

HAWKWOOD KNOWS ONLY ONE WAY TO MAKE A LIVING-THE HARD WAY.

He's a decorated Vietnam War hero, highly skilled in combat techniques and survival. Now he's in way over his head with the Mafia. Suddenly a plane crash in Boston gives him the opportunity of his life to die, then start over again.



He changes identity and career. He takes the name of a daring Englishman who fought alongside the Black Prince during the Hundred Years War, John Hawkwood. He deposits in Switzerland the big money he recovered from the crash. Now Hawkwood is ready for a new life: wresting adventure and riches from a violent world as a free-lance soldier of fortune.

With a cool toughness and a keen knack for anticipating headlines and hot spots, Hawkwood flies to Argentina, just as war explodes with the Falklands and just in time to save the royal skin of England's most fearless prince....



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