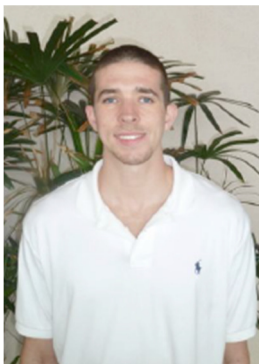




## Jake Kelly

### Basketball Contestant

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#### Jake Kelly

Age: 23

Resides: Terre Haute, IN

Growing up in Hoosier country, Jake has basketball in his blood. While vacationing in Florida with his family, Jake's mother died in a tragic plane accident so Jake left the University of Iowa to be closer to his brother in Indiana. The shift from a Big Ten school hadn't fully killed Jake's chance at the NBA, but a torn ACL and toxic mold related illness eventually did. Now that Jake is fully healed and healthy and more passionate about basketball than ever, he hopes to make up for the lost time and make it big.