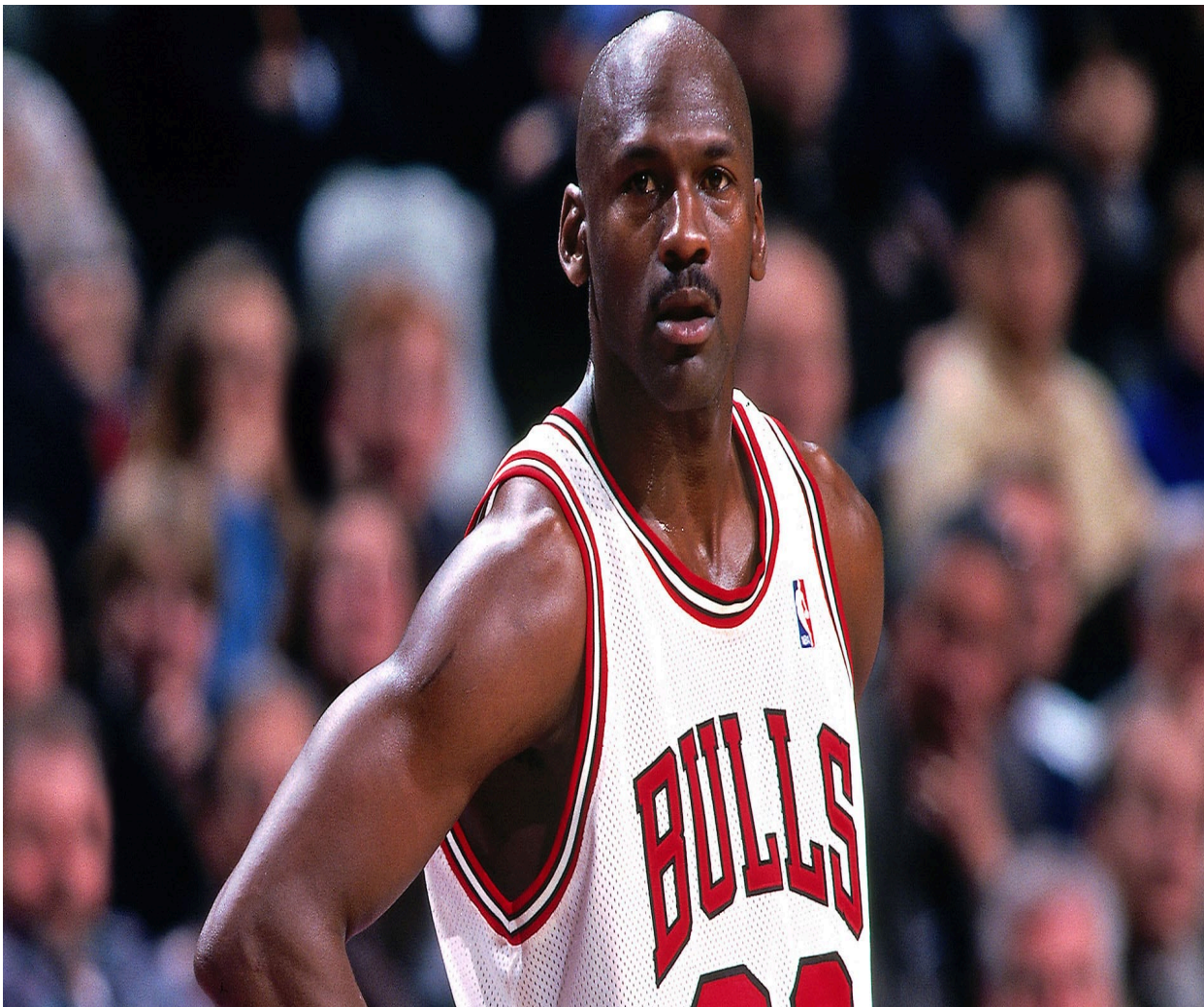




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This is the big debate. The most heated debate in sports. There are things like Ronaldo vs Messi, Ruth vs Mays, but the most heated is LeBron vs Jordan. I am here to break down why Jordan is the G.O.A.T of basketball. Let's start with the accolades.



Accolades:

Jordan has 6 rings, compared to LeBron's 4. Jordan has lost 0 finals, compared to LeBron's 6 losses. Jordan played with worse teammates. (Based off of Hall of Fame inductees.) Jordan has played with 4 HoF, compared to LeBron's 15 (With more on the way) Now LeBron did play better talent in the finals, but the league in Jordan's era was way better. Way tougher defense, in Hakeem, Rodman, Payton, Drexler, Robinson, Mutombo, and way more, and Jordan still dropped 35 in a season against these players.

Jordan has 5 MVPs compared to Lebrons 4. Jordan has 6 Finals MVPs compared to Lebrons 4. Jordan has 10 scoring championships compared to Lebrons 1. Jordan has 9 all-defensive first teams compared to LeBron's 5. Jordan leads in many more as well, like DPOY (defensive player of the year).

Excitement!

Overall, LeBron might be a little more exciting to watch to most people. But LeBron was not doing the kind of stuff Jordan was. Like all of the air time, and the layups Jordan was able to complete. Jordan was a dunker, in dunk contests, which LeBron has never done. All I need to say to prove that Jordan was more talented than LeBron are 2 words. "Flu Game."

Different Eras

Jordan has 32,292 points total, and only 581 career 3's made. Remember, he got 32,292 points in only 15 years, with breaks to other sports in between. LeBron has 40,554 total points, with 2,419 3's made. Almost 5x more than Jordan. If Jordan played in this era, where 3's are the most popular jump shot, and he played 22 years. I did the math, and if Jordan had kept his rate of scoring for 22 years, he would have retired with around 47000 points, which is a feat that LeBron will never achieve.





Overall Competition

Lebron has played against guys like Kobe, Shaq, Curry, Durant, Jokic, Westbrook, Embiid. Jordan has played against guys like Rodman, Mutombo, Hakeem, Iverson, Payton, Barkley, Shaq, Stockton, Mourning, Hill, Robinson, Dumars. All of them are better defenders than anyone Lebron has played against. Lebron's toughest defensive competition is Tony Allen, who NEVER won DPOY. Jordan's toughest defensive competition was Mutumbo, who won 4 DPOYs, AND JORDAN DUNKED OVER HIM! The Bad Boy Pistons had to make a rule to guard Jordan, that's how scary he was. People like Joe Dumars scared Jordan, and he still cooked him every time. Tony Allen held Lebron to 16 points one time, and Tony Allen is only 6 '4. With Lebron being 6 '9, that's pretty embarrassing.



Conclusion

I THINK IT IS CLEAR THAT JORDAN IS BETTER THAN LEBRON. IF THIS DOESN'T PROVE THAT JORDAN IS THE GOAT, I DON'T KNOW WHAT WILL. DON'T GET ME WRONG, LEBRON IS GREAT, BUT HE IS NOT MICHAEL JEFFEREY JORDAN.

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