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WORLD SERIES CHAMPIONS

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# At last!

Cubs capture first title in 108 years in extra-inning Game 7 thriller

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**CLEVELAND** — Finally, the most epic drought in sports history is over, and the Cubs are world champions. After more than a century of waiting, the Cubs won the 2016 World Series with an 8-7 Game 7 victory over the Indians in 10 extra innings Wednesday night at Progressive Field. The triumph completed their climb back from a 3-1 Series deficit to claim their first championship since 1918.

It was real, and it was spectacular. This is not a dream. The Cubs did it. They flowed across Clete Stinson after the final out in the 10th, and fans responded with the world's biggest group hug, remembering all the loved ones who could only imagine what it would be like to experience this moment of pure bliss.

The 1909 Cubs, the team that defined the word "collapsing," were off the hook. So were their predecessors in '04 and 2003, who also came close only to suffer painful endings that scarred two generations of Cubs fans and kept the drought alive. The billy goat is gone, and the black cat too. And what was the name of the foul ball that hit the manager? No matter. It was never really his fault, and now he's just a footnote in Cubs history.

The catchphrase Cubs fans uttered over the last century and change has been "just one before I die," a plea that fell on deaf ears decade after decade.

Well, you can die in peace now, thanks to Joe Maddon's resilient club, which was bloodied and on the mat after a Game 4 loss at Wrigley Field.

The Cubs picked themselves up when Jim Lester and Aroldis Chapman tagged **Turn to Cubs, Page 6**

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Chicago Cubs Beat Cleveland Indians 8-7, Winning First World Series Since 1908

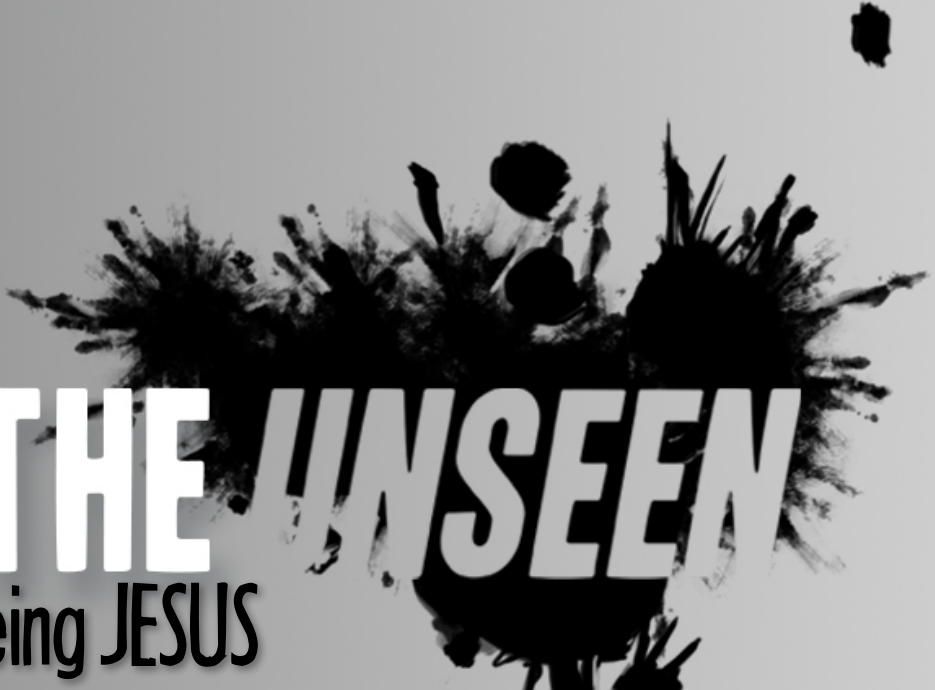


Cubs World Series celebration ranks as largest gathering in US history, 7<sup>th</sup> largest in world history


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