



Garrett Temple

Biographical Information

Garrett Bartholomew Temple (born May 8, 1986) is an American professional basketball player for the Sacramento Kings of the National Basketball Association (NBA).

He played college basketball for Louisiana State University from 2005 until 2009. In his senior season, he became LSU's all-time leader in minutes played (4,432). He earned All-SEC Defensive team honors, as well as being named to the coaches' All-SEC second team. In 35 games, he averaged 7.1 points, 4.5 rebounds, 3.8 assists and 1.7 steals per game.

The six-year NBA veteran spent the last four seasons with the Washington Wizards Temple is coming off a very strong solid with the Wizards, where he averaged career-highs in points and rebounds per game, and shot a respectable 34.5 percent from beyond the arc while providing dependable perimeter defense and recently signed with the Sacramento Kings.

“I don’t even give Garrett a position,” center DeMarcus Cousins said. “He’s just a hard-nosed worker. Anything you ask him to do, he’s going to do it. He’s doing the dirty work. He’s doing whatever is needed for the team and you can’t help but to appreciate guys like that.”