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“The Holy Grail of the swing.”

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—**John Paul Newport**, *Wall Street Journal*

“Chamblee has found his niche as the Golf Channel’s resident scholar and critic . . . [and] has an artist’s way with words.”

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“One of the reasons Chamblee has become golf’s best studio analyst is because he’s a golf geek, but with the ability to convey piles of data in a compelling, and sometimes controversial, manner. . . . Chamblee proves to be as provocative in print as he is on TV.”

—*Golfweek*

“It’s illuminating and it’s going to be provocative—in a good way—provoking discussion. It should start debate about where teaching has been, well, moving.”

—**Lorne Rubenstein**, *SCOREGolf*

About the Author

Brandel Chamblee joined the Golf Channel in 2004 and is currently its lead analyst. He lives in Scottsdale, Arizona. He is the author of *The Anatomy of Greatness* and *The Short Game: Lessons from Inside 100 Yards by the Best Golfers in History*.

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