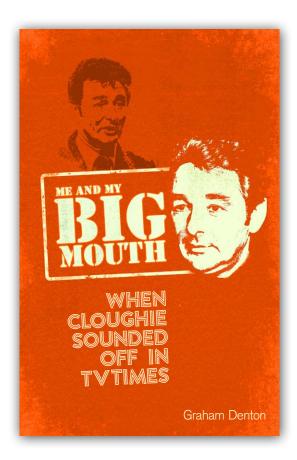


Title information



Me and My Big Mouth

When Cloughie Sounded Off in TVTimes

By Graham Denton

Key features

- Previously all but forgotten, the columns appear here for the first time since original publication
- Satisfies an abiding appetite for material about Brian Clough, and packed with classic, quotable Clough-isms
- Clough provides fresh insights on a wide range of subjects, from schoolboy internationals, players and fellow managers to the 1974 World Cup
- Accurate predictions about the future: foreign imports, allseater stadia, freedom of contract, 'big club' monopoly
- Written by Graham Denton, author of The Odd Man Out: The Fascinating Story of Ron Saunders
- Publicity campaign planned including radio, newspapers, websites and magazines

Description

From late September 1973 until the winter of 1974, British football's most controversial figure penned a regular column in *TV Times*, the weekly television listings magazine. Wide-ranging, entertaining and remarkably prescient, 'Clough Sounds Off' dates back to a turnultuous time in his managerial career – when Old Big 'Ead went from Derby to the football wilderness via Brighton and Leeds. The columns covered a surprising range of subjects, not only reflecting the game as Brian Clough viewed it at the time but also signposting the direction in which he saw it heading. Sharp and funny, yet always delivered with the brutal honesty for which he was renowned, they highlight exactly what made Clough's voice so compelling. *Me and My Big Mouth* reproduces many of these opinion pieces for the first time since their original publication, together with the background stories against which they were written. It is a fresh and welcome addition to the library of Clough literature, offering a unique insight into the mind of a most remarkable manager.

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