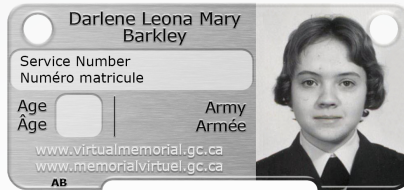
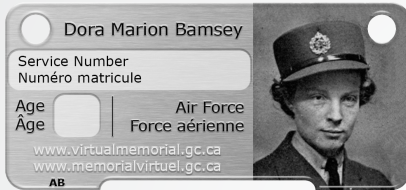
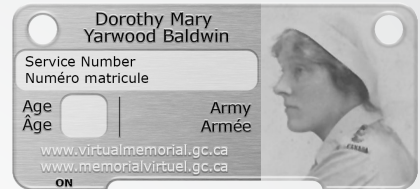
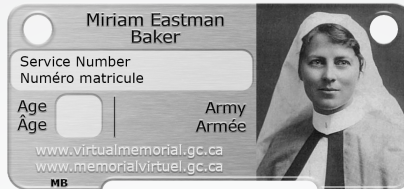




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When we think of war, we often do not automatically associate it with women. And yet, women have long been called on to play important roles alongside men in times of conflict. At first, they most commonly served as military nurses, but over time women have come to occupy roles that were traditionally reserved for men.

It has been estimated that nearly 200 women have died while serving in the Canadian military, since Confederation. It is important to take the time to think about these brave individuals and to remember all women who have served our country in times of war, military conflict and peace.

Go to: [virtualmemorial.gc.ca](http://www.virtualmemorial.gc.ca) and search for more information about Canadian women who have died in military service.

### Commitment to Remember

*They were young, as we are young,  
They served, giving freely of themselves.  
To them, we pledge, amid the winds of time,  
To carry their torch and never forget.  
We will remember them.*

Response: *We will remember them.*

<http://www.veterans.gc.ca/eng/remembrance/get-involved/remembrance-day/guide-to-commemorative-services>



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### 1915

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Kennedy	Eliza	Canadian Merchant Navy	September 4, 1915
Munro	Mary Frances	Canadian Army Medical Corps	September 7, 1915
Jaggard	Jessie Brown	Canadian Army Medical Corps	September 25, 1915

### 1916

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Nourse	Grace Eleanor Boyd	Canadian Army Medical Corps	February 3, 1916
Ross	Elsie Gertrude	Canadian Army Medical Corps	February 26, 1916
Tupper	Addie Allen (Adruenna)	Canadian Army Medical Corps	December 9, 1916

### 1917

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Garbutt	Sarah Ellen	Canadian Army Nursing Service	August 20, 1917
Sparks	Letitia	Canadian Army Medical Corps	August 20, 1917

### 1918

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Hunt	Myrtle	Canadian Army Medical Corps	January 16, 1918
Davis	Lena Aloa	Canadian Army Nursing Service	February 21, 1918
Kealy	Ida Lilian	Canadian Army Medical Corps	March 12, 1918
Hannaford	Ida Durant	Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service	March 14, 1918
Whitely	Anna Elizabeth	Canadian Army Nursing Service	April 21, 1918
Forneri	Agnes Florian	Canadian Army Medical Corps	April 24, 1918
MacDonald	Katherine Maud	Canadian Army Nursing Service	May 19, 1918
Wake	Gladys Maude Mary	Canadian Army Nursing Service	May 21, 1918
Jarvis	Jessie	Canadian Army Medical Corps	May 23, 1918
Lowe	Margaret	Canadian Army Nursing Service	May 28, 1918
Baldwin	Dorothy Mary Yarwood	Canadian Army Nursing Service	May 30, 1918



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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
MacPherson	Agnes	Canadian Army Nursing Service	May 30, 1918
Pringle	Eden Lyal	Canadian Army Nursing Service	May 30, 1918
Campbell	Christina	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
Douglas	Carola Josephine	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
Dussault	Alexina	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
Follette	Minnie Asenath	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
Fortescue	Margaret Jane	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
Fraser	Margaret Marjory	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
Gallaher	Minnie Katherine	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
McDiarmid	Jessie Mabel	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
McKenzie	Mary Agnes	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
McLean	Rena	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
Sampson	Mary Belle	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
Sare	Gladys Irene	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
Stamers	Anna Irene	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
Templeman	Jean	Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 27, 1918
Ross	Ada Janet	Canadian Army Medical Corps	July 12, 1918
Johnstone	Jane	Canadian Merchant Navy	September 9, 1918
Oliphant	Mary Elizabeth	Canadian Merchant Navy	September 9, 1918
Twist	Dorothy Pearson	Canadian Military V.A.D.	September 26, 1918
Green	Matilda Ethel	Canadian Army Nursing Service	October 9, 1918
Mellet	Henrietta	Canadian Army Medical Corps	October 10, 1918
Alpaugh	Agnes	Canadian Army Medical Corps	October 12, 1918
Baker	Miriam Eastman	Canadian Army Medical Corps	October 17, 1918
Rogers	Nellie Grace	Canadian Army Medical Corps	October 19, 1918
Hennan	Victoria Belle	Canadian Army Medical Corps	October 23, 1918
Frederickson	Christine	Canadian Army Medical Corps	October 28, 1918
Alport (Roberts)	Jean Ogilvie	Canadian Army Medical Corps	November 3, 1918
Bartlett	Bertha	Newfoundland Voluntary Aid Detachment	November 3, 1918
McKay	Evelyn Verrall	Canadian Army Medical Corps	November 4, 1918
MacEachen	Rebecca Helen	Canadian Army Medical Corps	November 16, 1918
Dagg	Ainslie St Clair	Canadian Army Medical Corps	November 29, 1918
Jenner	Lenna Mae	Canadian Army Medical Corps	December 12, 1918

1919

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Bolton	Grace Errol	British Red Cross Society	February 16, 1919
MacIntosh	Rebecca	Canadian Army Medical Corps	March 7, 1919



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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Champagne	Ernestine	Canadian Army Medical Corps	March 24, 1919
King	Jessie Nelson	Canadian Army Medical Corps	April 4, 1919
Baker	Margaret Elisa	Canadian Army Medical Corps	May 30, 1919
McDougall	Agnes	Canadian Army Medical Corps	July 18, 1919
Donaldson (Petty)	Gertrude	Canadian Army Medical Corps	July 29, 1919
Grant	Grace Mabel	Canadian Army Medical Corps	September 12, 1919
Trusdale	Alice Louise	Canadian Army Medical Corps	September 12, 1919
MacLeod	Margaret Christine	Canadian Army Medical Corps	December 20, 1919

1920

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
McGinnis	Mary Geraldine	Canadian Army Medical Corps	February 10, 1920

1921

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Cumming	Isobel Katherine	Canadian Army Medical Corps	February 4, 1921
Hanna	Bessie Maud	Canadian Army Nursing Service	September 5, 1921

1922

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Green	Caroline Graham	Canadian Army Medical Corps	April 4, 1922



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### 1940

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Bell	Marion Elizabeth	Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps	September 26, 1940

### 1941

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Spafford	Frances Winnifred	Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps	March 8, 1941
MacLeod	Jessie Margaret	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	April 29, 1941
Salmon	Naomi Elizabeth	Auxiliary Territorial Service	December 22, 1941

### 1942

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Richardson	Helena Maria	Auxiliary Services	January 15, 1942
Beauchemin	Leonne	Canadian Women's Army Corps	February 15, 1942
Tombs	Dorothy Helen	Queen Alexandra's Imperial Military Nursing Service	February 17, 1942
Heysel	Mary Kathryn	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	April 10, 1942
Cooney	Patricia Jane	Canadian Women's Army Corps	June 26, 1942
Moulson	Grace Audrey	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	August 8, 1942
Woodman	Elizabeth Genevieve	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	August 11, 1942
Roney	Lillian Le Verne	Canadian Women's Army Corps	August 14, 1942
Seymour	Hazel Winnifred	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	September 10, 1942
Wilkie	Agnes Wightman	Royal Canadian Navy	October 14, 1942
Scott	Doris Helen	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	October 22, 1942



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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Walsh	Olive Goddard	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	January 7, 1943
Goodman	Rose Jette	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	January 26, 1943
Stewart	Edith Marie	Canadian Women's Army Corps	February 13, 1943
Young	Isabel Luella	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	March 5, 1943
Fowler	Florence May	Canadian Women's Army Corps	March 28, 1943
Polgreen	Frances Eunice	Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps	May 11, 1943
Wallace	Olive May	Canadian Women's Army Corps	May 11, 1943
Dumoulin	Andree	Canadian Women's Army Corps	May 13, 1943
Millar	Mary Isabel	Canadian Women's Army Corps	May 16, 1943
James	Elsie Phyllis	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	June 3, 1943
Ashley	Ruth Louise	Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 6, 1943
Bamsey	Dora Marion	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	June 6, 1943
Rennie	Barbara Sarah	Canadian Women's Army Corps	June 8, 1943
Lomax	Gladys	Canadian Women's Army Corps	June 15, 1943
Foran	Sarah Josephine	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	June 30, 1943
Labbe	Rita	Canadian Women's Army Corps	July 4, 1943
More	Phyllis Elizabeth	Canadian Women's Army Corps	July 21, 1943
Young	Margaret Ada	Canadian Women's Army Corps	August 20, 1943
Buchanan	Emilie	Canadian Women's Army Corps	September 20, 1943
Brownlee	Edith Mary	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	October 10, 1943
Westgate	Marion Mercedes	Royal Canadian Air Force	October 27, 1943
Muise	Mary Maimie	Canadian Women's Army Corps	November 30, 1943
Burney	Doris	Canadian Women's Army Corps	December 23, 1943

# 1944

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Parkin	Annie	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	January 1, 1944
Hart	Margaret Victoria	Canadian Women's Army Corps	February 6, 1944
Le Pape	Olive Ivy Frances	Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service	April 21, 1944



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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Harkans	Mary Evelyn	Canadian Women's Army Corps	April 26, 1944
McBride	Mona Ethelyn	Canadian Women's Army Corps	June 3, 1944
Clegg	Olive Irene	Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service	June 17, 1944
Kronbauer	Kathleen Dorcas	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	June 29, 1944
Rech	Mary	Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service	July 24, 1944
Stever	Imelda	Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service	July 24, 1944
MacKay	Mary Margaret Murray	Territorial Army Nursing Service	August 12, 1944
Peters	Nora Hendry	Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps	August 12, 1944
Stean	Maud Elizabeth	Canadian Merchant Navy	August 14, 1944
McLaren	Mary Susannah	Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps	August 28, 1944
North	Muriel Almyra	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	September 8, 1944
Lamothe	Marie Elizabeth Rita	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	September 15, 1944
Passant	Thelma Florence	Canadian Women's Army Corps	September 19, 1944
James	Dorothy Helena	Canadian Women's Army Corps	September 23, 1944
Connor	Evelyn Cecelia	Canadian Women's Army Corps	September 24, 1944
McKenzie	Rhoda Elizabeth	Canadian Women's Army Corps	September 30, 1944
Alexander	Selena Pearl	Canadian Women's Army Corps	October 9, 1944
Sherman	Edna Alice	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	November 2, 1944
Southwell	Violet Marion	Canadian Women's Army Corps	November 6, 1944
Grant	Jean	Canadian Women's Army Corps	November 10, 1944
Atkinson	Jean Burgess	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	November 23, 1944
Parkinson	Margaret McCullough	South African Military Nursing Service	November 29, 1944
Treble	Phyllis Margaret	Canadian Women's Army Corps	December 21, 1944

1945

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Briggs	Margaret Agnes	Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps	February 22, 1945



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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Britton	Dorothy Florence	Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service	March 28, 1945
Clark	Galifreda Alice Petre	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	April 10, 1945
Schofield	Frances Noreen	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	April 23, 1945
Wakefield	Dorothy Maria	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	May 11, 1945
Begin	Mariette Francoise Yolande Claire	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	May 14, 1945
McGill	Margaret Airlie	Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service	May 24, 1945
MacDonald	Vera Catherine	Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps	June 22, 1945
Bennett	Pamela Gladys	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	July 13, 1945
Johnson	Nora	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	July 13, 1945
Mann	Margaret	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	July 13, 1945
Baker Floyd	Laura Mae Ruth	Canadian Women's Army Corps Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service	July 22, 1945 July 28, 1945
Wells	Shirley Isabel	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	July 29, 1945
Davies	June Catherine	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	August 9, 1945
Rowsell	Triffie Pearl	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	August 10, 1945
Henry Litt	Rosella Bernice Olive Lillian	Canadian Women's Army Corps Canadian Women's Army Corps	August 25, 1945 September 10, 1945
McWilliam	Margaret Frances	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	September 22, 1945
Perkin	Lesley Louise	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	October 9, 1945
Shaw	Elizabeth Anne	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	October 13, 1945
Cooper	Frances Ellen	Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps	October 26, 1945
Curtis Pugh Fitzgerald	Elizabeth Audrey Rosemary Edith Gladys Helen	Royal Canadian Air Force Canadian Women's Army Corps Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps	November 8, 1945 December 19, 1945 December 30, 1945





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### 1946

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Shearer	Agnes Jeanie	Canadian Women's Army Corps	January 22, 1946
Gannon	Frances Eileen	Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps	March 15, 1946
Brewster	Winifred Lilian	Canadian Women's Army Corps	April 15, 1946
Nicholls	Doris Ann	Canadian Women's Army Corps	April 29, 1946
Neal	Winnifred Lillian	Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service	May 3, 1946
Vallis	Daisy Louise	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	May 5, 1946
Anderson	Alice Lovina	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	June 14, 1946
Bouffard	Margaret Lorraine	Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service	June 29, 1946
Sparks	Lucelle Margaret	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	July 8, 1946
Dussio	Marie Cecile	Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps	August 2, 1946
Lewis	Olive Madge	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	August 30, 1946
Simpson	Ellen Marguerite	Canadian Women's Army Corps	September 22, 1946

### 1947

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Gallant	Mary Margaret	Canadian Women's Army Corps	February 4, 1947
Twiss	Ellen Jewel	Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division)	February 7, 1947
MacDonald	Myrtle	Canadian Women's Army Corps	March 10, 1947
Enright	Nellie Josephine	Royal Canadian Air Force	April 23, 1947
Grundy	Florrie	Women's Royal Canadian Naval Service	July 8, 1947
Marks	Maude Alexandria	Canadian Women's Army Corps	August 3, 1947

### 1950-1959

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Macura	Lottie	Royal Canadian Air Force	April 17, 1952



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### 1950-1959

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Moody	Joan Mildred	Royal Canadian Air Force	October 9, 1953
Hogg	Frances Sarah	Royal Canadian Air Force	November 20, 1954
Kerr	Muriel Isabell	RCAF Station Sea Island	June 30, 1959

### 1960-1969

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Brooks	Helen May	Royal Canadian Navy	November 22, 1967

### 1970-1979

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Barkley	Darlene Leona Mary	15 Service Battalion	July 27, 1977

### 1980-1989

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Lacroix	Marie Thérèse Céline	<i>1re Unité de Soutien de la Force Régulière</i>	October 2, 1981
Gawne	Kelly Rae	Royal Military College of Canada	June 20, 1988

### 1990-1999

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Trépanier	Judith Ann	Canadian Forces Communication Command Headquarters	October 30, 1991
Schiele	Nicole Patricia	HMCS Saskatchewan	February 17, 1994



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### 2000-2009

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Mackenzie	Juli-Ann	444 Combat Support Squadron	July 18, 2002
Short	Mariebeth	2 Combat Engineer Regiment	September 23, 2002
Goddard	Nichola Kathleen Sarah	Royal Canadian Horse Artillery	May 17, 2006
Cameron	Robin Lynelle	F Division RCMP	July 15, 2006
Keyes-Oliver	Arielle Marie	30 Field Regiment, Royal Canadian Artillery	October 25, 2008
Blais	Karine Marie Nathasha	12e Régiment Blindé du Canada	April 13, 2009
Mendes	Michelle Linda	Intelligence Branch	April 23, 2009

### 2010-2016

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Surname	Given name(s)	Branch/unit	Date of death
Robinson	Chelsey Alice	K Division RCMP	June 21, 2010
Giesebrecht	Kristal Lee-Anne	Medical Branch	June 26, 2010