

Grenadier Guard Officers M.C - Medal Awards: 2nd World War – Major's



Military Cross – M.C

Instituted by King George the Fifth 28th December 1914. The Military Cross is awarded to commissioned and warrant officers for distinguished and meritorious service in battle. For additional acts of bravery, a straight silver bar was awarded. During the Great War 2,885 of these medals were awarded to British officers.

Ribbon: White with Purple central stripe



Major: Chaplin, George Woodthorpe, M.C., 176726. 5th Battalion Grenadier Guards. Died 2nd December 1944. Listed: Panel 3, Cassino Memorial, Italy