

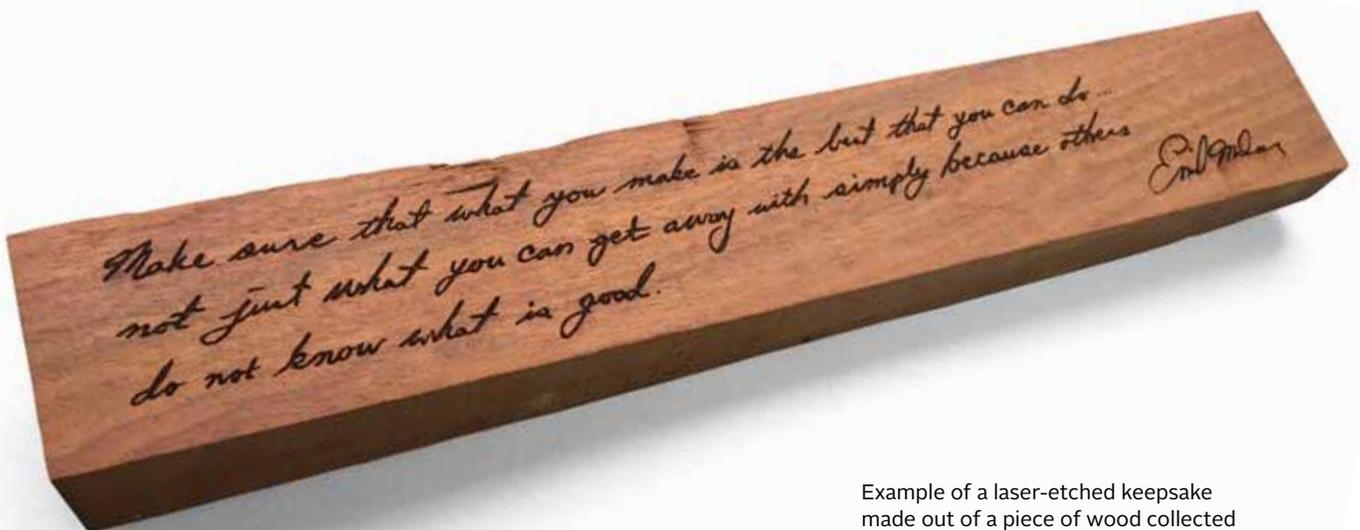
Collector's Edition | Info Sheet

The Collector's Edition is for the true Milan lover and book collector alike.

EDITION OF ONLY 15 | Along with the Limited Edition book and wood slip case this version comes with a one-of-a-kind keepsake made out of a piece of wood collected from Emil Milan's workshop in Thompson, Pennsylvania after his death. The keepsake is laser etched with a quote attributed to Milan. It can be hung on a wall, placed on a shelf, or adorn a desk. **It is truly a rare Milan collectible.**

There are 15 unique pieces of wood from Milan's workshop. The Collector's Edition book will have a special signature plate, hand numbered in an edition of only 15. Purchasers of this Collector's Edition will be able to select the piece of wood they want from the 15 available (see photos on the following pages). Then, select from a series of Milan's poignant quotes to be laser etched on its surface. The first person to buy the Collector's Edition gets first pick from the wood pieces, and so on. Order fast to get first pick from the pieces of wood.

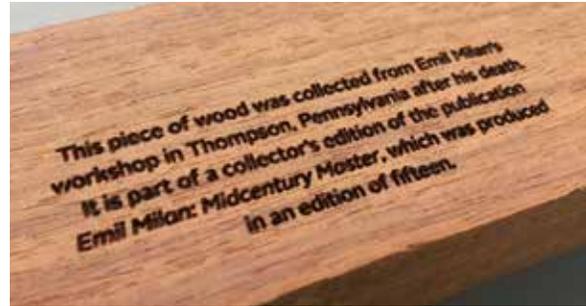
The keepsakes come in a variety of hard woods and sizes and are left in the raw state in which they were found in Milan's workshop. These pieces had been prepared by Milan himself and were waiting in his workshop to be made into spoons or other small items. Milan was frugal with his wood and used every scrap to make into a work of art. We are honoring his frugality by offering these "scraps" as beautiful collectibles. Wall hanging hardware will be supplied.



Example of a laser-etched keepsake made out of a piece of wood collected from Emil Milan's workshop in Thompson, Pennsylvania after his death.



Collector's Edition book with cherry veneer wood slipcase.



The back of each keepsake is laser etched with documentation of its origin.

Pieces of wood keepsakes to choose from for the Collector's Edition

Selection of wood keepsakes is made in the order of purchase. Each purchaser will be contacted after ordering and will be presented with the pieces of wood that are still available.

Photos are not actual size but are shown roughly in proportion to each other and are shown blank before the laser etching of the Milan quote.



Milan wood keepsake #1: 2.125 x 12.375 x .5 in.

2



Milan wood keepsake #2: 1.875 x 9 x .5 in.

3



Milan wood keepsake #3: 2.75 x 8 x .375 in.

4



Milan wood keepsake #4: 2.375 x 8 x .375 in.

5



Milan wood keepsake #5: 2.625 x 7.625 x .375 in.

6



Milan wood keepsake #6: 3 x 7.5 x .375 in.

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Milan wood keepsake #7: 4.375 x 7.375 x .3125 in.

8



Milan wood keepsake #8: 3.5 x 7.125 x .375-.75 in.

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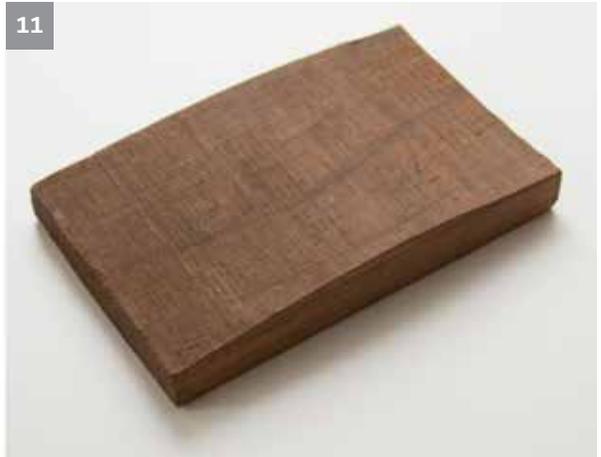
Milan wood keepsake #9: 2 x 6.625 x .5-.75 in.

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Milan wood keepsake #10: 2.875 x 5.625 x 1 in.

11



Milan wood keepsake #11: 3 x 4.75 x .5 in.

12



Milan wood keepsake #12: 2.5 x 4.75 x .625 in.

13



Milan wood keepsake #13: 2.75 x 4.375 x .75 in.

14



Milan wood keepsake #14: 2 x 3.875 x .625 in.

15



Milan wood keepsake #15: 2.125 x 3.875 x .5 in.

Selections of Emil Milan quotes for laser etching

Note that some of the wood pieces are smaller and won't be able to have the longer quotes etched onto them. Once a piece of wood and quote are selected then the purchaser will be provided with an image at actual size of how the quote will look on the piece of wood. Adjustments can be made at that time.

QUOTE #1

"I believe that each piece I do should be the best that could be done."

QUOTE #2

"A sharp tool is a safe tool."

QUOTE #3

"You control the tool. The tool does not control you."

QUOTE #4

"Don't make a potato."

QUOTE #5

"Wood is warm."

QUOTE #6

"Make sure that what you make is the best that you can do ... not just what you can get away with simply because others do not know what is good."

QUOTE #7

"The more technology progresses, the more the personal touch is needed."

QUOTE #8

"Crafts are just as a fine art as painting and regular sculpture."

Schedule

This is a completely customizable keepsake which is made special for each order. This will add production time to the order. The book will deliver immediately upon order and the keepsake will deliver in about 3 to 4 weeks from the time of the order.

\$449 | Order at emilmilan.org/collections/books