

'Franky' François Robert (RAF n° 163775)

Croix des Evadés, ...



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Born at Hyon, 25 August 1920. Was enlisted in the Belgian Armed Forces in Canada and send to the Centre d'Instruction Militaire Belge at Camp de la Joliette, 4 October 1941. Send to the Depot of the Aéronautique Militaire on 20 February 1942,joined the RAF/Depot at Regent's Park, 10 June 1942. Further training saw him joining: 17 ITW (04/07/1942), 6 EFTS (30/04/1943), 2 ACDC (28/05/1943), PDC-Ottawa (24/06/1943, 31 EFTS (12/07/1943), 34 SFTS (06/09/1943), 31 PDC (28/01/1944), 5 PAFU (06/04 /1944), 53 OTU (03/10/1944). Posted to 83 GSU on 19 December 1944. Transferred to 350 Sqn on 5 February 1945 where he stayed till the end of the hostilities. Joined the Belgian Navy after the War. He passed away at Ostend on 31st August, 2012

(Info: André Bar)

His claims are :-