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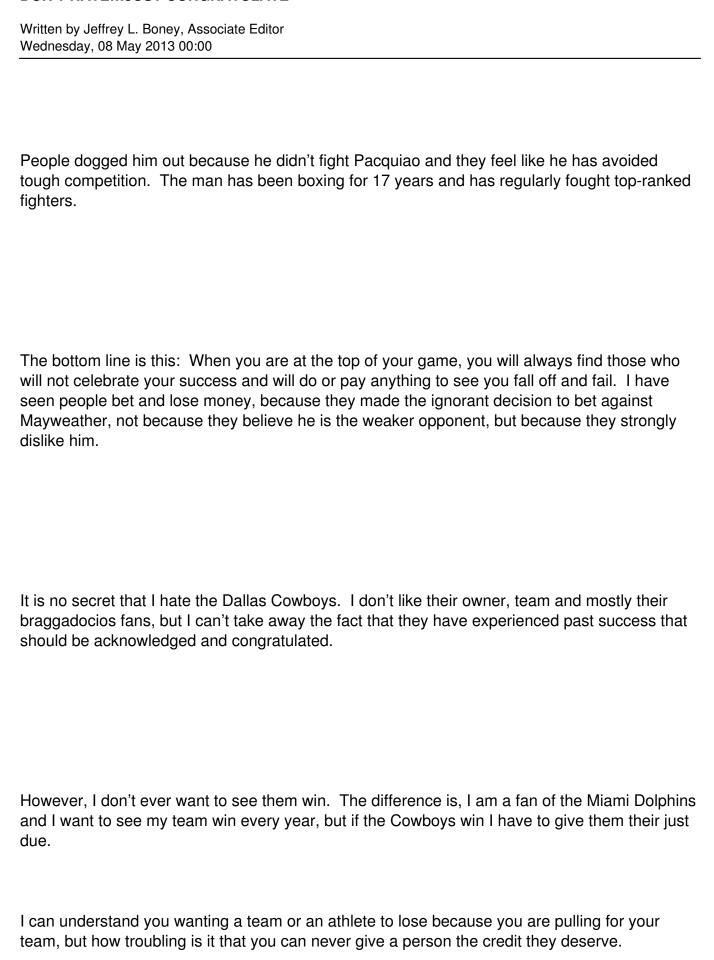
I am a big Floyd Mayweather Jr. fan....PERIOD!

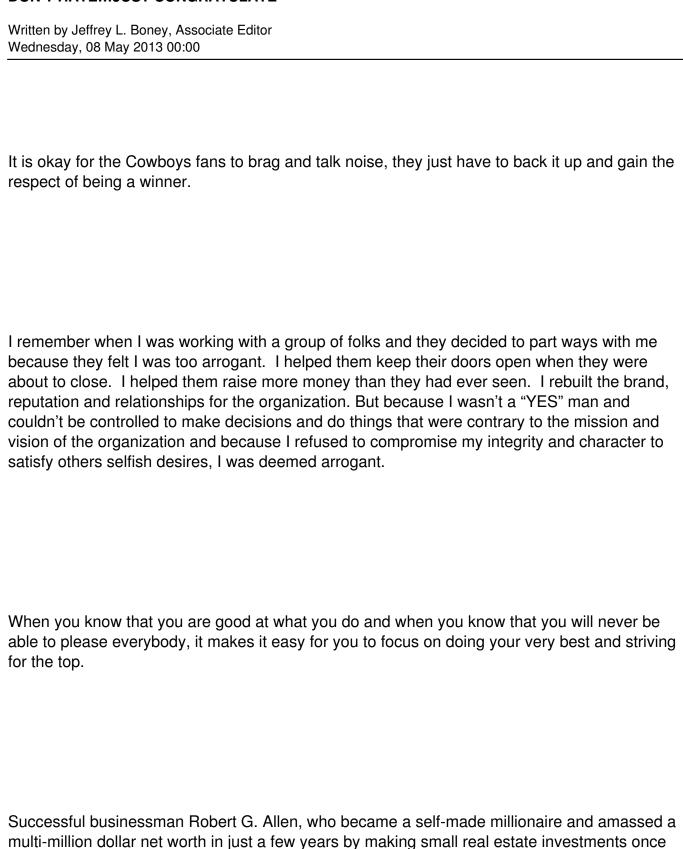
In my estimation, he is the best pound-for-pound defensive fighter to ever dawn a pair of boxing gloves. I have been a boxing fan for some time and for me to say someone is the 'best', when there have been so many outstanding fighters over the years, is not a stretch concerning Mayweather.

I always look forward to his next fight, because I can always find somebody who is willing to go out on the limb and declare that "Money Mayweather" is going to lose.

The interesting thing is, when I ask them why they believe he is going to lose, they never seem to be able to give me a straight answer. It is usually driven by emotion and in most cases, a strong and insatiable desire they have to see him lose.

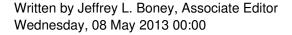






said, "Don't let the opinions of the average man sway you. Dream, and he thinks you're crazy. Succeed, and he thinks you're lucky. Acquire wealth, and he thinks you're greedy. Pay no

attention. He simply doesn't understand."



I applaud Floyd Mayweather Jr. for not listening to the haters and by doing so achieving success by becoming a five-division world champion, who has won eight world titles and the Lineal championship in three different weight classes, with a record of 44-0.

When it comes to Floyd or anybody else for that matter, you might not like it, but Don't Hate.....Just Congratulate."

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