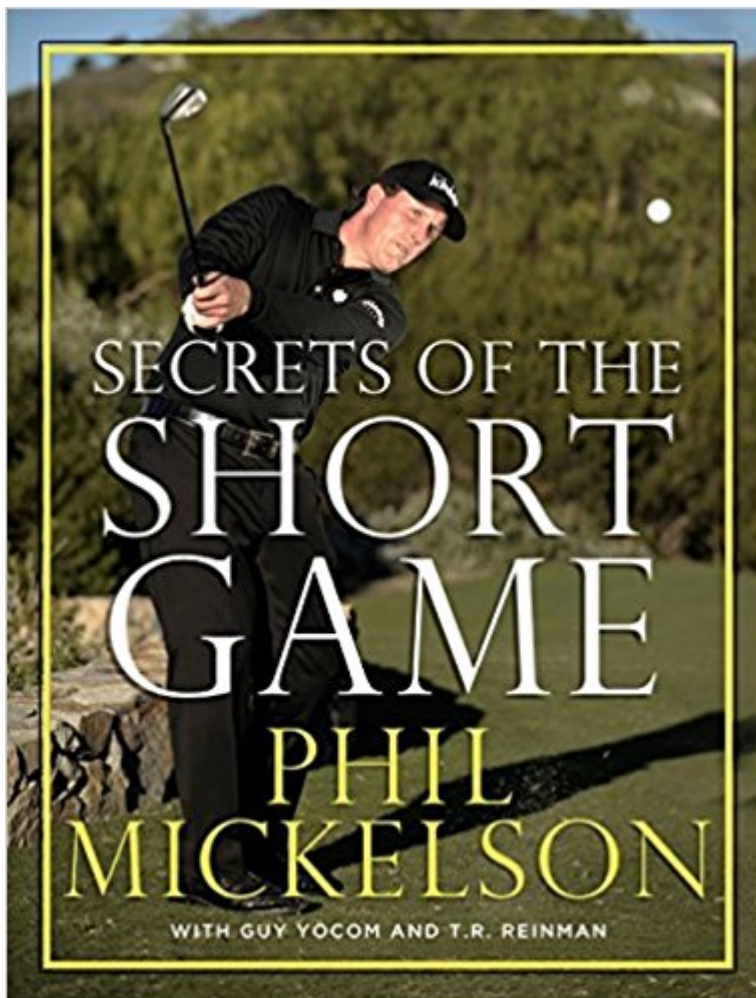




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# Secrets Of The Short Game



## Synopsis

From 50 yards and in, no golfer in history has demonstrated more talent, flair, creativity and precision, or generated more raw excitement, than Phil Mickelson. His ability with the sand wedge and putter are legendary not only among fans but his peers as well, and it is his skill with those clubs that is primarily responsible for his winning 34 tournaments on the PGA Tour, including three major championships. In his first-ever instruction book, Mickelson explains in detail how to master every phase of the short game. Mickelson maintains that any golfer of average ability can become a deadly short-game player by approaching the subject with a blend of science (proper mechanics and setup) and art (imagination and feel). Mickelson does a fine job explaining both; combining the wisdom of his great teachers with his own fertile imagination, cultivated from 34 years of experimentation, trial and error. No golfer can afford to miss out on Mickelson's secrets and tips.

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"I've seen all the great players over the last 50 years, and none has had more feel, creativity or imagination in the short game than Phil Mickelson. He does a fantastic job conveying his secrets in this book." (Butch Harmon)

"There's always been a lot of 'wow' with Phil's short game, but what continues to impress me is the soundness of his technique. Get ready for some excitement, because with this book your play on and around the greens is about to get a whole lot better." (Gary McCord)

"I've always been a great fan of Phil and his golf game, especially his play from 50 yards and in. His skills and creativity are simply unmatched. I know you will find this book helpful, both at sharpening your

technique and improving your imagination (Ben Crenshaw)

Phil Mickelson followed an outstanding amateur career with a brilliant assault on the PGA Tour, compiling 36 PGA Tour victories by 2009 (second among active players), including three major championships: the Masters Tournament in 2004 and 2006 and the PGA Championship in 2005. He has played on seven U.S. Ryder Cup teams and seven U.S. Presidents Cup teams. Mickelson is in the prime of his career, and his short game is without peer in golf today.

Good book. Good instruction.

An essential resource for golfers looking to improve their short game. Phil's tips are easy to understand AND emulate. The color pictures are plentiful and a great help. It's a quick read and the layout of the material is easy to understand. Phil covers Putting, Chipping, Pitching, Sand Traps, and more. I would recommend

Helped me a great deal!

I'm a fairly new golfer (only 5 years) and a lefty to boot. It's hard finding advice for left handers and most golf instruction books cater to driving and swing mechanics. Phil, shares his years of winning experience in an easy to understand way. Some of which contradicts some other instructors time honored advice, but who can argue with his results. This book is also applicable to right handed players.

This book is valuable because it has excellent pictures combined with descriptions of the pictured technique. There are points here for everyone but readers should keep in mind that Phil Mickelson is a professional golfer who has developed and honed his technique through now a couple decades of play and surely thousands of hours of practice. Interestingly, the book criticizes (indirectly) the short game system taught by Dave Pelz, who has served as Mickelson's short game strategy coach for a few years now. Avid golfers will find this useful.

This is a great book with great illustrations. The video is also excellent. It offers a fresh approach and one that is different than what I had found in others books.

I have always been taught to have an open stance when chipping and sweeping the hands through, but after reading about the "hinge and hold" method and squaring your feet to the line, I immediately started hitting chips which were always on target. The entire book is full of such instruction. There is no doubt reading this book will help this, the most important part of your game!

Good book to pick up some tricks in the close game

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