



**Sunday, November 25, 2018**

**Randy Moss Hall of Fame Ring Presentation Ceremony**

**President and CEO of Pro Football Hall of Fame, David Baker**

The mission of the Pro Football Hall of Fame is to honor the great heroes of the game, to preserve its history, honor its values, and celebrate excellence everywhere. Tonight we're honored to celebrate the excellence of the Minnesota Vikings and one of the greatest receivers to ever play in the history of this game, Hall of Famer Randy Moss. Every living Hall of Famer receives three icons: a bronze bust that lasts for 40,000 years in Canton, Ohio; a gold jacket that only a Hall of Famer wears; and a ring of excellence that's designed by Kay Jewelers. It's a great reminder that this great game, this great stadium, this legendary team, and this game that we all love, was built on the shoulders of men like this. There have been 300 hundred million young men and now women who have played this game, only 5 million in college, only 29,000 have ever been paid to play it, coach it, or officiate it in the National Football League. And today, in front of you, is one of 318 that are in Canton, Ohio. So Randy, thank you for being an inspiration for generations of fans, and thank you for being such a great example of this game and the excellence that it stands for. And I would like to call on now, Zygi, Lenny, and Mark Wilf to present to you your Hall of Fame Ring of Excellence in front of your fans.

**Randy Moss, former wide receiver and 2018 Pro Football Hall of Fame Inductee**

Well, I'm back home. You know, first and foremost; I want to give honor to God because without Him, none of this would be possible. Definitely, they put a man up in this Ring of Honor a couple months ago and I owe it all to Coach Dennis Green for being able to draft me here so I'm able to showcase my talents of what God really blessed me with. I'd like to thank the Wilf family. I told you all, they've been doing great things for this city, this team. I want to thank my teammates. I want to thank the Hall of Fame jackets down here, Mr. Baker, his crew. Last but not least, Minnesota Vikings fans, I want to thank you all for the love, all the support. And there is not a better way to give me my ring than going against our rival. Vikings, bring it home! SKOL!