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The captivating story of soccer legend Lionel Messi, from his first touch at age five in the streets of Rosario, Argentina, to his first goal on the Camp Nou pitch in Barcelona, Spain. The Flea tells the amazing story of a boy who was born to play the beautiful game and destined to become the world's greatest soccer player.

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Arja says

No eihän tämä nyt mitään korkeakirjallisuutta ole, mutta vinkkarille unelma. Ensinnäkin kun ei tiedä jalkapallosta mitään ja kaikki muut tietää, joten tällä on hyvin sivistävä vaikutus tädille. Toiseksi, juuri tätähän ne haluaa. Lukea helppoa kirjaa, jossa on mielenkiintoinen tarina. Tämä tulee ehdottomaan vinkkauskäyttöön ja kokeilen heti erityisryhmän koulun kerhossa. Katotaan, miten lähtee liikkeelle. Lisää näitä kiitos.

Oliver says

The book The Flea: The Amazing Story of Leo Messi by Michael Part is a very exciting, emotional, and thrilling book about the life of Lionel Messi and how he became the man and soccer player he is today, one of the best soccer players in the world. When Messi turns five, he gets a brand new soccer ball from his grandma, Celia and starts playing with it outside, really excited about his birthday present. His grandma then sees that Messi is a really good soccer player by looking at him in the house touching the ball against the furniture, left foot, right foot, left foot, right foot, and says that he should try out for the worst team in town to prove that he is the best on the team. When Messi arrives on the field, the kids are about twice as tall as him and he wishes he were taller. When the coach sees that Messi is so small, he starts laughing because he thinks Messi is too small and he will get "trampled," but Messi proves that even though he is small, he is still a magnificent player, and the coach quickly signs him up. These same events happen to Messi over and over again. He then gets a call from one of the managers of FC Barcelona, one of the best soccer clubs in the world, that they want to see him play. Will he use his skills when he really needs them? Will he make the team?

Max Miller says

The Flea

By: Michael Part

Review by:Max Miller

Soccer, one very big sport and this is how a star was born for soccer. (Messi)

The Flea is a biography of Messi and his life story. It starts from the beginning in Rosario, Argentina and at the age of 5. On his birthday his grandma got him a gift, a soccer ball. That was where it all started. Messi went outside and played with it. His grandma watched him and knew Messi would be great. Then she got a time for Messi to practice on a soccer team to see if he could make it. Messi thought he couldn't do it because of his height, but when he got on the field, the tallest kids couldn't take down Messi.

A conflict Messi had with himself was that Messi was not tall. When he went to play soccer for other teams, he is worried about the height difference and told his parents about not being tall. Another conflict was Messi

went to a doctor who made him grow. When the doctor saw Messi, he told Messi and his parents there is a way. Messi had to give himself shots every day for seven years. When his parents asked the doctor the price, it was really expensive. Now his parents have to find a way to pay the expense.

I thought The Flea was a good book. I wished there was more about Messi, for example, what he does on his free time that isn't soccer. Overall I thought it was good with a lot of detail. I recommend this book for anyone who loves soccer. Anyone can read it and learn how the best become the best. It will inspire both boys and girls to keep working hard in soccer.

Sam says

I like the Flea The Amazing story of Leo Messi because I like to play soccer. He is so talented as a kid and he still is. He played for a lot of clubs.

Jamie Moscrip says

My 9 year old read this. Good read for him

Angel says

Reading this book was a very good choice. This is because it was really entertaining and addictive as a result of the struggles Leo had to go through to get where he is now. The biography titled, "The Flea, The Amazing Story Of Leo Messi" by Michael Part points out the real and unabridged story of the Messi by explaining the facts that he is a Motivated player. This is the perfect book for Barcelona fans because it really goes deep into his childhood and explains a lot about his background story. There are some fascinating moments in this book which include how Leo Messi had took growth hormones because he was too small to play for Barcelona. This book is very easy to read and does a good job of holding your attention because Part does an excellent job of going deep into detail about the book. Part encourages the reader to fully understand how Messi's family struggled to get Leo to where he is right now. The Most memorable moment in this story I wish the author covered more deeply would be about his childhood even though Part already did an excellent job doing that I still wish he added a little more about it.

Hanna says

Tämä oli hitti vinkkauksessa ja olin oikeastaan itsekkin yllättynyt miten hyvä kirja tämä oli. Tarina oli yllättävän kiehtova ja todella hyvin kirjoitettu. En pidä itse jalkapallosta mutta jopa Messi alkoi kiinnostaa niin paljon että piti oikein Wikipediaan mennä katsomaan mitä miehestä muuta kerrotaan. Kirja kun keskittyy Messin lapsuuteen ja nuoruuteen ennen kuin tästä tuli maailman luokan jalkapallosankari.

Pojat ovat olleet kirjasta innoissaan. Kirjassa on paljon tekstiä mutta sitä tuntuu silti lainaavan 3. luokasta ylöspäin joten tämä sopiikin vinkkaukseen aika monelle luokka-asteelle.

Mark says

It was an amazing book that was emotional but exciting and pulls you in every single word

AUSSS says

Usually dont like reading much but this book was really good

Antonio Silveira says

I think is create story about Messi that his life became truth and now his proud everything that how support him to get to top. I like his personally that did give up that his family help him to became great players now.

Markku Kesti says

Höpöä, höttöä ja höpönpöppöä. Kevyesti kirjoitettu, kevyesti luettu. Paskat kannet ja nuoleskelee kaikkia Kirpun elämässä ja menestyksessä osallisia häikäilemättömästi. Voisin tilata kymmenkunta lisää.

Kamren J says

The Amazing Story of Leo Messi, a professional soccer player, is an inspiring book about his journey to Barcelona, a professional soccer team. I'm not a soccer fan but, this book taught me how hard work pays off. I admire how Michael Part includes the relationship between Leo Messi and his grandmother and how if it wasn't for the type of relationship they had, Messi wouldn't be an all time great. For instance on page 16 it says, "And you can be my coach!" Leo said. Grandam Celica chuckled as Leo snatched up his new blue ball, kissed her on the cheek, and ran out." Also on page 145 it says, "Leo jumps up and down, raises his fingers toward heaven, and dedicates the first of many goals to his Grandma Celica, the women who inspired him to get to this place." This book is inspirational towards people who watch soccer and people who don't watch soccer a lot. I highly recommend it.

Guy says

This book was one of the best books that I've ever read impending my life that book tells me about Messi's life and what here gone through in his life Messi is a great and honest player that never change a team and the best footballer the world ever known I like Messi as a player and as a person.

Reetta Saine says

Vinkkauskäyttöön. Tilasin PALJON.

Puolen tunnin lukukokemus sai tuulettamaan mummulle ja pienille teineille!

Elder Martinez says

The Flea is written by Michael Part and the genre is a biography. I recommend this book if you like soccer and sports. I rate this book a strong 10 because soccer is my favorite thing to do so I figured I would enjoy reading about soccer. I rate this book a 10 because this is an inspiring story for boys or girls who have a desire to play good soccer. I would rate it an 11 if i could even though Leo Messi isn't my favorite soccer player, but I do think he is the best player and I respect him because of his story. Therefore this book was a good inspiration, because I like soccer.
