SOLDERS IN ZIMBABWE’S LIBERATION WAR is centred on ordinary soldiers and people who personally sacrificed their lives to achieve advances and victories and physically suffered the consequences of retreats and defeats. It is history told and experienced by the soldiers themselves not the official and authorized account by leaders.

This book documents, compares and contrasts strategies used by the main players-ZIPRA, ZIPA, ZANLA and the Rhodesian Forces, and gives a balanced interpretation of the war. It discusses the Nhari rebellion and the March 11 Movement; the Fifth Brigade and the ‘dissidents’. The volume further examines the integration of the armies after 980, analyses the politics of creating war heroes and discusses life after the war for ex-combatants.