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Well written and beautifully produced, this book captures an essential part of Ferrari history. It belongs in the library of everyone who appreciates that history.



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