Stained Glass Window at Kaniva Presbyterian Church



Kaniva Presbyterian Church Crown of Life BR&Co 1948 (1)



Kaniva Presbyterian Church Crown of Life BR&Co 1948 detail



Kaniva Presbyterian Church Crown of Life BR&Co 1948 inscription

Location

Corner Philips and Dungey Streets, Kaniva, WEST WIMMERA SHIRE

Municipality

WEST WIMMERA SHIRE

Level of significance

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Heritage Listing

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

Heritage Study/Consultant Vic War Heritage Inventory - Stained Glass Memorial Windows Study, Bronwyn

Hughes, 2013;

Architect/Designer

Kerr-Morgan, William, Brooks, Robinson & Drooks, Ro

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196644

Property Number

Memorial Window References & Discounting Window R

Bruce Meyer Don Goodwin and Jean Wallis (collator), 'Century of Service St. John's Presbyterian Church, Kaniva 1889-1989: the early history'; Brooks, Robinson & Co. job books (1923-c1966)

With thanks to Bruce Meyer.

Memorial Window Subject

Crown of Life

Memorial Window Text

n/a

Memorial Window Inscription

To the Glory of God and in sacred memory of those who served in World Wars 1914-18, 1939-45

Memorial Window Description & Earny; History

Mr. RJ McDonald ordered the *Crown of Life* memorial window from Brooks, Robinson & Co. in August 1948. The window was in two panels, the top arch measuring 15 x 17 inches and the lower main panel 37 x 17 inches. William Kerr-Morgan adapted the design from an earlier sketch which he drew up to full size. This version of the *Crown of Life* pictured a knight in armour, kneeling before Christ who reached out to place the crown upon the soldier's head. The ornamental canopy was designed to match earlier windows in the church that had also been made in the Brooks, Robinson studio.

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