





The earliest memory Marco has of baseball is George Bell hitting 3 dingers against the Royals opening day against the Royals in KC in 1987. It would take 3 more years before baseball would take root and become a lifelong passion. As a child, the first baseball cap he ever got was an Expos cap when he was 3 that he accidentally shoplifted from Woolco at Dufferin Mall. His parents, when they realized what had happened, rushed back to the cashier and paid for the cap, a whopping total of \$0.99.

It would take a teacher (Mr Ennis) at his Grade School (John XXIII) to finally show him that he was good enough to play baseball by naming him the starting catcher of the first ever grade school softball team in Grade 8, motivating him to try out with Erindale Little League trying to make the first organized team (outside of school). And that he did. Baseball was becoming hot as the Blue Jays were about to win the first of their back to back World Series titles the same year he would be named MVP of his Erindale Team. He would go on to play until he was 19 with Erindale, conveniently being overlooked for all the Rep teams despite putting up great numbers both at the plate and on the mound.

There was an attempt to tryout for the U of T baseball team but when the tryouts were being held in East York at 6 am on a Saturday and being told that you didn't "fit the mold" of what they were looking for, the motivation to make the attempt quickly disappeared.

Six years later, at the age of 25, along came a good friend (Gary DeSousa) asking if there was any interest to play baseball again in a mens' league (The Mississauga Mens' Baseball League - MMBL for short). And with that, a new journey would start in 2003. Three years later, and after being told by the coach and Manager of the MMBL Phillies that he had no interest in adding coaches to his staff, Marco along with good friend Miso Radman, would create the expansion MMBL Marlins.

After a solid debut season (13-9), the team struggled to a 6-16 record in Year 2. With changes happening fast to the roster, the team changed gears again and became the MMBL Blue Jays in 2008. By Year 3 of the Jays, with the team spiraling to their worst record ever and help clearly needed, Marco added new coaches (Cliff Trueman specifically) to help him manage the team. At the end of Year 6, and with an offer on the table to run a team in the BVB and a falling out having occurred between himself and Cliff, Marco moved on to the Burlington Vintage Baseball League in 2014 (BVB for short).

One of the first things Marco did as GM of the team was to change the team name to "Blue Jays" and colours to the hometown Blue Jays road blue jerseys. In 11 seasons in charge, the team has had peaks and valleys and now, going into his 12th season in charge, the team appears to have the core to be a contender.

In total, Marco has played 30 total seasons and is approaching several career milestones including Hits (421), Walks (280), RBI (260), Runs (295), Doubles (84) and Stolen Bases (207). He is 1st in most offensive categories on the Blue Jays including Stolen Bases (75 to 66 for Matty), RBI (117), Walks (118) and hits (192) and leads in most games played with 239.

Marco	Year	GP	АВ	PA	Н	1 B	2B	3B F	IR K	s RC	DE/FC	вв	SAC	RBI	RUNS	ТоВ	TBS	SB	cs	ОРР	SB%	ОВА	AVC	SLC	6% O	PS I	ІВР І	EA	s/cs	PB SE	BA PC	IP	HITS	1B	2B 3I	B HR's	ER	RUNS	ERA	WHIP	Pitches	K's	вв	нвр	WP	w L	sv
Phillies	1	21	50	73	20	14	5	1	0 1	4	5	16	6	14	14	48	27	11	3	14	78.6%	0.567	0.40	0 0.5	40 1.1	107	1 5	5	12	0 (20	0	0	0	0 0	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0 0	0
Phillies	1	21	51	80	24	15	7	2	1 1	7	6	20	7	19	20	60	39	12	2	14	85.7%	0.631	0.47	1 0.7	65 1.3	396	2 2	2	14	0 (29	0	0	0	0 0	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0 0	0
Phillies	1	22	49	73	19	12	5	1	1 1	5	4	18	5	17	16	47	29	14	3	17	82.4%	0.567	0.38	8 0.5	10 1.0	077	1 3	3	13	0 (38	0	0	0	0 0	0	0	0	0.00	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0 0	0
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Marlins 2	1	22	57	70	17	11	4	1	1 1	2	5	9	4	11	13	35	26	13	3	16	81.3%	0.443	0.29	8 0.4	56 0.8	399	0 5	5	1	1 1	2 23	11.2	17	12	4 0	1	8	18	6.43	3.57	275	10	23	4	11	0 1	0
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