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captures the very essence of being a draftee soldier embroiled in the conflict. Beggar's Island, a fast moving novel is written from Elmo's perspective and experience in being a Company Clerk, a pivotal person involved with the day to day management and leadership of any Army unit. His descriptions of the accounts, characters, interpersonal emotions and actions paint a stirring realistic explanation of what happened in and around Koje-do during the final phases of the Korean War.

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Very good incite into the lives of our young men who were involved in the Forgotten and Futile military experiences in Korea as so aptly analyzed and depicted by John's son David in his excellent dedication. A worthwhile read.

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The police action , so called at the time, was really under reported. This novel contains a plethora of factual information that is most beneficial. Mr Elmo's style produced a fast paced and most enjoyable read. The photographs are stunning and actually worth the price of the book. He. Captured the essence of the Korean peasants and their plight during this shameful period