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**Derrick Constant**

Rank: Flight Lieutenant (Pilot)

Service No.: 45063

615 Squadron, Royal Air Force (RAF)

Residence: Elham

Before Service:

Son of Martin and Violet de Vagnes Constant of Lower Court, Ottinge, Kent

During Service:

The 615 Squadron Log records Derrick's death on the 24<sup>th</sup> March 1944 as follows:

SILCHAR WEST	24	There were 11 sorties practice flying today, including aerobatics, air tests and air to ground firing. We deeply regret to record the death today of F/Sgt Marshall, who was killed when a Harvard crashed in the woods north of the strip at SILCHAR WEST. The aircraft was piloted by F/Lt CONSTANT, of 124 BAFU. Total flying: 7 hours 10 mins non-operational
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CWCG Records Derrick Died 30th March 1944

Buried Gauhati War Cemetery, India. Grave reference 4.D.11.

"THEN SAID I, HERE AM I; SEND ME" ISAIAH VI.8"