

A Fan in the Stands Makes His Wishes Known

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et augendae intensionem

There he is stepping to the plate.
He's nothing, he's nobody,
He can't hit nothing nohow.

Throw him one.

Throw the speedball
The curve
The drooper
The fall away

Turn back to the clock and throw him

The uncle Charlie
The yakker
The Duece
The Bender

Throw him the snicker

The roundhouse
The hammer
Throw the slurve

Throw the slider,

Throw the screwball
The forkball
The splitter

Throw the palmball

Throw the circle changeup
Throw the cutter
The hammer

Throw it in there

Throw it!
For God's sake — throw it at him!

Throw the creeper
The mainstay
The billabong
Throw pumpkinseeds

Throw Whitman
Throw the leatherman
The wakeboard
The holiest of holies

Throw Chittenden
Throw makeshift
The Taj Mahal
The snowblower
Throw Night of the Living Dead

You've got it! Throw it!
Throw! Fling one past him!

Throw the plague
The Asian flu
Throw hunger
Throw climate change
Throw Ebola

Bean him! Back him off!

You've got him thinking you're a softie,
A patsie,
A playmate,
A skinny-armed softball putz.

You've got him to the plate where you can see him now.
You've got him right where you want him!

Throw the meathook
The sidewinder
Throw pemmican
Throw a dash of coriander

Throw the Vulcan change
The moneymaker
The haymaker
The horndog

Throw the roundhouse right
Throw the roundabout
Throw the round table and King Arthur's crown
Throw ringworm

Throw the blitzkrieg
The bollerofoon
The Oliphant,
The one ring of power.

Throw Mephistopheles
Throw meatloaf
Throw metonymy
Throw metaphor
Throw metrical stanzas

He thinks he's something—
he's nothing!
He thinks he's gonna hit something.
Throw it! Throw your life savings!

Throw fatherhood
Throw car payments
Throw thirty below
Throw cell phone overcharges
Throw identify theft

Throw meth addiction
Throw fatman
Throw little boy
Throw the Luftwaffe
Throw thermonuclear Armageddon

Throw the plague
The Asian flu
Throw hunger
Throw climate change
Throw congress

Throw it, man, throw it!
He'll never see it coming!