



LEARNED NOTHING . . . ?

Have the post-war generations learned anything? Have they already forgotten the misery that took place all those years ago in their own home and surroundings? The most horrible experience that people can experience is war.

You read that in books and you hear about it from tradition and from the first hand experiences of those immediately impacted by these events as well as those persons more remotely effected.

Families who have experienced years of tension and misery; sometimes with loss of life for those living in the immediate area or memories of bombing and the need for air raid shelters. Or as experienced in Vlissingen, an all-destructive battle that left almost no house intact and drove the residents away from both their homes and their environment.

You don't want to think about all this kind of misery. The war years in Vlissingen were long and intense and ended only with the loss of many lives.