

Ryne Sandberg Quotes

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Home, Spring, Team, Respect, Hard Work, Fear, Building, Special, Minors,
Mom, Opportunity*

A lot of people say this honor validates my career, but I didn't work hard for validation.

~Ryne Sandberg

I didn't play the game right because I saw a reward at the end of the tunnel.

~Ryne Sandberg

I've been proud to be a lifelong Chicago Cub and still be with the Cubs. That's always been important to me and I think it's always been special

~Ryne Sandberg

It didn't happen, but I feel fortunate for the two chances we had and it's just a shame we didn't go to a World Series for Cub fans.

~Ryne Sandberg

I was taught you never, ever disrespect your opponent or your teammates or your organization or your manager, and never, ever your uniform.

~Ryne Sandberg

If you played the game the right way, played the game for the team, good things would happen

~Ryne Sandberg

There was Shawon Dunston and Mark Grace, and together we were a double play combination for ten years

~Ryne Sandberg

Hit a home run - put your head down, drop the bat, run around the bases, because the name on the front is more - a lot more important than the name on the back.

~Ryne Sandberg

My wife Margaret is the best thing that's ever happened to me.

~Ryne Sandberg

There's not too many guys that spend their whole career with one team and I think it's very fortunate and a blessing for me

~Ryne Sandberg

In baseball, there's always the next day

~Ryne Sandberg

I love to play baseball. I'm a baseball player. I've always been a baseball player. I'm still a baseball player. That's who I am.

~Ryne Sandberg

I was in awe every time I walked on to the field

~Ryne Sandberg

I struggled many times when maybe it didn't look like I was struggling, and I had to work hard every day.

~Ryne Sandberg

I was a baseball player at North Central High School in Spokane, Washington even though I was all-city in basketball, even when I signed a letter of intent to play quarterback at Washington State.

~Ryne Sandberg

I played it right because that's what you're supposed to do - play it right and with respect.

~Ryne Sandberg

My mom was at every single game I played as a kid, rain or shine

~Ryne Sandberg

I think sometimes Hall of Famers might get labeled as guys who aren't

suited for a coaching job or to be back at the Major League level.

~Ryne Sandberg

The fourth major league game I ever saw in person, I was in uniform

~Ryne Sandberg

If this validates anything, it's that learning how to bunt and hit-and-run and turning two is more important than knowing where to find the little red light on the dugout camera.

~Ryne Sandberg

I was in the postseason twice and I'm thankful for that

~Ryne Sandberg

I learned a lot in the Minor Leagues, spending six years there. I honed my skills, as far as coaching goes. I was able to work with the players in a lot of facets of the game.

~Ryne Sandberg

No player in baseball history worked harder, suffered more, or did it better than Andre Dawson. Hes the best Ive ever seen.

~Ryne Sandberg

I had to prepare physically every day, and I didn't leave many scraps for the writers

~Ryne Sandberg

Baseball wasn't easy for me.

~Ryne Sandberg

When did it - When did it become okay for someone to hit home runs and forget how to play the rest of the game?

~Ryne Sandberg

I was taught coming up in the Phillies organization to be seen and not heard by people like Pete Rose, my hero growing up, and players like Mike Schmidt and Steve Carlton and Manny Trillo.

~Ryne Sandberg

In my day, if a guy came to spring training 20 pounds heavier than what he left, he was considered out of shape and was probably in trouble.

~Ryne Sandberg

If you're in the minor leagues, you want to get to the majors.

~Ryne Sandberg

I never forgot the four years I spent with the Phillies, my September call-ups and my big league Spring Trainings. I never forgot that.

~Ryne Sandberg

I have great memories of being a Cub, and I'm happy building new ones with the Phillies.

~Ryne Sandberg

At my growing years of 18 to 21 years old in the Minor Leagues, I dreamed of being a Philadelphia Phillie.

~Ryne Sandberg

I got into pro ball at 18 and played until I was almost 39, non-stop.

~Ryne Sandberg

I had too much respect for the game to leave it behind or to make it my second or third sport in college

~Ryne Sandberg

The reason I am here, they tell me, is that I played the game a certain way, that I played the game the way it was supposed to be played.

~Ryne Sandberg

I don't expect any red carpet to the big leagues. If the opportunity comes, then it comes. But I don't think I'm owed anything.

~Ryne Sandberg

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