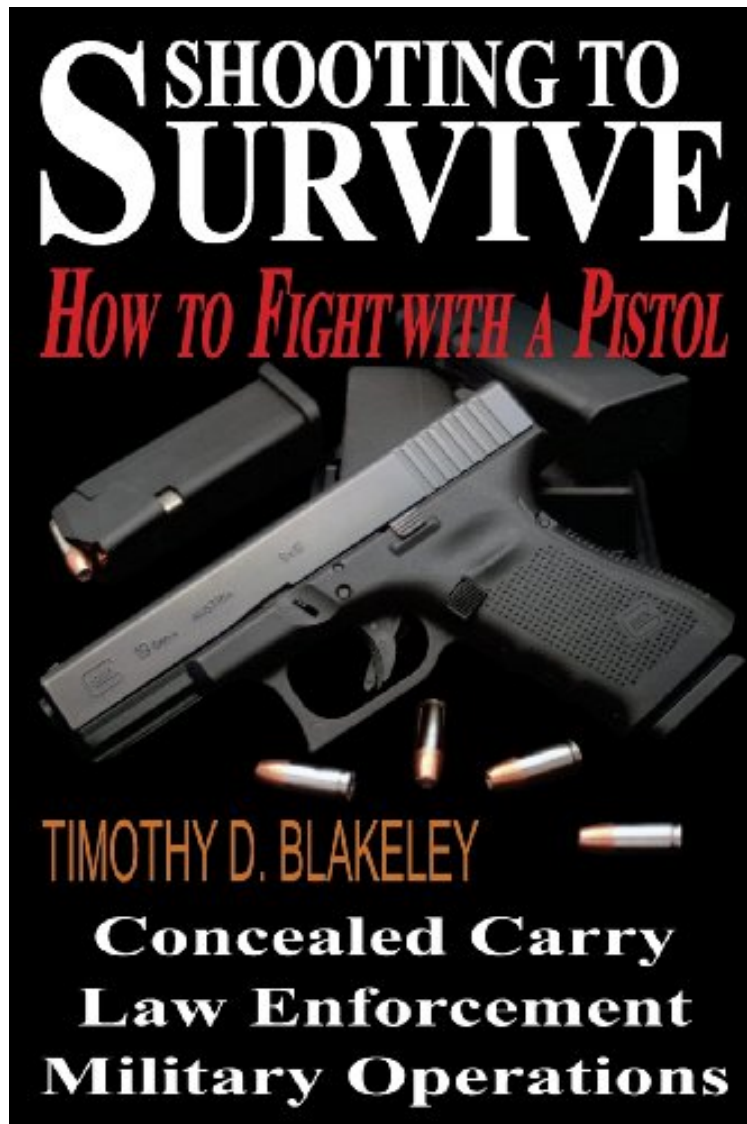


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review and could be the textbook for the Sig school. Blakeley cites 100's of sources throughout the book and has really done his research, this is the thinking mans book on gun fighting and concealed carry. Just buy it it is worth every penny a great resource just for the citations alone. 5 of 5 people found the following review helpful. BEST BOOK EVER WRITTEN ON FIGHTING WITH A PISTOL By Franklin Joyner As a previous reviewer stated, this is definitely "THE BIBLE" of fighting with a pistol. This book has everything. Rather than going into detail on every topic covered, I will discuss what has been the most valuable advice for me personally: Cross-dominant shooting. I am left handed and right eye dominant. Because of the book I have switched to right hand dominant...meaning I now shoot with my right hand. It has taken some practice, but the results have been worth it. I became faster and more accurate after ONLY two days of practice. Plus, now my field of view has more than doubled by shooting with both eyes open. The topic of vision, eye dominance, and sight focus are just a few of the topics covered in this particular section of the book. There are many great things in the book, but this is probably the most important concept I have adopted. Also, the author is very approachable. If you have questions he is always available to answer emails and give practical advice. I am very happy with this purchase and have bought two more copies for relatives. This book has my highest recommendation. It is worth every penny! 1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Really enjoyed the book By B. Myers The book has a lot of good material. It is very focused on the Glock and if you have a Glock, the book is well worth the money. Is there material that apply to non-Glock owners? Yes, but a few chapters (those that deal with breaking down a gun and cleaning) that won't be all that applicable.

"Timothy Blakeley has recreated the Encyclopedia Britannica for all things concerning combat pistol shooting. I have seen and read books that discuss handgun basics, others that address tactics, drills and advanced techniques, and books that speak to the importance of mindset and physical preparedness. "Shooting to Survive" encompasses all these topics in one thorough manual that will appeal to novice shooters as well as more advanced operators." - The Tactical Edge, National Tactical Officers Association (NTOA), by John Stuckey, SWAT Commander "Shooting to Survive...is packed with enough information for any two or three books, making its cover price a great value. If it involves fighting with a pistol, Blakeley probably has included it in this one book. It is an impressive effort, and presents an incredible amount of information which the reader will no doubt put to good use. Shooting to Survive is easy to read, easy to use, and facilitates looking up whatever topic you wish to review or reconsider. Absolutely a worthwhile read." - Women Guns Magazine, by Roger Lanny, Contributing Editor "I greatly admire the job you did with "Shooting to Survive." You've really put together a comprehensive and lucid treatment of good pistol craft and one that will be helpful to every reader who wants to improve his/her skills." - Charles Remsberg, founder of Street Survival Seminar by Calibre Press, author of Street Survival, The Tactical Edge, Tactics for Criminal Patrol, and Blood Lessons "This is a quite hefty and thoroughly footnoted textbook on defensive pistol shooting with a law enforcement emphasis. That's not surprising, as the author is a police officer and veteran of police training in Afghanistan. The focus here is on practical marksmanship and gun handling, centered around Glock pistols. It's hard to fault that, as Glocks have predominated in law enforcement circles for years....covers thoroughly the chosen subject matter." - InterMedia Outdoors, Inc., premier outdoor sports-oriented media group in the United States "This definitely isn't Shooting for Dummies. With 600 pages, 300 illustrations, and more than 1300 endnotes. Shooting to Survive: How to Fight with a Pistol is a comprehensive guide for how to use a handgun against criminals or adversaries in a variety of situations. Outside of the basics?firearms safety, fundamentals of marksmanship, and reloading?the book also covers many advanced tactics, such as shooting while injured, cover and concealment, and unarmored vehicle combat." - RECOIL Magazine, Gun Lifestyle: Sport ? Outdoor ? Home Personal Defense From the Author Customer s As the author I do read reviews made by those who purchase my book. To better inform potential customers I may comment on some reviews. When reading reviews please check and see if there is a "Comment" left in response to the review. I believe my interaction with the reviewer provides additional information that may be useful in making an informed decision. I would like to thank everyone who purchased my book and took the time to write a review. Why did I write the book? I wrote the book to explain how to fight with a pistol using techniques that engineer out as much human error as possible. Some people believe that a person during an armed life-and-death encounter, i.e., close quarters combat situation will rise to the occasion. The truth is that person will likely fall back to his or her lowest level of training. That training must encompass techniques that are simple, efficient, and can be performed subconsciously under duress. Why are there over 1300 endnotes in the book? The endnotes allow the reader to verify the sources of the information. The endnotes are also an excellent resource for instructors and administrators. I did not want to just write a book on how to do something, but why that something is done. It does not matter if the person is a new shooter, armed civilian carrying concealed, veteran law enforcement officer, or a member of a special operations unit, each person will likely learn something from the book. - Tim Blakeley From the Back Cover Armed Civilians, Police Officers, and Military Members are on the Front Line of Combating Crime and Terrorism.