



Master Corporal SCOTT FRANCIS VERNELLI



Killed: 20 March, 2009
Zhari District, Kandahar, Afghanistan

Date of Birth:
Place of Birth:
Age:

Military Service: - Service Number
- 3rd Bn Royal Canadian Regiment

Family: - Ruth and Chuck Vernelli parents
- Wife Marcie and 6 month old baby, Olivia
- good friend of Travis S.

MCpl Vernelli, on his third tour in Afghanistan, was serving with the RCR Battle Group and had four weeks to go before being rotated home. He was killed with Cpl. Tyler Crooks and five other Canadians were wounded while on a dismounted patrol. The soldiers were killed/wounded by an improvised explosive device believed triggered by one of the men on foot patrol. The incident occurred in the Zhari District west of Kandahar City at about 0645 Kandahar time. A separate later attack killed 2 Canadian soldiers, Tpr Bouthillier and Tpr Hayes and wounded three other soldiers.