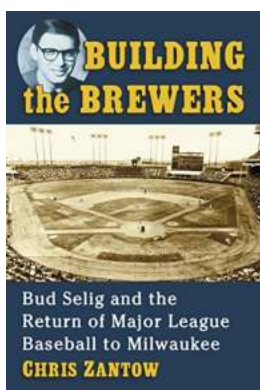


Bud Selig And The Return Of Major League Baseball To Milwaukee

Once upon a time, in the baseball-crazy city of Milwaukee, fans yearned for the return of Major League Baseball. It was a dream that seemed impossible to achieve, a longing that remained unfulfilled for more than a decade. But then, along came a visionary named Bud Selig, whose tireless efforts and unwavering determination brought the game back to the city that loves it dearly.

Bud Selig, a native of Milwaukee and a lifelong baseball enthusiast, understood the void left in the hearts of Milwaukeeans when the Braves franchise moved to Atlanta in 1965. He knew that the city deserved another chance to host a big-league team, and he was determined to make it happen.

As a young boy, Selig fell in love with the Braves while attending games at Milwaukee County Stadium. The atmosphere, the cheers, and the sense of community that enveloped the stadium on game days were magical. It left an indelible mark on him, igniting a passion that would shape the rest of his life.



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Years later, when Selig became the owner of the Milwaukee Brewers, he saw his opportunity to bring back the game that had meant so much to him and the people of Milwaukee. It was a daunting task, but Selig was undeterred.

He tirelessly campaigned among fellow owners, trying to convince them that Milwaukee was the perfect place for a new franchise. Selig's passion and enthusiasm were contagious, and gradually, more and more owners became open to the idea.

In 1970, after years of persistence, Selig's dream became a reality. Major League Baseball announced that the Seattle Pilots, a struggling franchise, would relocate to Milwaukee and become the Brewers. It was a moment of immense joy and relief for Selig and the people of Milwaukee.

The Brewers' return to Milwaukee brought an outpouring of support from the community. Fans filled the stadium, wearing the team's colors proudly and cheering their hearts out. Milwaukee once again became a city united by its love for baseball.

Under Selig's leadership, the Brewers flourished. The team experienced both highs and lows, but throughout it all, the unwavering support of the city never wavered. Selig's commitment to the team and his passion for the game were evident in every decision he made.

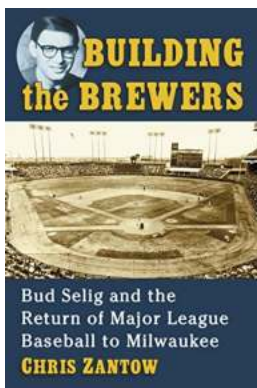
In the early 2000s, Selig's impact on Major League Baseball extended beyond the city of Milwaukee. He became the commissioner of the league, guiding the sport through a period of significant growth and change. Selig's leadership and

vision were instrumental in expanding the game's popularity and ensuring its long-term success.

Today, Milwaukee stands as a testament to Selig's unwavering dedication to the game he loved and the city he called home. The Brewers have become a beloved symbol of Milwaukee's resilience and love for baseball.

The return of Major League Baseball to Milwaukee under Bud Selig's stewardship is a story of triumph and passion, a tale of one man's drive to bring back the game to a city that adored it. It stands as a testament to the power of dreams and the endless possibilities that come with unwavering determination.

So next time you find yourself in Miller Park, surrounded by passionate fans and the sounds of the game, take a moment to reflect on the remarkable journey that brought Major League Baseball back to Milwaukee. It is a journey that truly embodies the spirit of Bud Selig's dedication to the sport he loved and the city that embraced it once again.



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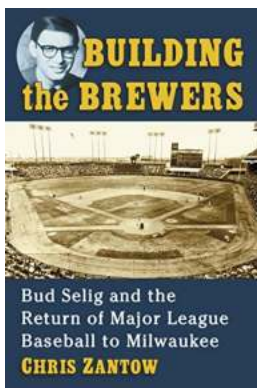
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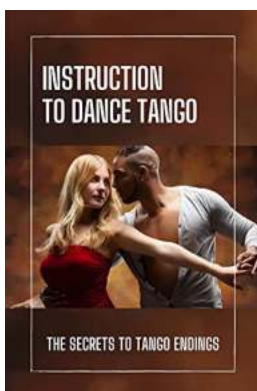
When the Milwaukee Braves moved to Atlanta after the 1965 season, many impassioned fans grew indifferent to baseball. Others--namely car dealer Bud Selig--decided to fight for the beloved sport. Selig formed an ownership group with the goal of winning a new franchise. They faced formidable opposition-- American League President Joe Cronin, lawyer turned baseball commissioner Bowie Kuhn, and other AL team owners would not entertain the notion of another team for the city.

This first ever history of baseball's return to Milwaukee covers the owners, teams and ballparks behind the rise and fall of their Braves, the five-year struggle to acquire a new team, the relocation of a major league club a week prior to the 1970 season and how the Brewers created an identity and built a fan base and a contending team.



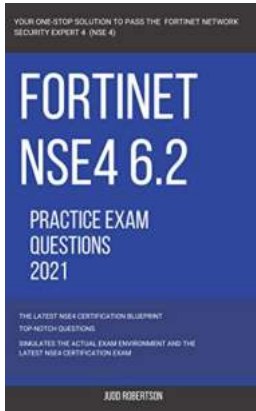
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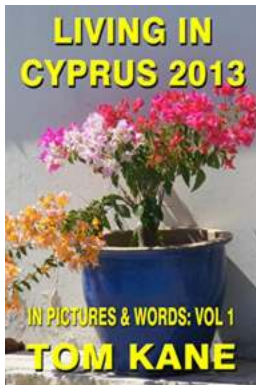
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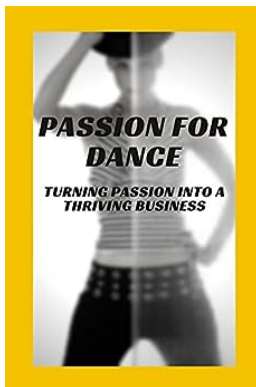
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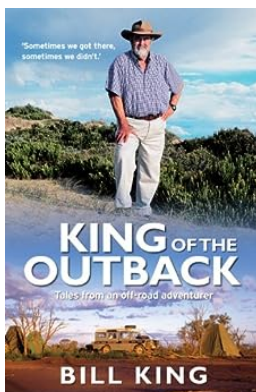
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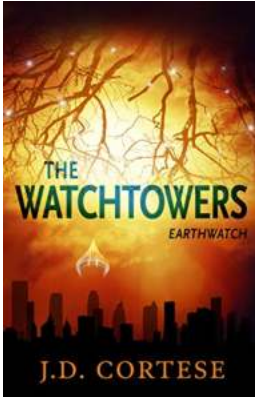
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