

RA	Arthur Cowdell	Kirkhill	Source: Returning Forces Fund
Born	19 February 1911		
War Service	110 th Regiment Royal Artillery. Birmingham (including Harborne) suffered significant bombing in early 1941 so Arthur may well have been with Anti-Aircraft guns provided by a unit of The Royal Artillery.		
1939 Register	Morris's Row, Bingham Anne Cowdell b. 31 July 1868 Arthur Cowdell b.19 Feb 1911	Unpaid domestic duties Lorry Driver	
Marriage	Jan 9 1941 Arthur Cowdell married Mary Ann Hall, Cropwell Bishop Marriage certificate shows Arthur as a Soldier with 110 th Regiment Royal Artillery, Harborne, Bingham. Mary Ann was a domestic servant in Cropwell Bishop. No children found on FBMD		Mary b. Bingham April 1916, mother's name Sheppard
Family (i.e. parents, siblings spouse from post 1911 records)	Father John died 1921 Mother Anne died 1947 Brother Thomas died 3 May 1967 Cotgrave Colliery	John Cowdell and Ann Lacy married Jun qtr. 1889 Bingham. Thomas married Georgina M Hoyle in April 1938 In Nottingham	
Census 1911 Father's Family	Needham Street, Bingham John, b. 1868 b. Bingham Ann (née Lacy) b. 1868 b. Shelford John, b. 1887 Bingham Samuel, b. 1891 Bingham Herbert, b.1894 Bingham Harriet, b. 1896 Bingham Albert, b. 1898 Bingham Hilda, b. 1902 Bingham Ernest, b. 1904 Bingham Nellie, b. 1906 Bingham Thomas, b. 1908 Bingham Arthur 1 month Bingham	Labourer for Brickmaker Labourer Farm " " School School School School	
Parents' marriage	John Cowdell and Anne Lacy married Jun qtr. 1889 Bingham.		
Mother's family 1881 Census	Shelford Abraham Lacey, widower, b. 1829 Shelford Seven siblings plus Anne	labourer	

Census 1911 Wife's Family 1911 Census	Cropwell Bishop Mary Hall, widow, b. 1862 Cropwell Bishop William, b. 1882 Cropwell Bishop Walter, b. 1889 Cropwell Bishop George, b. 1896 Cropwell Bishop Annie, b. 1898 Cropwell Bishop Victoria, b. 1900 Cropwell Bishop Sydney, b. 1902 Cropwell Bishop Frederick D Hallam, boarder, b.1885 Clipstone	Gypsum miner – hewer underground Gypsum miner – hewer underground (Mary Ann's father) Gypsum miner – hanger on School School School Gypsum miner – hewer underground	
Wife's family 1939	Brother Walter was head of household at 1 Council Houses, Cropwell Bishop with his wife Clara. Other Hall family members were present, including four "closed records" one of which may have been Mary Ann.		
Post war - Arthur's occupation	Family Tree – lorry driver		
Death register	Arthur died 15 July 1970		