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Quotes by sports coaches that deal with sports and life!

by Dave Pikel

"...what's important is that we all understand that it takes everybody. It takes everyone involved for us to win. The thing that I stress is team... It's wonderful to have great, great players, but it also takes every man on the squad believing that he makes a strong contribution in order to help you win."

Tom Coughlin – NFL New York Giants Head Coach (in preparation for Super Bowl 2012) Giants.com – Posted January 27, 2012.

www.giants.com/news-and-blogs/article-1/Coach-Coughlin-on-Patriots-Matchup/ec885795-5b5c-4666-9cd2-1fd30780e003

"The Giants are good on offense, defense and special teams. They are well-coached, disciplined and tough. We will have to match their effort and do a little bit more."

Bill Belichick – NFL New England Patriots Head Coach (in preparation for Super Bowl Patriots.com – posted January 31, 2012.

http://www.patriots.com/news/article-1/Bill-Belichick-Press-Conference-Transcript/e0d7174d-422e-414f-96bc-bcb935160577

"Let's not forget what it has taken to get to this point. Remember that we need to continue to improve each day."

Sean Payton – NFL New Orleans Saints Head Football Coach (quoted by Drew Brees)
Book – "Coming Back Stronger (Unleashing the hidden power of adversity)"
by Drew Brees with Chris Fabry. Copyright©2010 / Tyndale House Publishers, Inc. Page 165.

"I know God has provided me with a platform, and I know what kind of impact a coach can have,.. I was a kid once, and I looked up to athletes and coaches. When I was young, my baseball coach really shaped me. So, I know the impact it can have when I tell kids that Jesus Christ is the most important thing in my life. That's why I stay involved."

Leslie Frazier – NFL Minnesota Vikings Head Football Coach Sharing The Victory Magazine – January/February 2012 (Page 12-13) www.sharingthevictory.com

"Nothing improves a team, or a person, more. Losing forces self-examination, it reveals flaws and, if you choose to learn from it, it inspires something better."

Pat Summitt – University of Tennessee Head Women's Basketball Coach Sports Illustrated Magazine. December 12, 2011. (Sportswoman of the Year).

"The group that can play as one, with spirit and courage, has the best chance to win."

Mike Krzyewski – Duke University Head Basketball Coach Sports Illustrated Magazine. December 12, 2011. (Sportsman of the Year).

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