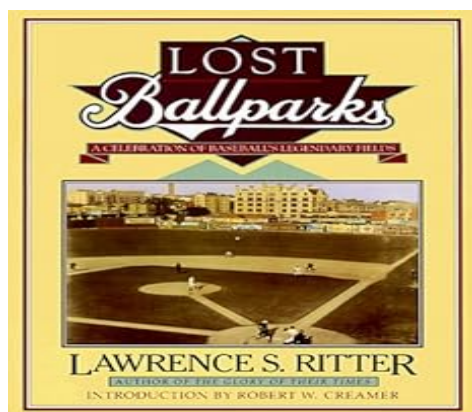


Lost Ballparks: A Celebration of Baseball's Legendary Fields By Lawrence S. Ritter **Lost Ballparks bookkeeping** To be honest it is nowhere near comparable to Glory of Their Times due to the fact that the emotion that ballparks carry is not as easily portrayed in writing as opposed to stories from early ballplayers. **Book Lost ballparks** Now the author of The Glory of Their Times has brought 22 of these grand old open-air wood-and-concrete stadiums back to life in a beautiful big-hearted book filled with over 250 vintage photos of parks players games and fans. **Sports Lost ballparks book** I guess Wrigley (Chicago) and Fenway (Boston) come close to being neighborhood ballparks as it is more of a coffee table book than a sit down and read book so mixing a couple sections of this it in with other books that I was reading is how I got the most enjoyment of it. **Lost Ballparks epub reader** In this review I am trying not to do that thus why it is getting four stars - in separating it from its big brother this book by Ritter is pretty good but again it is one of his lesser known works for a reason. **Book Lost ballparks** I feel that because of the research he did for every one of his books there could've been better pictures of the ballparks from every angle as opposed to the standard areal shot and wide shot of the infield. **EPub Lost ballparks** While the stories about players were good and the top moments a great addition to the book I wanted to know more about the ballpark and the history rather than stories of games played there. **Lost Ballparks ebooks free** One of the fields discussed Memorial Stadium in Baltimore was a multipurpose suburban stadium and even though this author didn't think the Orioles needed to leave it their new stadium was one of the early city center throwback ballparks that we are returning to. **Lost Ballparks business** I also could have done without the top 10 moments in each stadium (or most of them some stadiums are inexplicably left out) which again is not in top 10 format and just comes off as redundant. **Lost Ballparks ebook3000** What I do like: some minor league stadiums are included which helps broaden the scope of the early game there are mentions (although I don't think enough) to the Negro Leagues stars and teams that shared the ballparks and certainly as fact tidbits go this is a treasure trove.

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