

## Primary

Bender, Jeremy. "The Remarkable Story of the World War II 'Ghost Army' That Duped Hitler." *Business Insider*, Business Insider, 24 Dec. 2015, [www.businessinsider.com/ghost-army-that-the-us-used-against-hitler-2015-12](http://www.businessinsider.com/ghost-army-that-the-us-used-against-hitler-2015-12).

This article from 2015, mainly talked about the types of deceptions that the Ghost Army pulled off.

Beyer, Rick, and Elizabeth Sayles. *The Ghost Army of WWII*. Princeton Architectural Press, 0AD.

This book contained a ton of information, but we mainly used it for the images. It also had a lot of the artwork by the Ghost Army members, showing how unique the group really is.

Beyer, Rick. "News." *Ghost Army Legacy Project*, [www.ghostarmylegacyproject.org/news](http://www.ghostarmylegacyproject.org/news).

This article was all about how the U.S. embassy in France is commemorating the Ghost Army. It also talked about how the Ghost Army is finally getting an exhibit in the National WW2 Museum. This was one of the first forms of recognition for the Ghost Army, still happening over 20 years after its declassification.

Beyer, Rick, director. *The Ghost Army*. 2013, [www.amazon.com/Ghost-Army-Peter-Coyote/dp/B00D5P3FKO](http://www.amazon.com/Ghost-Army-Peter-Coyote/dp/B00D5P3FKO).

Rick Beyer made an award winning documentary about the ghost army. This was a big part in learning about what they did, their operations, and the type of people that they recruited. (Also, I highly recommend watching it).

Bowman, Craig, et al. "You Searched for Ghost+Army." *WAR HISTORY ONLINE*, 9 May 2019, [www.warhistoryonline.com/?s=ghost%2Barmy](http://www.warhistoryonline.com/?s=ghost%2Barmy).

This website contained a bunch of different articles, helping us further our knowledge on the Ghost Army.

Carrie. "Interview with Rick Beyer about Top Secret Ghost Army of WWII." *Stephen Ambrose Historical Tours*, 3 Apr. 2018,

[stephenambrosetours.com/ghost-army-interview-rick-beyer/](http://stephenambrosetours.com/ghost-army-interview-rick-beyer/).

This website contained an interview with Rick Beyer, who played a very big role in giving us all the information we need to make the website. He talked a bit about the Ghost Army, Their members, and some of their operations.

Donors@asomf.org. "Ghost Army Exhibit." *ASOMF*, 25 Sept. 2020, [www.asomf.org/event/ghost-army/](http://www.asomf.org/event/ghost-army/).

This was just a short description of the Ghost Army. It was mainly used for a few pictures.

*Facebook*, [www.facebook.com/TheGhostArmyofWWII/posts/10157134296376330](https://www.facebook.com/TheGhostArmyofWWII/posts/10157134296376330). This post from the Ghost Army on Facebook talked a bit about George Dramis and operation Troutfly on the D-Day invasion.

Garber, Megan. "Ghost Army: The Inflatable Tanks That Fooled Hitler." *The Atlantic*, Atlantic Media Company, 23 May 2013,

[www.theatlantic.com/technology/archive/2013/05/ghost-army-the-inflatable-tanks-that-fooled-hitler/276137/](http://www.theatlantic.com/technology/archive/2013/05/ghost-army-the-inflatable-tanks-that-fooled-hitler/276137/).

This article talked about the impact that the ghost army had, saving thousands of lives. It helped to give an understanding of how artistry can be used in a war. It also contained a couple of images of inflatable tanks.

Genzlinger, Neil. "The Military That Was Only for Show." *The New York Times*, The New York Times, 20 May 2013,

[www.nytimes.com/2013/05/21/arts/television/the-ghost-army-on-pbs-about-the-23rd-head-quarters.html](http://www.nytimes.com/2013/05/21/arts/television/the-ghost-army-on-pbs-about-the-23rd-head-quarters.html).

This article written in 2013, talked briefly about what the Ghost Army was and what they did. It also had a photo of a member next to a rubber tank. It's crazy to see how real it actually looked.

Ghost Army Legacy Project: The Unit.” *Ghost Army Legacy Project*,  
[www.ghostarmylegacyproject.org/overview1.html](http://www.ghostarmylegacyproject.org/overview1.html).

This article gave an overview about the Ghost army. It talked about their creation, their missions, and their divisions. It contained many photographs, and even some of the art pieces that some of the members made.

Ghost Army: The Combat Con Artists of World War II: The National WWII Museum: New Orleans.” *The National WWII Museum | New Orleans*,  
[www.nationalww2museum.org/programs/ghost-army-combat-con-artists-world-war-ii](http://www.nationalww2museum.org/programs/ghost-army-combat-con-artists-world-war-ii).

This article, written by Senator John Alario, Jr., gave a brief explanation of what the Ghost Army was and what they did. He also talked a bit about their exhibit in the National WWII Museum, showing how they are still honored today.

*Gifer.com*, [gifer.com/en/29sL](http://gifer.com/en/29sL). This was used for a gif.

“Grofjardanhazy.” *WATCHING FOR PIGS ON THE WING*, 28 Sept. 2013,  
[grofjardanhazy.tumblr.com/post/62517049714/ghost-army-documentary-2013-gif](http://grofjardanhazy.tumblr.com/post/62517049714/ghost-army-documentary-2013-gif).

We used a gif of an inflatable truck falling over. This gif is the perfect example of what the ghost army was.

*John Jarvie - The Ghost Army - Ghost Army Veterans*, The Ghost Army, 28 Apr. 2015,  
[ghostarmy.com/bio/f/Ghost\\_Army\\_Veterans/pg1/29](http://ghostarmy.com/bio/f/Ghost_Army_Veterans/pg1/29)

This article taught us more about John Jarvie, his role in the Ghost army and what he does today.

Kerwin, Camila, and Emma Bowman. “He Led A Platoon Of Artists Who Fooled The Germans: 'Imagination Is Unbelievable'.” *NPR*, NPR, 25 May 2019,  
[www.npr.org/2019/05/25/726228078/he-led-a-platoon-of-artists-who-fooled-the-germans-i-magination-is-unbelievable](http://www.npr.org/2019/05/25/726228078/he-led-a-platoon-of-artists-who-fooled-the-germans-i-magination-is-unbelievable).

This article was key to learning more about Gilbert Seltzer. It contained many quotes from him from when he had an interview with his granddaughter.

MessyNessy. “The Ghost Army of WWII That Duped Hitler.” *Messy Nessy Chic*, 14 May

2015, [www.messynessychic.com/2015/05/14/the-ghost-army-of-wwii-that-duped-hitler/](http://www.messynessychic.com/2015/05/14/the-ghost-army-of-wwii-that-duped-hitler/).

We used a couple of images of inflatable tanks. All those pictures show why the Nazis fell for the deceptions every time.

Mingle, Katie. "Show of Force." *99% Invisible*, 1 Jan. 1970, [99percentinvisible.org/episode/show-of-force/](http://99percentinvisible.org/episode/show-of-force/).

This article, written in 2015, talks all about who the Ghost Army was and what they did. A photo of an inflatable tank was also used.

*New Jersey Business Magazine*, [njbmagazine.com/monthly-articles/centenarian-architect/](http://njbmagazine.com/monthly-articles/centenarian-architect/).

This was an article written in 2015 about Gilbert Seltzer (he's a Ghost Army member) that had plenty of information. It talks a bit about how he became a successful architect after World War II

"A Nonprofit Dedicated to Honoring the Legacy of The Ghost Army." *Ghost Army Legacy Project*, [www.ghostarmylegacyproject.org/](http://www.ghostarmylegacyproject.org/).

Besides for our interviews, this was the main source of information. We used the data from here more than any other website.

Papernik, Jonah, and Benjamin Levy. "Interview with George Dramis."

We were lucky to have a personal interview with George Dramis, one of the few Ghost Army members still alive today. Unfortunately, the footage of our interview got corrupted which is why there are no clips of him on the website.

Updated to note- we did manage to salvage the interview and it does appear in our website.

Papernik, Jonah, and Benjamin Levy. "Interview With Rick Beyer."

This was our personal interview with Rick Beyer. Our 40 minutes with him was the main source of our information. That time was crucial as we may not have been able to create this website without everything he gave us.

Park, Edwards. "A Phantom Division Played a Role in Germany's Defeat." Illustrated by Arthur

Shilstone. *Smithsonian*, vol. 16, no. 1, Apr. 1985, p. 138+. *Smithsonian Collections Online*, <http://tinyurl.gale.com/tinyurl/Cijie1>. Accessed 26 Feb. 2020.

We included this account of the Ghost Army because it was the first published account that revealed the actions of the Ghost Army, previously kept secret.

[pnghut.com/png/urtYJQdSvY/second-world-war-the-ghost-army-of-ii-how-one-top-secret-unit-deceived-enemy-with-inflatable-tanks-sound-effects-and-other-audacious-fakery-united-states-military-strategy-transparent-png](https://pnghut.com/png/urtYJQdSvY/second-world-war-the-ghost-army-of-ii-how-one-top-secret-unit-deceived-enemy-with-inflatable-tanks-sound-effects-and-other-audacious-fakery-united-states-military-strategy-transparent-png).

We used an image of the Ghost Army logo.

Redd, Wyatt. "How The Allies Used A Nonexistent Army To Fool The Nazis And Win World War II." *All That's Interesting*, All That's Interesting, 5 Feb. 2021, [allthatsinteresting.com/ghost-army-operation-quicksilver](https://allthatsinteresting.com/ghost-army-operation-quicksilver).

We used this article to expand our knowledge of the Ghost Army. We learned even more about their missions, and the people.

Riddle, Lincoln. "The Ghost Army: Every Move They Made Was Top Secret, Their Story Was Hushed up for Decades after the War." *WAR HISTORY ONLINE*, 20 Mar. 2018, [www.warhistoryonline.com/world-war-ii/ghost-army-fooling-the-enemy.html](http://www.warhistoryonline.com/world-war-ii/ghost-army-fooling-the-enemy.html).

One of the images from this article showed one of the radios that the Ghost Army used to misinform the enemy.

Ruijter, Jeroen de. "The Ghost Army: Battlefield Deceptions from World War II." *HatRabbits*, HatRabbits, 24 May 2017, [hatrabbits.com/en/ghost-army/](http://hatrabbits.com/en/ghost-army/).

This just talked about the different kinds of deceptions the Ghost Army would attempt. It showed that the Ghost Army was so much more than just fake tanks.

Wang, Xuanming, et al. *Sun Tzu Art of War: Seni Perang Sun Tzu*. PTS Professional, 2011.

We used the quote "all warfare is based on deception" - Sun Tzu.

“Ghost Army: The Combat Con Artists of World War II: The National WWII Museum: New Orleans.” The National WWII Museum | New Orleans. Accessed February 27, 2021. <https://www.nationalww2museum.org/visit/museum-campus-guide/hall-democracy/senator-john-alario-jr-special-exhibition-hall/ghost-army>.

We used this website for images and information including the page honoring the members. We also found many important primary images from this museum exhibit. We also took the images for Operation Troutfly from this website.

## Secondary

DER SPIEGEL, Hamburg. “Consent.” *DER SPIEGEL*, DER SPIEGEL, [www.spiegel.de/consent-a-?targetUrl=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.spiegel.de%2Fgeschichte%2Fgeheime-kriegstaktik-a-948841.html&ref=https%3A%2F%2Ftineye.com%2F](http://www.spiegel.de/consent-a-?targetUrl=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.spiegel.de%2Fgeschichte%2Fgeheime-kriegstaktik-a-948841.html&ref=https%3A%2F%2Ftineye.com%2F).

We used information and an image of a fake unit number on a real tank.

Klein, Christopher. “Push Renewed to Award WWII Ghost Army Congressional Gold Medal.” *History.com*, A&E Television Networks, 15 Mar. 2016, <https://www.history.com/news/push-renewed-to-award-wwii-ghost-army-congressional-gold-medal>.

We used information about why the Ghost Army should receive the Congressional gold medal.

“Pioneers of Deception: Lessons from the Ghost Army.” *War on the Rocks*, 2 Mar. 2020, [warontherocks.com/2018/05/pioneers-of-deception-lessons-from-the-ghost-army/](http://warontherocks.com/2018/05/pioneers-of-deception-lessons-from-the-ghost-army/).

We used information about how the Ghost Army used its tactics to deceive their enemies.