



# MEMORIAL GATES

**Her Majesty The Queen** inaugurated  
The Memorial Gates in 2002.



They are situated at the Hyde Park Corner end of Constitution Hill, close to Buckingham Palace in London and commemorate the Armed Forces of the British Empire from Africa, the Caribbean and the five regions of the Indian subcontinent – Bangladesh, India, Nepal, Pakistan and Sri Lanka who served in the Two World Wars. Built: 2002 Design: Liam O'Connor.

We hope that you will find this guide helpful, whether as part of an educational project or simply to discover some of the most evocative memorials in London all a short walk from The Memorial Gates.

[www.memorial-gates-london.org.uk](http://www.memorial-gates-london.org.uk)



### 1 RAF Bomber Command Memorial

Commemorating the aircrews who embarked on missions during the Second World War  
Built: 2012  
Design: Liam O'Connor and Philip Jackson



### 2 New Zealand War Memorial

War memorial to the war dead of NZ in both World Wars  
Built: 2006  
Design: Architect John Hardwick-Smith and sculptor Paul Dibble



### 3 Machine Gun Corps Memorial

Memorial to the dead of the Machine Gun Corps in the First World War  
Built: 1925  
Design: Francis Derwent Wood



### 4 Wellington Arch

Also known as Constitution Arch and to commemorate Britain's victories in the Napoleonic Wars  
Built: 1826-30  
Design: Decimus Burton



### 5 Australian War Memorial

To commemorate the 102,000 Australian dead of the First and Second World Wars  
Built: 2003  
Design: Tonkin Zulaikha Greer and Janet Laurence



### 6 Royal Artillery Memorial

Dedicated to casualties from the Royal Regiment of Artillery in the First World War  
Built: 1925  
Design: Charles Jagger and Lionel Pearson



### 7 Cavalry Memorial

In memory of members of Cavalry Regiments killed in World War I  
Built: 1924  
Design: Adrian Jones and Sir John Burnet



### 8 Holocaust Memorial Garden

The first public memorial in UK to victims of the Holocaust  
Built: 1983  
Design: Mark Badger, Richard Seifert and Derek Lovejoy and Partners



### 9 7 July Memorial

A permanent memorial to honour the victims of the 7 July 2005 London Bombings  
Built: 2009  
Design: Carmody Groarke and Arup



### 10 Animals in War Memorial

A memorial to the countless animals that have served and died under British military command throughout history  
Built: 2004  
Design: David Backhouse



### 11 Canada Memorial

In memory of one million Canadians who served with British forces during the two World Wars  
Built: 1994  
Design: Pierre Granche



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