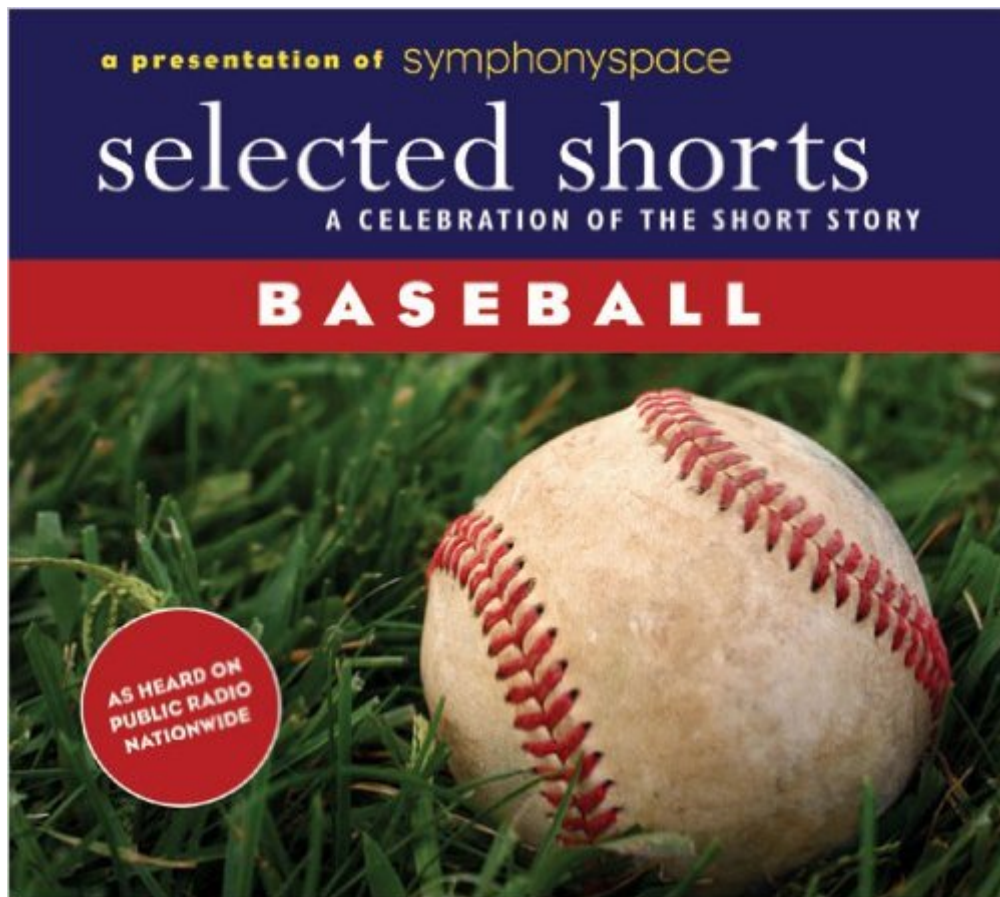


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I spend a lot of time in my car and enjoy baseball so I thought this would keep me entertained and awake during my drive. It started off slow with an explanation of how it came about, but once they got into the stories, I was laughing and remembering some of the best games and stories in baseball. It is really helping me get through the winter and my baseball withdrawals. It has a wide variety of baseball memorabilia - stories and poems and tidbits from spectacular games. If you are a true baseball fan, this is a must have.

This was absolutely wonderful! I have purchased several as gifts also and have heard rave reviews from all.

A delightful collection of poetry, short stories & essays celebrating the quintessential American sport. I never realized how lyrical and epic sports writing could be. With these often beautifully written works, the writers show themselves fully & consciously engaged in the wonder of life & existence.

All of my family & friends who are baseball fans (regardless of team loyalty, although I will say that most are Red Sox fans & the Sox feature prominently in these poems & essays) LOVED this CD as a gift.

This CD is a great collection of tales, short stories & essays celebrating the great American pastime and present, baseball. And if you are like my family, you spend a lot of time traveling in the car from one ball field to the next practice. We purchased this recent CD for a baseball coach who reports that his entire family is enjoying it as much as my crew. Another winner would be NPR Driveway Moments Baseball: Radio Stories That Won't Let You Go.

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