

Barend Jacobus Van Der Merwe

South African Army (Union Defence Force)

was a Prisoner of War at Stalag IVB Mühlberg (Elbe).

He whom this scroll commemorates

is numbered among those who,
in the service of their Country, left all
that was dear to them, endured hardship,
faced danger and suffered imprisonment
in the cause of freedom.
Let those who come after see to it
that his name be not forgotten.