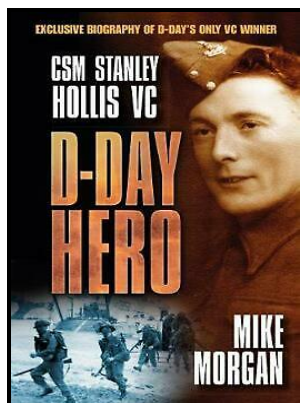


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This book has many strengths but perhaps its greatest is how thought-provoking it is' -- Laurence Rees, author of World War II Behind Closed Doors -- This text refers to the edition. After transferring to the Middle East Commando from his regiment, Stirling plotted his great raiding enterprise.

## British Commando operations during the Second World War

I have been able to tell this remarkable, true story because of help from a Mail on Sunday reader, Roger Mason, who contacted me after reading my account in this paper of the bravery of the 'Parachuting Padre', the Rev Fraser McLuskey, who went behind enemy lines in France with the SAS in 1944. Consequently, the chameleon-like complexity of Stirling's military mind has bequeathed to the present day a simple, unshakeable fact: a small force of well-trained, well-armed, determined men operating deep behind enemy lines can achieve damage and destruction totally out of proportion to its size.

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## The SAS confronts its enemy within

Norman himself acted as advisor on the production, and has a small part as a member of the FIDF.

**Gavin Lyall**

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