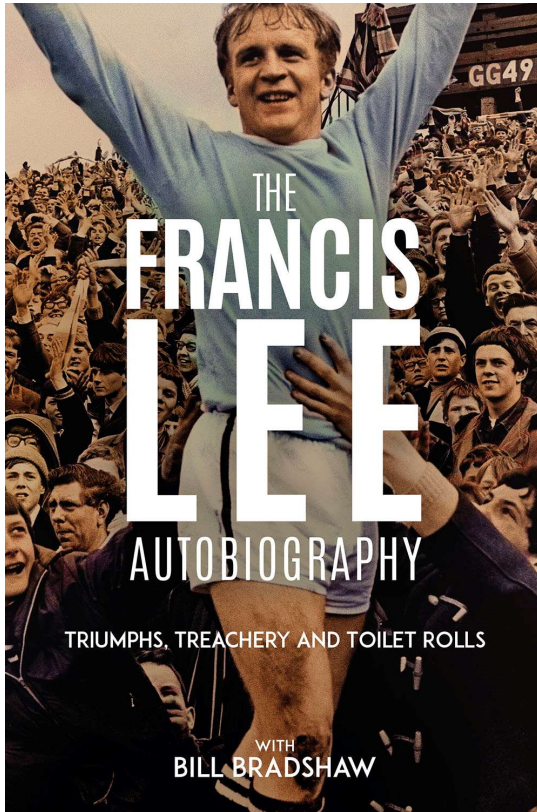




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### Triumphs, Treachery and Toilet Rolls

The Francis Lee Autobiography

By Francis Lee with Bill Bradshaw

#### Key features

- Francis Lee has wide appeal as he made a huge impression, not only at Manchester City, but also at his first club Bolton Wanderers and at Derby County
- Tells how a nervous breakdown torpedoes his England career and his successful waste-paper business crumbles through his partner's treachery
- Redemption as he rebuilds – and sells – his business; there is the joy of a new marriage and a new life as a racehorse trainer
- Franny returns to City as chairman – he details horrors, dodgy deals and mistakes: 'If we won awards for cock-ups, you wouldn't be able to move in City's boardroom'
- Publicity campaign planned including radio, newspapers, websites, podcasts and magazines

#### Description

*Triumphs, Treachery and Toilet Rolls* is the astonishing life story of football legend the late Francis Lee. With searing candour, Lee reveals how he overcame treachery and betrayals to prevail. This is Franny – uncensored. This remarkable man rose from the humblest of beginnings to become a top-class international footballer, a multi-millionaire businessman and entrepreneur, a successful racehorse trainer and then a reborn football man, returning as Manchester City's chairman to steer the club towards its glorious 21st-century renaissance at The Etihad. From a childhood among the mills around Bolton, Lee faced up to authority and putdowns at school, at Bolton Wanderers, and to later betrayals in the boardroom, to fulfil his dreams at City, Derby County and in selling toilet rolls to the masses. This is the story of a man who crammed more into one life than anyone could aspire to – told for the first time, in his own words.

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