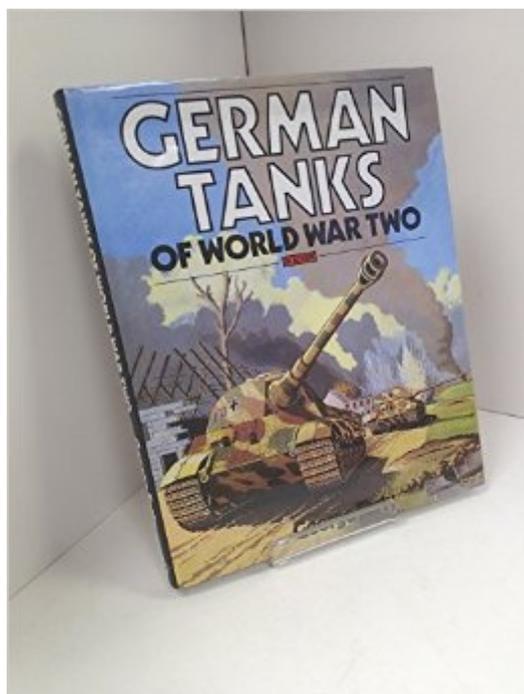


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I have George Forty's book on US tanks which is excellent. But I was disappointed in his volume on German tanks. There was no color in it at all, which is not what I was expecting. Still, there are lots of photo's and some fascinating "tanker" stories from the other side of the lines. The price was great from this seller, just a couple of dollars. It was used but in good shape.

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Awesome

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