



This is one installment in a team effort by The Cleveland Fan, highlighting the top local sports figures by jersey number. Please weigh in with your thoughts- click on the Boards link above. And as David Letterman would say, "For entertainment purposes only; please, no wagering."

The answers to [our jersey #11 quiz](#) are below. If you care to play along, take a minute and ponder before reading on: how many Cleveland sports figures can you name who have worn jersey #12? I initially came up with a handful.

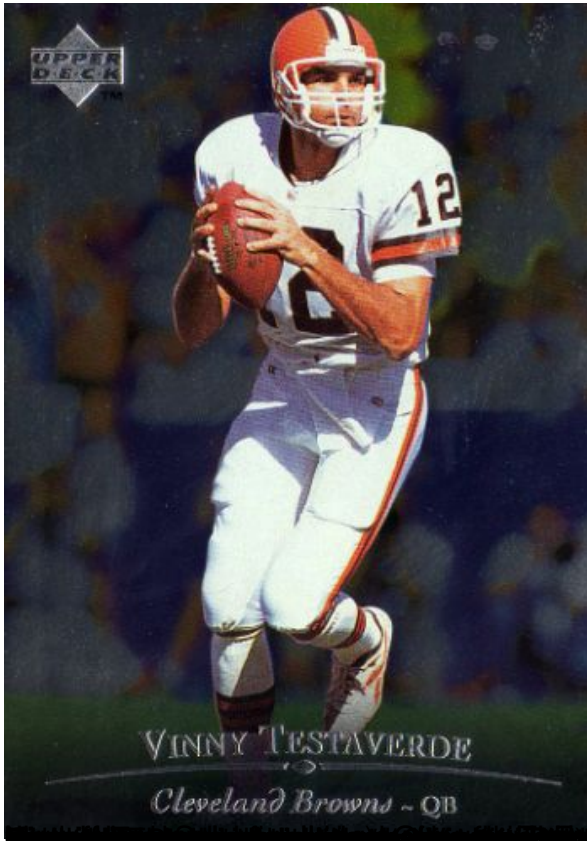
I like stories. The fabric of sports history is a compelling tapestry of recorded anecdotes. This is particularly true of baseball. I am not wired for the numbers of sports- but those who are provide interesting conclusions that they base on statistics. The stream of information of both the numbers and the stories pertaining to Cleveland sports is a big reason I have come to this site almost every day for six or seven years.

Anyway, I figure that if I can actually remember a player's jersey number, he might be worthy of discussion. This is true of #12, corroborated by the discussion in the



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Eric O'Leary is the top of 12 in Cleveland sports history seems cut-and-dry. Second baseman **Ro**

