



# Robert Whaley

**Full Name:** Robert Antawon Whaley

**Position:** Center

**Height/Weight:** 6-10 / 265

**Birthdate:** April 16, 1982 (Benton Harbor, Mich.)

**High School:** Benton Harbor HS (Benton Harbor, Mich.)

**College:** Walsh (Ohio)

## Barton County CC

Season	G	FGM	FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	REB	AST	TO	STL	BL	PTS	AVG
2001-02	32	229	405	.565	79	138	.572	216	34	67	25	100	538	16.8
2002-03	29	203	408	.498	84	146	.575	224	30	63	29	54	491	16.9
Totals	61	432	813	.531	163	284	.574	440	64	130	54	154	1029	16.9

Three-point field goals: 2001-02, 1-for-2 (.500); 2002-03, 1-for-4 (.250). Totals, 2-for-6 (.333).

## Cincinnati

Season	G	FGM	FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	REB	AST	TO	STL	BL	PTS	AVG
2003-04	22	48	138	.348	31	47	.660	54	14	24	6	8	127	5.8

Three-point field goals: 2003-04, 0-for-1.

## Walsh (Ohio)

Season	G	FGM	FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	REB	AST	TO	STL	BL	PTS	AVG
2004-05	35	294	574	.512	105	183	.574	263	48	108	24	78	696	19.9

Three-point field goals: 2004-05, 3-for-14 (.214).

## Utah - NBA

Season	G	FGM	FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	REB	AST	TO	STL	BL	PTS	AVG
2005-06	23	23	57	.404	3	6	.500	43	17	14	7	8	49	2.1

**Pro Career Highlights:** Started the 2006-07 season with the Twin City Ballers in the ABA (statistics unavailable) and then moved on to play with Petrochimi Imam Harbour in Iran (statistics unavailable). Also played briefly with Metros de Santiago in the Dominican Republic in the summer of 2006. With the Utah Jazz in the NBA in 2005-06, averaged 2.1 points and 1.9 rebounds in 9.2 minutes a contest. Appeared in 23 games. Registered a career-high 11 points vs. New York. Selected by the Jazz in the second round (51<sup>st</sup> pick overall) of the 2005 NBA Draft.

**College Highlights:** Named NAIA Division II Player of the Year as a senior. Also named American Midwest Conference South Division Player of the Year and earned First Team All-American honors. Finished collegiate career at Walsh after playing first two seasons at Barton County Community College in Great Bend, Kansas and routing through Cincinnati for a year.

**Senior (2004-05):** Averaged 19.9 points (ranked fourth in the American Midwest Conference), 7.5 rebounds (12<sup>th</sup>), and 2.2 blocked shots (fourth) for Walsh's first NAIA Division II national championship team. Started all 35 games. Recorded eight double-doubles. Scored 25 points in back-to-back games vs. Spalding and Tiffin. Tallied 19 points and a career-high 15 rebounds vs. Notre Dame College. Registered season-high 38 points vs. St. Vincent in the AMC North-South Championship game. Averaged 22.8 points and 8.4 rebounds at the national tournament. Registered 24 points, eight rebounds, and a career-high six blocks vs. Tabor College in the first round. Posted 25 points and nine rebounds vs. Concordia (Neb.) in the national championship game. Named Tournament MVP.

**Junior (2003-04):** At Cincinnati, averaged 5.8 points and 2.5 rebounds in 13.0 minutes a contest. Started three times. Scored in double figures four times, posting a season-high 17 points at Houston. Tallied ten points and a season-high seven rebounds vs. East Carolina. Recorded 12 points at Louisville.

**Sophomore (2002-03):** At Barton County CC, averaged 16.9 points, 7.7 rebounds, and 1.9 blocked shots. Set season high of 35 points Cloud County. Scored 27 points and grabbed ten rebounds vs. Highland. Pulled down a season-high 15 rebounds at Pratt. Tallied 11 points, seven rebounds, and a season-high five blocked shots at Hutchinson and recorded 22 points and 12 rebounds in the rematch. Finished career at Barton County as the school's ninth all-time leading scorer with 1,029 points and second all-time leading shot blocker with 154. Earned Second Team NJCAA All-American honors.

**Freshman (2000-01):** Averaged 16.8 points, 6.8 rebounds, and 3.1 blocked shots. Scored season-high 30 points twice, at Butler County and vs. Pratt. Posted 29 points and a season-high 12 rebounds at Dodge City. Earned First Team NJCAA All-American honors.

**Personal:** Nickname is "Big Rob". Sister, Quacy Barnes, played basketball at Indiana.