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ALLERTON, GERALD WILLIAM HOWE

Rank Flight Lieutenant (Pilot)
Number 60110
Date 14/07/1943
Age 25
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

Son of William Robert and Rose Agnes Allerton, of Sprowston; husband of Molly Rosina Emelie Allerton.

Buried in SPROWSTON (SS. MARY AND MARGARET) CHURCHYARD



BACON, STANLEY ARTHUR

Rank Leading Aircraftman
Number 1082679
Date 31/01/1942
Age 30
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer
Reserve

Son of Arthur and Mabel Jane
Bacon; husband of Hilda
Rose Bacon, of Rackheath.

Buried in SPROWSTON (SS. MARY AND MARGARET) CHURCHYARD



BALDWIN, SYDNEY CHARLES

Rank	Seaman
Number	LT/JX 165994
Date	01/12/1940
Age	-
Service	Royal Naval Patrol Service
	H.M. Trawler 'Libyan'.

Buried in GORLESTON CEMETERY



BARHAM, WILLIAM FRED

Rank	Gunner
Number	1446425
Date	11/06/1940
Age	20
Service	Royal Artillery 65 (The Norfolk Yeomanry) Anti-Tank Regt.

Buried in WYMONDHAM CEMETERY

BATCH, JEAN MILDRED

Rank Lance Serjeant
 Number W/153121
 Date 17/12/1944
 Age 22
 Service Auxilliary Territorial
 Service, attd. Royal
 Artillery, 159 (M) H.A.A.
 Regt.

Daughter of William H.
 Batch, and of Mary E. Batch,
 of Norwich.



Buried at NORWICH AND NORFOLK CREMATORIUM



BEALES, LEONARD NEVILLE ARTHUR

Rank Leading Aircraftman
Number 1633487
Date 29/07/1944
Age 22
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer
 Reserve

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur
John Beales, of Lakenham.

Buried in LAKENHAM (ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST AND ALL SAINTS) CHURCHYARD

BROWN, RUSSELL VICTOR HENRY



Rank Flight Sergeant
(Navigator)
Number 1612359
Date 10/12/1943
Age 21
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer
Reserve. 68 Sqdn.

Son of Archibald James
Brown and Ethel May Brown,
of Norwich.

Buried in NORTH WALSHAM NEW CEMETERY



BUCK, HAROLD GEORGE

Rank Sergeant

Number 511358

Date 26/03/1943

Age 33

Service Royal Air Force

Son of William George and
Ellen May Buck; husband of
Florence Buck, of Old Catton.

Buried in OLD CATTON (ST. MARGARET) CHURCHYARD

BUNN, DONALD VICTOR



Rank Aircraftman 2nd Class
Number 1469685
Date 08/03/1942
Age 40
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

Son of William and Charlotte Bunn, of Norwich; husband of Maud Edith Bunn, of Norwich.

Buried at NORWICH AND NORFOLK CREMATORIUM



CARTER, PHILIP LESLIE (JACK)

Rank	Sapper
Number	2132130
Date	12/09/1941
Age	34
Service	Royal Engineers 757 Field Coy.

Son of Gertrude Alice Carter,
of South Lynn.

Buried in KING'S LYNN CEMETERY



CARYER, PAUL ARTHUR CHARLES

Rank Pilot Officer (Pilot)
Number 161393
Date 11/11/1944
Age 23
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, 44 Sqdn.

Son of Cecil A. O. Caryer and
Frances M. Caryer, of
Newmarket; husband of
Daphne Iris Caryer.

Buried in NEWMARKET CEMETERY



CHURCH, REGINALD HARRY

Rank Sergeant (Pilot)
Number 1272476
Date 22/11/1942
Age 21
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

Son of Harry and Nellie May Church, of Norwich.

Buried in COLNEY (ST. ANDREW) CHURCHYARD



COATES, CHARLES HENRY

Rank Private
Number 13047600
Date 10/06/1945
Age 32
Service Pioneer Corps

Son of William and Agnes
Eugenie Coates, of
Fakenham; husband of N. P.
Coates, of Norwich.

Buried in FAKENHAM CEMETERY



COCKERTON, JACK PERCY WILLIAM

Rank Sergeant (Pilot)
Number 657123
Date 26/02/1943
Age 26
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve 29 Sqdn.

Son of Florence May
Cockerton, of Norwich;
husband of Sylvia Iris Mary
Cockerton, of Norwich.

Buried in EARLHAM (ST. MARY) CHURCHYARD



COLLER, RAYMOND GEOFFREY

Rank Major
Number 7407
Date 10/12/1940
Age 41
Service Royal Artillery
3 Medium Reserve Regt.

Also a memorial window in
Norwich Cathedral

Buried in HETHERSETT (ST. REMIGIUS) CHURCHYARD



CUMMINGS, GORDON

Rank Flying Officer (Pilot)
Number 170217
Date 26/09/1944
Age 23
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

Distinguished Flying Medal

Son of Lt. R. G. Cummings and Mrs. Cummings, of King's Lynn; husband of Brenda Lillian Cummings, of Norwich.

Buried in KING'S LYNN (GAYTON ROAD) CEMETERY



CURRIE, JOHN THURBORN

Rank Lieut-Commander

Number -

Date 15/05/1941

Age 36

Service Royal Navy
H.M.S. 'Victory'

Son of Colonel John William Currie, and of Evelyn Maud Currie, of Old Catton; husband of Rita Emily Currie (nee Carr-Ellison), of Minster Worth, Gloucestershire.

Buried in OLD CATTON (ST. MARGARET) CHURCHYARD



CURTIS, ALICE MAUD

Rank	Private
Number	W/73992
Date	06/12/1941
Age	24
Service	Auxiliary Territorial Service

Buried in ELLINGHAM (ST. MARY) CHURCHYARD

DENT, HAROLD WILLIAM



Rank Bombardier
Number 795786
Date 10/10/1940
Age 40
Service Royal Artillery
243 Bty., 78 A.A. Regt.

Son of William James Dent
and Ellen Dent, of Norwich;
husband of Ivy Marjorie
Dent, of Norwich.

Buried in LAKENHAM (ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST AND ALL SAINTS) CHURCHYARD



DORRINGTON, ARTHUR WILLIAM ZIPPLE

Rank Corporal
Number 5882983
Date 08/09/1940
Age 27
Service Northamptonshire
Regiment. 50th Bn.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur
William Dorrington, of
Norwich; husband of
Gwyneth Lorraine Dorrington,
of Isleworth, Middlesex

Buried in THETFORD CEMETERY



DRAKE, HERBERT ROBERT

Rank Signalman
Number 6401959
Date 28/04/1942
Age 23
Service Royal Corps of Signals

Son of Robb Arthur and Ada
Amelia Drake, of Great
Yarmouth.

Buried in GORLESTON CEMETERY



EASTELL, CLIFFORD

Rank Leading Aircraftman
Number 1047196
Date 20/04/1944
Age 23
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer
 Reserve

Son of Harry and Nita
Eastell, of Arminghall.

Buried in ARMINGHALL (ST. MARY) CHURCHYARD



EATON, GEORGE KINGSTON

Rank Pilot Officer (Pilot)
Number 101066
Date 07/12/1941
Age 20
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

Son of Frederic Ray and Ruth Evangeline Eaton, of Eaton, Norwich.

Buried in EATON (ST. ANDREW) OLD CHURCHYARD



FRANKLIN, RALPH

Rank Leading Aircraftman

Number 1461554

Date 31/05/1944

Age 22

Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

Son of John William and Edith Mary Franklin, of Norwich.

Buried at NORWICH AND NORFOLK CREMATORIUM



FULCHER, ERIC GEORGE

Rank Trooper
Number 14267486
Date 12/11/1942
Age 19
Service Reconnaissance Corps,
R.A.C.

Son of William Fulcher, and of
Ellen Florence Fulcher, of
Besthorpe.

Buried in BESTHORPE (ALL SAINTS) CHURCHYARD



GAME, RONALD DESMOND

Rank Sergeant (Pilot)
Number 927109
Date 10/04/1941
Age 20
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer
 Reserve

Son of James Alfred and
Olive Ida Game, of
Shipdham.

Buried in SHIPDHAM CEMETERY



GARDNER, EDWIN CHARLES

Rank Flying Officer (Pilot)
Number 72558
Date 17/10/1940
Age 24
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve. 61 Sqdn.

Son of the Revd. William Alan Gardner and Audrey Grace Gardner, of Norwich, husband of Diana Gardner.

Buried in TACOLNESTON (ALL SAINTS) CHURCHYARD

GOULD, CHARLES SIDNEY



Rank Corporal

Number 5778794

Date 15/06/1944

Age 24

Service Royal Norfolk Regiment

Son of Tom and Daisy Gould;
husband of Lilian Gould, of
New Costessey.

Buried in DRAYTON (ST. MARGARET) CHURCHYARD



GRIBBLE, HERBERT WILLIAM

Rank Lieutenant
Number 180950
Date 24/04/1943
Age 23
Service Royal Artillery
seconded to 1 H.A.A.
Regt. Royal Indian
Artillery.

Son of William Dudley Gribble
and Emily Edith Gribble, of
Norwich.

Memorial in Norwich Cathedral



HADDER, LESLIE ARNOLD

Rank Flt. Sergeant (Air Gunner)

Number 1804649

Date 04/03/1945

Age 20

Service Royal Air Force Volunteer
Reserve. 214 Sqdn.

Son of George Henry and
Elizabeth Annie Hadder, of
Thorpe.

Buried in THORPE-NEXT-NORWICH (ST. ANDREW) CHURCH CEMETERY



HAISTEAD, ALBERT ARTHUR

Rank Gunner
Number 980125
Date 09/04/1941
Age 27
Service Royal Artillery

Son of Ernest Edward and
Emmeline Jane Haistead, of
Norwich.

Buried in LAKENHAM (ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST AND ALL SAINTS) CHURCHYARD



HARVEY, EDGAR WILLIAM

Rank Sergeant (Air Bomber)
Number 41902
Date 16/12/1942
Age 27
Service Royal New Zealand Air Force. 75 (R.A.F.) Sqdn.

Son of John Lambert Harvey and Sarah Harvey, of Milford, Auckland, New Zealand; husband of Josephine Emma Harvey of Milford

Buried in LAKENHAM (ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST AND ALL SAINTS) CHURCHYARD



HAWKES, VICTOR ALBERT

Rank Private

Number 5771497

Date 27/09/1939

Age 23

Service Royal Norfolk Regiment

Son of Mrs. A. E. Hawkes of
Easton.

Buried in EASTON (ST. PETER) CHURCHYARD



HIGH, HORACE WILLIAM

Rank Serjeant

Number D/14854

Date 01/10/1947

Age 50

Service Royal Norfolk Regiment
8th Bn.

Son of H. High and Matilda
High, of Norwich; husband of
Hazel A. High of Norwich.

Buried in HELLESDON (ST. MARY) CHURCHYARD



HOWARD, SIDNEY ALBERT

Rank Corporal

Number 55174

Date 15/10/1943

Age 53

Service Royal Air Force

Husband of F. B. Howard of
Norwich.

Buried in CAMBRIDGE CITY CEMETERY



JARMY, VERNON ILLTYD

Rank Leading Stores Assistant

Number C/MX 662812

Date 18/11/1945

Age 26

Service Royal Navy
H.M.S. 'Peregrine'

Son of Thomas and Katherine
Jane Jarmy; husband of
Grace Phyllis Jarmy of
Norwich

Buried in SPROWSTON (SS. MARY AND MARGARET) CHURCHYARD

LAWN, RUSSELL KENNETH



Rank Marine
Number PO/X 15558(T)
Date 17/05/1945
Age 21
Service Royal Marines
H.M.S. 'Royal Albert'

Son of Thomas William and
Emma Alice Lawn of Norwich.

Buried at NORWICH AND NORFOLK CREMATORIUM



LEES, BERNARD

Rank Flight Lieutenant (Pilot)

Number 125534

Date Died 22/07/1944

Age Aged 26

Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve. 26 Sqdn.

George Medal (Police)

Son of Clifton and May Lees;
husband of Bertha Lees, of
Clapton, London.

Buried in EATON PARISH BURIAL GROUND

LEONARD,
HERBERT THOMAS



Rank Lance Serjeant

Number 5774282

Date 23/01/1940

Age 19

Service Royal Norfolk Regiment
6th Bn.

Son of Herbert William and
Dora Leonard; grandson of
Mr. H. Leonard, of Barnham
Broom.

Buried in **BARNHAM BROOM (SS. PETER AND PAUL) CHURCHYARD**



MACE, CECIL ALBERT

Rank	Corporal
Number	902706
Date	23/08/1947
Age	40
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

Son of Henry and Alice Mace;
husband of Eva M. Mace, of
Norwich.

Buried in HAVERINGLAND (ST. PETER) CHURCHYARD



MANTHORPE, JACK

Rank Sergeant (Pilot)
Number 1291996
Date 10/05/1942
Age 21
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

Son of Walter and J. P.
Manthorpe, of Norwich.

Buried in LAKENHAM (ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST AND ALL SAINTS) CHURCHYARD



MILLER, PETER ERNEST

Rank Sergeant (Pilot)

Number 960718

Date Died 19/08/1941

Age 24

Service Royal Air Force Volunteer
Reserve. 22 Sqdn.

Buried in SPROWSTON (SS. MARY AND MARGARET) CHURCHYARD



MILLER, WILFRED GEORGE

Rank	Gunner
Number	1110336
Date	05/03/1943
Age	37
Service	Royal Artillery 59 Medium Regt.

Son of George and Ethel
Miller; husband of Mary Ethel
Miller, of Great Ryburgh.

Buried in WHISSONSETT (ST. MARY) CHURCHYARD



MILLS, WILLIAM JOHN

Rank Private

Number 5727879

Date 10/09/1947

Age 28

Service Dorsetshire Regiment

Husband of Vera Gwendoline
Mills, of Norwich.

Buried in EATON PARISH BURIAL GROUND



MINNS, ROBERT LESLIE

Rank Captain
Number 166437
Date 26/07/1945
Age 32
Service Royal Artillery.
173 Field Regt.

Son of Walter Robert and
Marie Ellen Minns; husband
of Winifred May Minns, of
Hellesdon.

Buried in HELLESDON (ST. MARY) CHURCHYARD



MOXEY, PERCY LESLIE

Rank Pilot Officer (Observer)
Number 121570
Date 07/08/1942
Age 27
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve

Son of William Charles James Moxey and Lily Moxey, husband of Barbara Clare Moxey, of Norwich.

Buried in GORLESTON CEMETERY



PAGE, CLIFFORD FREDERICK

Rank Pilot Officer (Observer)
Number 60780
Date 07/05/1941
Age 22
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve. 75 Sqdn.

Son of Frederick James Page
and Hilda Page of Norwich;
husband of Muriel Alice Page,
of Norwich.

Buried in CAISTER OLD CEMETERY

PENNYMORE, ARTHUR FREDERICK



Rank Pilot Officer (Observer)
Number 87353
Date 23/12/1940
Age 21
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve. 11 O.T.U.

Buried at NORWICH AND NORFOLK CREMATORIUM



PETTIT, KENNETH CHARLES

Rank Signaller II
Number 1876996
Date 13/02/1947
Age 21
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve. 47 Sqdn.

Son of Percival Charles and Alice Mabel Pettit, of Thorpe, Norwich.

Buried in NORTH WALSHAM NEW CEMETERY



PRETTY, REDVERS HARRY

Rank	Gunner
Number	1699995
Date	Died 21/06/1944
Age	Aged 34
Service	Royal Artillery 126 H.A.A. Regt.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward
Pretty, husband of Josephine
Bessie Norah Pretty, of
Besthorpe.

Buried in OLD BUCKENHAM (ALL SAINTS) CHURCHYARD



PURLING, JOHN EDWARD

Rank Serjeant

Number 5777527

Date Died 11/06/1944

Age Aged 27

Service Royal Norfolk Regiment.
1st Bn.

Son of William E. B. Purling
and Mabel G. F. Purling, of
Thurton; husband of Emma
Purling, of Swafield.

Buried in THURTON (ST. ETHELBERT) CHURCHYARD



RANSOME, LAWRENCE ALFRED

Rank Sapper
Number 2000633
Date Died 02/05/1942
Age Aged 22
Service Royal Engineers

Son of Alfred and Annie E. M.
Ransome, of Norwich.

Buried in KIRBY BEDON (ST. ANDREW) CHURCHYARD



RINGER, MICHAEL BEVERLEY

Rank	Captain
Number	138787
Date	15/02/1943
Age	22
Service	Royal Norfolk Regiment 9th Bn.

Son of Arthur Beverley
Ringer and Marion Beverley
Ringer; husband of Jean
Muriel Ringer, of Norwich.

Buried in SEETHING (ST. MARGARET OF ANTIOCH AND REMIGIUS) CHURCHYARD



SKEET, WILLIAM ALBERT

Rank Private
Number 13002874
Date 26/05/1941
Age 43
Service Pioneer Corps

Son of William and Harriet
Skeet; husband of Matilda S.
Skeet, of Heacham.

Buried in HEACHAM (ST. MARY) CHURCHYARD



SMITH, CLIFFORD FRANK

Rank Aircraftman 2nd Class
Number 1461021
Date 24/02/1942
Age 20
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer
Reserve
133 (Eagle) Sqdn.

Son of Frank Ernest and
Gertrude Florence Smith, of
Norwich.

Buried in LAKENHAM (ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST AND ALL SAINTS) CHURCHYARD



SMITH, JOHN RUSSELL

Rank Leading Aircraftman
Number 959850
Date 02/11/1944
Age 32
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer
 Reserve

Son of William Henry and
Beatrice Annie Smith, of
Norwich.

Buried in OLD CATTON (ST. MARGARET) CHURCHYARD



SMITH, VICTORIA ELLEN ELIZABETH

Rank Wren
Number 11978
Date 07/07/1941
Age 30
Service Women's Royal Naval
Service
H.M.S. 'Watchful'

Daughter of Horace and Ellen Moore, of Norwich, wife of Stanley Archer Smith (ARP), of Great Yarmouth who was killed in the same incident.

Buried in CAISTER OLD CEMETERY



STONE, KENNETH WILLIAM

Rank Warrant Officer
 (Flight Engineer)
Number 1604005

Date 01/02/1946

Age 24

Service Royal Air Force Volunteer
 Reserve. 12 Sqdn.

Son of William John and
Daisy Agnes Lilian Stone, of
Hellesdon.

Buried in HELLESDON (ST. MARY) CHURCHYARD

STOREY, CYRIL TIMOTHY



Rank Sapper
Number 1949557
Date 02/08/1941
Age 27
Service Royal Engineers

Buried at NORWICH AND NORFOLK CREMATORIUM



SUTTON, JOHN HEDWORTH

Rank	Sub-Lieutenant (A)
Number	-
Date	01/03/1945
Age	20
Service	Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve H.M.S. Macaw.

Buried in SHOTESHAM (ALL SAINTS) CHURCHYARD



WALDRON, VERNON ELLISTON

Rank Sergeant (Pilot)
Number 1255722
Date Died 29/09/1941
Age Aged 19
Service Royal Air Force Volunteer
 Reserve. 99 Sqdn.

Buried in EATON PARISH BURIAL GROUND

WASE, TOM WINGFIELD



Rank Gunner
Number 2089579
Date 07/04/1946
Age 38
Service Royal Artillery.
32 (7th County of
London Regt.)
Searchlight Regt.

Son of Tom Garrett Wase and
Elizabeth Adelaide Wase,
husband of Muriel Frances
Wase, of Norwich.

Buried at NORWICH AND NORFOLK CREMATORIUM



WATSON, HAROLD GEORGE

Rank Lance Corporal
Number 5779348
Date 12/03/1942
Age 27
Service Royal Norfolk Regiment.
9th Bn.

Son of Alma Bunn, of
Wymondham.

Buried in WYMONDHAM CEMETERY



WATSON, HENRY GEORGE

Rank	Driver
Number	T/193310
Date	25/03/1941
Age	26
Service	Royal Army Service Corps. 22 Troops Carrying Coy.

Buried in STRATTON ST. MARY CHURCHYARD



WEST, FRANCIS LEWIS

Rank Corporal
Number 885515
Date 28/08/1944
Age 26
Service Royal Engineers

Son of Frank Francis and
Florence Beatrice West;
husband of Eva Mary West,
of Bournemouth, Hampshire.

Buried in WIGHTON CEMETERY



WEST, GEORGE WILLIAM

Rank Driver
Number T/222623
Date 13/09/1943
Age 31
Service Royal Army Service Corps.
593 Transport Coy.

Son of Edmund and Gertrude West, of Norwich; husband of Amy Elizabeth West, of Norwich.

Buried in THORPE-NEXT-NORWICH (ST. ANDREW) CHURCH CEMETERY



WHITE, ALBERT ROBERT

Rank Company Quartermaster
 Serjeant
Number 1927350

Date 13/05/1941

Age 36

Service Royal Engineers

Son of Frederick George and
Isabella Ellen White, of
Reedham; husband of Ethel
Florence White, of Reedham.

Buried in REEDHAM (ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST) CHURCHYARD EXTENSION



WILSON, ERNEST LISTER

Rank Captain

Number 60471

Date 20/10/1939

Age 50

Service Royal Army Service
Corps

Husband of Ruth Violet
Wilson.

Buried in DRAYTON (ST. MARGARET) CHURCHYARD



WISDOM, WILLIAM

Rank Major
Number 38628
Date 22/07/1941
Age 57
Service Royal Engineers

OBE, MSM

Son of William and Susan
Wisdom; husband of Cecilia
Frances Wisdom, of Thorpe,
Norwich.

Buried at NORWICH AND NORFOLK CREMATORIUM