



Kokoda (Station 16)

Australian deaths: behind enemy lines during the Japanese advance & during the withdrawal

During the Japanese advance

The following died behind enemy lines during the initial Japanese advance to Kokoda.

Name	Service No.	Rank	Bn/ Regt	Date of death
Hanna, Robert H.	VX69754	Pte	ANGAU	08/08/42
Holyoake, Ralph J.	V25003	Pte	ANGAU	08/08/42
Izatt, John H.	V302076	Lt	1 PIB	22/09/42
Matthews, Henry*	P385	Chaplain	ANGAU	07/08/42
Palmer, Harry D.	V150148	A/Cpl	ANGAU	08/08/42
Pokino (Pata)	PN96	Pte	1 PIB	06/08/42
Smith, Arthur A.	Q30	Lt	1 PIB	28/08/42
Stork, Frank*	V155250	Pte	ANGAU	07/08/42

* Both Matthews and Stork were on the MV Mamutu being evacuated when it was attacked and sunk by a Japanese submarine between Port Moresby and Daru (not on the mainland, and not during any specific Kokoda campaign).

During the withdrawal

Name	Service No.	Rank	Bn/ Regt	Date of death
Bould, Harold E	V37378	Pte	39 th Bn	29/07/42
Curran, REXLEIGH W.	V58374	Pte	39 th Bn	09/08/42
Fowler, Victor	V125262	Pte	39 th Bn	10/08/42
Graham, Lloyd G.	V126255	Pte	39 th Bn	25/09/42
Hanlon, Bernard M.	VX68912	Pte	39 th Bn	09/08/42
Hemple, Francis H.	V34006	Pte	39 th Bn	10/08/42
Holness, Victor G.	V124008	Pte	39 th Bn	29/07/42
Howlett, Donald A.	V22072	A/Cpl	39 th Bn	10/08/42
McGrath, John W.	VX66065	Pte	39 th Bn	29/07/42
McLeod, Frank F.	VX103129	Pte	39 th Bn	09/08/42
Mead, Colin F.	V250004	Pte	39 th Bn	09/08/42
Molony, Alexander J.	V65640	Pte	39 th Bn	29/07/42
Owen, William T.	VX45223	T/Lt Col	39 th Bn	29/07/42
Priestley, David E.	V125319	Pte	39 th Bn	29/07/42
Scattergood, Vernon C.	V65927	Pte	39 th Bn	10/08/42
Skinner, Leslie C.	VX117713	Pte	39 th Bn	09/08/42
Spencer, Lionel F.	V58355	Pte	39 th Bn	09/08/42
Stormont, John A.	V65935	Pte	39 th Bn	09/08/42
Thomson, Maxwell C.	VX67073	Pte	39 th Bn	09/08/42
Tierney, Reginald	VX103154	Pte	39 th Bn	29/07/42
Watkins, Norman C.	VX69263	Pte	39 th Bn	10/08/42
Williams, Arthur R.	VX117722	A/Cpl	39 th Bn	09/08/42