

## **Coach Dick Basham**

**Attended High School in Clinton, IA from 1959 – 1962**

**High School Coach: Ron Bennett**

**22 Years Coaching:**

**Marquette University H.S. 1974 – 1994 (Head Track) &  
1973 (Assistant Track)**

**WI Rapids Assumption H.S. 1970 – 1972 (Head Football &  
Assistant Basketball)**

**Beloit Memorial H.S. 1966 – 1969 (Assistant Basketball)**

**Reedsburg H.S. 1966 – 1968**

**Burlington H.S. 1965 – 1966**

**Coaching Highlights:**

**31 Conference Championships (16 outdoor & 15 indoor)  
Numerous Invitational Championships involving Public and  
Private Schools**

**10 WISAA State Championships (Division I):**

**1976, 77, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 88, 89 & 90**

**7 WISAA State Meet Runner-up (Division I):**

**1974, 75, 80, 81, 87, 92 & 93**

**Note :**

**“Marquette is located in the heart of Milwaukee at 34th and Wisconsin Avenue and has no track of its own. There were many years when our athletes only saw a track when they competed. We ran many workouts in the school parking lot, on the streets and in the parks. Our coaching philosophy was to develop at all events and not have a “Star” system. Only five athletes in 21 years received college scholarships as a result of their track and field prowess.”**

**Inducted 1997**

