

# World War Two Service



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<b>SERVICE</b>	ROYAL AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE
<b>DATE OF BIRTH</b>	3 JUNE 1924
<b>PLACE OF BIRTH</b>	MELBOURNE, VIC
<b>DATE OF ENLISTMENT</b>	9 OCTOBER 1942
<b>PLACE OF ENLISTMENT</b>	MELBOURNE, VIC
<b>NEXT OF KIN</b>	FAIRBAIRN, C
<b>DATE OF DEATH</b>	1 FEBRUARY 1945
<b>POSTING ON DEATH</b>	50 SQUADRON
<b>WW2 HONOURS AND GALLANTRY</b>	DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS



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