

Giant Christmas Gift Guide

'Pretty In Pink' Is More Than Just A Movie, It's A Complete Line Of Pilot Gear Aimed At The Ladies

Powder Puff Pilot — a web-based retailer based in Denver, Colo. since 2008 — celebrates women pilots: past, present, and future.

To honor aviatrixes of the past, there's *This Day in Women's Aviation*, a page-a-day calendar for 2010. For each day of the year, it describes an amazing accomplishment or remarkable milestone that occurred in women's aviation history.

It recalls the air racers of the Powder Puff Derby and the WASP of World War II, as well as later-day airline and military jet pilots. Powder Puff Pilot also offers books written by or about women pilots: biographies like *Weaving the Winds* about Emily Howell Warner, the first U.S. airline pilot, and travelogues such as *From Here to There*, about an adventure from Georgia to Alaska in a Piper Cub.

For female flyers of the present, Powder Puff Pilot offers pink headsets, a pink pilot log-book and T-shirts to assert their femininity in the cockpit. There are books for career advice, like *Flight Guide for Success* by Karen Kahn, as well as ball caps, polos, microfleece vests and scarves to outfit any aviatrix with a touch of pink. For pilots of the future, there



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are aviation picture books such as the *Clare Bear* series, where a pink-clad bear shares her adventures as an aerobatic performer. In *Clare Bear Presents The Pilot Alphabet*, Claire teaches kids about "Alfa," "Bravo," "Charlie" and the rest of the words that pilots use on the radio. In *Clare Bear's First Solo*, she describes the trepidation and exhilaration of her first solo, introducing aviation terms such as "hold line," "downwind" and "throttle."

While the *Clare Bear* series appeals to three to eight-year-

olds, other books, such as the chapter book *Homer the Helicopter*, is for the five-to-10 crowd.

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Own A Part Of AF History

GOING DOWNTOWN
The War Against Hanoi
And Washington

By Jack Broughton
Foreword By Tom Wolfe

Going Downtown was the fighter pilot's term for attacking North Vietnam's Hanoi/Haiphong arsenal of MiG fighters, SAM surface-to-air missiles, and every type of anti-aircraft gun known to man.

Personal combat experiences are used to illustrate the stunning micro-management that stranded America's entire Vietnam experience. Washington's smothering and often-fatal Rules Of Engagement, coupled with the failed strategy of "gradualism," are detailed in their worst possible light.

The frustration of the entire Vietnam experience is clearly expressed in descriptions of open conflicts between those who wanted to win the war and those who did not want to win the war. The intensity of these conflicts is made very real when two of the author's pilots violate Washington's Rules Of Engagement by firing back, after being fired upon by the North Vietnamese, from their protected position within one of Washington's restricted areas.

The picture of the author and two of his combat heroes being tried by a Top Secret general court-martial, each charged with four counts of conspiracy against the United States government, is not pretty. It is,

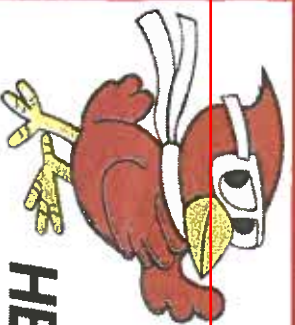


however, a poignant illustration of the futility of a no-win-war.

After translations and reprints, *Going Downtown* is now no longer in print. I have the only collectible copies of the first edition, direct from the publisher, hardback, unopened books in existence. I am offering one of these collectible copies with an autograph and a personal message to you or anyone you choose for a special Pacific Flyer price of \$99 (others are auctioning them for more than \$190). For an additional \$10 you can also have your choice of either an eight by ten inch or a five by seven inch combat cockpit photograph of the author, both signed per your specifications. Please add 7.85% tax and \$10 shipping. Send check or money order, plus signing specifications to Col. Jack Broughton, 22921 Springwater, Lake Forest, CA 92630. Or E-mail me at jack-sel@cox.net.

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