



Firearm Anatomy - Book I the Thompson M1a1 Submachine Gun (Paperback)

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Createspace Independent Publishing Platform, United States, 2013. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 254 x 204 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.This book was written to interest the reader in gun design. The gun industry needs and is due for the next big breakthrough. Every 100 years seems to bring the next big development in firearms technology. In the 1600 s the wheel lock was developed and heralded the first use of firearms. In the 1700 s came the flintlock musket. In the 1800 s came the percussion cap and later in the century the thin brass shell to carry the powder, ball ammunition, and primer was perfected. While the 20th century has seen the invention of liquid propellant, caseless ammunition, and the gyrojet, the thin brass shell has been hard to beat and is still the dominant way to feed ammunition to the firearms of today. We are due for the next big advance, but from where will it come? This book was written to interest the reader on the simplicity and the hidden complexity that good gun designs exhibit and prompt the imagination of the reader to investigate the field of firearms design further....



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