

Kent County War Memorial



It was George Robert Canning, the 4th Lord Harris, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E. (1851-1932), who first had the idea of erecting a war memorial to commemorate all the Great War fallen of the county of Kent. After some initial deliberation regarding where to locate the memorial, it is located in a garden laid out at the rear of Canterbury Cathedral, and bears the following inscription:- “To the Glory of God and in honour of the men and women of Kent belonging to His Majesty's Service who gave their lives in the War, 1914 to 1918.”