

Name: Georges Étienne Joseph Charles Caillaud

Born: 26 Dec 1882, Egypt

Parents: Hippolyte Benjamin Caillaud et de Marie Jeanne Cardinal

Jesuit Priest (ordained 2 Aug 1914)

Studied and taught in Jersey. Address given as Jesuits Jersey on initial military service record.

Service: Sergent 125e R.I. (Regiment d'Infanterie)

Matricule au recrutement : #792, Poitiers Vienne, Class 1902

Rejoined 125e R.I. after mobilisation

Wounded Aug 1914 at la Marne

Rejoined as Volunteer Chaplain (aumônier volontaire) Apr, 1915. Unit: 20e régiment d'artillerie (20e RA)

Awards: Médaille militaire (1 Nov1916) - Croix de guerre (palme)

**Citations:** to the Order of the 20th R.A.C.: "Seriously wounded on 1 Nov1916, by two shrapnel wounds, when he went to the 3rd group to exercise his ministry there. Already wounded for the first time in 1914, on the Marne, as an infantry sergeant, had been reformed and could no longer serve in the ranks. Had insisted on returning to the front as a voluntary chaplain, and had shared our existence since April 1915. He had become one of us and knew how to win the sympathy, the esteem and the respect of all. Since the regiment's arrival on its current position, he had shown a tireless devotion to the batteries of shooting, which he had not left for twenty-four days, assisting the wounded, burying the dead from previous fighting with his hands, carrying himself wherever his ministry called him, without worrying about

the bombardments which blocked his path: he was beaten as a soldier in the performance of his duty" Translated.

"Excellent non-commissioned officer. Wounded at the Battle of the Marne and reformed, returned to the front as a volunteer chaplain in April 1915. Continued to demonstrate courage and dedication above all praise. Was mortally wounded on November 1, 1916, in the exercise of his ministry". Translated

**Died:** KIA 4 Nov 1917 at Maricourt, Somme, Hauts de France.

Grave: Nécropole Nationale Albert, Somme, Hauts-De-France - : Individual tomb No: 3084



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