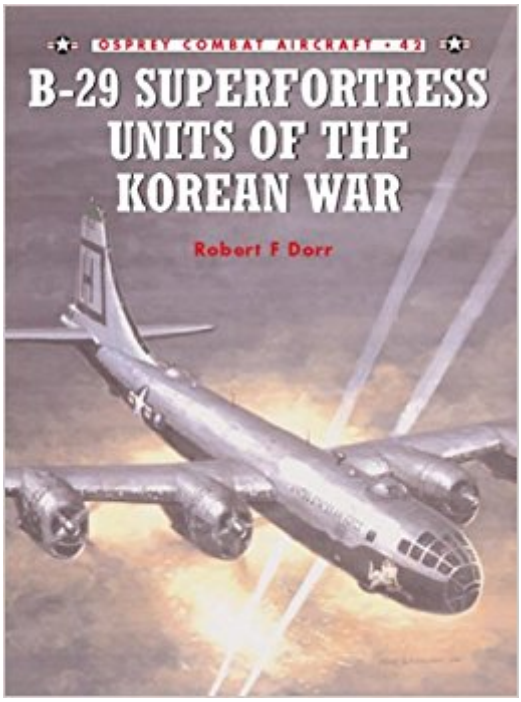
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Robert Dorr’s book contains a priceless collection of photos and beautiful B-29 renderings by Mark Styling, plus narrative drawn from the personal experiences of those who crewed the aircraft and fought the Korean air war. As one of those interviewed for the book, I thank the author, not only for bringing the role of all of the B-29 units in the forgotten war to the general public, but also for the

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Almost all the Aircraft was from the 98’h Bomb group ...Ignored the 307th and the 19th Groupsthe 307th on Okinowa were the first to engage .the Mig 15 and the Yak’sFrederick Meier ,survivor of the conflict

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