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**Private**  
**John Theodore MacMillan**  
**1925-1945**



## Address

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### **JACK MacMILLAN KILLED IN ACTION**

Mr. and Mrs. Ben A. MacMillan, Wonham street, received word on Saturday that their son, Pte. Jack MacMillan, was officially killed in action in Holland on April 28th.

He was in his 20th year and at the time of his enlistment in November, 1943, was employed at the Ingersoll Machine and Tool Co. He received his training at Petawawa and went overseas in September, 1944.

He was a member of Sacred Heart Church and received his education at Sacred Heart School.

Pte. MacMillan has six brothers, Berriard, Lloyd of Woodstock; Herbert and Herman, Ingersoll; Cpl. Leo, Canadian Army overseas; Pte. Thomas, Ipperwash Camp; one sister, Mrs. R. J. Sawhill, Cleveland, Ohio. Another brother, Chief Petty Officer Joseph MacMillan was lost in the sinking of the St. Croix in 1943.

A funeral mass was celebrated at Sacred Heart Church by Rev. A. Fuerth on Tuesday morning.

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Private John Theodore MacMillan was a son of Ben A. and Mary MacMillan, of Ingersoll, Ontario. Jack was employed at Ingersoll Machine & Tool. Enlisting in the Perth Regiment, R.C.I.C., Jack was a part of the Liberation of Holland. Private John Theodore MacMillan was killed in action, April 28, 1945 and rests in HOLTEN CANADIAN WAR CEMETERY, Netherlands.

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