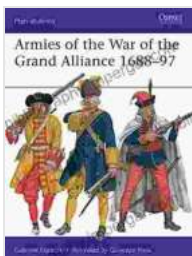


Armies of the War of the Grand Alliance 1688-97: Men-at-Arms

By David Chandler

The War of the Grand Alliance was a series of conflicts fought between France and a coalition of European powers from 1688 to 1697. The war was fought over a number of issues, including the succession to the English throne, the expansion of French power in Europe, and the control of trade in the Caribbean. The war was fought in Europe, North America, and the Caribbean, and involved some of the most famous generals and battles of the era.

The armies of the Grand Alliance were a diverse group of forces, drawn from a number of different countries. The largest and most powerful army was the English army, which was led by the Duke of Marlborough. The English army was well-trained and well-equipped, and it played a major role in the Allied victory at the Battle of Blenheim in 1704. The Dutch army was also a significant force in the Grand Alliance. The Dutch army was known for its discipline and its use of innovative tactics. The Austrian army was another major force in the Grand Alliance. The Austrian army was well-trained and well-equipped, and it played a major role in the Allied victory at the Battle of Ramillies in 1706.



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The French army was one of the most powerful armies in Europe in the late 17th century. The French army was well-trained and well-equipped, and it was led by some of the most famous generals of the era, including Marshal Turenne and Marshal Vauban. The French army was also known for its use of innovative tactics, such as the bayonet charge. The French army played a major role in the early victories of the War of the Grand Alliance, but it was eventually defeated by the Allied forces.

The War of the Grand Alliance was a long and bloody conflict, but it ultimately resulted in a victory for the Grand Alliance. The war had a number of important consequences, including the end of French hegemony in Europe, the establishment of a new balance of power in Europe, and the rise of Great Britain as a major power.

This book provides a detailed look at the armies of the Grand Alliance, including their organization, equipment, and tactics. It also includes a wealth of illustrations, including color plates, line drawings, and maps. This book is an essential reference for anyone interested in the military history of the late 17th century.

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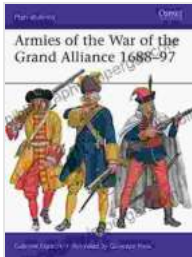




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