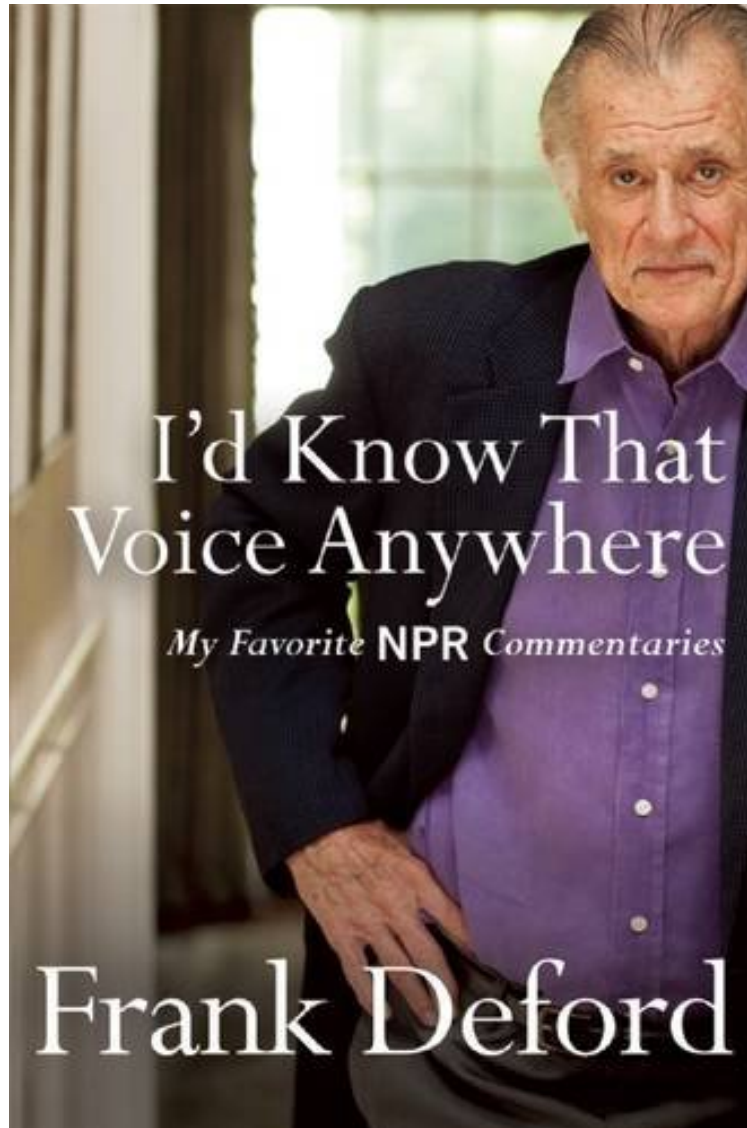


[Download pdf ebook] I'd Know That Voice Anywhere: My Favorite NPR Commentaries

## I'd Know That Voice Anywhere: My Favorite NPR Commentaries

*Frank Deford*

*ePub / \*DOC / audiobook / ebooks / Download PDF*



 Download

 Read Online

#469438 in Books Deford Frank 2016-05-03Original language:EnglishPDF # 1 8.30 x 1.20 x 5.70l, .0 #File Name: 0802125247240 pagesI d Know That Voice Anywhere My Favorite NPR Commentaries | File size: 16.Mb

**Frank Deford : I'd Know That Voice Anywhere: My Favorite NPR Commentaries** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised I'd Know That Voice Anywhere: My Favorite NPR Commentaries:

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Frank Deford, the Best Sportswriter EverBy JohnboyI have read everything by Frank Deford. This compilation is among his very best writings. Whether it's about sports or simply

fiction, he doesn't disappoint!0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Frank the Tank delivers with this great read.By MississippiMusicEdAnyone who's heard Frank's morning column on NPR knows that he has a unique take on the world of modern sports. He writes with the same signature voice that he speaks with on the radio, a great addition to my library.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Five StarsBy coigo119Wonderful short essays on various sports topics.

Frank Deford is one of the most beloved sports journalists in America. A contributing writer to Sports Illustrated for more than fifty years, and a longtime correspondent on Real Sports with Bryant Gumbel, these days, Deford is perhaps best known for his weekly commentaries on NPR's Morning Edition. Since 1980, Deford has recorded 1,600 of them, and in *Id Know That Voice Anywhere* he brings together the very best, creating a charming, insightful, and wide-ranging look at athletes and the world of sports. In *Id Know That Voice Anywhere*, Deford discusses everything from sex scandals and steroids to why, in a culture dominated by celebrity, sport is the only field on earth where popularity and excellence thrive in tandem. This page-turning compendium covers more than thirty years of sports history while showcasing the vast range of Deford's interests and opinions, including his thoughts on the NCAA, why gay athletes play straight, and why he's worried about living in an economy that is so dominated by golfers. A rollicking sampler of one of NPR's most popular segments, *Id Know That Voice Anywhere* is perfect for sports enthusiasts as well as sports skeptics and a must-read for any Frank Deford fan.

Praise for *Id Know That Voice Anywhere*: Named a Best Sports Book of 2016 by Buffalo News Frank Deford definitely is worthy of a spot on the Mt. Rushmore of sportswriters . . . As always, Deford's writing is glorious, hitting all the notes from funny to emotional to profound . . . Once again, his words make sports come alive. Chicago Tribune One of the all-time greats in sports journalism . . . Man, he's good. Buffalo News (Best Sports Books for 2016) A sparkling sampler of commentaries from celebrated sports journalist Frank Deford . . . This prime selection of Deford's most insightful NPR pieces offers a kaleidoscope of sports highs and lows . . . *Id Know That Voice Anywhere* is an eclectic joy to read, highly recommended. Midwest Book Deford . . . has a wickedly droll sense of humor, which, when coupled with his encyclopedic knowledge of sports, results in commentaries that are incisive, amusing, touching, or incendiary in various combinations . . . A rich collection for anyone interested in the sporting life. Booklist Wonderful . . . Deford's new book underscores his brilliance as a writer . . . Deford fans are well-advised to check [it] out. Poynter Praise for Frank Deford: Deford . . . is the handsome, swashbuckling man of sports journalism. For fifty years, he has been issuing perhaps the greatest writing the realm has known. Chicago Sun-Times [Deford is] sports writings Sinatra. San Francisco Chronicle Deford's cred is incredible, his accolades deserved . . . [Deford] has long been the genuine article. Los Angeles Times Deford has seen it all, and boy, has he got stories. Dallas Morning News Thank heaven for Frank Deford. San Antonio Express-News One of the greatest writers of our time. Billie Jean King Frank Deford is the best sportswriter I've ever read . . . If there's a Mount Rushmore of sportswriting, Deford is up there, purple ties and all. Tony Kornheiser Of all the magazine writers of the last half-century, Frank Deford holds a special place at the top . . . Not very bright, someone said of him long ago at Princeton, and it was true he has been brilliant instead. David Maraniss, author of *When Pride Still Mattered* and *Clemente* Frank Deford writes the kind of sentences you find yourself rereading for the sheer pleasure of it. Jim Bouton, author of *Ball Four* Frank Deford is the best there is. Buzz Bissinger, author of *Friday Night Lights* One of our best-loved and most gifted writers . . . A master storyteller. Jeremy Schaap, author of *Cinderella Man* and *Triumph* Frank Deford knows more baseball and writes with more graceful good humor than any man I know. Richard Ben Cramer, author of *Joe DiMaggio: The Hero's Life*, on *The Old Ball Game* One of our more melodious sportswriters . . . Deford writes with a cunning sparkle in his eye. Kirkus s, on *The Old Ball Game* (starred review) A man whose talent is every bit the equal of the great athletes whose stories he's revealed to us. Shelf Awareness Deford is the Holy Grail. He's simply one of the greatest sportswriters of all time. Peter King, SI.com