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THIS MUCH IS TRUE

Miriam Margolyes

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The long-awaited memoir from Britain's favourite national treasure.

BAFTA-winning actor, voice of everything from *Monkey* to the Cadbury's Caramel Rabbit, creator of a myriad of unforgettable characters from Lady Whiteadder to Professor Sprout, Miriam Margolyes OBE, is the nation's favourite (and naughtiest) treasure. Now, at the age of 80, she has finally decided to tell her life story and it's well worth the wait.

Find out how being conceived in an air-raid gave her curly hair; what pranks led to Miriam being known as the naughtiest girl Oxford High School ever had; how she ended up posing nude for Augustus John as a teenager; and what she did when Warren Beatty asked 'Do you fuck?'. This wonderful memoir takes you on an extraordinary adventure through a truly independent mind and life. With a cast list stretching from Scorsese to Streisand, a cross-dressing Leonardo di Caprio to Isaiah Berlin, *This Much Is True* is as clever and self-critical, as warm and honest, as full of life and surprises, as its inimitable author.

Born in Oxford, England in 1941 & educated at Newnham College, Cambridge, MIRIAM MARGOLYES is an award-winning veteran of the stage and screen, and an internationally acclaimed voice-artist. Winner of the BAFTA Best Supporting Actress award for *The Age of Innocence*, she received an OBE in 2002 for Services to Drama.

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