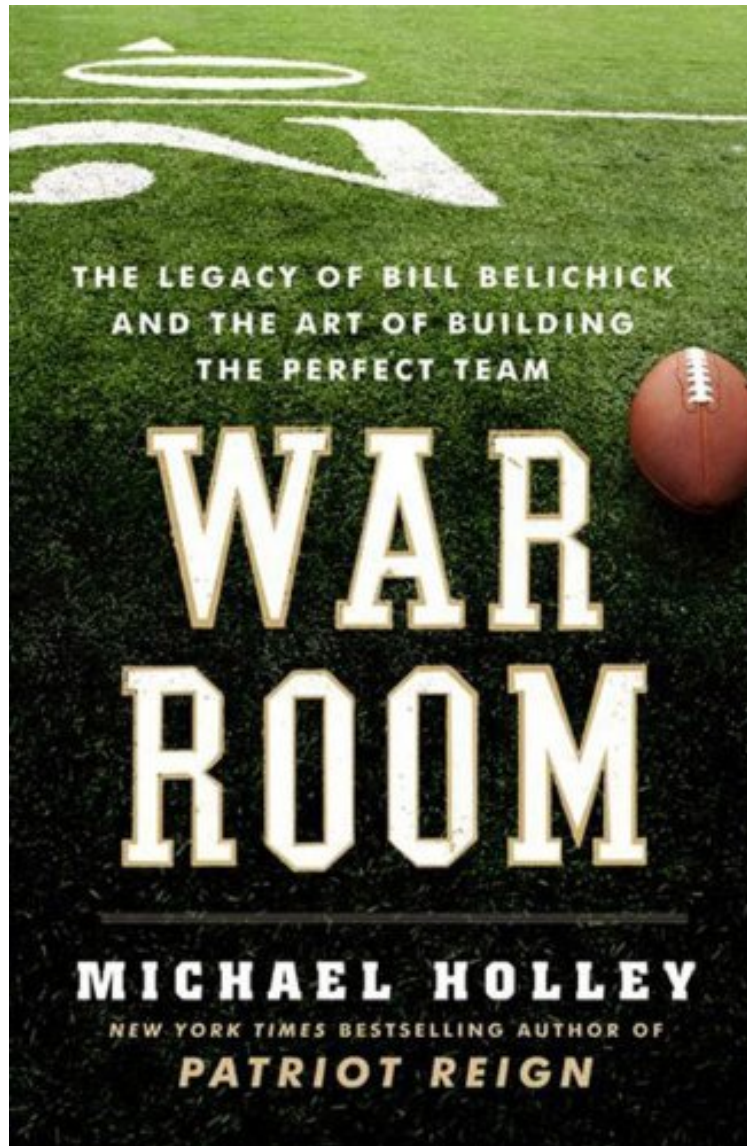


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Showing Humanity, Measuring Talent Just So, and Avoiding Self Deception Von Donald Mitchell "Give, and it will be given to you: good measure, pressed down, shaken together, and running over will be put into your bosom. For with the same measure that you use, it will be measured back to you." -- Luke 6:38 (NKJV) When Bill Belichick became head coach in Cleveland, the deck was stacked against him. I didn't fully realize how so until reading War Room. But from that disaster came something valuable and lasting: a better way to assess college talent in preparation for draft day and taking on undrafted free agents. In a small way, War Room is like Moneyball in providing insight into better ways of making player decisions. The book lacks, however, the sheer verve and enthusiasm for the subject that made Moneyball so appealing to so many. The other big surprise is how well the book reveals the caring side of Bill Belichick in looking out for people. The connection to Thomas Dimitroff had always slightly puzzled me. Now, I get it! I thought I understood the Belichick-Pioli relationship, but the book expanded my appreciation for their work together. I enjoyed the in-depth treatment in the book about how Dimitroff and Pioli have applied the same kinds of measurements and similar kinds of thinking in Atlanta and Kansas City. It provides a perspective on how wise Belichick is in applying what he has developed at the Patriots. I think the book would have been even more appealing if it had also covered the reasons why those who leave the Patriots don't prosper as coaches. The contrast between how well the two general managers have done makes the point all that more pressing and intriguing. The legend of coach Belichick will only grow after people read and understand War Room.

Kurzbeschreibung Bill Belichick is one of the titans of today's game of football. Now, sports commentator and bestselling author Michael Holley follows three NFL teams—the New England Patriots, Kansas City Chiefs, and Atlanta Falcons—from training camp 2010 through the Super Bowl and into the April draft, opening a new window into Belichick's influence on the game. This one-of-a-kind exploration takes football fans behind the scenes of the most popular sport in America, with unprecedented insider access to the head coaches, scouts, trainers, and players who make the game what it is—including new insights from Bill Parcells, Todd and Dick Haley, and Belichick himself. For true fans of the game, and for readers of *Badasses*, *Patriot Reign*, and *Boys Will Be Boys*, Holley's *War Room* is not to be missed. *Pressestimmen* A deeply reported, thoroughly engaging look at what it takes to succeed in the NFL. (Kirkus (starred review)) Crisply written, the story moves along like a two-minute drill. It also sparkles with interesting anecdotes and tidbits. *WAR ROOM* is a lively, fast-paced insiders account that will please ardent and casual fans alike. (Boston Globe) *WAR ROOM* is going to take you into the inner world of pro football. I recommend it highly. (Peter King, *Sports Illustrated*) The ultimate book for pro football geeks. (Publishers Weekly) Fans will want to read how Belichick transformed the once-lackluster Patriots into the most successful franchise of the past decade, which Holley explains in an engaging chronological narrative. (Booklist) Kurzbeschreibung Bill Belichick is one of the titans of today's game of football. Now, sports commentator and bestselling author Michael Holley follows three NFL teams—the New England Patriots, Kansas City Chiefs, and Atlanta Falcons—from training camp 2010 through the Super Bowl and into the April draft, opening a new window into Belichick's influence on the game. This one-of-a-kind exploration takes football fans behind the scenes of the most popular sport in America, with unprecedented insider access to the head coaches, scouts, trainers, and players who make the game what it is—including new insights from Bill Parcells, Todd and Dick Haley, and Belichick himself. For true fans of the game, and for readers of *Badasses*, *Patriot Reign*, and *Boys Will Be Boys*, Holley's *War Room* is not to be missed.