



Walther -- IDED GERMAN KRIEGSMARINE P-38 PISTOL, schnellboot

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Description

Seller's Description:

IDED GERMAN KRIEGSMARINE P-38 PISTOL This German Walther made Kriegsmarine P-38 pistol was issued to Ober Leutnant Horst Schuur, Eight Schnellboot Flotilla, Lurssen, Vegasack when he took command of a new & yet unfinished Schnell boot, S- 307 in Lurssen, Vegasack in April 1945. He required a new issue weapon as his other P-38 was lost with S-193 when it was sunk on February 22, 1945. It is the standard P-38 semi- automatic pistol issued to most officers during World War II except that it is nickel plated. It was made by Walther with the correct maker's mark AC & has all matching numbers. Stamped (over the nickel plating) on the left side of the slide is P-38 4829 AC-45. On the right side of the slide are 3 inspector marks with 359 under each eagle mark. The serial number 4829 appears on the slide along with the eagle 359 mark, front of frame, left side of frame. The clip has P-38 V (over) U on the right side & the same eagle 358 mark on the right side. It is in very good, fully functional condition with some of the nickel plating missing in several small spots, the take down lever on the left side of the frame has the thumb piece broken off & the grips are rather rough. This pistol was purchased directly from Horst Schuur's son years after the war & comes with a letter from him about this pistol, his father & historical research to verify the letter's information. This is a modern pistol & will require a F.F. L holder to purchase it. Ober Leutnant Schuur's historySearch results of German World War Two Naval records for: Oberleutnant Zur See Horst Schuur. Record # 1 Assigned Eight Schnellboot Flotilla, Ijmuided, Netherlands, June 30, 1944. Record # 2 Commanded Schnellboot S 193, built by Schlichting, Travemunde, launched June 6, 1944, commissioned June 28, 1944, assigned Eight Schnellboot Flotilla,Ijmuided, Netherlands, June 30, 1944, sunk February 22, 1945. Record # 3- Commanded Schnellboot S 307, built by Lurssen, Vegasack in late 1944, launched incomplete* in April, 1945, surrendered to the British Army** at the dockyard on April 30, 1945 by Oberleutnant Schuur.*** * Schnellboot S307 had the hull complete, two of the three engines installed but armed only with a pair of MG 34 eight millimeter machineguns when surrendered on April 30, 1945. ** Schnellboot S 307 was taken over by the British Army and giver to the Royal Navy for evaluation May 25, 1945, scrapped on September 10, 1945. *** Information supplied by Oberleutnant Zur See Horst Schuur's son. I very seldom deal in World WaR II items but see the German Kriegsmarine Knights Cross from the wreck on Schnellboot S-57 listed seperatly.

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