

JOE EH RMANN

Joe Ehrmann has been an educator, motivator and coach for more than 25 years. His revolutionary concepts of team-building, mentoring and coaching are the subject of the *New York Times* bestseller *Season of Life*, written by Jeffrey Marx.

A graduate of Syracuse University, Joe was an All-American football player and went on to play professional football for 13 years. He was named the Colts “Man of the Year.” *Parade Magazine* featured him on its cover, naming him “The Most Important Coach in America” because of his work to transform the culture of sports. In addition, he was selected as one of the “Most Influential Sport Educators in America” by the Institute for International Sport.

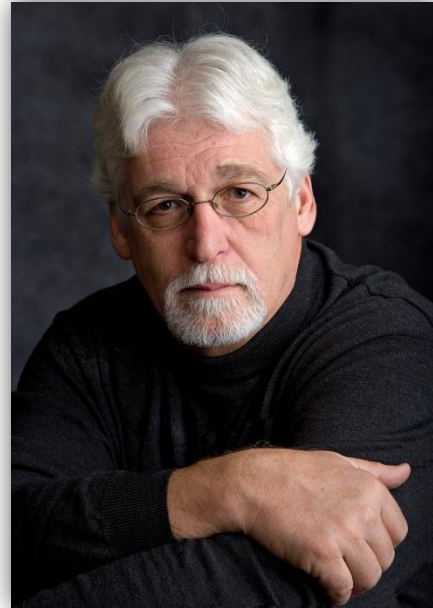


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In no way has his career been limited to the athletic arena. Mr. Ehrmann is co-founder of Baltimore’s Ronald McDonald House and was chosen by the *Baltimore Business Journal* as the “Renaissance Person of the Decade” for his dedication and commitment to Baltimore’s betterment. He is also co-founder of The Door, a community-based organization that addresses issues of poverty, systemic racism and social justice.

Other honors include being named the American Diabetes Association’s and Father’s Day Council’s “Father of the Year” as well as the National Fatherhood Initiative’s “Man of the Year.” For his work empowering youth to prevent male violence, Mr. Ehrmann was also the recipient of the Frederick Douglas “Man of the Year Award.”

Joe recently published *InSideOut Coaching: How Sports Can Transform Lives*.