.6 FT%, 10.3 RB, 3.4 assists, 0.7, 2.8, 3.1 TO and 244 PF.

Kareem is the second in all time points after LeBron James and he's a top 10 player all time.

