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Dear Sir;

I have just finished reading your recent book, "Better Basketball" and I found it very informative as well as very interesting.

I am deeply interested in taking up coaching as a career, especially basketball, and it is upon that subject that I would like your advice.

Truthfully I don't know just where to begin and what should be done to prepare oneself in that line. I am almost 19 yrs old and graduated from high school last June. While there I played forward on the basketball team, and although not outstanding I got along very well.

I believe that I possess the necessary qualifications to make a successful coach. I am in good health, I seem to be able to impress others with ideas very easily and I seem to understand boys very well. There is nothing that I enjoy doing as much as when I am with helping or watching some boys play the game.