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Lou Gehrig
Baseball Player
Born 1903 - Died 1941

1. What team did Lou Gehrig begin playing for in 1923?

2. How was he able to play that first year without also holding an outside job?

3. What was his nickname on the baseball team?

4. Amazingly, how many years and how many games did he play without missing a game?

5. How is it possible to establish such a record?

6. What is the short name and the long name for the disease that killed him?

7. How does the disease affect a person?

8. What event happened on July 4, 1939 in Yankee Stadium?

9. How did Lou Gehrig describe himself at that event?

10. What does it mean if a person's character is "above reproach"?

11. How must a person act in order to be described with the words above?

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