Name of memorial: Day Memorial (1)

Place: Christ Church Cathedral (C. of I.), Waterford

Address and map reference: Henrietta Street, Waterford. Map reference S 609 123.

Position: West wall of nave (to right on entering)

Description and dimensions: Brass plate on grey marble. Height approx. 90cms, width 45cms.

Recorded by: Michael Pegum, 26 August, 2004

Text:

SIC ITUR AD ASTRA

IN LOVING MEMORY OF
THE VERY REVD.
MAURICE WILLIAM DAY: M.A.
DEAN OF THIS CATHEDRAL: AND RECTOR
OF HOLY TRINITY PARISH 1913 – 1916
WHO DIED AT COURTMACSHERRY CO. CORK
AUGUST 29 1916: AGED 58 YEARS

ALSO OF HIS SONS

MAURICE CHARLES DAY: B.A.¹
SENIOR SCHOLAR TRINITY COLLEGE

CAMBRIDGE: BELL UNIVERSITY SCHOLAR

1911: WRANGLER 1913: LIEUTENANT 13TH RAJPUTS: KILLED IN ACTION AT

TANGA: GERMAN EAST AFRICA NOV 3 1914: AGED 23 YEARS

AND

JOHN EDWARD DAY²
CAPTAIN 6TH (SERVICE) BATTALION
THE ROYAL IRISH REGIMENT: DIED
OF WOUNDS RECEIVED IN ACTION
NEAR WYTSCHAETE: ON GOOD FRIDAY
APRIL 6 1917: AGED 22 YEARS

THIS TABLET IS PLACED HERE BY KATHERINE L. F. DAY: WIFE AND MOTHER

THANKS BE TO GOD WHICH GIVETH US THE VICTORY THROUGH OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST

Books:

1 = Our Heroes

"Photographs with biographical notes of Officers of Irish Regiments and of Irish Officers of British Regiments who have fallen in action or who have been mentioned for good conduct, from August, 1914 to July, 1916."

Dublin, Irish Life, 1916. (reprint available from www.naval-military-press.com).

Also includes photos and biographical details of some other ranks (not officers) who died or were decorated.

2 = University of Dublin War List

Dublin, Hodges Figgis & Co, 1922. (reprint available from www.naval-military-press.com).

List of 3,529 members of Trinity College, Dublin, the Dublin University O.T.C., or employees who served in the Great War. List gives date of graduation or entry to the College, ranks with dates appointed, regiments or services, decorations and, if they died, where.