

Arnhem Bridge - the centre of one of the most heroic stands of World War Two - forms the ~~sitting~~ background to a ~~whole~~ pilgrimage of Remembrance. It's thirteen years now - since the First Airborne Division battled so desperately against overwhelming odds - to hold that Rhine Bridge.

But evergreen is the tribute at the Arnhem Memorial to ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~the~~ Red Devils who won immortal glory. /s.

At Oosterbeek - also the scene of bitter fighting - bereaved relatives and comrades of the fallen shared the remembrance - in the gentle rain.

One of the many tributes was laid ~~by Dr. Radlowski of Manchester~~ on behalf of Polish Paratroopers. /s

At the Airborne Cemetery - a memorial service formed a common bond ~~between~~ <sup>among the</sup> ~~between~~ relatives who had made the long pilgrimage to spend a short while with their loved ones.

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While Dutch children tend the graves of the men who dropped from the sky to bring ~~the~~ liberation to Holland - <sup>and</sup> ~~and~~ <sup>now rest</sup> ~~and~~ ~~xxx~~ ~~xxx~~ among friends /

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And who better to honour the deeds of this immortal company than their war-time commander - General Urquart - who ~~was to~~ <sup>was to</sup> ~~scatter~~ <sup>scatter</sup> ~~ashes~~ <sup>ashes</sup> of home.

ashes from Westminster's Field of Remembrance <sup>the</sup> on ~~the~~ hallowed resting-place of "the Men of Arnhem" /