



NFL Quarterback & Professional Speaker

Charlie Batch, delivers a sense of sincerity, humor and human connection to his audiences as he shares his personal story and "Expect Your Best" message of inspiration and motivation. Rooted in the premise that, "we succeed or fail by the level of our expectation," Charlie's presentations focus on raising the bar of expectation, becoming your best, overcoming obstacles and preparing before the moment. His three rules for success - Be Ready, Be Resilient and Be the Pro - resonate with business professionals, students and charitable organizations alike, and his message reinforces the importance of character and decision making, proper health and fitness, and leadership in performance. Charlie's keynotes can be tailored to fit your organization, mission, and audience. Based out of Pittsburgh, he travels to speaking opportunities across the country. Contact him through Linked In, or visit his website: CharlieBatch.com

IN CHARLIE'S WORDS:

• Expect Your Best

When I was growing up, the dilemma between my dream of doing great things and my inner-city reality became overwhelming. But when I was at the point of giving up, I met a man who told me, "Son, your problem isn't your ability. It's your attitude. You will live or die at the level of your expectation. The way to get through any test is to Expect Your Best."

• Be Ready

In a million years, I didn't think I would be a professional athlete. I wasn't college ready; I wasn't the "chosen one" on the Eastern Michigan team; I didn't come from a place where people dreamed big dreams. But I kept preparing for the moment before the moment. I wanted to Be Ready if I ever got my shot.

• Be Resilient

When my sister passed, it was the most difficult moment of my life. I had a choice: give up or be resilient. I realized that my choice was bigger than me; it was about my family, my future and the impact I could make by turning tragedy into triumph. I chose resiliency, and from that, my Best of the Batch Foundation was born.

Be The Pro

Being a Pro is about bringing your absolute best to everyone you work with and mastering your expertise. With a career as long as I have had, I discovered a deeper understanding of being a pro, and that gave me the power to outlast the competition.

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- "We are grateful for Mr. Batch's visit with us. His presence brought us one of the largest crowds we have ever had for our lecture series. Not only was his message inspiring and relevant for our students, but his humble and kind nature also came through when he took time to take pictures with our guests and answer their questions."
- Stacey Brodak, Vice President Institutional Advancement and University Relations, Waynesburg University
- "He inspired the more than 1,500 people in attendance with a speech that was authentic, vulnerable, and full of life lessons that all of us learned from. Throughout our engagement with Charlie, he was accessible and very open to feedback, which ultimately led to a keynote speech that felt like it was hand-crafted for our audience. His speaking style is confident, high energy and infused with just enough humor to keep audiences engaged. We'd welcome Charlie back to a future event, anytime!"
- Christine Waller, VP of Communications and Corporate Responsibility, Duquesne Light