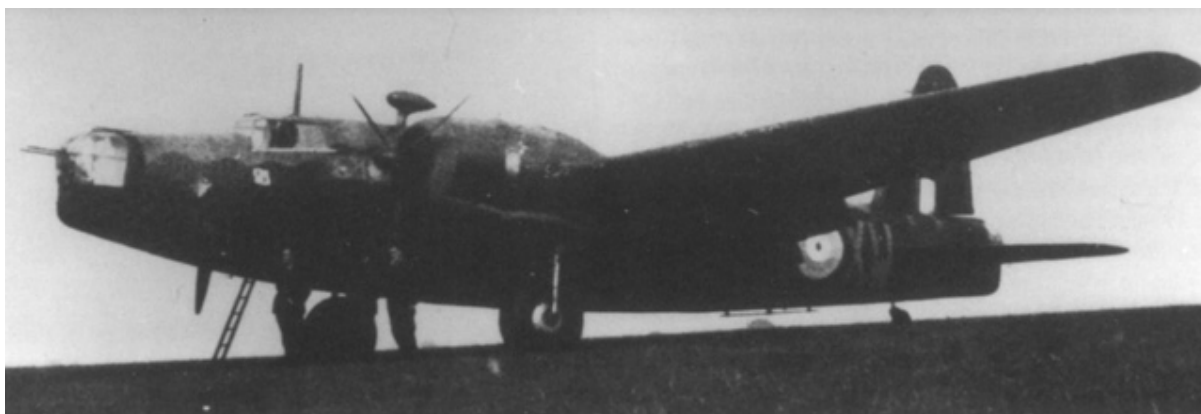


## **F/Sgt. Jack Stanley Fisher 549997 RAF**

Jack was an Air Gunner serving with 18 OTU at RAF Bitteswell, Leicestershire, and had been previously Mentioned in Dispatches in January 1941.

Wellington IC R3216 WS-K took off from Bitteswell airfield on 29 September 1941, on an evening navigational exercise. At 2150 hours, on its return, the aircraft stalled and crashed as it approached Bitteswell, a satellite station often used by training units. Of the eight-man crew on board, only one survived. Sgt Zietkiewicz PAF was rescued by a motor transport driver, S W J Green, whose bravery was subsequently recognised through the award of the George Medal.



Jack is buried at Nuneaton (Oaston Road) Cemetery, Warwickshire. Sec. K. Grave 6. He was 22 years old.

His fellow crew members were:

Sgt. Edward James Henry Heather RAFVR (killed)

Sgt. Stanislaw Cupryk PAF (killed)

Sgt. Teofan Astramowicz PAF (killed)

F/O Jan Jozepajt PAF (killed)

Sgt. Jan Ksiezyc PAF (killed)

F/O Zygfryd Stepień PAF (killed)

Sgt. M Zietkiewicz (injured)

He is commemorated on IBCC Panel 35

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