



Hubert Alvin Bartlett
Royal Newfoundland Regiment
Regimental No. 1740
World War II

Born: 05 Jul 1926

Died: 27 Jan 2012

Place of Birth: St. John's, Newfoundland

Parents: Hedley and Emma (nee Ash) Bartlett

Hubert's parents moved to St. John's from Bareneed several years before he was born in 1926. The Bartlett's made their home on Mount Royale Avenue in the district of St. Johns West.

Hubert enlisted in the Royal Newfoundland Regiment in late 1944 at age 18 and served from 28 September 1944, to 31 March 1945. He is described as being 5' 9" tall with blue eyes and fair complexion.

There is an entry on a ship manifest that states that on 18 June 1944, Hubert arrived at the port of New York on board the Fort Townsend. He was 19 at the time.

Interestingly, Hubert's father had served in World War I and three (3) of his brothers served as well. Angus in the Royal Artillery of Newfoundland and Bertram in the Royal Naval Reserve (Newfoundland) during World War II. A younger brother, Valmore served two years in the United States Marines during the early 1950's.

The 1935 Newfoundland General Census lists Hubert at age 9, living at home with his parents and other siblings on 4 Mount Royal Avenue, in the electoral district of St. John's West. His father, Hedley is 45, Mother Emma 43 and siblings Ivy 18, Agnes 17, Bertram 14, Daphne 13, Betty 11, Valmore 5, and Fern 3.

Hubert was married twice. His first wife was Teresa O'Brien of St. John's, whom he divorced in 1985 after 38 years of marriage. His second wife was Judith Trout Paulson of Elyria, Ohio, whom he married in 1986.

Hubert had moved to the United States in the late 1940's and worked as a carpenter, eventually forming and owning his own construction company in Ohio. He passed away on January 22, 2012, and is buried at Maple Grove cemetery, Vermillion, Ohio.