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HAPPY 75TH BIRTHDAY TO COLLIS LLEWELLYN KING



Today marks the 75th birthday of former Barbados and West Indies cricketer Collis Llewellyn King.

King is a veteran of 125 First Class matches and 136 List 'A' matches for Barbados, Glamorgan (UK), Natal (South Africa) and Worcestershire (UK) between 1972 to 1990.

At the international level, the stylish all-rounder represented the West Indies in 9 Tests and 18 One Day Internationals (ODIs).

One of his most memorable performances occurred in June 1979 at the ICC Cricket World Cup.

During this encounter the West Indies were in trouble at 99 for four against England when King joined Viv Richards at the crease.

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King made a superlative 86 from 66 balls, adding 139 with Richards in just 21 overs to put the match quite beyond England's grasp.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, members and staff of the Barbados Cricket Association we wish the affable Collis Llewellyn King all the very best on his special day.

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