

Whitey Herzog Quotes

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I'm not buddy-buddy with the players. If they need a buddy, let them buy a dog.

~Whitey Herzog

Baseball has been good to me since I quit trying to play it.

~Whitey Herzog

A slick way to outfigure a person is to get him figuring you figure he's figuring you're figuring he'll figure you aren't really figuring what you want him to figure you figure.

~Whitey Herzog

If I managed the Cubs, I'd be an alcoholic.

~Whitey Herzog

Some people asked me if I would be interested in managing the A's. I said a definite no thank you. At night, that place is a graveyard with lights.

~Whitey Herzog

If you don't have outstanding relief pitching, you might as well piss on the fire and call the dogs.

~Whitey Herzog

We need three kinds of pitching: left-handed, right-handed and relief.

~Whitey Herzog

The only thing bad about winning the pennant is that you have to manage the All-Star Game the next year. I'd rather go fishing for three years.

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We need just two players to be a contender. Babe Ruth and Sandy Koufax.

~Whitey Herzog

For being book smart, I thought he (A. Barlett Giamatti) had a lot of street smarts, which is tough to find sometimes.

~Whitey Herzog

What counts aren't the number of double plays, but the ones you should have had and missed.

~Whitey Herzog

The way we have been playing, I might tell my players not to cross the picket line (umpire strike of 1979).

~Whitey Herzog

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