

John MacDonald Courthorpe Wilson
Captain in the 1st Battalion The Loyal Regiment (North Lancashire)
Service Number 95635
Age 22

John was born on 14th June 1920 in Guernsey, the son of Lt.-Col. Macdonald Wilson and Dorothy Wilson. His father was a Lt- Col in The Loyal Regiment (North Lancashire). Macdonald Wilson aged 23 married Dorothy Scull aged 24 at Axbridge in 1918. They had two children, one son and one daughter. In September 1939 the family were living in Manchester, where Dorothy had joined the WVS.

Macdonald Wilson died in 1975

John aged 21 married Janet Maud Dru Drury aged 26 in April 1942, at Corfe Castle

John died on 21st April 1943 and is buried at Medjez-el-Bab War Cemetery, Tunisia. Grave number 1 D 1.

Inscription: BELOVED SON OF LIEUT. COL. AND MRS. MACDONALD WILSON AND HUSBAND OF JAN. RES NON VERBA

Administration was granted to Janet Maude Dru Wilson, widow on 13th April 1946. Effects £468 11s 10d.



Janet never remarried, and died at Corfe Castle in 1975.

Commemorated on the memorial at Corfe Castle