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Comments:

This book contains valuable information about how feudalism in Italy differed from that in Northern Europe and how various Italian cities emerged as centers of military power. Period art and sculpture show weapons and armor. Other photos show remaining fortifications. This is a good general history of the time and place, and includes discussion of tactics and how armies were organized.

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