

Spike Milligan: Military Memoirs (4vol. boxed set)

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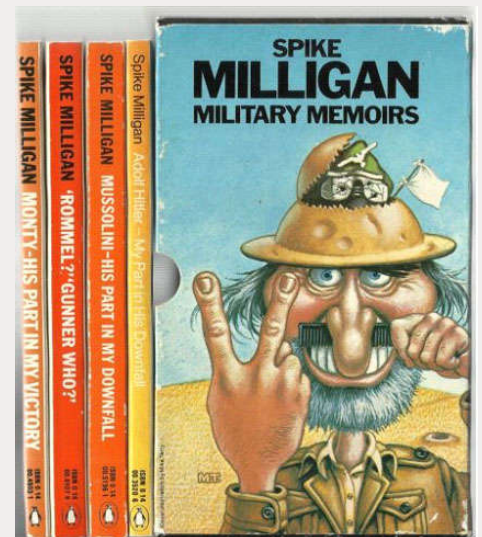
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Notes: Listed as pub 1977 at Amazon but the last paperback was not published until 1980.



Mike Terry's slipcase design for the three volume boxed set was used again for the four volume version.

Boxed Sets

A marketing strategy by Penguin I suspect commenced in 1974 with a spread of five titles in *The New Milligan Family Mixture*. WH Allen was the only other Milligan publisher to produce a boxed set, *Spike Milligan Box of Books*, with their five Milligan titles in 1982. *Military Memoirs* started with a boxed set of three after Monty but then another after nearly every volume a new boxed set was on the market.

- *The New Milligan Family Mixture* 1974
- *Milligan Milestones* 1976
- *The Puffin Nut Case* – 1976 Spike and other authors
- *Military Memoirs* (3 titles) 1977,
- *Military Memoirs* (4 titles) 1980,
- *Spike Milligan Box of Books* 1982. WH Allen
- *Military Memoirs* (5 titles) 1987,
- *Spike Milligan The Entire Complete War Memoirs Collection*, (7 titles) – 1992
- *The Mini Milligan Collection* (3 titles) - 1992
- *The Complete War Memoirs* (7 titles) – 2012