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ATTESTATION FORM
(HOSTILITIES FORM)

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FOR MEN OF THE ROYAL CANADIAN NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

SURNAME..... BERRYMAN OFFICIAL NO. 116905
CHRISTIAN NAMES..... Jack Gardner MARRIED, SINGLE OR WIDOWER..... Single

PERMANENT ADDRESS	RELIGION
32 Ashley Street, HAMILTON, Ontario.	Presbyterian

DATE OF BIRTH	*PLACE OF BIRTH	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN
February 16, 1924	Town HAMILTON County Wentworth Province Ontario	(mother) Elizabeth Berryman, same address.
*Original Nationality of: Father British Mother British		

*If not the son of natural born British parents, particulars to be given at foot of next page

(A) PERSONAL DESCRIPTION ON ENROLMENT

HEIGHT	CHEST MEASUREMENT	HAIR	EYES	COMPLEXION	WOUNDS, SCARS, MARKS
Feet..... 5	Inflated..... 36	Brown	Blue	Fair	scar left shin
Inches..... 7 1/2	Deflated..... 33 1/2				
122	Mean..... 34 3/4				

EDUCATIONAL STANDING	TRADE OR CALLING AND IN WHOSE EMPLOY
1 year High School	Labourer Canadian National Railways HAMILTON, Ont.

DATE OF ENROLMENT	RATING FOR WHICH ENROLLED	R.C.N.V.R. DIVISION, OR OTHER ESTABLISHMENT, AT WHICH ENROLLED
1st May 1942	STOKER II	H.M.C.S. 'STAR'

(B) DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT

I hereby declare as follows:—

- (1) That I am a British Subject domiciled in Canada.
- (2) That I am desirous of being enrolled as a member of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve Force, and that I accept and agree to abide by the rules of the said Force.
- (3) That * (a) I have never served, and am not serving in any Naval, Military, Reserve, or Territorial Force.

* (b) I served in..... for the period.....
record of service, in corroboration of this statement.

*Cross out Clause not applicable.

Personnel Records Division
1. Noted in Records.....
2. Noted in Records.....
3. Non-Sub. Card.....
4. Reserve or Territorial.....
5. Ribbon Strip.....
6. Pension Card.....
7. shown, and attach my.....
8.
DATE 16/5/42

SERVED IN	RANK	FROM	TO
R. H. L. I.	Private	February 1942	April 30, 1942

(c) I have never been rejected for or discharged from any of His Majesty's Forces on account of unfitness.

(4) That the particulars contained above are correct and true according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(5) On being enrolled as a member of the.....HAMILTON.....Division of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, I undertake to bind myself:—

(a) To serve from the date thereof for the duration of hostilities, being subject to the provisions of the Naval Service Act, and of the Regulations made in pursuance thereof for the government of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, and to the customs and usages of His Majesty's Canadian Naval Service.

(b) To report for active service if called upon in time of war or emergency, and, if called into active service, to serve ashore or afloat as may be directed, according to where my services are required.

(c) To keep in good repair and condition the articles of uniform and any articles of outfit which may be issued to me and to return them to the nearest Divisional Commanding Officer or to Training Headquarters prior to my discharge or when required so to do by any authorized person, or to pay compensation for any loss or damage thereto other than fair wear and tear; and also not to wear such uniform or outfit (which is and remains the property of the Crown) except when on naval duty.

(d) To undergo vaccination or re-vaccination, or inoculation, as considered necessary by the appropriate authorities.

Dated this.....1st.....day of.....May 1942.....

Signature of applicant.....Jack G. Berryman.....

(C) CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER

I hereby certify that all the foregoing statements were made by the volunteer above named, in my presence, and that he has made and signed the above declaration in my presence on this.....1st.....

day of.....May, 1942.....

.....G. H. Parke S/L VR.....
Signature of and rank of Attesting Officer.

(D) OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I,.....Jack Gardner Berryman.....do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Britannic Majesty, His heirs and successors according to law.

Signature of Applicant.....Jack G. Berryman.....

Witness.....G. H. Parke.....

Date.....1st May 1942..... Rank.....S/L VR.....

The Oath of Allegiance may be administered by a Commissioned Officer of the Naval Service.

(E) CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER

.....Jack Gardner Berryman.....having been duly enrolled to serve in the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve Force, I have caused his name and every prescribed particular to be recorded in the Record Book of the.....HAMILTON.....Division of the R.C.N.V.R. or in the appropriate official documents.

.....G. H. Parke S/L VR.....
Attesting Officer.

.....1st May.....1942..... R.C.N.V.R. Division (or other establishment).....H.M.C.S. 'STAR'.....

NOTE.—This form when completed and when the particulars on it have been noted in the Divisional Commanding Officer's Record Book, is to be forwarded to Headquarters, Ottawa, for custody.

The Certificate of medical examination, B-207, and certificates of previous service are to be sent to Headquarters, Ottawa, with this form.

Certificates of previous service will be returned after they have been examined at Headquarters, Ottawa.

This is to acknowledge that I have not been induced to enter the.....Starke.....Branch of the Naval Service by the prospect of being transferred at some future date to another Branch.

.....Jack G. Berryman.....
Signature

"D"

ATTESTATION

NON-PERMANENT ACTIVE MILITIA OF CANADA

UNIT 2nd Bn R.H.L.I (VR) REGTL. No. B515949

1. Surname? (Block letters)..... BERRYMAN
2. Christian names?..... John Gardner
3. Present address?..... 32 Ashley St.
Phone No..... 2-4092
4. Date of Birth?..... Feb. 16-1924
5. British subject?..... Yes
6. Occupation?..... C.N.R. Office
7. Religion?..... Pres.
8. Next of Kin..... E.H. Berryman
Address..... Same
9. Relationship?..... Father
10. Previous Naval, Military or Air Force Service..... Nil
(Give particulars, qualifications, etc.)

5'7" CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION
 Height..... Weight..... 121 Chest max..... 34 min..... 32
 Descriptive marks..... none
 I have examined the above named man in accordance with instructions laid down in Instructions for the R.C.A.M.C. and C.D.C. 1937 Appendix V and find him..... Category..... A
 Date..... Feb 20/42 Signature..... R. Nicholson Ph

DECLARATION TO BE MADE ON ATTESTATION

I, the undersigned.....do sincerely and solemnly declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the above answers (made by me) to the foregoing questions are true; that I am willing to be attested for the term of three years or until legally discharged, and do understand the nature and terms of this engagement, that I will safeguard all clothing, arms and equipment issued to me and will return same when required, and that I will report any change in address of myself, or my next of kin to my Commanding Officer.

OATH TO BE TAKEN

I,.....do sincerely promise and swear (or solemnly declare) that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty.

.....
 Signature of Witness..... Jack Berryman
 Signature of Man

Dated this..... day of..... 19..... at.....

CERTIFICATE OF ATTESTING OFFICER

The recruit above-named was cautioned by me that if he made any false answers to any of the above questions he would be liable to be punished by law. The above questions were then read to the recruit in my presence. I have taken care that he understands each question and that his answer to each question has been duly entered and replied to, and the said recruit has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath.

.....
 Signature of Magistrate, Justice of Peace or Attesting Officer

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Statement of Services

Promotions, Reductions, Transfers, Casualties, Annual Training, Qualification Certificates, etc.	Effective Date	Authority for Entry	Signatures of Officers Certifying Correctness of entries
Accepted for Service with effect from.....	20/2/42	R.O. 8.	<i>R. Wilson</i> Officer Commanding Unit 2 nd P. K. L. L.
S.O.S. (R.C.N.V.R.)	29/4/42	R.O. 22	<i>W. Maden</i>
Medals and Decorations			

NOTE.—These entries are to be made from time to time as they occur and certified by the Officer making the entry.
Attestations to be made out in duplicate, the original being forwarded to be filed in Regimental Orderly Room, the duplicate to be kept in the Battery, Squadron, Company, etc

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TRUE COPY

OF THE

CERTIFICATE of the Service of

Jack Gardner BERRYMAN

IN THE ROYAL CANADIAN ~~NAVY~~
NAVAL VOLUNTEER RESERVE

The corner of this Certificate is to be cut off if the man is discharged with a "Bad" character or with disgrace, or if specially directed by the Department of National Defence (Naval Service). If the corner is cut off, the fact is to be noted in the Ledger.

Official Number V/16905

Date of Birth <u>16 February 1924</u>	Nearest known Relative or Friend (To be noted in pencil).
Where born } Province <u>Ontario</u>	Name: <u>Kathleen Elizabeth</u>
} Town or County <u>Hamilton</u>	Relationship: <u>Mother</u>
Trade brought up to <u>Labourer</u>	Address: <u>31 West Ave.</u>
Religious denomination <u>Presbyterian</u>	<u>Hamilton, Ont.</u>
Date passed swimming test _____	
Man's signature on discharge to pension _____	

All Engagements, including N.C.S., to be noted in these Columns

Date of actually volunteering	Commencement of time	Period volunteered for	Date of actually volunteering	Commencement of time	Period volunteered for
1. <u>31 March '42</u>	<u>1 May '42</u>	<u>Hostilities</u>			
2.					
3.					
4.					

Medals, Clasps, Etc.

Date received or forfeited	Nature of Decoration	Date received or forfeited	Nature of Decoration
<u>16 Feb '44</u>	<u>Canadian Volunteer Service Medal & Clasp, Prov Award</u>		
<u>16 Feb '44</u>	<u>1939-43 Star</u>		

Description of Person	Stature		Chest, In.	Colour of			Marks, Wounds and Scars
	Feet	In.		Hair	Eyes	Complexion	
On entry as a boy	<u>5</u>	<u>7 1/2</u>	<u>34 3/4</u>	<u>Brown</u>	<u>Blue</u>	<u>Fair</u>	
On Advancement to man's rating or on entry under 28 years							
On re-entry for C.S. or for Non-C.S. after attaining 28 years							
Further Description if necessary....							

V16905

OFFICIAL NUMBER

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NAME BERRYMAN (Surname) Jack, Gardner. (Given Names) DATE OF BIRTH 16th February, 1924.PLACE OF BIRTH Hamilton, Ontario. OCCUPATION Labourer.RELIGION Presbyterian. EDUCATION 1 year High School.RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT: Street and No. 32 Ashley Street, Town Hamilton, Province, etc. Ontario.

ENGAGEMENTS				DESCRIPTION					PREVIOUS SERVICE			
Date (in figures)			Period	Height	Hair	Eyes	Complexion	Marks or Scars	Served in	Rank or Rating	Dates	
Day	Month	Year									From	To
1	5	42	H.O.	5'7 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	Brown	Blue	Fair	Scar left shin.	R.H.L.I.	Pte.	2-42	30-4-4

NEXT OF KIN. RELATIONSHIP (in pencil) Mother NAME (in pencil) Mrs Daisy B BerrymanADDRESS (in pencil): Street and No. 31 West Ave, Town Hamilton Province, etc. Ontario

MEDALS, CLASPS, HURT CERTIFICATES, PRIZE MONEY				EXAMINATIONS, CERTIFICATES, ETC.			
Date (in figures)			Particulars	Date (in figures)			Particulars
Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	
16	2	44	C.V.S.M. (R. & C.) 1939-43 Star.	1	7	43	Qual. Anti-Gas 1 day (2nd issue)
14	8	45	Mention in Despatches (021245A/18/45)	8	9	43	Granted Aux. W/K Cert. <u>cut 1st issue</u>

BADGES, G.C. OR G.S.					BRIEF PARTICULARS OF WARRANT OR C.M. PUNISHMENTS AND C.P. CHARGES						
Date (in figures)			1st, 2nd or 3rd G.C. or G.S.	Granted Deprived Restored	SHIP OR ESTABLISHMENT	Wt. No.	Date (in figures)			BRIEF PARTICULARS OF OFFENCE	PUNISHMENT
Day	Month	Year					Day	Month	Year		
					Civil Power		23	2	43	Convicted by Civil Power	1 day's pay and time forfeited

Date (in figures)			DAYS FORFEITED						O.H.F. received.	
Day	Month	Year	Prison	Det'n	Cells	C. Power	W. Trial	In diff. Char.		
23	2	43				1				O.H.F. received.

FILM
NO. WSR 5329-2
DATE

SECOND CLASS FOR CONDUCT

From To

W.S.G.
APPLICATION
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V16905

OFFICIAL NUMBER

NAME (Surname)

BERRYMAN

(Given Names) Jack, Gardner.

P.I.B.

OFFICIAL NUMBER

V16905

Ship or Establishment	Rating	From			Remarks	Character	Efficiency	Date			Non-Sub. Rating	Qualified			Re-Qualified		
		Day	Month	Year				Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year
HMCS Star.	Stoker 11	1	5	42	Hamilton Div. Str.	V.G.	Sat.	31	12	42							
"	"	1	5	42	Active Service	V.G.	Sat.	31	12	43							
York	"	5	5	42	D	V.G.	Sat.	31	12	44							
Cornwallis	"	15	6	42	D Charney 23-8-42	V.G.	Sat.	18	3	45							
Stadacona	"	5	9	42													
Quinte	"	6	10	42	DRD												
Stadacona	"	8	12	42	DRD H-129												
Annapolis	"	1	1	43	DRD H-306												
"	Stoker 1	25	3	43	Rated 249A/29759												
Stadacona	"	30	6	43	DRD H-1939												
Guysborough	"	7	7	43	DRD H-1983												
"	A/Ldg.Sto.	1	4	44	Rated. 249A(40417)												
DISCHARGED	"	18	3	45	"Missing" per Casualty List.												

"Presumed Dead" per Casualty List.

GENERAL REMARKS

Granted Canadian Memorial Cross to Mother: Mrs. Daisy E. Berryman, 31 West Ave., S., Hamilton, Ontario. 4 June, 1945.

DATE OF BIRTH			PLACE OF BIRTH	CIVIL OCCU.		RELI-GION	ED	PERM. RESIDENCE			PREV. ENLI	RANK OR RATE ON ENLISTMENT			
DY.	MO.	YR.	BIRTH	MAIN	SUB	GION		P.	CTY.	TOWN	SERV.	DIV.	A	BR.	RANK
16	2	24	11	900	0	50	2	1	55	02	9	20	0	15	95
ENLIST. DATE			ACT. SERV. DATE			STR.	ACT. SERV. DATE			SHIP OR	RANK OR RATE				
DY.	MO.	YR.	DY.	MO.	YR.	CAT.	DY.	MO.	YR.	ESTAB.	A	BR.	RANK		
01	05	42	01	05	42					3290	0	15	94		
SENIORITY			STR.	NON-SUB.		M.	CODED			CHECKED					
DY.	MO.	YR.	CAT.	A	B	ST.									
25	03	43	B	00	00		2-5								

INFORMATION EXTRACTED FROM NAVAL SERVICE HEADQUARTERS RECORDS

Six copies to be rendered to Naval Service Headquarters

REPORT OF THE DEATH OF AN OFFICER, MAN OR BOY

~~XXXXXXXX~~ NAVAL SERVICE HEADQUARTERS, OTTAWA, ONTARIO.

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Name **BERRYMAN** **Jack Gardner**
(Christian names in full)

Rank or Rating **Leading Stoker** Official No. **V-16905** Unit **R.C.N. (R.C.N.V.R.)**

Place of Birth **Hamilton, Ontario.** Date of Birth **16 February, 1924**

Occupation in Civil Life **Labourer** Religion **Presbyterian**

Number of years service in the Navy (Long Service R.C.N., or mobilized service in case of R.C.N. (Temporary) or Reserve ratings) **From 1st May, 1942 to 18th March, 1945.**

Date of Death **18th March, 1945.** Place of Death **At sea**

Cause of Death **"Missing PRESUMED DEAD". He was serving in H.M.C.S. "GUYSBOROUGH"**
(If due to accident, violence, or enemy action, particulars to be stated briefly)
which was torpedoed and sunk by enemy action at sea.

Nearest known relative or friend { Name **Mrs. Daisy B. Berryman,** Relationship **Mother**
Address **31 West Ave., S., HAMILTON, Ontario.**

Date on which the above was informed by Ship.....

Date on which death was registered with local Officials.....

In the case of Imperial Service men, whether Active Service, Pensioner or Reserve, date on which the prescribed return was rendered to the Registrar General in London, Edinburgh or Dublin, according to Nationality.....

If applicable { Place of Burial **No burial.** Date of Burial.....
Location, Number, etc., of grave.....
Undertaker employed.....

H.B. Money

~~XXXXXXXXXX~~
for SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD.

The SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD
Department of National Defence,
Ottawa, Canada.

Date **OTTAWA, Ont., 1st May, 1945.**

In all cases this Form is to be sent in addition to the Report by Telegraph required by the Regulations.

Distribution: File, Imp. W. G. Com., Dom. Stat., Register, Sec. C.P.C., Dir. of Records.

*Noted
L. N. P.A.
9.5.45
L.D.*

LA/CM

REGISTERED

AIR MAIL

N.S. V-16905. PERS.(N)

21 March, 1945.

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Dear Mrs. Berryman:

It is with deepest regret that I must confirm the telegram of the 21st of March, 1945, from the Minister of National Defence for Naval Services, informing you that your son, Jack Gardner Berryman, Leading Stoker, Official Number V-16905, Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve, is missing at sea.

The only information that can be given at this time is that your son is missing at sea as the result of enemy action. The position of the action is such that there is little possibility of him being a prisoner of war and slight hope can be held for his survival.

Please be assured that as soon as further particulars can be released or any other news received, you will be informed.

For security reasons, it is requested that you regard the name of your son's ship in connection with his loss as confidential at this time.

Please accept the sincere sympathy of the Department in your anxiety.

Yours sincerely,


SECRETARY, NAVAL BOARD.

Mrs. Daisy E. Berryman,
31 West Avenue S.,
HAMILTON, Ontario.







NAVAL MESSAGE

To:

MRS DAISY E. BERRYMAN
31 WEST AVENUE S
HAMILTON ONTARIO 70

From:

NSHQ

V.16905

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CNP
DPR

THE MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENCE FOR NAVAL SERVICES DEEPLY
REGRETS TO REPORT THAT YOUR SON JACK GARDNER BERRYMAN
LEADING STOKER V-16905 IS MISSING AT SEA. LETTER FOLLOWS.

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DELIVERY CONFIRMED

L/T P/L 21/3/45 EFG 6124

DRAFTED BY D.P.R. LIEUT (S) T. F. HEARD

N.S. V-16905 PERS (N)

MEDALS AND MEMORIALS—DECEASED PERSONNEL
RCNVR Apr. 46 "GUYSBOROUGH"

REGISTRATION No. DATE OF DESPATCH

(1) MEDALS
PERSON

Same add 10-5-45

ENTITLED TO Mr. Edward H.J. Berryman - Father

ADDRESS: ~~80 Wentworth St.,~~ 31 West Ave. S.,
HAMILTON, Ont. Corres. on file.

(2) MEMORIAL CROSS

WIDOW

ADDRESS:

(3) MEMORIAL CROSS

MOTHER Mrs. D.E. Berryman

ADDRESS: 31 West Avenue, S., Hamilton, Ontario.

MEMORIAL BAR

(1) DATE DESP.....

REGN. NO. *195* CANCELLED

(2)

(3)

4-6-45

