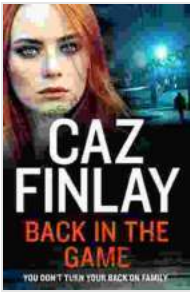


# Back In The Game: A Journey of Redemption, Resilience, and Second Chances



In the annals of sports, there are countless stories of triumph and redemption. But few are as inspiring as the journey of David Green, a former college basketball star who overcame addiction and homelessness to find a second chance through the transformative power of sports.

Green's journey began in a small town in Ohio, where he was a gifted athlete with a promising future. By the time he was a sophomore in high school, he had already caught the attention of college recruiters. He eventually went on to play Division I basketball at a major university.



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However, Green's college career was derailed by off-court issues. He struggled with alcohol and drug addiction, and his grades began to slip. Eventually, he was dismissed from the team and dropped out of school.

Green's life spiraled out of control in the years that followed. He lost his job, his apartment, and his car. He spent time living on the streets and in shelters. At his lowest point, he was addicted to heroin and crack cocaine.

But even in the depths of his addiction, Green never gave up hope. He knew that he had to change his life, and he was determined to find a way back.

In 2008, Green got a break when he was accepted into a drug rehabilitation program. He spent six months in treatment, and it was there that he began to turn his life around.

After completing rehab, Green got a job at a local YMCA. It was there that he rediscovered his love of basketball. He started playing pickup games with the kids at the Y, and he quickly realized that he still had the talent to play.

In 2010, Green was offered a chance to coach a youth basketball team at the Y. He jumped at the opportunity, and it was through coaching that he truly found his calling.

Green's team, the "Y Kings," was made up of kids from all walks of life. Some were from single-parent homes. Others had been in trouble with the law. But Green saw something special in each and every one of them.

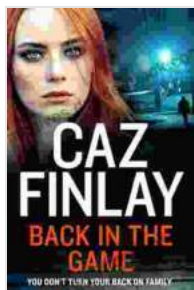
Under Green's guidance, the Y Kings became a winning team. But more importantly, they became a family. Green taught his players the importance of teamwork, discipline, and hard work. He also showed them that they could overcome any obstacle, no matter how big.

The Y Kings' success story caught the attention of the local media. In 2012, Green was featured in a documentary film called "Back in the Game." The film tells the story of Green's redemption and the impact he has had on the lives of his players.

Green's story is an inspiration to anyone who has ever struggled with addiction or homelessness. It is a story of hope, resilience, and second chances. It is a story that shows us that no matter how far we fall, we can always get back up again.

Today, Green is a successful coach and mentor. He is married with two children, and he is an active member of his community. He is living proof

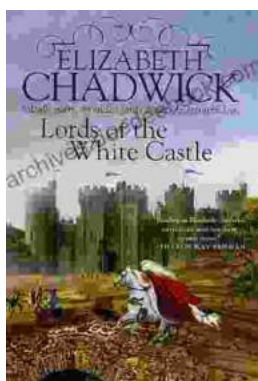
that redemption is possible, and that even the darkest of times can lead to a brighter future.



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