

When Cloughie Sounded Off: The Wit and Wisdom of Brian Clough, the Greatest Manager England Never Had



Brian Clough was one of the most successful and charismatic managers in English football history. He led Derby County to their first ever league title in 1972 and then guided Nottingham Forest to two European Cups in 1979 and 1980. Clough was also a master of the soundbite, and his quotes are still remembered and repeated today.

"When Cloughie Sounded Off" is a collection of Clough's best quotes, arranged by topic. The book covers everything from Clough's thoughts on management to his opinions on players, the media, and the game of football itself.



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Clough on Management

Clough was a firm believer in attacking football. He once said, "If you're not going to score goals, you're not going to win matches." Clough was also known for his demanding style of management. He famously said, "I don't believe in luck. I believe in hard work."

Clough on Players

Clough had a great eye for talent, and he was always willing to give young players a chance. He once said, "I don't care if a player is 17 or 37, if he's good enough, he'll play." Clough was also known for his loyalty to his players. He once said, "I'll never sell a player unless I absolutely have to."

Clough on the Media

Clough had a love-hate relationship with the media. He was often critical of journalists, but he also knew how to use the media to his advantage. He

once said, "The media is a necessary evil. You can't do without it, but you can't trust it either."

Clough on the Game of Football

Clough believed that football was more than just a game. He once said, "Football is a religion. It's a way of life." Clough also believed that football should be played with passion and determination. He once said, "If you're not prepared to die for the cause, then you're not fit to wear the shirt."

Clough's Legacy

Brian Clough died in 2004, but his legacy lives on. He is still remembered as one of the greatest managers in English football history. His quotes are still repeated today, and his influence can still be seen in the way that the game is played.

"When Cloughie Sounded Off" is a must-read for any fan of Brian Clough or English football. The book is full of Clough's wit and wisdom, and it provides a fascinating insight into the mind of one of the most successful and charismatic managers in the history of the game.



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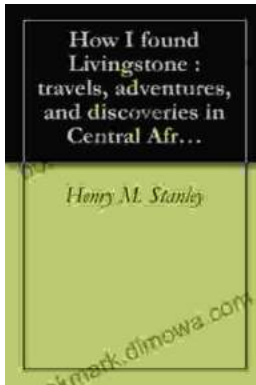
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