

Hubbard Duane Morris

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Corporal Duane Morris Hubbard of the Loyal Edmonton Regiment, R.C.I.C.

Hubbard died as a result of a leg amputation caused by a mortar hit. This happened in the area of Zutphen, Holland. medals were never mounted.

Name: Duane Morris Hubbard

Rank: Corporal

Unit: Loyal Edmonton Regiment, R.C.I.C.

Service no.: M/105703

KIA: 12th April 1945 at Lochem, aged 35

Grave: Holten Canadian War Cemetery, Holland. Plot 2, row H, grave 11

Born: 20th August 1909, Alexandria, Nebraska, USA

Nationality: Canadian

Origin: American

Son of: Frederick Edison Hubbard (Salesman) & Belle Beatrice Hubbard*

Worked in the Northern Alberta Railways for 14 years (Bridge and Building gang)

Married Maria Kwasniko nee Krawchuk 17-2-1938

Divorced wife in May 1943** (officially divorced June, 29 1944)

Military History:

Enlisted 6th January 1943 at Edmonton

Appointed Acting Lance Corporal 16-2-1943

Appointed Acting Corporal 1-9-1943

Relinquish rank of Acting Corporal 1-12-1943 (Back to Pte.)

Appointed Acting Corporal 22-4-1944

Embarked in Canada 18-6-1944

Disembarked in UK 24-6-1944

Appointed Acting Lance Corporal 3-7-1944

Embarked in UK 14-7-1944

Disembarked in Italy 29-7-1944 and added to Loyal Edmonton Regiment

Appointed Lance Corporal 14-10-1944

Embarked in France 14-1-1945

Disembarked in France (Marseilles) 16-1-1945

Wounded by mortar on 11th/12th April 1945 somewhere in the IJssel area of Zutphen.

Died as a result of traumatic amputation of left leg in Canadian Military hospital in Lochem on 12-4-1945.

Buried at Lochem Communal Cemetery, plot allied, row C grave 10.

Reburied at Holten Canadian War Cemetery, Holland. Plot 2, row H, grave 11.

Awards:

1939-1945 star

Italy Star

France and Germany star

Defense Medal

CVSM + clasp

1939-1945 war medal

Birks Memorial Bar

*His parents are divorced in 1928. The address of his father is unknown. His mother lived in Hebron, Nebraska, USA during the war.

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WAR SERVICE MEDALS 1939-45

No. M 115 703 Name Hubert Andrew Morris
Rank on Discharge 1st Lt. Date of Discharge 12-4-45
Authority for Discharge or Retirement Deceased

Served in: Non-qualifying service

Canada	from <u>6-1-43</u>	to <u>18-6-44</u>
	from _____	to _____
United Kingdom	from <u>19-6-44</u>	to <u>16-7-44</u>
	from _____	to _____
Italy	from <u>17-7-44</u>	to <u>14-3-45</u>
Northwest Europe	from <u>15-2-45</u>	to <u>12-4-45</u> <u>Died of Wounds</u>
	from _____	to _____
	from _____	to _____

Eligible for award of:

1939 - 45 Star	<u>OK</u> ✓
Italy Star	<u>OK</u> ✓
France-Germany Star	<u>OK</u> ✓
Defense Medal	<u>NE</u> ✓

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