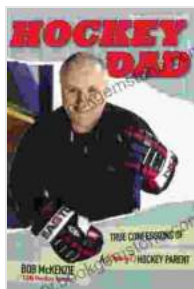


# True Confessions of a Crazy Hockey Parent: A Long and Winding Road of Love, Sacrifice, and Exasperation

Being a hockey parent is not for the faint of heart. It's a wild ride, full of highs and lows, sacrifices and triumphs. It's a journey that will test your patience, your sanity, and your bank account. But it's also a journey that will fill you with immeasurable joy and pride.

I'm a hockey parent of two boys, ages 10 and 12. I've been involved in hockey for over a decade, and I've seen it all. I've seen my boys score incredible goals, and I've seen them get their hearts broken on the ice. I've seen them overcome adversity, and I've seen them struggle. But through it all, I've never stopped loving them and supporting them.



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**Parent** by George Robertson

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Being a hockey parent is a lot like being a parent in general. It's about teaching your children life lessons, about helping them to grow and

develop, and about being there for them through thick and thin. But it's also about having fun. Hockey is a great game, and it's a great way to bond with your children.

Of course, there are some challenges to being a hockey parent. The travel can be tough, especially if you live in a remote area. The cost of equipment and ice time can add up quickly. And the time commitment can be overwhelming, especially if you have multiple children involved in hockey.

But despite the challenges, I wouldn't trade it for anything. Being a hockey parent is an incredible experience. It's a chance to watch your children grow and develop, to make lifelong friends, and to create memories that will last a lifetime.

If you're thinking about getting your child involved in hockey, I encourage you to do it. It's a great game, and it's a great way to teach your children valuable life lessons. Just be prepared for a wild ride.

## **The Joys of Being a Hockey Parent**

There are many joys to being a hockey parent. Here are a few of my favorites:

- Watching your child score their first goal.
- Seeing your child overcome adversity.
- Making lifelong friends.
- Creating memories that will last a lifetime.

## **The Challenges of Being a Hockey Parent**

There are also some challenges to being a hockey parent. Here are a few of the most common:

- The travel can be tough.
- The cost of equipment and ice time can add up quickly.
- The time commitment can be overwhelming.
- Dealing with other hockey parents can be difficult.

### **Tips for Being a Successful Hockey Parent**

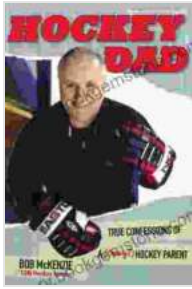
Here are a few tips for being a successful hockey parent:

- Be supportive.
- Be positive.
- Be patient.
- Be involved.
- Have fun.

Being a hockey parent is a challenging but rewarding experience. It's a journey that will test your patience, your sanity, and your bank account. But it's also a journey that will fill you with immeasurable joy and pride.

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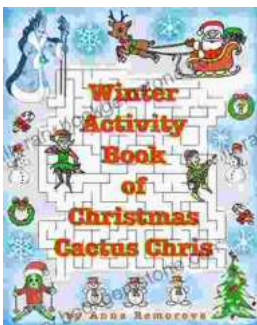


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