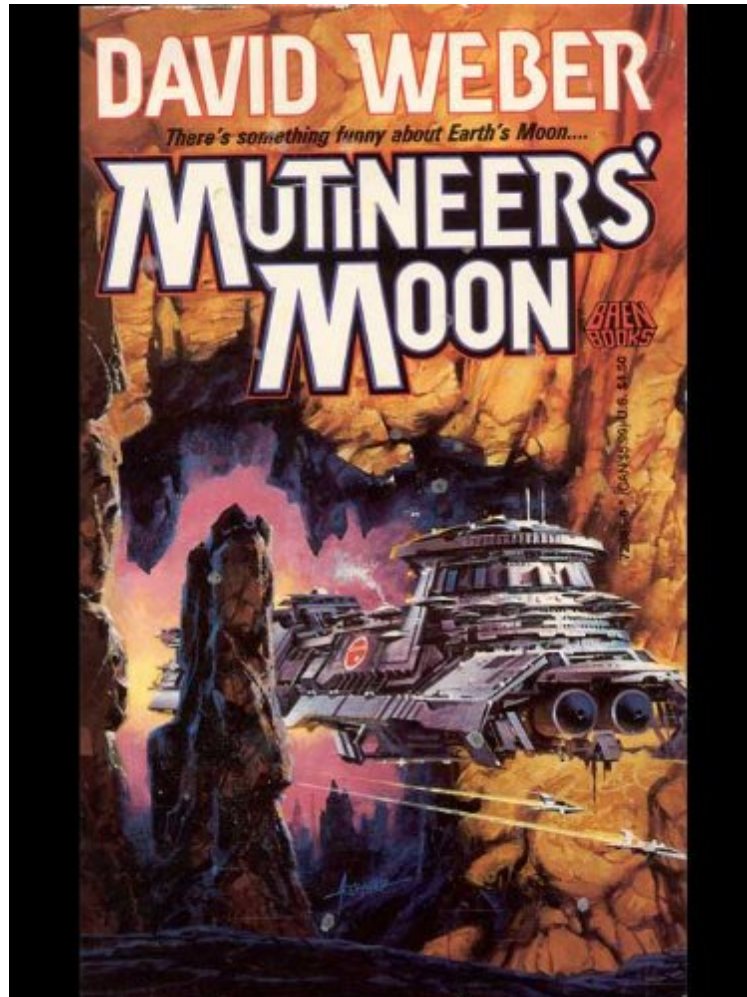


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Von David Weber : Mutineer's Moon (Dahak Book 1) (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Mutineer's Moon (Dahak Book 1) (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen5 von 5 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Solid Sci-fi but a rapidly rising talent in the genreVon Peter DykhuisMutineers' Moon was my first exposure to David Weber. Oh sure, I had half a dozen Honor Harrington novels on my shelf along with one of his collaborations with Steve White. But these novels sat unread. They didn't feel right. The novels sounded good but I couldn't get past the covers. I know it sounds silly but the book covers always looked very cheesy to me. Just a personal taste issue you understand.Anyway back to the point, the book. The book begins with a mutiny and ends fifty one thousand years later. Not a complete enough summary for you? Well maybe this will help more. The backdrop of the story is nothing less then the Galaxy in its entirety. Mankind, and many other species, have been chased and exterminated by a ruthless

race called Achuultani. Now, the Achuultani do not play an active part in this book but they do provide the motive for many of the actions and reactions played out in the book. This is only logical as any race, which nearly exterminates your race several times, is bound to have an impact. The story we are told in 315 pages (Baen paperback edition) takes place on Earth in the near future. (About thirty years best as I can tell.) Two factions of long-lived humans fight a clandestine war to determine the future of Earth. All the action takes place unknown to the great majority of humanity. Two characters prove to be the main characters throughout this novel and the next two books so far. These two characters are Colin MacIntyre, Lt. Commander US and an ancient spaceship named Dahak. If you have read the book you will realize that I have left a great deal out and if you haven't read the book I am sorry. If I were to tell too much more I would ruin much of the fun from reading this book. In closing, I enjoyed this book a great deal. The writing was good and the plot moved along at a consistent and clean clip. The characters were believable if a bit predictable. I enjoyed Mr. Weber's writing enough that I purchased and read everything of his that I could find and feel confident in saying that this is a rather good representation of his Science Fiction writing thus far. (He has also written at least two Fantasy novels.) One final note. I do recommend this book with little to no reservation but new readers of David Weber should be aware of something. Mr. Weber is very good at attempting to explain the technical aspects of the toys he writes into his story. Many readers enjoy this; I could care less most of the time. The explanations are consistent but lengthy. If this type of thing annoys you please just ignore it and skim through it. Ignoring the tech spiel won't ruin the story, at least I don't think so, and it would be a shame to cast aside this yarn over such a minor qualm. I hope this helps. Happy reading.

2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. not bad but inconsequential Von Lyndon W. Joslin I read not only very little SF, but very little fiction: since the world is so full of facts and I'm curious about everything, I tend to prefer non-fiction, including history. This book was lent and recommended to me by a friend, and I'm not sure why. After a slow start, in which the sentient starship Dahak explains to shanghaied astronaut Colin MacIntyre the torturously contrived set of rules by which the rest of the story will be played out, we jump right into the action, a combination of behind-the-scenes intrigues and large-scale battles. From then on until the end, which sets the stage for the subsequent entries in the series, the pace never flags. Weber evidently has military service in his background, to judge from his seeming familiarity with military procedure and terminology and his evident respect for men and women in uniform; in these particulars, the book brings Starship Troopers to mind. (If Weber is NOT a veteran, his level of research is impressive.) This book is well-written of its kind, BUT... so what? I agree with something I read the other day, that there are too many books in the world (and no, I'm not advocating getting rid of any of them!), in the sense that even good books, like this one, distract serious and dedicated readers from the GREAT books. Much as I enjoyed reading this one, my enjoyment was diminished by the realization that every minute I spent reading it was a minute I wasn't reading, say, Democracy in America or The Wealth of Nations or The Prince. So, OK read, but not my cup o' tea, so I won't be moving on to the rest of the series. If fast-paced, humanity-based, well-researched SF is your preference, though, I'd recommend this one.

2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Strong, Fast-Paced, Deep, and Honor-Bound! Von Ein Kunde This book pulls you into a world that is unexpected and full of war and violence. Yet, you always have the sense of hope and justice. As in most of David Weber's books, the characters are lean and mean. The Mutineer's storyline has the potential to progress indefinitely, much like the Honor Herrington novels that he writes. Mr. Weber has the ability to keep his readers on the edge with the immediate storyline, and still have them wanting more at the book's end. This novel is a must for Science Fiction readers, but it can also grab the imagination of all readers. I give it a definite thumbs up.

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