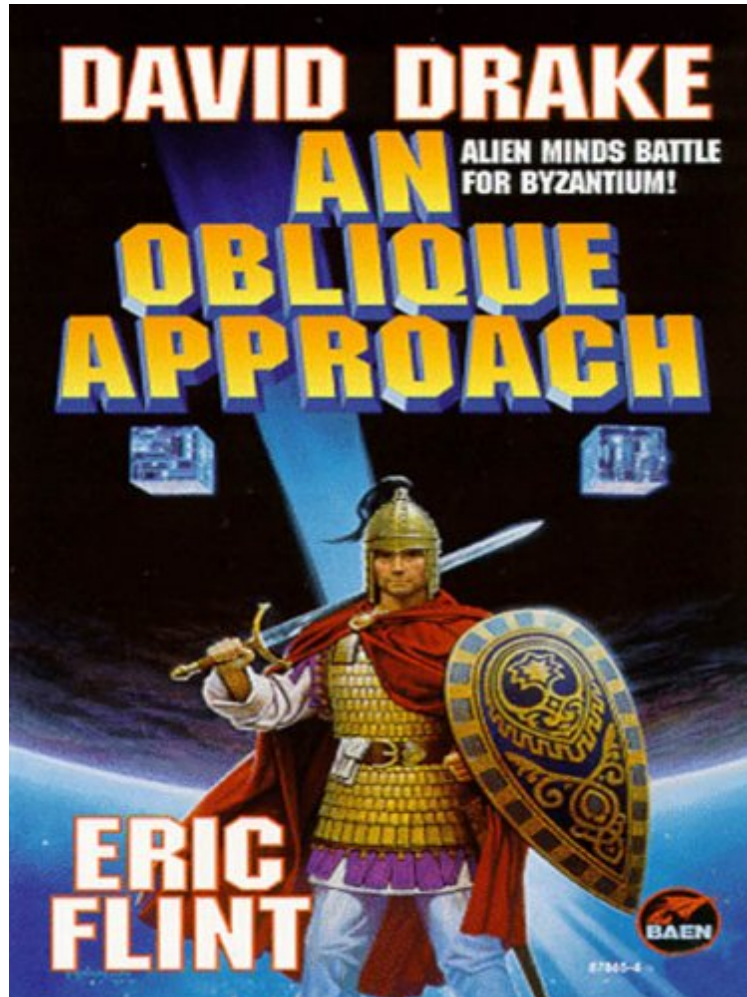


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Von David Drake, Eric Flint : An Oblique Approach (Belisarius Saga Book 1) (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised An Oblique Approach (Belisarius Saga Book 1) (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Strategy, Battle, and a Quest, all written in Pure PoetryVon CombatBalleurI missed this one when it came out, largely because David Drake's name on a book is a strong *NEGATIVE* recommendation to me. Drake's stories are usually nasty, and his characters people who, were they dying of thirst in the desert, I would not spit upon them lest the moisture help them live.But *THIS*, this is Eric Flint's work I am sure, with Drake supplying, at most, an outline. I ran into Flint by reading his magnificent "1632" and, when I learned of this series, went out and got all the volumes. I'm working my way through them now.There *are* parallels between this series and the Stirling/Drake "General" collaboration, but

while Stirling's good, Flint is easily the master. The writing is strong and, in places, is pure poetry. I don't want to spoil anything, but just wait until you read "How the Monsoon Visited the Palace", and what it wrought there! Flint writes superbly, bringing all his characters to full and vivid life. We see their loves, their hates, their dreams and their nightmares. Belisarius has a cause worth fighting for and an enemy that makes the MPAA, the RIAA, and the Nazis all rolled into one look like spiteful, spoiled children. I would deem it an honor to die guarding *this* Belisarius' back. Or I would follow him to hell. Judging by the vileness of the enemy, it looks like I'll have that privilege before the series is over. Thank you, Eric. I don't find stuff this good very often. May all kindly Gods and Goddesses watch over you and your word processor!

2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Never judge a book by its cover

Von Jerome A. Schroeder Too often I've picked up what looked like a good novel, and have been disappointed. I remember a WWII novel covered with rave reviews, but started off as pure trash and went downhill. I picked up "Oblique Approach" expecting a David Drake type SciFi quick read, shallow and fun. Much to my surprise this book turned out to be much more than its cover or authors would indicate. This may well have been Drake's way of saying that he can do better than potboilers. It may be that he and Eric Flint are natural collaborators. Whatever the reason, this is a book chock full of history, geography, culture, combat, intrigue, complex characters and good old fashioned SciFi and a great read. My only gripe is that now that I've read the first book, I've got to read the series.

1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A winner

Von H. Sowle Being a new fan of alternate history I came across Eric Flint's 1632 and loved it. When I went looking for more, An Oblique Approach seemed to fit the bill and I was not disappointed. Fast paced and tightly written it kept me turning pages far into the night. Belisarius and his schemes, his men and women all combined to make a rich tapestry that tantalized and delighted me. (And the mutterings made me laugh out loud). If you are looking for a well written, intriguing and yet historical novel this is it.

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