TRENTHAM WAR MEMORIAL 1939-1945



Name	JOHN GORDON BRASSINGTON
DOB	22 July 1915
Place of birth	Registered in Wolstanton
Lived at	The Gables, 70 Longton Road in 1939
Occupation	Assistant meat purveyor in wholesale meat trade
Family	Father John [b22/2/1883], Mother Emma Wood
. anny	[b27/7/1886] They married 1912 - Living in Burslem
	in 1911 and The Gables, Longton Road in 1939
Marital Status	Married 13 March 1943
Wife	Gwynneth Hughes Brassington nee Hodgson of
	South Anston, Sheffield
Interests	Keen sportsman, member of cricket and golf clubs
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Age enlisted	25 DEATH OF
Date enlisted	Volunteered in 1940 TRENTHAM
Service	Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve AIRMAN
Reg number	127175
Rank	Flight Lieutenant
War service	Served in Malta & stationed on the Gold Coast before returning to service in UK
Date of death	Died Monday, November 22, 1943
Age at death	Age 28
Place of death	
Cause of death	N/K
Grave or	TRENTHAM (ST. MARY AND ALL SAINTS) CHURCH CEMETERY
Memorial	South of Mausoleum. Grave 230.
	This is a distinctive CWG grave and the simple inscription is: RESTING
Other	Probate £443 4s left to Gwynneth Hughes Brassington
information	Educated at Newcastle High School and Alleyne's Grammar School, Stone.
	Freemason and member of the Ready Lodge, Burslem



Flying Officer John Brassington of the RAF and Sister Gwynneth Hodgson of the RAF Nursing Service with a guard of honour of the bridegroom's fellow officers after their wedding at Seighford.

Keen Sportsman A keen sportsman, Flight-Lieutenant Brassington was a member of the Trentham Cricket Club, and of the Hawkestine Park Golf Club. He was a golfer of merit A Freemason, he was a member of the Ready Lodge, Burslem, Licutenant Brassington volunteered for the RA-F, in 1940 and served in Matta during the island's critical period in 1941. Subsequently, he was stationed on the Gold Coast, before returning for service in this country. Deep sympathy will be extended to his wife and parents. The funeral will take pace at Trentham on Satur-day, the interment being preceded by a service at Treatham Church at 2 p.m Keen Sportsman

