

## **Pte Goldwin Marven Pollick**

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Goldwin was born on September 23 1920 in Minto New Brunswick, the son of Charles and Ethel Pollick of Minto. He was married on January 2 1941 in Newcastle Bridge New Brunswick with Pauline Pearle Pollick nee Stairs of Belleville Ontario. She remarried after the war as Mrs. Holmes. His brothers were Ralph, Allen, Malcolm C. (also in the army overseas), Hayward and William E. Pollick (also in the army). His sisters were Mrs. Laura Curtis, Mrs. Annie Kawalski and Mrs. Edna Harding.

He was a miner and member of the Baptist Church.

He enlisted on June 25 1940 in Woodstock New Brunswick and he went thereafter on July 22 1943 overseas to the UK and then afterwards on March 26 1944 to Italy. He went on March 20 1945 back then to France to liberate the NW Europe.

Goldwin died of wounds received in action on Friday April 13 1945 age 24. He was involved in the operation Cannonsnot, the crossing of the river IJssel between the villages of Gorssel and Wilp, East Holland.

He was sent then to a Canadian field hospital in Lochem and he was temporarily buried after his death there and he was reburied on February 1 1946 in Holten. His grave was adopted after the war by a lady of Almelo, East Holland.

His medals were: 1939-45 Star; Italy Star; France Germany Star; Defence Medal; War Medal; CVSM & Clasp.

He served with the Carleton & York Regiment.

