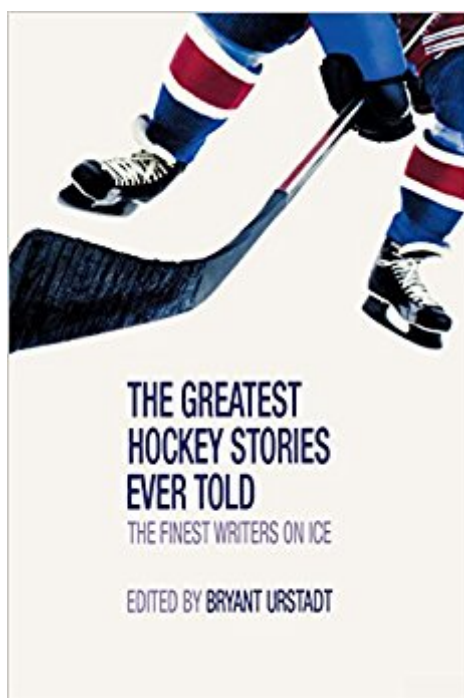


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Greatest Hockey Stories Ever Told: The Finest Writers On Ice



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