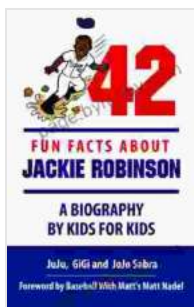


42 Fun Facts About Jackie Robinson: Biography By Kids For Kids Making History

Prepare to be captivated by this kid-friendly biography of Jackie Robinson, the legendary baseball player who shattered racial barriers and inspired a nation. Dive into 42 captivating facts that will ignite your curiosity and paint a vibrant picture of this remarkable figure.



42 Fun Facts About Jackie Robinson - A Biography By Kids For Kids (Making History Fun Ages 9 - 12 Book 1)

by JuJu Sabra

★★★★☆ 4.2 out of 5

Language : English
Text-to-Speech : Enabled
Enhanced typesetting : Enabled
X-Ray : Enabled
Word Wise : Enabled
Print length : 40 pages
Lending : Enabled
File size : 1744 KB
Screen Reader : Supported



Early Life and Education



1. Jackie Robinson was born on January 31, 1919, in Cairo, Georgia.
2. He was the youngest of five children.
3. Jackie's family faced poverty and discrimination, but he never let that hold him back.

4. He excelled in sports from a young age, playing baseball, football, basketball, and track.
5. Jackie attended Pasadena Junior College and the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA), where he continued to excel in athletics.

Baseball Career



6. In 1945, Jackie broke the color barrier in Major League Baseball when he joined the Brooklyn Dodgers.
7. He faced intense racism and discrimination from opposing players, fans, and even some teammates.
8. Despite the challenges, Jackie remained determined and used his skills to prove himself on the field.
9. He was an outstanding all-around player, winning the Rookie of the Year Award in 1947.
10. Jackie helped lead the Dodgers to six National League pennants and one World Series championship.

Civil Rights Activist



- 11.** Jackie's success in baseball made him a symbol of the civil rights movement.
- 12.** He used his platform to speak out against racism and promote equality.
- 13.** Jackie supported the NAACP (National Association for the Advancement of Colored People) and other civil rights organizations.
- 14.** He testified before Congress on the importance of racial integration.
- 15.** Jackie also worked to promote diversity in the workplace and community.

Personal Life



16. Jackie married Rachel Isum in 1946.

17. They had three children: Jackie Jr., Sharon, and David.

18. Jackie was a devoted husband and father.

19. He was also a talented musician and played the saxophone.

20. Jackie loved to travel and learn about different cultures.

Legacy



21. Jackie Robinson retired from baseball in 1956.

22. He was inducted into the Baseball Hall of Fame in 1962.

23. The Major League Baseball Rookie of the Year Award was renamed the Jackie Robinson Award in 1984.

24. Jackie's story continues to inspire people around the world.

25. His legacy is one of courage, determination, and the power of one person to make a difference.

Facts for Kids

26. Jackie Robinson's nickname was "Jackie-O."

27. He was the first African American to receive the Presidential Medal of Freedom.

28. Jackie had a pet dog named Pepper.

29. He loved to read and owned over 1,000 books.

30. Jackie Robinson's favorite color was blue.

Jackie Robinson's Impact on History

31. Jackie's decision to play Major League Baseball paved the way for other African American players.

32. It helped to desegregate professional sports and society as a whole.

33. Jackie's courage and determination inspired the civil rights movement and the fight for equality.

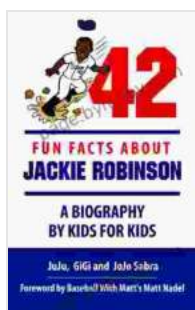
34. His legacy continues to inspire people today to stand up against racism and injustice.

35. Jackie Robinson's story is a reminder that anything is possible if you have the courage to dream big.

Jackie Robinson's journey was filled with challenges, but he never gave up on his dream of playing Major League Baseball. His determination and courage helped to break down racial barriers and inspire a nation.

Through this kid-friendly biography, a new generation of children will discover the incredible life of Jackie Robinson and his impact on history. It is a story of hope, resilience, and the power of one person to make a difference.

Free Download your copy of "42 Fun Facts About Jackie Robinson Biography By Kids For Kids Making History" today and ignite the fire of inspiration in your child.



42 Fun Facts About Jackie Robinson - A Biography By Kids For Kids (Making History Fun Ages 9 - 12 Book 1)

by JuJu Sabra

★ ★ ★ ★ ☆ 4.2 out of 5

Language : English

Text-to-Speech : Enabled

Enhanced typesetting : Enabled

X-Ray : Enabled

Word Wise : Enabled

Print length : 40 pages

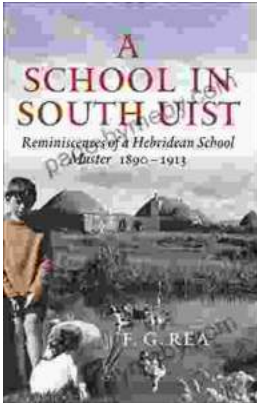
Lending : Enabled

File size : 1744 KB

Screen Reader : Supported

FREE

DOWNLOAD E-BOOK



Reminiscences of a Hebridean School Master, 1890-1913: A Unforgettable Journey Into the Past

Immerse Yourself in a Captivating Memoir of Education and Life in the Hebridean Islands Step back in time to the rugged beauty of the Hebridean Islands in the late 19th and...



Push Past Impossible: The Unstoppable Journey of Ryan Stramrood

About the Book Ryan Stramrood was born into a life of poverty and hardship. At the age of five, he was...