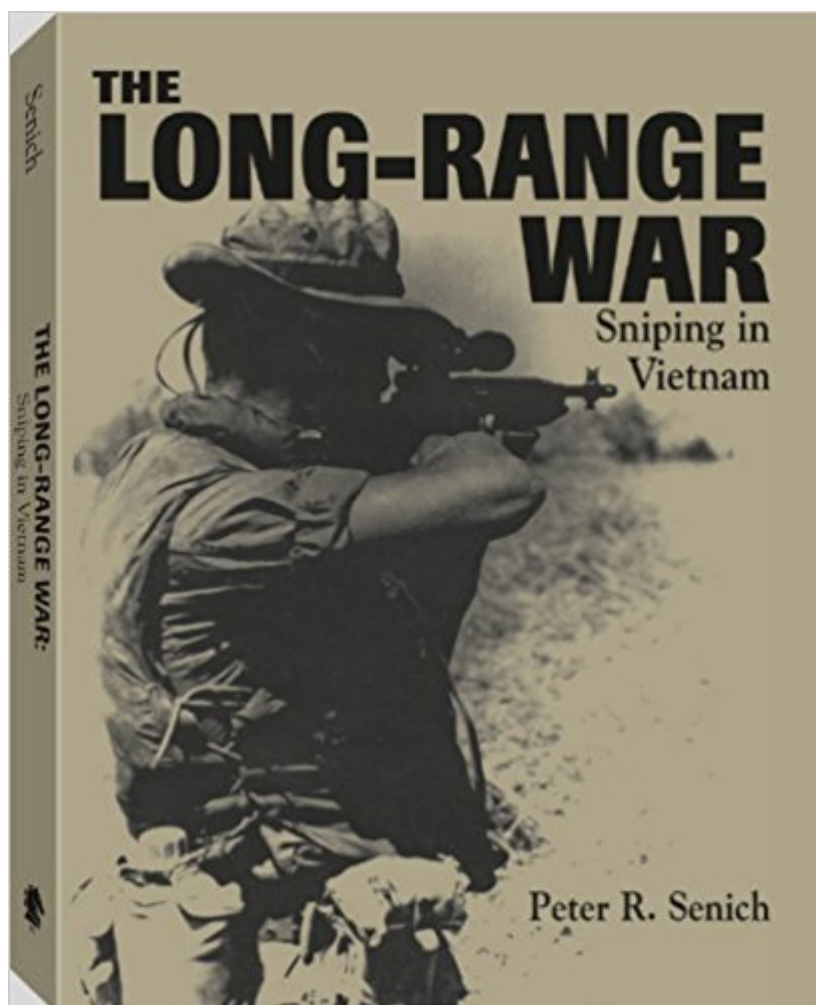


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Peter R. Senich is recognized as one of the world's foremost authorities on the history of modern weapon systems and their applications. He is also a leading military historian and the author of nine books on military sniping and small arms.

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Great Book!!!

Great book, great seller, thanks

Love it!

very good factual

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