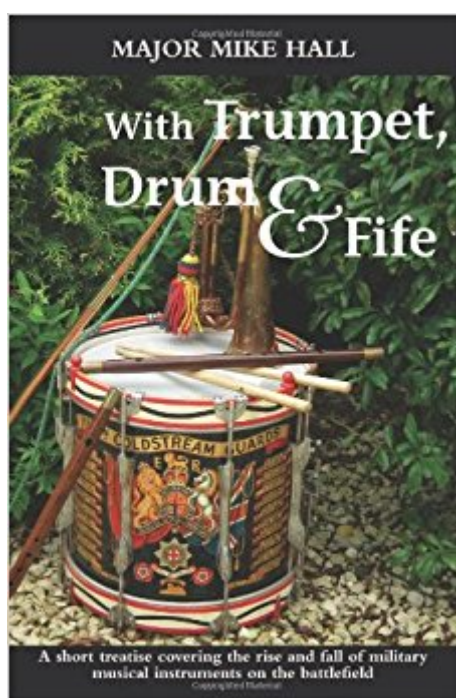


The book was found

# With Trumpet, Drum And Fife: A Short Treatise Covering The Rise And Fall Of Military Musical Instruments On The Battlefield (Helion Studies In Military History)



## Synopsis

'With Trumpet, Drum and Fife' is described as a 'short treatise covering the rise and fall of military musical instruments on the battlefield'. Despite there being a plethora of books about military music, 'With Trumpet, Drum and Fife' stands out from the crowd in that it explores new areas of the world of military musical instruments. It is easy to read format and conciseness unwraps a depth and breadth of detail contained within. The chapters of the book guide you from the Ancient World through to the Restoration and up to the modern day giving examples of the origins and developments of the instruments employed. The author gives unique and well-researched accounts of the role of drummers within the military environment. The text explores the historical context of land battles and the importance of signaling instruments used in times of conflict. The status and pecking order of musicians within the military and the unique development of Drummers' uniforms are also detailed with the images contained within the book highlighting specific areas of interest. Mike Hall's personal knowledge and experiences of being a Senior Drum Major in the Coldstream Guards add polish and credulity to the content. Reading through the book you will uncover a mine of interesting information about the evolution of Drum and Fife duty and the historical roles of the Drum Major General and the Trumpet Major. The role of the Boy Drummer is discussed in relation to his importance on the battlefield and in the application of military discipline. 'With Trumpet Drum and Fife' is unique in its approach, is long overdue and fills a niche in military history.

## Book Information

Series: Helion Studies in Military History (Book 22)

Paperback: 114 pages

Publisher: Helion and Company (March 19, 2013)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1909384178

ISBN-13: 978-1909384170

Product Dimensions: 6.2 x 0.3 x 9.2 inches

Shipping Weight: 6.4 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars 1 customer review

Best Sellers Rank: #3,006,691 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #80 in Books > Arts &

Photography > Music > Musical Genres > Military Marches #2802 in Books > History > Historical

Study & Educational Resources > Reference #3395 in Books > Reference > Encyclopedias &

Subject Guides > History

## Customer Reviews

Major Mike Hall joined the Coldstream Guards as a boy drummer in 1960 at the age of fifteen years. After years of ceremonial duties and active service in the United Kingdom and overseas, he became the Senior Drum Major of the Regiment. Passionate about military music, Mike has written training manuals for the Army, co-authored the Drummers' Handbook, composed many musical scores culminating in the production of two CDs of Flute and Drum arrangements. With his wealth of knowledge and experience, Mike has been requested to give a series of lectures for student band masters at Kneller Hall on the subject of writing and arranging for Corps of Drums. In retirement, Mike continues to maintain strong links with The Corps of Drums Society in the role of Training Development Officer.

Gave this as a gift and recipient LOVED it. I got a chance to look at it and can understand why. Comprehensive, well illustrated and written by someone who really knows what he's talking about (I've been told this by folks who have been involved in F&D for decades). Highly recommend this book.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

With Trumpet, Drum and Fife: A short treatise covering the rise and fall of military musical instruments on the battlefield (Helion Studies in Military History) Alfred's Drum Method, Bk 1: The Most Comprehensive Beginning Snare Drum Method Ever! (Beginning Drum Pack -- Book, Pad, & Sticks), Drum Pack (Book, Pad, & Sticks) Red Devils over the Yalu: A Chronicle of Soviet Aerial Operations in the Korean War 1950-53 (Helion Studies in Military History) Drum Rudiments & Musical Application: Master all 40 Drum Rudiments and apply them in Musical Context Modern School for Snare Drum: With a Guide Book for the Artist Percussionist -- Covering All of the Instruments of the Percussion Family (Morris Goldenberg Classics) Hal Leonard Snare Drum Method: The Musical Approach to Snare Drum for Band and Orchestra I Love Music: All About Musical Instruments Then and Now: Music Instruments for Kids (Children's Music Books) Making Gourd Musical Instruments: Over 60 String, Wind & Percussion Instruments & How to Play Them Trumpet Concerto: For Trumpet and Piano (Schirmer's Library of Musical Classics) The Drum Book: A History of the Rock Drum Kit Major and Mrs Holt's Pocket Battlefield Guide To Normandy (Major and Mrs Holt's Battlefield Guides) Normandy: Battlefield Guide (Major and Mrs Holt's Battlefield Guides) D-Day, Normandy Landing Beaches: Battlefield Guide (Major and Mrs Holt's Battlefield Guides) Antietam National Battlefield (Civil War battlefield series) Coal Mining in the East

Neuk of Fife Fun with the Fife Aspen Student Treatise for Constitutional Law: Principles and Policies  
(Aspen Student Treatise Series) The White Treatise and The Black Treatise (The Books of Sorcery,  
Vol. 2) (Exalted) Aspen Student Treatise for Introduction To United States International Taxation  
(Aspen Student Treatise Series) Treatise on the Subject of Fencing: Marco Docciolini?s 1601  
Fencing Treatise

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)