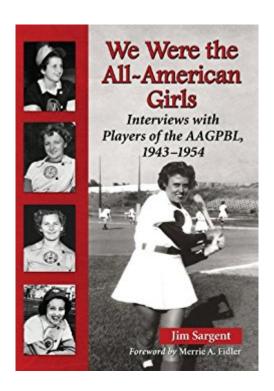


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# We Were The All-American Girls: Interviews With Players Of The AAGPBL, 1943–1954





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