

**Some Notes about the Military Service
of Leslie Harry Bates**
provided by his daughter, Jacquie Bird
(In an e-mail from Jacquie Bird dated November 1, 2022.)

Leslie Harry Bates

Canadian Army (in the UK)

Rank: Quarter Master Sergeant in the Corps of Military Staff Clerks

From October 1940 to March 1949. He was discharged then as they moved to Canada.

He received the Defence Medal, The War Medal and the Canadian Volunteer Service Medal.

As well, as the Queen Elizabeth 2 Coronation Medal (though it had nothing to do with active service). Dad worked in Canada House

RCAF (in Canada)

Rank: Flying Officer, RCAF Auxiliary, Intelligence Branch, Air Services.

From October 1952 to April 1958.