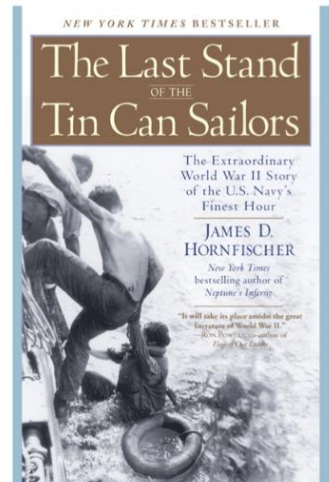
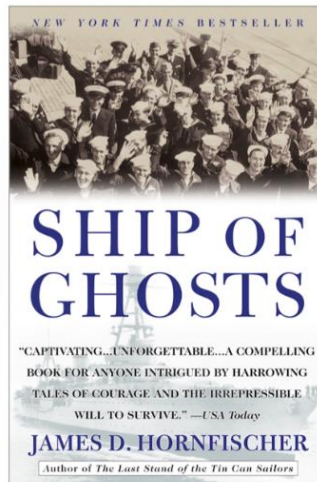
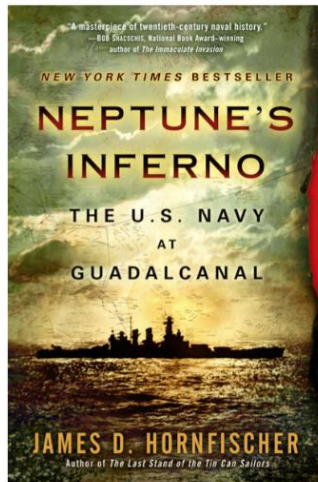
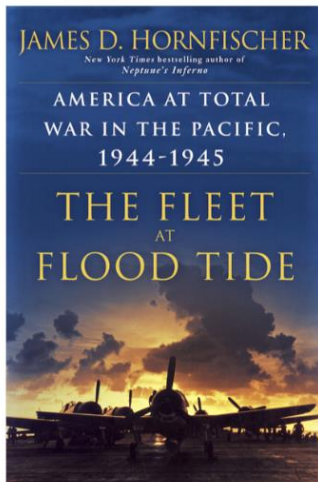


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**Note: Jim Hornfischer will be an “honored guest” at our 2018 USS St. Lo & USS Dennis Reunion and a Keynote Speaker at the October 25, 2018 Memorial Service at the Sirata Beach Resort.**