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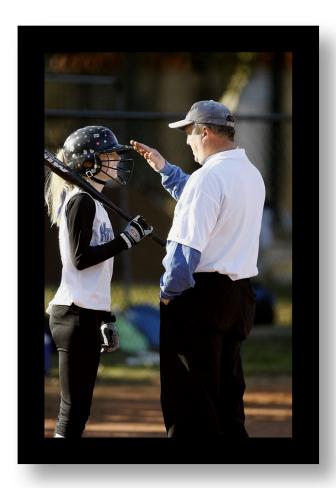
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Don't Tell Me What's Wrong

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Give me two suggestions to make it better.

— John Cleese

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Trying Is Where the Action Is

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There's only trying.



The rest is none of our business.

— T.S. Eliot

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Work on It

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When you listen to someone, it's the most profound act of human respect.

— William Ury

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The Cost of Freedom

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The truth will set you free.



But first it will make you miserable.

— Mike Lester,
"Mike du Jour"

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How Can I Put This?

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You cannot really understand something unless you can explain it to your grandmother.

— Unknown

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Having an Identity Crisis?

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You are not your stuff.



Michael J. Coren article "The Swedes Know the Secret of Happiness", based on the Swedish reality show "The Gentle Art of Swedish Death Cleaning"

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Gratitude

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Spend 10 seconds of silence to think of the people who have helped you become who you are, those who have cared for you, and wanted what is best for you in life.

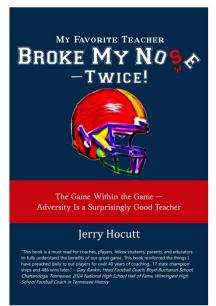
— Fred Rogers

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The Game Within the Game — Adversity Is a Surprisingly Good Teacher



Through humor, great stories and quotes Jerry has created a book that helps me reflect why I went into the education and coaching profession 40 years ago. — *Ken Potter*, *Jesuit High School*, *Portland*, *OR*, *4* state championships, winningest high school football coach in Oregon history

This book is a must read for coaches, players, fellow students, parents, and educators. — *Gary Rankin*, Boyd-Buchanan School, Chattanooga, TN, 40 years coaching with 17 state championships, winningest high school football coach in Tennessee history

Outstanding book with tons of stuff related to learning, character development and doing things the right way. — *Jim Roth*, *Southern Columbia High School*, *Catawissa*, *PA*, *40 years head coach*, *14 state titles*, *Pennsylvania's all-time winningest high school football coach*

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