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#### About the Author

Peter Dennis is an historical and military illustrator of long standing. He has illustrated books for all the major publishers, notably in recent years Osprey publishing for whom he has illustrated over 150 titles. Wargames brought him into the military wor

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