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## Nuclear Powered Baseball: Articles Inspired by The Simpsons episode Homer At the Bat (SABR Digital Library) (Volume 34)

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Society for American Baseball Research. Paperback. Condition: New. 208 pages. Dimensions: 11.0in. x 8.5in. x 0.5in. The Simpsons and baseball. Since its debut in 1989 (that's back in the last century!), The Simpsons has run for 27 seasons and (back in 2009) became the longest-running American scripted primetime television series. Though it would be considered sacrilege in some circles, some might even see it as a national pastime of its own. The series has a long history with baseball and in Season Three, the episode Homer at the Bat aired, on February 20, 1992. Co-editor Emily Hawks writes in her Introduction, To see so many of the biggest MLB stars of the day in Simpsonian animated form Ken Griffey, Jr., Ozzie Smith, and Jose Canseco, just to name a few seemed the most exciting thing in the world to this 90s kid. And the fact that they all lent their own voices to the parts seemed even cooler. It may have also been one of my first glimpses into baseballs early days. As a kid, I had no idea that Mr. Burns dream squad comprised of colorful names like Shoeless Joe Jackson, Pie Traynor, and Napoleon Lajoie actually referenced real players....



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