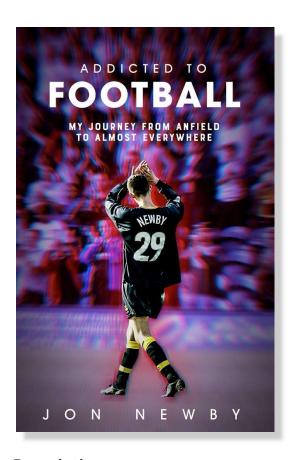


# Title information



#### Addicted to Football

A Journey from Anfield to Almost Everywhere

By Jon Newby

### Key features

- Fascinating account of life in the lower leagues of professional football – will appeal to supporters of many different clubs
- Reveals how a lower-league footballer's world is so unpredictable and filled with uncertainty as every contract comes to an end
- Covers the difficult transition Jon faced, from being a footballer to dealing with the prospect of heart surgery due to a life-threatening condition caused by playing the game he loves
- Colour photo section includes pictures from Jon's personal collection
- Publicity campaign planned including radio, newspapers, websites, podcasts and magazines with the involvement of some of Jon's former clubs

## Description

Addicted to Football: A Journey from Anfield to Almost Everywhere is the autobiography of former professional footballer Jon Newby. His career took him from a single Premier League appearance with Liverpool to playing for clubs all over the country in the top eight tiers of the football pyramid. There was also a spell in Scottish football and a venture into non-league management. As a young player, Jon achieved his dream as he walked out in front of a packed Kop at Anfield. But ultimately his name was better known by Bury, Morecambe and Colwyn Bay fans, rather than by Liverpool fans. His story gives a fascinating insight into the unpredictable world of the journeyman footballer, covering battles with injuries, managers and even his own mind. Jon's biggest battle, however, came when he was diagnosed with an incurable heart condition and the game he was addicted to put his life in serious danger.

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