# A Dustbin of Milligan

#### A002.01 First edition, 1961

**Author:** Spike Milligan **Dedication:** None

Publication Details: Dobson Books Ltd., London, 1961. (BNB,

2012)

Format: Hardback

Illustrations: Spike Milligan

Identifier: ISBN-10: 0234775688, ISBN-13: 978-0234775684

BNB: GB6118741

**Physical Description:** 118 pp, ill., 222 x 142 x 14 mm. 332 gm.

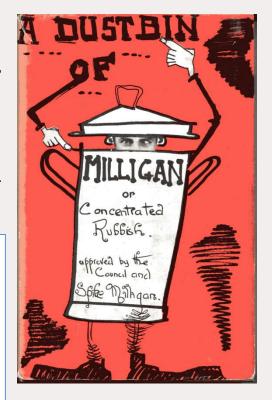
8vo dj red with black illus. and print, olive green boards.

Endpapers with illus.

With the success of *Silly Verse for Kids* as encouragement Spike's next book was written to appeal to an adult audience although it does contain poems and fairy stories for children too. As with his first book he had a say in the design of the dust jacket, his illustrations are used and it includes endorsements purportedly from his Mum and Dad.

The book includes a range of Milligan's work, humorous poetry, fairy stories and other stories, letters, and comment on conservation issues.

This book was in paperback before his first book, Silly Verse for Kids came out in paperback. The first paperback edition was published as a fundraiser for Oxfam in 1963.



# A002.02 Trust Books edition, 1963

Publication Details: Louvain Landsborough, London, 1963 for Trust

Books. First Thus edition. (BNB, 2012)
Format: Mass market paperback
Cover Design: Not credited

Identifier: BNB: GB6400203; Trust Books T1

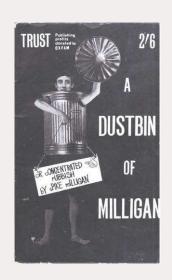
**Physical Description:** 125pp ill., 175 x 111 x 10 mm.

No ISBN number has been found for this book, it was published before ISBNs were allocated (ISBN began in 1970) but it does have a BNB number.

Spike's early books were given ISBNs later but sometimes charity books and book club books and other privately published books do not apply for an ISBN.

This edition was reprinted in

1964.



### A002.03 Tandem edition, 1965

Publication Details: Tandem Books Ltd., London, 01/01/1965 (isbndb.com) Nov 1965 (Amazon UK) First Thus edition

Format: Mass market paperback Illustrations: Spike Milligan Cover Design: not credited

Identifier: ID Numbers ISBN-10: 0426042719 ISBN-13: 978-

0426042716 Tandem books T. 51

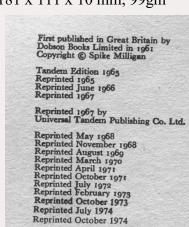
Physical Description: 125 pp ill. 181 x 111 x 10 mm, 99gm

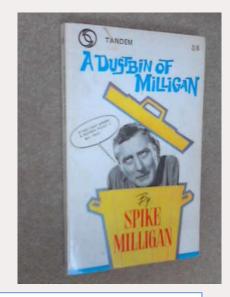
# A002.04 Tandem edition. 1967

Publication Details: Universal-Tandem Publishing Co. Ltd., London, Reprint edition 1967. **Format:** Mass market paperback Illustrations: Spike Milligan Cover Design: not credited

**Identifier:** not found.

**Physical Description:** 125 pp ill. 180 x 111 x 10 mm





This 1967 edition is identified on the copyright pages of later reprints. It is shown to be the first reprint by the newly set up Universal-Tandem publishing Co. Ltd.

# A002.05 Tandem edition, 1973

Publication Details: Universal-Tandem Co. Ltd., London, Reprint edition

1973 (isbndb.com)

Format: Mass market paperback Illustrations: Spike Milligan Cover Design: not credited

**Identifier:** ISBN-10: 0426069129 ISBN-13: 978-0426069126

**Physical Description:** 125 pp ill. 180 x 110 x 10 mm

# A002.06 Tandem edition, 1974

Publication Details: Tandem Publishing Company, London, Reprint edition

1974 (isbndb.com) Format: Mass market

paperback

Illustrations: Spike Milligan Cover Design: not credited **Identifier:** ISBN-10:

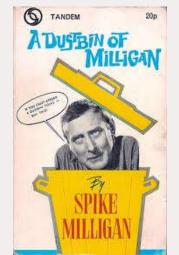
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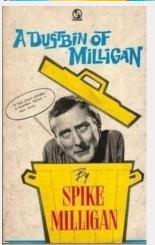
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Physical Description: 125 pp ill. 179 x 110 x 9 mm, 81 gm

This edition is slightly smaller in each dimension to the original which may account for the lighter weight. The size and position of the logo has changed and the

price removed.





### A002.07 Tandem edition, 1975

**Publication Details:** A Tandem Book published by Tandem Publishing Ltd., London, Reprint edition (1975) (OPENISBN, 2012) (Amazon UK)

**Format:** Mass market paperback **Illustrations:** Spike Milligan

Cover Design: Cover illustration by Campbell/Bouttell

Identifier: ID Numbers: ISBN 10,042615827X, ISBN 13:978-

0426158271

**Product Description:** 178 x 106

x 12 mm

A 1975 reprint I have inspected at SLV shows the following reprints:

Tandem edition 1963,
Reprinted 1965,
Reprinted June 1966,
Reprinted 1967,
Reprinted 1967 by
Universal Tandem Publishing Co.
Ltd.,

Reprinted May 1968, Reprinted November 1968, Reprinted August 1969, Reprinted March 1970, Reprinted April 1971, Reprinted October 1971, Reprinted July 1972, Reprinted February, 1973, Reprinted October 1973, Reprinted July 1974, Reprinted October 1974, Reprinted 1975.

That is eighteen print runs counting the original run.



#### A002.08 W.H. Allen edition, 1979

**Publication Details:** A Star Book published by the Paperback Division of W.H. Allen Co. Ltd., London, (October 1979) (Amazon UK) (isbndb.com)

Format: Mass market paperback Illustrations: Spike Milligan

**Cover Design:** Cover illustration by Campbell/Bouttell **Identifier:** ISBN 10, 0352306297 ISBN 13: 9780352306296

**Physical Description:** 128 pages,  $178 \times 106 \times 12 \text{ mm}$ 

Notes: New edition when W.H. Allen acquired Tandem imprint.

