## Bio:

Matthew Fries, at the age of seven, was once asked: "What do you want to do when you grow up?" He answered: "Play shortstop for the Toronto Blue Jays in the summer and write books in the winter." Well, he is in his fifties now, and one of those ships has sailed; otherwise, he is living his dream.

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