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Chasing The King - Touchdown Edition (Dream Series) (Dream: Home Run Edition)



Synopsis

Jason Skids Skidder is a fourteen-year-old with a dream to play professional soccer. When he finds out that his father is moving his family from San Francisco to Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, his entire world turns upside down. Leaving his friends and his old life behind him is only the beginning of his troubles. When Skids makes it to Rio, he finds out that soccer is really futebol and that he is not as good as he was in America. After meeting some new Brazilian friends, and the girl of his dreams, he starts to improve. Chasing the King is the story of his journey to the World Cup. As his soccer improves, he also grows to love his new home. If his soccer dreams come true, will he play for Brazil or for America?

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Customer Reviews

Chasing the King is an entertaining book that explores a variety of issues, which makes it fun for any reader. I am not a huge sports fan, but the descriptions really drew me in and I feel I know more about soccer/futebol now! The descriptions of the soccer games are vivid and exciting. The peak into teen-sports and the intensity was eye opening. Chasing the King also looks at family relationships, friendships, and aspects of teenage life I had forgotten about. A fun, interesting read--I highly recommend it for all readers.

This is a terrific book. If you or someone you know, really enjoys soccer, it is a good read. The sports sections are very well-written and engaging. The book also gives some interesting

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