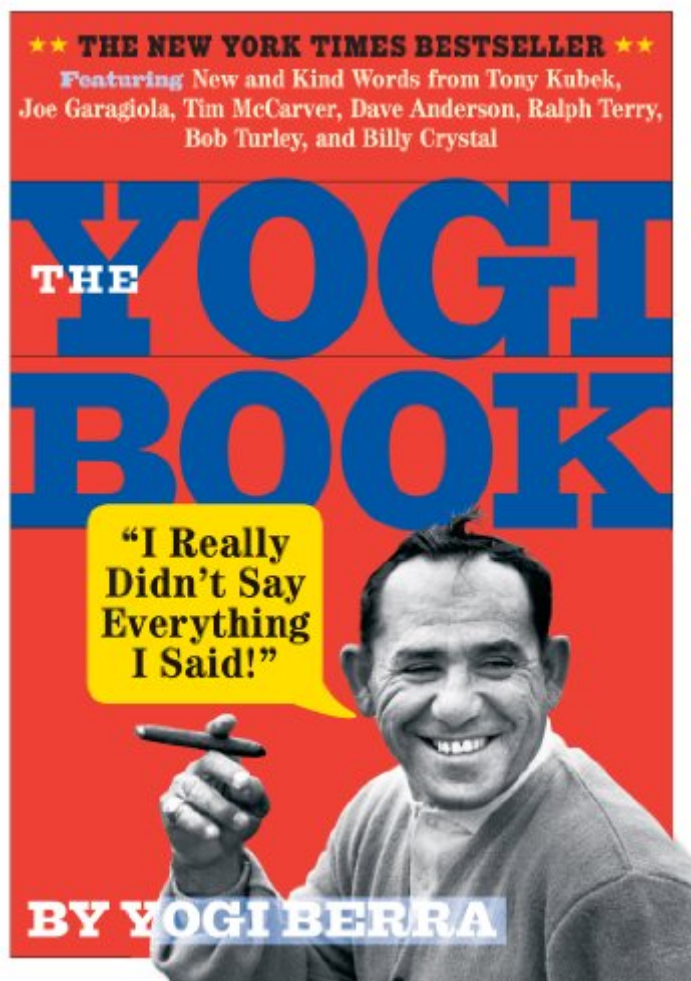


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Celebrate one of the greatest and most beloved baseball players who ever lived – and certainly the most quoted. The Yogi Book is the New York Times bestseller filled with Yogi Berra's immortal sayings, plus photographs, a career timeline, and appreciations by some of his greatest fans, including Billy Crystal and Tim McCarver. Yogi Berra's gift for saying the smartest things in the funniest, most memorable ways has made him a legend. The Yogi Book brings all of his famous quotes together in one place – and even better, gives the story behind them. "It ain't over till it's over." – that's Yogi's answer to a reporter when he was managing the Mets in July 1973, and they were nine games out of first place (not only quotable, but prophetic – they won the pennant). "Nobody goes there anymore. It's too crowded." – Yogi's comment to Stan Musial and Joe Garagiola about Ruggeri's restaurant in St. Louis in 1959. "It gets late early out there." – Yogi describing how shadows crept across Yankee Stadium's left field during late autumn afternoons. ~ ~

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Customer Reviews

Good collection of 'Yogiisms', one of baseball's greatest characters and players. Every ball fan needs to be fully aware of Yogi's accomplishments and uncanny use of the English language. He just makes perfect sense. Wish we still had players who could play as well as he did and speak with his special, unique, aloof eloquence.

I grew up listening to the Yankees on a small transistor radio with ear buds. After I was told to go to sleep I would pull the covers over my head and keep listening. I didn't realize then that names like Mantle, Maris, and Berra would become so legendary. Yogi passed in September of 2015 at the age of 90. I originally bought his book as a Christmas gift for a co-worker, but after reading it I decided to keep it for myself. It's not long, but it doesn't have to be to bring back good memories. "The future ain't what is used to be" makes perfect sense sometimes. I know just what he meant.

Bought it for my dad as a gift. He said it's an awesome book....very funny. I am happy that he is happy!

This was a gift for one of my guys that was retiring. He usually came to my office when he was down or stressed, opened the book anywhere and then laugh his heart out. It is a great therapy book that reminds anyone life does not have to be perfect. Juts too your own horn at your own pace like Yogi did

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Nobody was ever better at improvising thought provoking, amusing short statements. With very little formal education, Lawrence Peter Berra is a genuine self taught genius or near genius.

I had heard or read most of these quotes before, but some were new to me. All are great fun, and the background for most of them adds context. Don't skip the several introductions. Yogi battles the English language to a draw, and the quotes range from very funny to hysterical! Caution: if you lend this book to friends, you'll have a hard time getting it back.

Loved this book. It's a fast read, with one Yogi-quote per page, along with a photo, and the context for the original quote. The book also includes photos, insights and memories from ball players and

sportswriters, who knew Yogi well, not to mention a few celebrities and politicians with whom he crossed paths. Every Yogi fan will delight in this book. Every other reader will become a Yogi fan.

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