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Book Review:
DEREK JETER:
BASEBALL'S CAPTAIN

Readers who love Derek Jeter and baseball will love this book! This book is part of the <u>Epic Sports Bios</u> series by Lerner. Books in this series are about the biggest superstars in sports. The books start with each athlete's humble beginnings and then cover that person's rise to the top. There is a focus on great games and plays, as well as those moments that made the athlete a legend. Derek Jeter had great family support as he played ball as a teenager. He worked hard and did his time in the lower leagues. He found success in the major leagues with the Yankees, and the fans loved him. This book is filled with photos that tell the story. The author emphasizes the idea that hard work results in achieved dreams.

