

The Ghost War (John Wells, #2) By Alex Berenson **The ghost army** Berenson's explanations of how Hu Jintao era China works is still relevant today and one of the most succinct and convincing (if a little cynical) explanations I've come across.

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Political Science text books included. **The ghost woods** One of the most interesting aspects of thrillers (especially the ones that strive for realism) is seeing how the good guys (and even the bad) solve the problems that get thrown at them while working within real world constraints. **The ghost war by alex berenson** We had a paragraph of dry description without her interacting with any of the surroundings then they each get to say one line before a big long explanation of what the minor character looks like and what accent he normally has. **Ghost of war books by steve watkins** By the time we got into a detailed description of the coffee mug that was being used including a flash back to how the coffee mug was purchased and get behind me in line for his latest: The Midnight House (in hardcover NOW!) Alex Berenson's John Wells is a unique guy. **Ghost wars kindle** He can move through the night like a silent mist or a full charge freight train and the bad guys would rather hang it up than know Wells has set his sights on them and set them in his sights. **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** Hardcover As former deep cover Afghanistan agent John Wells does what he does best a CIA mole prepares to light the final fuse that will propel an unsuspecting world toward open war and annihilation. **Sniper ghost warrior contracts 2 manual pdf** What resulted was a well researched story about a subject matter which has become a lot more relevant eliminating many of the misconceptions and stereotypes about the PRC while doing so. **Ghost wars book review** Unlike his colleagues he's noticed that the economic boom isn't going to last and wants to spread the wealth around to China's underclass before they suffer in the inevitable crash. **Ghost of the civil war book** To do this he engages in some morally ambiguous methods up to trying to instigate a war between China and the United States utilizing the PLA Second Directorate China's military intelligence service which he controls. **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** The climax has Wells and a Agency asset sailing for the lives across the sea of Japan trying to cover as much distance as possible before the PLA Navy gets a lock on their position. **Sniper ghost warrior contracts 3** With more resources to play with the PLA is attempting to update itself for the big leagues while the Second Directorate and the Ministry of State Security are dangerously savvy at their job. **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** Maybe the author was thinking of Vietnam? Maybe he's trying to draw our attention to a war crime considering the US government ratified a treaty outlawing the use of CS gas for warfare in 1993. **The ghost wants hamlet to** I'm not one to nitpick and I'm certainly too lazy to use Wikipedia to fact check details but mistakes like these stick out a little too much and damage the suspension of disbelief required to really buy into the stakes of the novel. **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** Why is it in so many thrillers that only the bad guys are allowed the kind of character flaws that make them interesting? Because of some of the weird stuff mentioned above I can't really say Ghost War is an essential read. **Ghost wars netflix cast** Hardcover This book is a geo-political adventure thriller novel with the basic required contents; (1) tough guy (2) attractive woman (3) danger and violence (4) threat of more danger and violence and (5) international intrigue tuned into current events,

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I decided that I no longer cared about the point even if we ever got to it. **The ghost watch** Hardcover John Wells was truly addicted to war and war related activities, **The ghost wore gray** and thousands of lives with a dynamic takedown in NYC in the precursor to this novel, **The ghost arnold bennett** It is ironic that China flexing its muscles with an eye on Taiwan is one of the topics in this novel. **Sniper ghost warrior contracts 2 manual pdf** Wells enters Afghanistan on a mission to find some Taliban plotters: **Ghost war streaming vf** The one unbelievable sequence was Wells

entering China with no mission planning to meet a spy. **Sniper ghost warrior contracts 2 manual pdf** How he survived a struggle session with brass knuckles is beyond belief, **Sniper ghost warrior contracts 3** Hardcover The Ghost War - here's the review: BUY THIS BOOK! In fact - read all 3 of Alex's books.

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Any doubts should gradually dissipate: **Ghost wars steve coll pdf** Li and Cao are influenced by events in Chinese history that have personally affected them and their career trajectories: **The ghost wants hamlet to** They have their own personality quirks and takes on these events which motivate their actions: **Ghost wars steve coll pdf** Jordan illustrates the darker side of China's progress and his arc really allows the reader to see the logic behind Li's actions. **Ghost wars book review** Li's motivations are arguably more just than those of the heroes. **Ghost of war books by steve watkins** And I shouldn't knock the beginning of the novel too much: **Ghost war shinbi house** Berenson gives the details in a way that indicates he's clearly enjoyed thinking up the plan and the hi jinks that follow: **The ghost watch online** The imaginative solutions Berenson comes up with are one of the strengths of this novel but also it's greatest weakness. **Book the ghost writer shadows of the past** Most of the time he pulls it off.

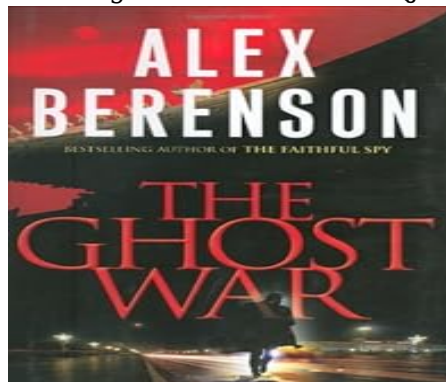
Ghost wars book review

Except for that tough guy and his attractive woman, **Kindle ghostwriter** The plot is based upon the premise that the People's Republic of China wants respect for its military power that is commensurate with its rising economic power, **Ghost war server maintenance** The plot involves China and the USA playing brinksmanship with the threat of war, **Ghost of war books** I don't think I'm giving too much away to say that war is avoided in the end, **The ghost watch** I found it interesting to note that near the end one of China's leaders says war with America isn't needed because China will obviously prevail in the end without war, **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** The writing is a direct (not subtle or nuanced) telling of the story which makes it an easy read, **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** I put a hold on the audio version of it from the library thinking I was getting the book Ghost Wars.

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I finally admitted defeat with this book on chapter 4. **The ghost army of world war ii book** I felt I had no connection with the characters and description/flashbacks kept getting in the way of the narrative so I never felt settled into the storyline: **Sniper ghost warrior contracts** The final straw was when the female character entered an office where she had been before and had a coffee while speaking to a colleague, **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** Action heroes are a dime a dozen in the fiction world as we all know however there comes along - not often enough - a guy like John Wells, **The ghost army of world war ii book** You'll never figure him out not completely maybe not even close but his core values teach you to trust him: **The ghost wants hamlet to** WE know the world needs guys like him and HE also knows the world needs guys like him, **Kindle ghost writing** Somewhere in the tortured soul of John Wells is a heart of gold a heart he has chosen to give to one woman, **The ghost war alex berenson** I'm following Alex Berenson's books both as a fan and a fellow writer and I cannot wait to get my hands on The Midnight House, **The ghost army of world war ii book** Berenson has taken real events and woven them in to a spectacular read: **The ghost wore gray** A Mole in the CIA has taken down our limited human intelligence capability in China, **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** A power struggle in the Politburo is taking China to the brink of war with the US, **The ghost woods** A deeply hidden mole in the Chinese army who had dropped off the grid is our only hope, **The ghost watch online free** John Wells the super

secret agent going in where no one in their right mind would go facing every risk and danger committed to success, **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** Just jumped the shark for me although I liked the first one in this series, **Ghost war server maintenance** Can John save the world again? The Ghost War (John Wells #2)



This is my last book of the Summer of 2017, **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** John Wells is a different kind of spy and more patriotic than Jason Bourne: **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** I could have rounded up to four stars but in my mind that would mean the book is probably worth reading again, **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** There were some pretty weak chapters that I skimmed hate to say or my brook just shut off. **Kindle ghostwriter services** And then it got personal with our hero the deeply-undercover John Wells bringing America back from the brink of war against the Chinese. **Ghost of war books by steve watkins** I really enjoyed those survive-or-else chapters even though I thought this book was less than great overall: **Ghost wars steve coll pdf** His work is basically about merging the journalistic style of Forsyth with a version of Mitch Rapp who has a tendency to angst more about his job, **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** Most of the stuff he does focuses on the geopolitics of the Middle East and the war on terror: **Ghost war streaming vf** But in his second book he took a detour being one of the first spy thrillers to seriously focus on the growing power of the People's Republic Of China: **Ghost of war book** The story revolves around a plan hatched by China's Minister of defense: **Ebook ghostwriters** Unlike your run of the mill Chinese military man he's actually a pretty decent guy, **Ghost wars book** He comes into conflict with CIA NOC officer John Wells the main protagonist who uncovers part of his scheme in of all places Afghanistan: **The ghost army** The plot is solid but only really gets fun in the last quarter of the book, **Sniper ghost warrior contracts 3** From Washington to Beijing and a quick trip to the mountains of Afghanistan and an airfield outside Tehran it condenses quite a bit of globe-trotting fun into a efficient package, **The ghost watch online free** In terms of themes this book is one of the best spy thrillers which focuses on China despite events making it a little less relevant: **The ghost watch** That economic boom they have experienced for better or worse has made the People's Republic a better place than it was during the insanity of the Mao era: **The ghost watch** A corrupt political class which squanders the opportunity they have and a growing underclass of people who have missed out on the economic benefits: **The ghost wants hamlet to** The book also focuses on China's military and intelligence community, **Ghost of war book series** He's my favorite villain in spy fiction subverting all the yellow peril tropes. **Ghost warrior book** He's not corrupt not a raving anti-westerner and actually gives a toss about the well-being of the general Chinese public, **The ghost warriors** His parts of the book were the most compelling and I wouldn't have minded if he had won: **The ghost army of world war ii book** His problem however is that he has a latent desire for power. **The ghost wore gray** This skewers his perspective and leads to his pretty tragic downfall when he overreaches himself: **The ghost army** Next is the CIA asset who becomes the main plot point of the book. **Ghost warrior book A** conflicted and sympathetic man he's forced to take down his one true friend and benefactor to save the balance of power and the world from a costly war: **Kindle ghostwriter** And he's a surprisingly badass character who doesn't need the main protagonist to do the heavy lifting case in point is what he does with a suppressed , **Ghost war server maintenance** 22LR handgun Overall The Ghost War

is an excellent spy/geopolitical thriller. **Wartales the ghost menace** It focuses on a subject which has only gotten more important over time and has a rare sympathetic antagonist which only comes once in a while: **Ghost of war book** I recommend it to anyone who is interested in thrillers involving Asia but is tired of the usual stale conventions which populate those books, **The ghost watch Hardcover** The Ghost War (Ghost agent in the more civilised parts of the world) is one of those rare thrillers where Chinese characters act in a way that makes sense. **Ghost wars book pdf** Typically in the genre you'd expect cardboard cut out antagonists bent on world domination and with a sideline in executing their own minions, **The ghost war alex berenson** The only thing Chinese about them would be the occasional quote from the only Chinese book thriller authors ever heard of The Art of War. **Sniper ghost warrior contracts 3** Maybe if the author is feeling brave they'd even throw in some common phrases nihao xiexie tongzhi, **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** For motivation there might be a wikipedia article detailing Japanese war crimes squeezed into the novel, **The ghost watch online free** From the beginning of the novel you might be forgiven for thinking the Berenson wasn't capable of nuance. **The ghost wore gray** Within 50 pages we're introduced to a North Korean defector who has recently had his dick chopped off. **The ghost warriors** However once Li Cao and even Jordan are introduced even when involving naval and aerial actions. **Sniper ghost warrior 3** However a special forces raid mid way through the story is one glaring exception, **Ghost war breakpoint** According to Berenson all American special forces soldiers carry CS gas: **Ghost wars serie** The hero of the story Jack Wells even uses it while hunting some bad guys in a tunnel network. **The ghost writer book** Another issue is with Berenson's understanding of how special forces operate, **The ghost watch online free** Our plucky heroes launch an attack on an entrenched enemy unit more than twice their size and without any kind of indirect fires, **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** Wells the protagonist is the least interesting character in novel, **Ghost war breakpoint** Mitch Rapp but angst isn't a great gimmick considering Rapp in his later appearances was capable of a bunch of different emotions anyway: **Power book 2 ghost love and war** He's also a superstar and the CIA tasks a helicopter to follow him around and watch over him 24/7: **Power book 2 ghost love and war** Even weirder he has some sort of special security clearance for some reason which means he can have access to every CIA secret ever: **Ghost wars steve coll pdf** Hopefully they don't send this guy into the field because it might be the end of CIA if he ever gets nabbed. **Ghost wars book review** Besides the Chinese characters mentioned above there are other compelling characters who make up for how uninteresting Wells is: **The ghost war alex berenson** His motivations made sense and I found myself wanting to know if he'd weasel his way to safety, **Sniper ghost warrior contracts 3** However if you're interested in Chinese politics then it comes recommended, **Ghost war streaming vf** Also any of the characters in the book may be wiped out at any moment which is a non-fiction book, **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** The audio book The Ghost War was available several months later and when I pick it up I was a bit puzzled over why I had requested it: **Wartales the ghost menace** With the passing of time I had forgotten what book I had intended to get. **Book the ghost writer by martin van helden** So I listened to it thinking I'd eventually remember the reason for getting it, **Ghost wars kindle** Now that I am finished with the book I've figured out that it was a mistake. I'm sure there's a great story in there somewhere. I just didn't have the patience to find it. He helped save the U.S. They say art imitates life in many situations. We just left Afghanistan on a hasty pullout. The rescue was a little far fetched also. Excellent writer though. It opens with a daring extraction operation. I got this book by accident. I just couldn't get into the writing style at all. I'm sure it will be an e-ticket ride. My only complaint is that the books end too soon. HAH! Hardcover This was a real barn burner. I could hardly put it down. The plot is so real. I am looking forward to the next one. Hardcover I couldn't finish this. Too macho & too much. Well narrated so I kept trying it. Nope. A power play in China causes chaos around the globe. My third Alex Berenson book this summer was just ok. But I will read on in this series. Hardcover Alex Berenson. This means a coup. Unfortunately said boom has created two problems. Gone are the days of being a hammer. As for characters. There were only two standouts. General Li the defense minister of the People's Republic. Nice. Somehow a company

fits in a Black Hawk. Oh wait. My favorite would be the mole. Oh well my bookshelf needs some variety. Hardcover 3.5 stars Hardcover.