

《菲尔普斯宣布退役！获23金告别泳坛 飞鱼谢幕》

Michael Phelps made it official on Monday, announcing on Today that he is packing away his Speedos and saying goodbye to the world of competitive swimming.

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'Done, done, done - and this time I mean it,' Phelps told host Matt Lauer.

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'I wanted to come back and finish my career how I wanted and this was the cherry on top of the cake.'

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If there was a record for breaking records, Michael Phelps would doubtless don his goggles and cap to swim for it.

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But the "Baltimore Bullet" couldn't add to his 23 Olympic gold medals in the 100-meter butterfly last Friday as he was beaten by outsider Joseph Schooling.

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Schooling became the first Singaporean athlete to win a Games gold -- and did so in an Olympic record time of 50.39 seconds.

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Phelps finished in a three-way tie for the silver -- the 27th medal of his career -- along with South Africa's Chad le Clos and Laszlo Cseh of Hungary, as they all clocked the same time of 51.14 seconds.

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Phelps had to wait to see if he could add to his 23 gold medals in last Saturday's men's 4x100m freestylemedley.

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You guessed it ? Michael Phelps wrapped up his Olympic career last Saturday with yet another gold medal in the 4x100 medley relay.

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Phelps completed the third leg of the race and Team USA finished with an overall time of 3:27.95, an Olympic record.

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The race concludes the unprecedented Olympic career of Phelps, who will leave Rio de Janeiro with a gold medal count of 23, a long list of world records.

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23 Golds. 28 total medals. One incredible career.

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