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A win 86 years in the making for the Red Sox



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ST. LOUIS – Astrologists went about plotting the intersecting paths of planets and stars; baseball romantics squeezed the last drop of rhetorical blood from mythological forces; fans ate the same meals, drank the same drinks, wore the same shorts and pleaded for divine grace.

The Boston Red Sox went about becoming the best baseball team in the world.

Keeping it simple enough for an idiot to understand is a large reason why this morning they are, with disputes lodged only by the bitterly repossessed, world champions.

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