


[DOWNLOAD](#)


Into the Jaws of Death: The True Story of the Legendary Raid on Saint-Nazaire

By Lyman, Robert.

Quercus. 1 Paperback(s), 2013. soft. Book Condition: New. On the night of March 28, 1942, in one of the most audacious raids of World War II, 600 British commandos and seamen set out across the English Channel in a flotilla bound for occupied France. They were to destroy the dry dock built for the ocean liner Normandie the only Atlantic dock big enough to service Germany's much-feared battleship Tirpitz by rigging the destroyer Campbelltown as a floating bomb and ramming the dock's sea gate, while commandos went ashore to blow up other key targets. The raid was a success, but at a terrible cost: more than half the men were killed or captured, and only a handful of boats returned. Robert Lyman's gripping account is filled with quotes and first-person descriptions. As seaman Ralph Batteson recalled: "I saw men burn alive in the petrol that covered the surface, while others sank in bloody foam as they succumbed to their wounds. With the screams of the dying ringing above the noise of gunfire, and the fierce glare of the flames lighting up the harbour, it was a scene from the worst of nightmares. What made it different was that we ourselves were inside..."



[READ ONLINE](#)

[6.8 MB]

Reviews

A high quality book and also the typeface utilized was exciting to read. This really is for anyone who stante there was not a worthy of reading. I am easily will get a enjoyment of reading a written ebook.

-- **Burnice Carter**

Extensive guideline! Its this kind of good go through. Yes, it really is play, continue to an interesting and amazing literature. I am just pleased to inform you that this is basically the greatest book we have go through inside my own life and could be he greatest pdf for possibly.

-- **Madison Armstrong**