

Australian Red Cross Society Wounded and Missing  
Enquiry Bureau files, 1914-18 War  
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**3875 Private  
Thomas Thompson**

**15th Battalion**



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Thompson Pte. J.  
3875

"My chief recollection of Pte. J. Thompson is that he was shot through the arm and chest & the lung was penetrated. He always realised that he was dying and was not afraid to meet his Maker. One of his last remarks was "I am finished, but I don't mind". He had a good deal of trouble with his breathing but his end was quite peaceful. He came to us on the 7th and died at 3 a.m. on the 10th August.

He was buried on August 11th in the cemetery at Abbeville, France. The enclosed postcard shows the part of the ground where he lies.

The prayers on the little card were used at the funeral and at the Memorial Celebration of Holy Communion on the following day.

Would you kindly forward the enclosed to the relatives and perhaps they might like to see this letter.

Yours very truly, and with deepest sympathy to those bereaved.

Letter recd. from:-

Archibald H. Cullen, C.F.  
Chaplin, 1st S. A. G. H.

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