

Dunn, Theodore Stafford

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Theodore (Ted) was born on May 12 1915 in Fort William, Ontario, the son of Russell George and Ethel Pearl Dunn (deceased before 1945) of Toronto. They were married in 1913 in Port Arthur Ontario. Ted is married on May 5 1938 in North Bay Ontario with Isabelle Katherine Dunn of North Bay and their son was Theodore Stafford Dunn Jr. (1939). He was the brother of Earl, Marian, Geraldine and Jacqueline Dunn. Ted was a railwaymen and member of the Presbyterian Church.

He enlisted on July 27 1940 in North Bay and he went from February 7 1942 till February 8 1943 for his army training to Newfoundland. Ted went on June 19 1943 thereafter overseas to the UK and he disembarked on July 22 1944 afterwards France.

Ted was killed in action on Wednesday April 11 1945 age 29, just a month before his 30th birthday during the battle of Meppen in Germany. He was temporarily buried there before being reburied on March 18 1946 in Holten.

On his headstone it reads:

YOUR PRESENCE IS EVER NEAR US, TED: YOUR LOVED ONES WILL NEVER FORGET

Hij served with the Algonquin Regiment.

Honours:
1939-45 Star
France Germany Star
Defence Medal
War Medal 1939-45
CVSM & Clasp.

