

# The Truth that Sticks: New Labour's Breach of Trust; 2007; 9781840468229; Martin Bell; Icon, 2007

Bring your club to Amazon Book Clubs, start a new book club and invite your friends to join, or find a club that's right for you for free. Explore Amazon Book Clubs. Flip to back Flip to front. Chief among those challenges was the need to solve dilemmas of trust correctly. And it's precisely because of this fact that the human mind constantly tries to ascertain the trustworthiness of others while also weighing the need to be trustworthy itself. Your conscious experience may not correspond with this fact, but again that's because much of the relevant computations are automatic and take place outside of awareness. Bell has three chapters on the Iraq war, and chapters also on Labour's other unwinnable war in Afghanistan, on the EU's disgraceful role in the break-up of Yugoslavia, on the Labour government's long campaign to keep cluster bombs, and on its mean-spirited treatment of wounded and shell-shocked veterans. Even now, it is still defending the indefensible, the five-year war on Iraq. He notes that in May last year, Labour lost the Scottish election, which was a vote for honest politics, not a vote for the break-up of Britain. Two-thirds voted for the parties that oppose a break-up. Book review: Martin Bell *The Truth That Sticks: New Labour's Breach of Trust* London: Icon Books, 2007 July 2009 · Media War & Conflict. Steve Tatham. Read more. Last Updated: 04 Oct 2020. Looking for the full-text? You can request the full-text of this article directly from the authors on ResearchGate.