



Claudio Ranieri

Sept 26, 2008

After Mourinho does not show up at a post-game press conference:

"Out of respect for the fans, it's right to speak after each game"

Aug 5, 2008

"Well, Mourinho has shown his personality, his class and what he thinks of his peers. I can understand his position, he has taken over a side which won three straight titles and he's under pressure"

Aug 1, 2008

"I'm not like Mourinho. I don't need to win to feel happy or sure of who I am"

June 4, 2007

Juventus appoint Ranieri as coach

May 31, 2007

Leaves Parma by mutual consent

May 18, 2007

"Abramovich wants to win the Champions League and Chelsea have come no closer than they did when I was in charge"

Feb 12, 2007

Appointed coach of Parma

Feb 25, 2005

Sacked by Valencia

Sept 28, 2004

"The fact that Abramovich chose Mourinho to replace me will hurt Chelsea's chances of winning the Champions League"

June 8, 2004

Named coach of Valencia

May 31, 2004

Sacked as manager of Chelsea

May 5, 2004

"I don't believe Mourinho is experienced enough to take over at Chelsea. Winning the league in Portugal is far easier than winning the Premier League"



Sept 27, 2008

"How can Ranieri talk about respect? He lived in England for four years and, even by the end, couldn't properly say 'good afternoon' and 'good morning' "

Aug 4, 2008

"Ranieri is right. He's not like me. I demand a lot of myself. I have a different mentality, I have the mentality of a winner"

July 28, 2008

Before facing Juventus in pre-season friendly:

"They should win, since they started their pre-season earlier. It would be a problem for them if they did not beat us"

June 2, 2008

Appointed coach of Inter Milan

Sept 20, 2007

Leaves Chelsea by "mutual consent"

May 24, 2005

"Yes, the club did spend a lot of money, but they spent most of it on players my predecessor wanted – players who we are now trying to sell but nobody wants them"

June 2, 2004

Takes over as Chelsea manager:

"I heard what Ranieri said about me and I did not like it. In 20 years all he won was the Spanish Cup. He left me a team without a winning mentality"



José Mourinho