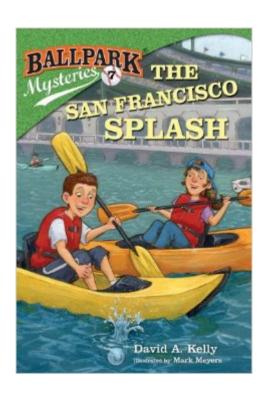
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# Ballpark Mysteries #7: The San Francisco Splash (A Stepping Stone Book(TM))





## **Synopsis**

Time for a seventh-inning stretch! The San Francisco Splash is book #7 in our early chapter book mystery series, where each book is set in a different American ballpark! Â Splash! A hit soars over the walls of the San Francisco ballpark on the bay and drops into the water. But then Mike and Kate hear another, much larger splash nearby . . . and this time it's not a baseball. It's a man overboard! And when he's pulled from the water, the old-time ballplayer discovers his World Series ring is gone! Is it at the bottom of the bay? Or was it somehow stolen by a long-ago rival? Â The San Francisco Splash includes several pages of "Dugout Notes," fun facts about San Francisco's recently built ballpark.Cross Ron Roy's A to Z Mystery series with Matt Christopher's sports books and you get the Ballpark Mysteries: fun, puzzling whodunits aimed at the younger brothers and sisters of John Feinstein's fans.

## **Book Information**

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Product Dimensions: 5.2 x 0.3 x 7.6 inches

Shipping Weight: 0.3 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars Â See all reviews (25 customer reviews)

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Age Range: 6 - 9 years

Grade Level: 1 - 4

#### Customer Reviews

My seven year old grandson is a baseball fanatic. He plays Little League, travel ball, and is a San Francisco Giants FAN+++. He was thrilled to get three of the baseball park mysteries for Christmas. He "ordered" grandma to buy more for his birthday.

SF Splash was a gift for my nephew. He, me and his parents all enjoyed the story. Since they live in

SF and are Giants fans, it was a big hit. A nice way to introduce some baseball facts and history to Lucca (my nephew). I will buy more books for him in this series.

I found this series on for my grandson. He loved them and even used them for book reports at school. Now I order two or three for birthdays or when he came to visit last month. We will continue to order the series. He LOVES them.

I am a ten year old boy who has all The Ballpark Mystery Books. The San Francisco Splash was very interesting because it keeps you guessing until the end. I learned that there were water dogs in the bay that receive baseballs for the sailors. If you like baseball, you are going to love the book.

This was purchased for a 9 year old who does not like to read. The story had a good pace with just enough intrigue to keep a 9 years old's attention. We've read all the other Ballpark Mysteries and would recommend those, as well.

I have sent the whole series for my grandson and he loves them....too bad they ran out.....we'll wait for the next ones.

Great series! My 6 yr old son loves them! I had bought the first four and he begged for more :)

If you like to read a suspense, who-done-it, thriller, you'll love Ballpark Mysteries #7:The San Francisco Splash. Here, author, David A. Kelly, using a baseball platform to tell his story, draws the attention of all young readers. When an old timer falls overboard into the Bay, following a home run ball that also lands in that same water, he discovers that his World Series ring, the pride and joy of his life, is missing. But where could it be? is it at the bottom of the Bay? Or was it stolen by some long time rival? Read on... Stories like this always arouse my curiosity. As I read I start to conjure up lots of guesses as to where it might be. I can't put this book down until I read the last page. I strongly recommend that everybody, young and old alike, read it, I give it five stars, and I'm Marvin P. Ferguson, author of Boys On The Gold Coast.

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