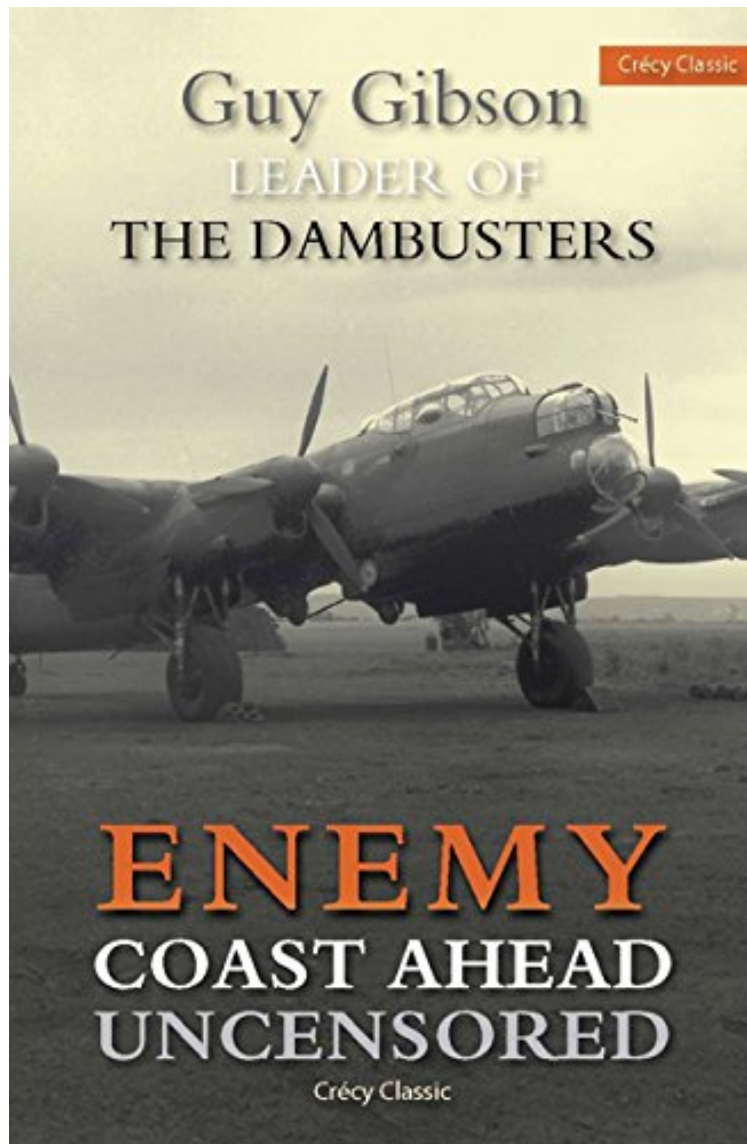


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The inside story of life in Bomber Command, including the Dambuster raid, which the author led.

About the Author Guy Gibson joined the RAF in 1936, and by 1942 was a Wing Commander in Bomber Command leading his squadron on raids on major German targets. He was awarded the VC for his gallantry and inspiring leadership on the Dambuster raid in May 1943 before being shot down and killed while flying a Mosquito of the Pathfinder Force. Air Marshal Sir Harold Martin flew on the legendary 'Dambuster Raid' of May 1943.