



Mary Earps is a famous football player from England. She is known as "Mary, Queen of Stops" for her great goalkeeping skills.



Mary began playing football young. Her dad thought she'd be a good goalkeeper. She played for many teams and worked jobs as football paid little.



Mary played football for Doncaster Belles at 17, earning £25 per game. She worked hard to be a top goalkeeper.



In 2023, Mary was voted best goalkeeper. She helped England win Euro 2022. Her success showed goalkeeping is cool.



Mary spoke up when Nike didn't sell her goalkeeper jersey. Her actions led to a big change, showing the importance of speaking out.



Mary stopped playing international football to focus on her club. She wants to make football better and inspire others to overcome hard times.



Mary thinks being yourself is important. Being open about feelings can help others. Her story is about self-belief and making a difference.



You can watch Mary's story, "Mary Earps: Queen of Stops," on **BBC iPlayer**. It tells more about her journey and how she became a football star.