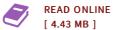




Arnhem, 1944: Operation Market Garden

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Osprey Publishing, United Kingdom, 1993. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 250 x 185 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Osprey s examination of Market Garden, one of the most audacious, and ultimately controversial, operations of World War II (1939-1945). It was a joint penetration, by an armoured column and a large-scale airborne drop, to punch a decisive hole in the German defences. If it had succeeded, the war could have ended in 1944. Yet the two-pronged attack failed in its objectives. This book details how, instead of being relieved after 48 hours as expected, British paratroopers were cut off for nine days. Facing two unexpected SS Panzer divisions the Allies were eventually evacuated across the Rhine after putting up an incredible fight: of the 10,000 men involved less than 2,000 survived.



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