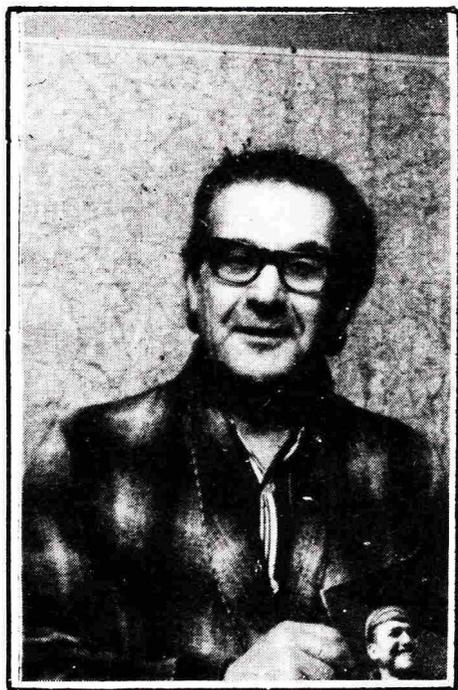


IN MEMORIAM

MIGUEL J. M. GARCIA GARCIA

(1908 – 1981)

Fighter for freedom in Spain and everywhere



Miguel Garcia died in London on Dec 3rd 1981. His friends immediately raised the money for his funeral expenses as a final tribute to the work he had put in for the libertarian ideal. So much was donated that the amount exceeded what we needed for the occasion and we propose, therefore, with the balance to initiate a two-publication programme in his memory, with which those who had no opportunity to pay a last tribute will, we think, wish to be associated.

The first will be a memorial booklet which will contain scenes of his early life, as written by himself for the early part of "Franco's Prisoner", but omitted at the request of the publisher who felt it irrelevant; and an account of the 19th July 1936 in Barcelona as seen by an eye witness; also tributes by people who knew Miguel in his later life, with some fascinating photographs of historical value. The book will be called 'Miguel Garcia's Story'.

The second, if funds can be raised, will be the re-publication in paperback form of "Franco's Prisoner".

Should these two books produce a profit, they will go towards the re-publication in other languages – Spanish, French, Italian.

Anyone who would have liked to contribute to the funeral is invited to donate to the publication programme instead. Treasurer:-

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Centro Iberico, London £70

(Manchester comrades £3; Marrone £15; Membrado £2; Sergio £2; Juanjo £1; Manrique £4; Mora £3; Julian £2; Inocencio £5; Eduardo £5; Capella £10; Perez £3, Benedito £5; Piqueras £10)

Anarchy Collective Sion Whellans £50.

Black Flag, Jean-Claude Breton £100, Stuart & Brenda Christie £60, Albert Meltzer £100.

Direct Action Movement, Dave Thomson £25;

Huddersfield, I & C. Longmore £15, collection Manchester £7; DAM itself, £15.

Spanish Libertarian Movement Paris, Juan Busquets £25; Jesus Lopez, Cologne £22.

Total received: £489.

Cost of funeral, registrar's fees etc.	£430.18
Spent on flowers and floral tributes	£ 55.00
(Flowers also received from Brenda & Stuart, Centro Iberico, comrades in Barcelona, comrades from Germany etc.	<hr/>
	£485.18

We have therefore a small balance left over, which added to the amount of £235.85 in hand from Miguel, will go for the production of the TRIBUTE TO MIGUEL GARCIA which we are publishing shortly.