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Pilot Officer Donald
Thompson Randall



Birthday: 12 march 1918

Age of death: 25

DETAILS OF BIRTH AND DEATH

Pilot Officer Donald Thompson Randall was born on March 12th of 1918 in Saskatoon Saskatchewan, Canada to Robert R. Randall and Maggie M. Randall and was killed in action on October 2nd of 1943 at the age of 25. His body was never recovered but his name is scrawled on both the Alamein war memorial in Egypt and on Canada's Bomber Command Memorial Wall in Nanton, Alberta.

DETAILS OF SERVICE

He served in #15 Squadron of the Royal Canadian Air Force as a Pilot Officer. There he served as a Pilot Officer, Air Gunner and Wireless Operator.

UNKNOWNNS

Though I know much about his death, I could not find much about his life. I could not locate any information in the yearbooks I scoured. There is one conflicting report that says he died at 21 instead of 25. It might be the reason for the lack of information I could locate.

RANDALL, DONALD THOMPSON P/O(P) J18765/R77110. From Montreal, Quebec. Killed in Action Oct 2/43 age 25. #15 Squadron (Aim Sure). Baltimore aircraft missing. Please see P.O. R.G. Leese for casualty list and flight detail. Pilot Officer Pilot Randall has no known grave, his name is inscribed on the Alamein War Memorial, Egypt.

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