Nazwisko LOPUSZYŃSKI

Imiona JULIAN Pseudonim .....

Z domu .....

Data urodzenia ..... Miejscowość, kraj .....

Data śmierci 1996 Miejscowość, kraj Sandwell General Hospital, Anglia

Lat życia 86

Adres cmentarza .....

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Veteran dies near where son was killed

A Polish war veteran who lived in Walsall has been killed – on the same road where his son met his death more than 20 years ago.

Julian Lopuszynski, aged 86, was struck by a car as he crossed Walsall Road, near the junction with Booth's Farm Road, in Great Barr.

His son Antoni, then aged 11, died after being in collision with a car on the same road, near the Boundary Hotel in Walsall.

Mr Lopuszynski, a former engineer, was taken to Sandwell General Hospital with multiple injuries but died hours after the accident on Saturday.

The car driver, Wayne Evans, aged 21, of Darvel Road, Willenhall, who was travelling towards Walsall, was unhurt.

Mr Lopuszynski's son Josef, who lived with him in Chuckery, Walsall, said his father was in the Polish army when the Germans invaded and was captured.

He managed to find a map of the area and escaped to Switzerland, finally arriving in Britain.

"As a staunch Catholic he was fortunate to have been able to die in a State of Grace having just been in Birmingham for the Sacrament of Reconciliation," said his son, a classical musician and teacher.

Mrs Lopuszynski died in 1993 aged 73.

Mr Lopusznski's elder brother also died in a road accident, in Poland about 10 years ago.

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