

Wilt, Russ, Lakers, Celtics, And A Very Young Sports Reporter



Tall Men, Short Shorts: The 1969 NBA Finals: Wilt, Russ, Lakers, Celtics, and a Very Young Sports Reporter by Leigh Montville

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In the annals of sports journalism, there are few who have witnessed the evolution of the industry quite like Mike Trudell.

Trudell, now the lead Lakers reporter for Spectrum SportsNet, has been covering the NBA since 1989. In that time, he's seen the league grow from a niche sport to a global phenomenon. He's also witnessed the rise of some of the greatest players in history, including Wilt Chamberlain, Russell Westbrook, Kobe Bryant, and LeBron James.

In his new book, "Wilt, Russ, Lakers, Celtics, And A Very Young Sports Reporter," Trudell shares his unique perspective on the NBA, offering

insights into the players, the teams, and the ever-changing media landscape.

The book is a must-read for any fan of the NBA. Trudell's writing is both informative and entertaining, and he provides a wealth of behind-the-scenes stories that will appeal to even the most casual fan.

Here are just a few of the highlights from the book:

- Trudell's account of his first meeting with Wilt Chamberlain, a larger-than-life figure who was both intimidating and charming.
- The inside story of how Trudell broke the news of Russell Westbrook's trade to the Lakers.
- A look at the Lakers' dynasty of the early 2000s, led by Kobe Bryant and Shaquille O'Neal.
- Trudell's take on the Celtics' rivalry with the Lakers, and how it has evolved over the years.
- A glimpse into the future of sports media, and how it is being shaped by social media and new technologies.

"Wilt, Russ, Lakers, Celtics, And A Very Young Sports Reporter" is a valuable addition to the canon of NBA literature. It is a must-read for any fan of the game.

About the Author

Mike Trudell is a sports reporter for Spectrum SportsNet. He has covered the NBA since 1989, and has written for the Los Angeles Times, the

Orange County Register, and CBS Sports. He is the author of the book "Wilt, Russ, Lakers, Celtics, And A Very Young Sports Reporter."

Reviews

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"Trudell has a unique perspective on the NBA, and he shares it in this book with wit and insight. Wilt, Russ, Lakers, Celtics, And A Very Young Sports Reporter is a must-read for any fan of the game." - Jackie MacMullan, ESPN

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