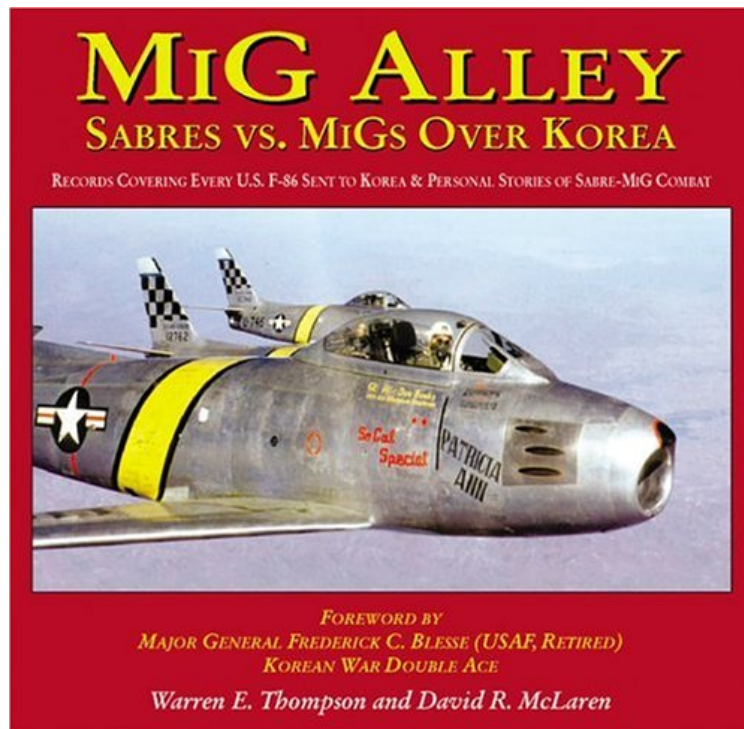


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which give the book a vibrancy which perfectly compliments its text. Appendixes show the ultimate disposition of every Sabre that served in Korea; list the case of every Sabre loss during the war; list every confirmed F-86 kill; and name all of the U. S. aces during the war. These appendixes add a very nice compendium for those who wish greater detail. This is a wonderfully written, professionally composed and thoroughly enjoyable book which is a MUST READ for anyone interested in combat aviation. 5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. Brave men who make me Proud to be an American By Mary K. Gillum This is a book that every American should read. The first hand accounts of the pilots who flew the F86 in combat against the MIG is so impressive. This is history told by those men who made it and should be recognized as a documentary that will live long after all of these men are gone. I have met many of the men who have written their stories and you can be sure they have told their story in a very humble way, only using fact and not embellishing it in any way. The photographs in the book are great also. Read this book. You will not be able to put it down.

MiGs Vs Sabres Over Korea relates the intense air battles fought by F-86 Sabres and MiG-15s over North Korea's infamous "MiG Alley" during the Korean War. Included are in-depth interviews with F-86 pilots that explain tactics and details of encounters and kills against MiG pilots - most of whom were from the Soviet Union and Warsaw Pact countries. Coverage of the fighter-bomber version of the Sabre that was operational during the final months of the war is included. An outstanding feature of this book is that it provides a day-by-day running account of MiG versus Sabre air battles and a detailed record of the fate of each and every SabreJet that served in Korea.