

Feedback on my book

2.6.2020 Mike, USA

The book arrived today in perfect condition; I am looking forward to many hours enjoying the text and photos.

29.5.2020 Jim, USA

(flew this exact Connie in the 1962/63 as First Lieutenant in the Mississippi Air National Guard)

THE BOOK CAME THIS MORNING!!! This is some book!

Memories coming back just by looking at the cockpit photo (II-32 page 41).

The big thingy on the glare shield was not there when we had her but the little box to the right was. It was the Checklist Scroll which was operated by turn wheels on the right side. The co-pilot used it by scrolling down and calling out the items. Most were answered immediately but some had a little delay as some action had to take place!!

We had a big thing (ORI) or Operational Readiness Inspection where a USAF Team came in for about a week and did it! Part of it was a night flight with a crew of AC, CP, Nav, FE and that night we had also had a student FE... Small cockpit but was crowded that night however the NAV was at his station behind the curtain (closed at night). I called out the items on the Climb Checklist and when I got to Wing Scan the student FE was told to go do it. The checklist stops until he reports that the wing scan is completed.

Well..... he does not come back! We wait n wait n he still does not come back! Someone opens the curtain and says he is finally incoming back. He does and drags in the Trash Can that was strapped in at the rear of the cabin!!!! He thought I said Trash Can!!!!

That was the poor fellow's nickname for a long time. He said he could not understand why we wanted the damn thing! Look at page 141 for what he was supposed to see!

I see the scroll is no longer there n regular Checklist are used.

27.1.2020 Peter, Switzerland

I can't criticize the content, flying is too foreign to me, especially this project. On the other hand, I think I can estimate the effort that such a project entails, which is not only a pleasure for the viewer, but also the gathering of facts for those more interested. You have succeeded in all this with flying colours. The fact that there is a rather rare symbiosis in you as a talented photographer with simultaneous closeness to flying is a stroke of luck alone, who else can get so close to the outside and inside from any angle of view with a good lens and a trained eye. The fact that you have turned this into a book project will surely bring an invaluable value to all the fans who have contributed to the success of this project "Connie" with a lot of expertise and personal commitment, which can easily be transferred to flying laymen like me. I am sure that it is also a great satisfaction for you to have been there from A to Z like nobody else. Even if the Connie will never be here again, she will remain unforgettable in the memories of many. I was also very happy to see that apart from the great pictures, the book was printed and bound in first-class quality in Switzerland! This prolongs the "life" of this star considerably, as the pages do not fly out of the glue on the third leaf through, as it is bound for a long time. Super!

Congratulations, Markus, on this book. I wish you further much joy and success!

30.12.2019 Peter, Switzerland

Thank you very much - the delivery went well and the book is very beautiful. Therefore I would like to order another copy directly from you.

25.12.2019 Diederik, Holland

I have received the book in good order. Very nice book. Good you took all the photos but also made the effort to create a "memorial" for this specific example of a beautiful aircraft. I do hope that our German friends will be able to finish the humongous, gigantic job of recreating the aircraft out of the kit provided. This would be very impressive.

25.12.2019 Karlene, USA

The Constellation book was on my doorstep. What an amazing book! The photos are gorgeous. He's got to have a fortune into making that with the color photos. A beautiful book.

21.12.2019 Ralph, Florida

Thanks very much for the book, which was waiting for me on our return home yesterday. Congratulations ... it's a masterpiece you should be very proud of. The photos are superb and tell the story very well of its time with SCFA from the flight out of Camarillo to the unfortunate sale and disassembly in the hangar in Zurich. I'm a glad I could help out with it and hope to see you in Miami in 2020.

16.12.2019 Antti, Finland

Connie is such a beautiful aircraft and I have bought every single book I have seen. I also have a Super Connie cockpit here with me in my garage. Missing the flight engineers station unfortunately, so please let me know if you know where to get some parts!

11.12.2019 Wolf, Germany

By sending me your book SUPER CONSTELLATION, you have not only given me a great pleasure, but above all a surprising Christmas present. I would like to thank you very much for this. A gripping, exciting and great work from the first to the last page! Thank you very much for having the extraordinary skills and possibilities to create this outstanding documentation.

I would have been very happy to come to the vernissage, if my tight schedule had allowed it. Therefore I could only decide to order your book. Unfortunately at this moment - I was at this moment as - "STAR of SWITZERLAND" - enthusiast - I was probably too busy with the design of the envelope addressed to you it didn't occur to me to note the request for a personal, handwritten signet on the order form. So now I would like to ask you, if I could politely ask you to create such a supplementary sheet for me, which would

then find a place of honour in your book? Thank you once again for the realization of this outstandingly beautiful book.

8.12.2019 Reto, Switzerland

Don't want to miss the opportunity to congratulate you for your great work on your book and its marketing. With great interest I marvel at the beautifully illustrated work. The photo of the squatting Connie in front of the green traffic lights, which you showed in the slide show, should be a profound hint for the planned onward flight.

7.12.2019 Peter, Germany

Thank you, the package arrived today. The book looks great from the outside. Unfortunately I couldn't take a look at it because my wife "confiscated" it for Christmas.

7.12.2019 Doris, Switzerland

Thank you very much for the photo book of Super Connie. It is ingenious and finally arrived at exactly the right time. Actually I wanted to give it to my husband for his 75th birthday at the beginning of April. Relatively unexpectedly, my husband had a serious heart operation in mid-October and after three weeks in hospital and four weeks of rehab, he came home yesterday and I was able to give him the book as a present on his return. He was very excited and I was very happy that it arrived right now.

4.12.2019 Mireille, Switzerland

Markus, again many thanks and also compliments for your beautiful book. it's just beautiful, the pictures are fantastic and it reminds us of such wonderful times. Fortunately there are pictures as a memory, because our Connie is missing so much. Your book will make many people happy.

3.12.2019 Christian, Switzerland

I got this wonderful picture documentation book from my daughter Valerie as a Christmas present. As a long time SCFA member and nostalgia aviator I was extremely happy. Super book – Congratulations!

3.12.2019 Urs, Switzerland

Please forgive us for leaving without saying goodbye at the book vernissage - you were in the middle of signing and otherwise absorbed in conversation. I congratulate you on your work and hats off for stamina. If only I would be ready with my book project too ;-)

3.12.2019 Giorgio, Italy

I have just uploaded the payment for the buck. The bank will process the payment tomorrow on the 4th december 2019. If you don't receive it in a few days, please contact me. I look forward the arriving of the book of the Superconnie Plane. I've been following the Connie adventures since 2005 year, and I have seen it several times in Samaden Airport. Connie is for me the most delightful aircraft of the world, and I'm proud to have seen it and touched. Its figure, its smell and its fantastic sound are for me a source of great emotion and so I hope it can be fly again soon and that this book could be only a part of its story in the sky. But if this can't be possible, the Connie will fly forever in my heart. *(I mailed this book on 9.12., it was at the Italian customs from 12.12.2019 to 4.2.2020 and was delivered to the buyer on 7.2.2020!)*

29.11.2019 Dan, USA

Thanks a lot for creating this book, being able to fly on the Connie and being part of this adventure has been absolutely great I would really love to buy one book "15 Jahre «Star of Switzerland» Let me know how to pay (bank transfer, PayPal, other) and how much the shipment would be