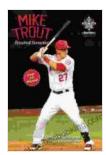
# Mike Trout: The Baseball Sensation Sportstars

Mike Trout is one of the most exciting and talented players in baseball today. He is a three-time American League MVP, a seven-time All-Star, and a two-time Silver Slugger. Trout is known for his incredible hitting ability, his speed, and his fielding skills. He is a complete player who can impact the game in all facets.



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This book tells the story of Trout's rise to stardom. It chronicles his early life, his minor league career, and his breakout season in 2012. The book also provides insights into Trout's personality and his approach to the game.

## **Early Life**

Mike Trout was born on August 7, 1991, in Vineland, New Jersey. He grew up in Millville, New Jersey, and attended Millville Senior High School. Trout

was a standout baseball player in high school, and he was drafted by the Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim in the first round of the 2009 MLB draft.

# **Minor League Career**

Trout spent two seasons in the Angels' minor league system, playing for the Cedar Rapids Kernels and the Arkansas Travelers. In 2010, he was named the Angels' Minor League Player of the Year after batting .350 with 16 home runs and 73 RBIs in 122 games.

# **Major League Career**

Trout made his Major League debut with the Angels in 2011. He quickly became one of the best players in the league, and he won the American League Rookie of the Year Award in 2012. Trout has continued to excel in the Major Leagues, and he has won three AL MVP awards (2014, 2016, 2019), seven All-Star selections, and two Silver Slugger awards.

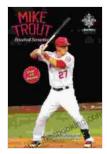
Trout is one of the most complete players in baseball. He is a great hitter, with a career batting average of .306 and an on-base percentage of .416. He is also a good fielder, and he has won two Gold Glove Awards for his work in the outfield.

#### **International Career**

Trout has also represented the United States in international competition. He played on the US team that won the gold medal at the 2013 World Baseball Classic, and he was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player.

#### **Personal Life**

Trout is married to Jessica Cox, and they have two children. Trout is a devout Christian, and he is involved in several charitable organizations.



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