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Instruction Manual

1994 Topps #470 Rafael Palmeiro Texas Rangers Baseball Card

1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

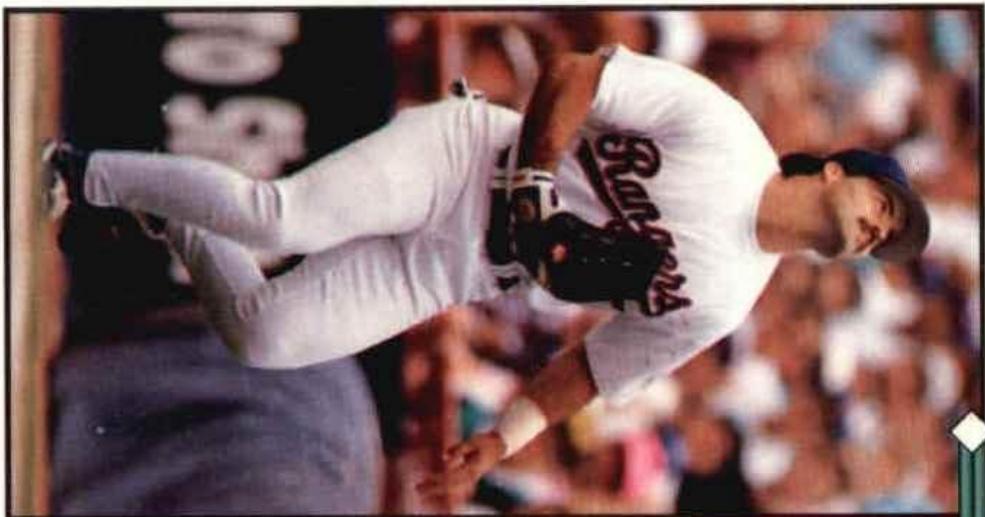
This document provides essential information regarding the 1994 Topps #470 Rafael Palmeiro baseball card. This card features Rafael Palmeiro, a prominent first baseman for the Texas Rangers during the 1994 Major League Baseball season. It is part of the standard 1994 Topps baseball card set.

The card is described as being in Near Mint/Mint (NM/MT) condition, indicating a high level of preservation for a vintage collectible. This manual will guide you on proper care, handling, and understanding of this collectible item.

2. CARD IDENTIFICATION



Image 1: Front view of the 1994 Topps #470 Rafael Palmeiro baseball card. This side displays the player's image, name, team, and the Topps brand logo. The card number is typically not visible on the front for this series.



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RAFAEL PALMEIRO

TOPPS®

HT: 6'0" WT: 188 BATS: LEFT THROWS: LEFT

DRFT: CUBS #1-JUNE, 1985 ACQ: TRADE, 12-5-88

BORN: 9-24-64 HAVANA, CUBA

HOME: ARLINGTON, TX

COMPLETE MAJOR LEAGUE BATTING RECORD
(LEAGUE LEADER IN *ITALICS*, TIE ♦)

YR	CLUB	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SB	SLG	BB	SO	Avg
86	CUBS	22	73	9	18	4	0	3	12	1	.425	4	6	.247
87	CUBS	84	221	32	61	15	1	14	30	2	.543	20	26	.276
88	CUBS	152	500	75	178	41	5	8	53	12	.436	38	34	.307
89	RANGERS	156	559	76	154	23	4	8	64	4	.374	63	48	.275
90	RANGERS	154	598	72	191	35	6	14	89	3	.468	40	59	.319
91	RANGERS	159	631	115	203	43	3	26	88	4	.532	68	72	.322
92	RANGERS	159	608	84	163	27	4	22	85	2	.434	72	83	.268
93	RANGERS	160	597	124	176	40	2	37	105	22	.554	73	85	.295
MAJ. LEA. TOTALS		1046	3867	587	1144	234	25	132	526	50	.472	378	413	.296

Rafael just missed a 4-HR game on 9-26-93 when he hit a pair, and wallop 2 other drives that caromed off the top of the wall for 2B's.

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Image 2: Back view of the 1994 Topps #470 Rafael Palmeiro baseball card. This side contains the card number (470), player statistics, biographical details, and copyright information from The Topps Company, Inc.

Key identifying features include:

- **Year:** 1994
- **Manufacturer:** Topps
- **Card Number:** #470
- **Player:** Rafael Palmeiro
- **Team:** Texas Rangers

3. CARE AND HANDLING

Proper care is essential to preserve the condition and value of your collectible baseball card. Follow these guidelines:

- **Handling:** Always handle the card by its edges to avoid transferring oils from your skin to the card surface. Consider wearing cotton gloves.
- **Storage:** Store the card in a protective sleeve (e.g., penny sleeve) and then in a rigid top-loader or a graded card slab. This protects against bending, creasing, and surface wear.
- **Environment:** Keep the card away from direct sunlight, extreme temperatures, and high humidity. These factors can cause fading, warping, or mold growth. Store in a cool, dry, dark place.
- **Cleaning:** Do not attempt to clean the card with any liquids or abrasive materials. Any cleaning can damage the card and significantly reduce its value.

4. CONDITION GRADING (NM/MT)

The condition of a collectible card is crucial for its value. This card is described as Near Mint/Mint (NM/MT). Understanding this grade is important:

- **Near Mint/Mint (NM/MT):** A card in NM/MT condition typically exhibits only minor flaws. This can include very slight wear on one or two corners, a very minor print defect, or a slight off-center image. The card should retain its original gloss and color.
- **General Grading Factors:** Key factors considered in card grading include corners, edges, surface, and centering. Even minor imperfections can affect the grade.

For detailed information on card grading standards, consult reputable third-party grading services such as PSA, BGS, or SGC.

5. SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Product Type	Baseball Trading Card
Year of Issue	1994
Manufacturer	Topps
Card Number	#470
Player	Rafael Palmeiro
Team	Texas Rangers
Condition	Near Mint/Mint (NM/MT)
ASIN	B09BK74TZX
Date First Available	June 29, 2023

6. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This product is sold by Dean's Cards. As per their policy, they guarantee their products. For specific details

regarding returns or support, please refer to the seller's return policy on the platform where the purchase was made.

- **Return Policy:** The buybox winner's return policy states a 30-day return window for refund/replacement.
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