

## Scott Brooks Video Transcripts

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SCOTT: The next question I have for you here, let me read to you what it says, but let me tell you what I'm really looking for here. The next question reads "What specific goals do you have in retirement?" Now, I'm not talking about tangible goals here. I'm thinking more philosophically. You know, I asked you earlier, you want to take Mediterranean cruise, you want to go to Sweden, Niagara Falls, get the GTO, spoil the grand kids. Those are something that are more tangible, right?

PATTY: Uh-huh.

SCOTT: Down here I'm looking for more intangible, philosophical things. So, here's what I'm looking for. I'm going to recite for you a verse from a poem I read when I was a kid. And I'm not a very good poet, but this poem has stuck with me, okay? The answer to this question is in this poem, okay, and it goes like this:

"When the chill waters of death dampen your feet, and you look back at the sun setting on your life, what are those things you want to be able to say 'I did that. I accomplished this. I left this behind. The world is a better place because of

these things I was able to do while I was alive and because of these things I'm able to leave behind after I'm gone."

What are those things that you want to be able to say at that point in time? And I think this time I'm going start with Roy. How do you answer that question? What are those things that are important to you?

ROY: Good question. Never really thought about it before. Not much I can do about the past; that's already there. What to do about future, I think leave enough income for my family; children, grandchildren, to live a life comfortably, if needed. Hopefully, they will be rich won't have to worry about money money. Kind of leave a legacy of who I am.

SCOTT: What does that mean?

ROY: It means, you hear people talk about when after somebody's dead, you know, he was really a jerk, you know, he doesn't do things for anybody else. But, you know, I just want to be remembered as somebody that's always been there first for everybody else. You know, one that was willing to give up of himself or his friends or family. Always on call.

PATTY: That is a tough question.

ROY: It is.

SCOTT: Do you have any philanthropic, do you have any desire to do any philanthropy, any volunteer work anywhere? Is anything like that important to you? Again, I'm not trying to put words in your mouth.

ROY: I know, I know; yeah, and we've talked about that, you know. The problem is, I've got some age on me. I've got some old wounds from growing up you know, and I could volunteer at the zoo, I could volunteer at the botanical garden, I could volunteer at the hospital. But, is that healthy for me? So, I don't know whether I would volunteer. I'll just put it that way.

SCOTT: That's fine. That's perfectly reasonable. That's fine.

ROY: I've thought about it, you know, because, a couple of my friends do it, and I thought that would be kind of neat to do, but what am I doing to myself at my age, too?

SCOTT: I got you. Very good. Thank you. Patty, how about you? What are those things that are important to you that you want to make sure?

PATTY: Well, what is important to me is I want my grandkids to remember me, of course, and to reflect on the good times we've had together, and I can do that through pictures, writing stories, which I have not done yet. I'm still trying to organize pictures, but it's like, you know, who was your grandma? Well I have

unique name for the kids, grandkids who can call me. They call me Giggs or Giggy, and it's been like that forever.

SCOTT: So, not "Grandma"; they call you Giggy? Okay, very good.

PATTY: So, that, kind of, is a legacy, I guess you could call it.

SCOTT: Sure.

PATTY: You know, I haven't really thought too much about it. It's kind of sad, in a way.

SCOTT: Yeah; here you go, here you go. Yeah, I'd say about once a week I have to pull that tissue box out because, people think about that, you know? People think about that.

PATTY: Okay; let's just go on.

SCOTT: All right. If you think of anything else, we can come back to this and we can add to it, okay guys?

PATTY: Yeah.

SCOTT: All right. Very good, very good.