



## Tom Watson (1949- )

Recognized by numerous Halls of Fame for his exceptional record as a professional golfer, as an amateur, his four Missouri Amateur Championships and the 1964 and '67 Kansas City Match Play titles stand among the best ever. But Kansas Citians know **Tom Watson** as much for his humanitarian works as his outstanding performance on the course.

Few will forget either his iconic chip-in on the 17th hole at Pebble Beach in the 1982 US Open or his heartbreaking loss in the play-off for the 2009 Open Championship. But a career of nearly fifty years -- including eight major championships, 39 PGA TOUR titles, 13 Champions' Tour victories, four-time Ryder Cup Team member (twice Captain) and five Champions' Tour majors -- cannot be summed up in a few brief memories.



We salute his record as a champion golfer as well as his contributions to charitable causes such as Children's Mercy Hospital, The First Tee of Greater Kansas City, Wounded Warriors and ALS Research.

The Board of Directors is proud to include Tom Watson in the inaugural (2013) class of the Kansas City Golf Hall of Fame.

### *Mr. Watson's record:*

*Kansas City Match Play champion 1964, 1967*  
*Missouri State High School champion 1967, 1968*  
*Missouri Amateur champion 1967, 1968, 1970, 1971*  
*British Open champion 1975, 1977, 1980, 1982, 1983*  
*Senior British Open champion 2003, 2005, 2007*  
*Masters champion 1977, 1981*  
*US Open champion 1982*  
*Senior PGA champion 2001, 2011*