

PO Alexander John Stuart Buller 42391 RAF

Alexander, known as Sandy, was born on 10 March 1920 the eldest son of Admiral Sir Henry Tritton Buller KCVO, CB and Lady Hermione Moray Buller nee Stuart.

Educated at Stowe School, Buckinghamshire, Alexander joined the RAF at the outbreak of war and was commissioned as a pilot.

Newly posted to 101 Sqn, on 6 June 1940, Alexander and the crew departed RAF West Raynham, Norfolk in Blenheim IV P4912 (SR) on a training flight to carry out a height test. While cruising at an altitude of 5,000 feet, the aircraft stalled and entered an uncontrolled descent, crashing at Stanton St John, 5 miles north of Oxford killing all on board..

Also killed : Sgt Alan Macmillan (Observer); LAC George Davison (WOp/AG)

Alexander is buried in Shipley St Mary Churchyard, Sussex

Alexander is commemorated on Wall Panel 138

Photo Source: Shipley Parish

