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Second edition: Revised & updated  
A personal experience that began in the nineteen-fifties

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**Alejo Dorca : My Toy Soldiers Me: Second Edition** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised My Toy Soldiers Me: Second Edition:

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. And I must say his book reflects the friendly entourage and the excellent time we spend playing together. By Joaquim Dorca This is a book about how to start and build a miniature collection and a wargame pool of resources; but is also a guide to rationally manage your time, your efforts, your money and your emotions to make any hobby something rewarding for all your life. The author gives all the necessary clues to prevent the most common mistakes we all do when we start wargaming, and collecting soldiers. Not only that... the book is full of different ideas to explore the numerous paths we will otherwise discover through years of dedication. I had the opportunity to see the author's collection of soldiers. I also had the opportunity also to play with him several battles. And I must say his book reflects the friendly entourage and the excellent time we spend playing together. Although he is no match to my military skills (lol). Regarding the style and the general overview the author makes about the tough conditions and isolation that a nerdy grown up man must face in front of "the rest of the

world", I cannot agree more. His view of "how to handle" this hobby in front of the emptybrained leisure mainstreamers is, by far, the best I ever had the opportunity to read.(and now... IN ENGLISH!)

This is the Second Edition of the title. It has been updated and revised thoroughly and now contains about a hundred pics in full color. All the suggestions received by readers of the first edition have been taken in consideration as helpful advice. As it is, the Intro and Outro explain what has happened since 2013 and the text has been actualized. There is even a new chapter on customized Playmobils. Once this said, the book is obviously the tale of more than sixty years in the hobby, with my detailed personal experiences, and of course its ups and downs. What I did right or learned paying the price, and of course my blatant mistakes! I guess I have been involved in all facets of the hobby at one time or another... and it has been and still is great fun. adb@andorra.ad

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