

MORE PRAISE FOR *OPERATION STORM*

By John J. Geoghegan

“A magnificent page-turner that reveals the inside story of a remarkable top secret program, *Operation Storm* is a powerful, towering achievement.”

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—**M.G. Sheftall, author of *Blossoms in the Wind: Human Legacies of the Kamikaze***

“*Operation Storm* does for Japanese submarines what *Das Boot* did for U-boats, showing the human side of a remarkable story no less extraordinary for being true. Geoghegan’s splendid research combined with his writing skill makes *Operation Storm* a genuine page turner.”

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“Impressively documented and lucidly written, here is a lively, well-balanced account of the Imperial Japanese Navy’s huge I-400 class submarines and their eleventh hour ‘game-changer’ mission.”

—**Carl Boyd, co-author of *The Japanese Submarine Force and World War II*; Professor Emeritus, Old Dominion University; and U.S. Navy submariner 1954-58**

“Deeply impressive....I was really drawn in by the details of this story.”

—**Rear Admiral (ret.) Yoichi Hiram, Lecturer at Japan's National Institute for Defense Studies formerly of the Japanese Maritime Self Defense Force**

“*Operation Storm* is a must read for anyone interested in the Pacific War....It answered questions I’ve had for years.”

—**Vice Admiral (ret.) Al Konetzni, Jr., Commander Submarine Forces, U.S. Pacific Fleet (2001-2004)**

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