

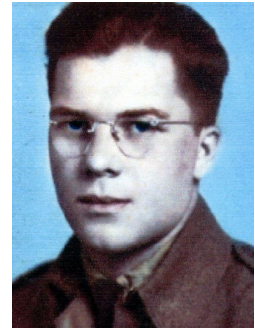


Saskatchewan Virtual War Memorial

In memory of
**Lance Corporal
Mike Walter Basaraba**
who died on 24 Nov 1944

Service details

<i>Conflict</i>	WWII
<i>Service</i>	Army
<i>Unit</i>	Queens Own Cameron Highlanders
<i>Rank</i>	Lance Corporal
<i>Service number</i>	L104215
<i>Date of death</i>	19441124
<i>Cause of death</i>	killed in action



Narrative history

L104215 Lance Corporal (Queen's Own Cameron Highlanders driver mechanic) Mike Walter Basaraba (b.1922) of Shipman was KIA 19441124 at Huijbergen in the Nijmegen salient and is buried at Groesbeek Canadian war cemetery near Nijmegen, Gelderland, Netherlands. Mike was the son of William and Maggie Basaraba who farmed in the Strong Pine district southeast of Weirdale. Mike farmed with his family and worked out in sawmills before enlisting at Regina early in 1943.

Memorial information

<i>Saskatchewan rural municipality for commemoration</i>	488 - Torch River
<i>Grave or memorial location</i>	Groesbeek Canadian war cemetery, Gelderland, Netherlands (Link to Commonwealth War Graves Commission web page: http://www.cwgc.org/find-a-cemetery/cemetery/2063900/GROESBEEK%20CANADIAN%20WAR%20CEMETERY)
<i>Honour roll location(s)</i>	Smeaton
<i>Geo-memorial</i>	Basaraba Lake
<i>Geo-memorial location</i>	56.3166666666667,-105.283333333333
<i>Geo-memorial NTS map reference</i>	74A6

Personal information

<i>Date of birth</i>	19220929
<i>Place of birth</i>	Strong Pine
<i>Enlisted on</i>	19430104
<i>Place of enlistment</i>	Regina
<i>Residence on enlistment</i>	Shipman
<i>Occupation</i>	farmer

Links to external web pages

[Memorial - Smeaton](#)
<http://www.cmp-cpm.forces.gc.ca/dhh-dhp/nic-inm/sm-rm/mdsr-rdr-eng.asp?PID=2981>



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