

Ohio Man Asks for Parole to Watch LeBron James Pursue NBA Title

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LeBron James-mania has gotten so big in Cleveland, that [criminals are asking for parole](#), in order to see King James go for a ring. Well, that's the wish of one inmate at least. Jason Goudlock, now 39-years-old, has been in prison for over 20 years, stemming from an aggravated assault charge when he was 18. Goudlock has been seen by the Parole Board four times, but has never successfully convinced them to grant him freedom.

The Ohio inmate has a hearing scheduled for this month, and is building his case to leave, having stated that the laws which put him in jail years ago are outdated now, and that present day, a felon who committed the same crime would be sentenced to less prison time.

Oh, and then this.

“On the lighter side, I would truly like to witness in person LeBron James’ pursuit of an NBA championship for my beloved hometown.”

Yep, that's part of his plea. And you know what? Got to give him credit for honesty. The interesting part is that due to how long Goudlock has been in jail, he's never seen LeBron James play basketball. How insane is that?

Also, just so you know, he has asked his prison to retire his prison number, which is 284-561. To my knowledge, that's not something prisons usually do, but maybe if Goudlock isn't granted parole, they can cheer him up with a little prison banner ceremony. Then, everyone wins.