

**In Memory of
Private EDWARD (TED) SADLER
T/68439, 4th Bn., Royal Berkshire Regiment
who died, age 19,
between 10 May 1940 and 1 June 1940
Son of Harry and Alice Mary Sadler, of
Faringdon, Berkshire.
Remembered with honour
Faringdon War Memorial and
VEURNE COMMUNAL CEMETERY EXTENSION**



Commemorated in perpetuity by the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Jack Bryan at Ted Sadler's grave

Veurne Communal Cemetery Extension is located in the north-east district of the town of Veurne (also known as Furnes), West Flanders.

The British Expeditionary Force was involved in the later stages of the defence of Belgium following the German invasion in May 1940, and suffered many casualties in covering the withdrawal to Dunkirk. Commonwealth forces did not return until September 1944, but in the intervening years, many airmen were shot down or crashed in raids on strategic objectives in Belgium, or while returning from missions over Germany. Veurne Communal Cemetery Extension contains 77 Commonwealth burials of the Second World War, almost all of which date from the last two or three days of May 1940. There are also two Czech war graves within the extension. The adjoining Communal Cemetery contains two First World War burials.