

Michael Collins



Part I

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Chapter 1



Napoleon

“Napoleon, can you defeat that English army of 10,000 men?”

“Yes, of course I can. I will send my 500 cannon against them. Then my infantry of 6,000 men. Then I will send 2,000 musketeers against them. Then I unleash 2,000 cavalry. That is how I will defeat the English!”

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Chapter 2



Sun Tzu

“Sun Tzu, could you defeat that army of 30,000 warriors?”

“Of course I could! First I will pound them with arrows from 10,000 archers. Then I will hit them with 12,000 cavalry. Then I send in 4,000 swordsmen. While at the same time flanking them with my 5,000 reserve troops. That is how I will defeat that army!”

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“Michael. The British Empire is the most powerful Empire on the planet. They can pull resources from all over the planet. Their economy is a global economy. You are vastly outnumbered by the most powerful Empire on the planet, with the most advanced weaponry on the planet. Their armies have a stronghold in your country. They are dug in in defensive positions.

You have almost no money, almost no weapons, almost no resources. You have to defeat the most powerful Empire on the planet with almost no resources. The objective is to free Ireland. For that you must defeat Britain and force them to the negotiating table. Can you do it?”



Could Napoleon have pulled this off?

I'm sure he could have. With 100,000 men and an armada of battleships and 2,000 cannon and 20,000 artillery.

Could Sun Tzu have pulled this off?

I'm sure he could have. With 100,000 men and an armada of battleships and 2,000 cannon and 20,000 artillery.

Could Michael Collins have pulled this off?

He did. With almost no money, almost no weapons, almost no ammunition, and a handful of men relatively speaking. Kind of like me in my war against the Borg.

[MacGyver Theme Song](#)



If you understand that then you understand why Michael Collins was the greatest military strategist in history

Until me.

Michael Collins is now Number 2.

Dr. Evil

Michael Collins



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