

THE COACHES

WHAT TO LOOK FOR IN 2007

JOE GIBBS, Washington, needs nine victories to pass Bud Grant (168) and Chuck Knox (170) to move into tenth place all-time in career victories (see Holmgren note) and needs five regular-season victories to reach 150. In 15 seasons, Gibbs has 162 career victories and 145 regular-season victories.

MIKE HOLMGREN, Seattle, needs 12 victories to pass Bill Cowher (161), Joe Gibbs (162), Bud Grant (168) and Chuck Knox (170) to move into tenth place all-time in career victories (see Gibbs note) and needs three regular-season victories to reach 150. In 15 seasons, Holmgren has 159 career victories and 147 regular-season victories.

MIKE SHANAHAN, Denver, needs 11 victories to reach 150 regular-season victories. In 15 seasons, Shanahan has 139 regular-season victories.

TOM COUGHLIN, New York Giants, needs three victories to reach 100 career victories and seven regular-season victories to reach 100. In 11 seasons, Coughlin has 97 career victories and 93 regular-season victories.

ANDY REID, Philadelphia, needs 12 victories to reach 100 career victories. In eight seasons, Reid has 88 career victories.

2007 NEW COACHES QUESTIONNAIRES



CAM CAMERON – MIAMI DOLPHINS

HOBBIES: Reading, fishing, family time with my kids, and traveling with my wife Missy... **LAST BOOK READ:** "Quiet Strength" by Tony Dungy... **FAVORITE FOOD:** All Italian food... **FAVORITE VACATION SPOT:** Coronado, California... **FAVORITE COLLEGE TOWN:** Ann Arbor, Michigan (University of Michigan)... **WHAT NFL TEAM DID YOU FOLLOW AS A CHILD:** Miami Dolphins and Dallas Cowboys... **FAVORITE ATHLETE AS A CHILD:** George Karl and Roger Staubach... **FAVORITE STADIUM OTHER THAN YOUR OWN AND WHY:** Lambeau Field (Tradition)... **FAVORITE SPORTS UNIFORM OTHER THAN YOUR OWN:** Powder blue Chargers uniform... **FAVORITE OTHER SPORT:** Fishing... **PERSON YOU'D MOST LIKE TO MEET:** The Pope... **PERSON WHO INFLUENCED YOU THE MOST:** My step-father Tom Harp... **BEST ADVICE EVER RECEIVED:** Never sell your soul for winning... **PLAYER (FORMER OR CURRENT) WHO'D MAKE A GREAT HEAD COACH:** Jim Harbaugh of Stanford University... **GREATEST OVERACHIEVER YOU'VE EVER COACHED:** Kris Diehlman at Indiana University and with the San Diego Chargers... **BEST PURE ATHLETE YOU'VE EVER COACHED:** LaDainian Tomlinson... **TOUGHEST PLAYER YOU'VE EVER COACHED:** Walter Smith at the University of Michigan... **MOST INSPIRATIONAL PLAYER YOU EVER COACHED:** Antwaan Randle El at Indiana University... **FUNNIEST PLAYER YOU'VE EVER COACHED, AND WHY:** Lorenzo Neal because he is always up to something... **TOUGHEST COACH YOU'VE EVER FACED AND WHY:** Jimmy Johnson while at Miami and Dallas... **GREATEST TEAM YOU'VE EVER COMPETED AGAINST:** Dallas Cowboys teams of the '90s... **TOUGHEST GAME YOU'VE EVER COMPETED IN, AS A COACH OR PLAYER:** San Diego Chargers vs. New England Patriots in the 2006 NFL playoffs... **LOUDEST CROWD OF YOUR FOOTBALL CAREER:** University of Michigan every week... **MOST KNOWLEDGEABLE FOOTBALL WRITER YOU'VE EVER MET:** Edwin Pope of the *Miami Herald*... **MOST OVERRATED ASPECT OF FOOTBALL:** The play call... **MOST UNDERRATED ASPECT OF FOOTBALL:** The quarterback/center exchange... **HARDEST JOB IN FOOTBALL:** Officials... **IF YOU WEREN'T COACHING, WHAT YOU WOULD BE DOING:** Fishing, teaching.



BOBBY PETRINO – ATLANTA FALCONS

HOBBIES: Golf, water skiing... **FAVORITE FOOD:** Chicken... **FAVORITE VACATION SPOT:** Montana... **BEST FOOTBALL NICKNAME:** The Fighting Saints (Carroll College)... **FAVORITE COLLEGE TOWN:** Louisville, Kentucky... **WHAT NFL TEAM DID YOU FOLLOW AS A CHILD:** Green Bay Packers... **FAVORITE STADIUM OTHER THAN YOUR OWN:** Bryant-Denny Stadium (Alabama)... **PERSON YOU'D MOST LIKE TO MEET:** General Norman Schwarzkopf... **PERSON WHO INFLUENCED YOU THE MOST:** My father Bob Petrino... **BEST ADVICE EVER RECEIVED:** Reach for the top of the rainbow... **PLAYER (FORMER OR CURRENT) WHO'D MAKE A GREAT HEAD COACH:** Keenan McCardell... **GREATEST OVERACHIEVER YOU'VE EVER COACHED:** Steve Nolan... **TOUGHEST PLAYER YOU'VE EVER COACHED:** Mark Brunell... **MOST INSPIRATIONAL PLAYER YOU'VE EVER COACHED:** Joe Horn... **FUNNIEST PLAYER YOU'VE EVER COACHED:** Jason Spitz... **GREATEST TEAM YOU'VE EVER COMPETED AGAINST:** Desert Swarm defense (Arizona, 1992) ... **LOUDEST CROWD OF YOUR**