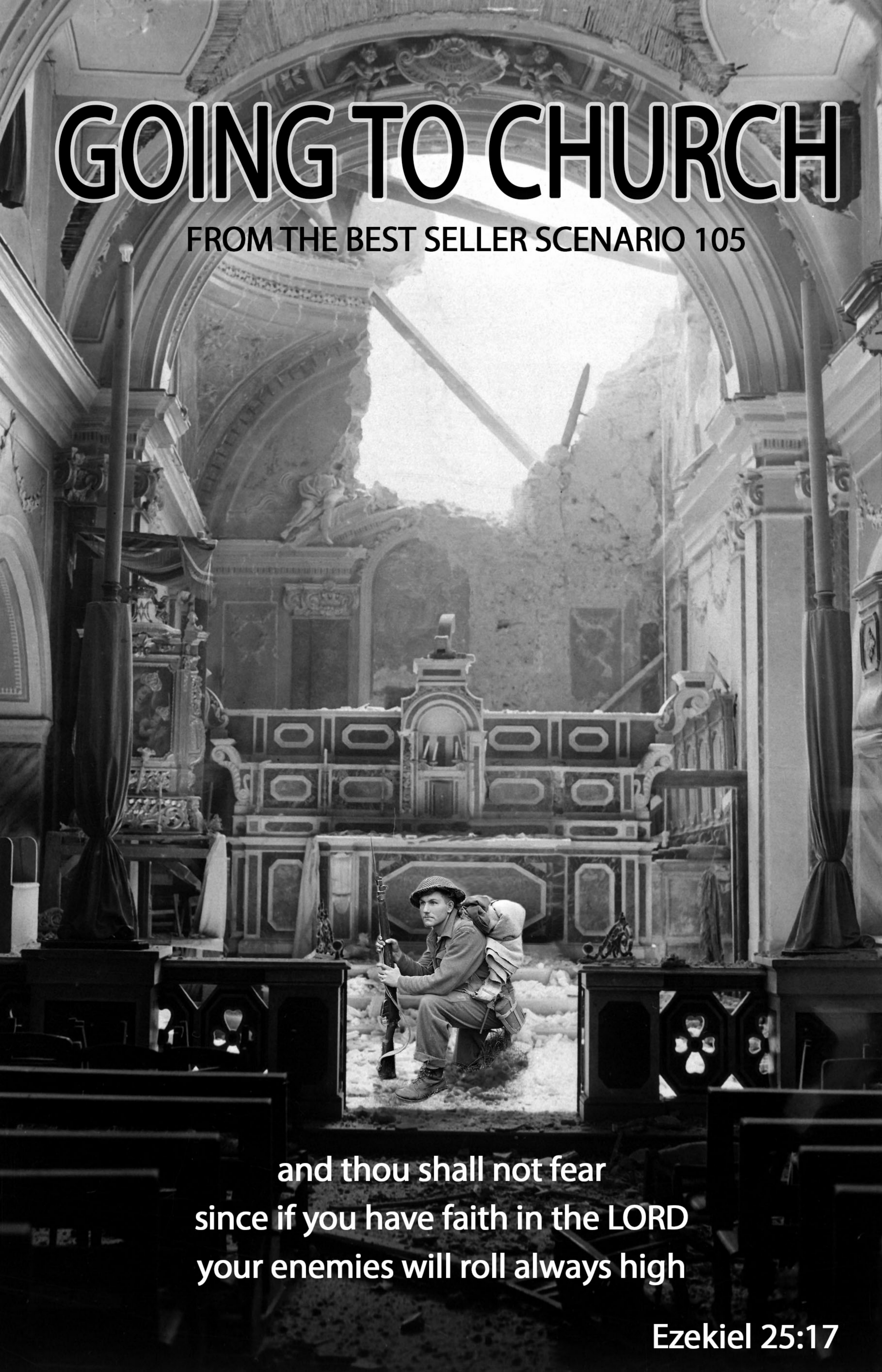


GOING TO CHURCH

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and thou shall not fear
since if you have faith in the LORD
your enemies will roll always high

Ezekiel 25:17

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ST. MARTIN, FRANCE, August 1, 1944

The path of the righteous man is beset on all sides by the inequities of the selfish and the tyranny of evil men.

Even if german forces have evacuated the area, few german SS units are still holding the church of St. Martin de Fontenay, controlling from the upper floor the access to the building. One detachment is placed across Rue de l'eglise to control the outskirts of the village.

Canadian brigadier H.A. Young assesses the situation and places the attack starting point at the north west of the church in front of the backyard, with Thatcher in charge of the HMG and Mc. Zuia in command of the demolition team.

The battle starts with a snipers show. The canadian one wounds an SS hero, even if he was concealed, and the immediate answer from the german one is the killing of Mc. Zuia.

After the canadian movement the opposite forces confront each other. The advanced SS detachment controls the crossing on the open in front of the church and the canadians have firelane on the road blocking the detachment from regrouping in the church.

The precise fire of Thatcher disbands one of the units on the upper floor of the church.

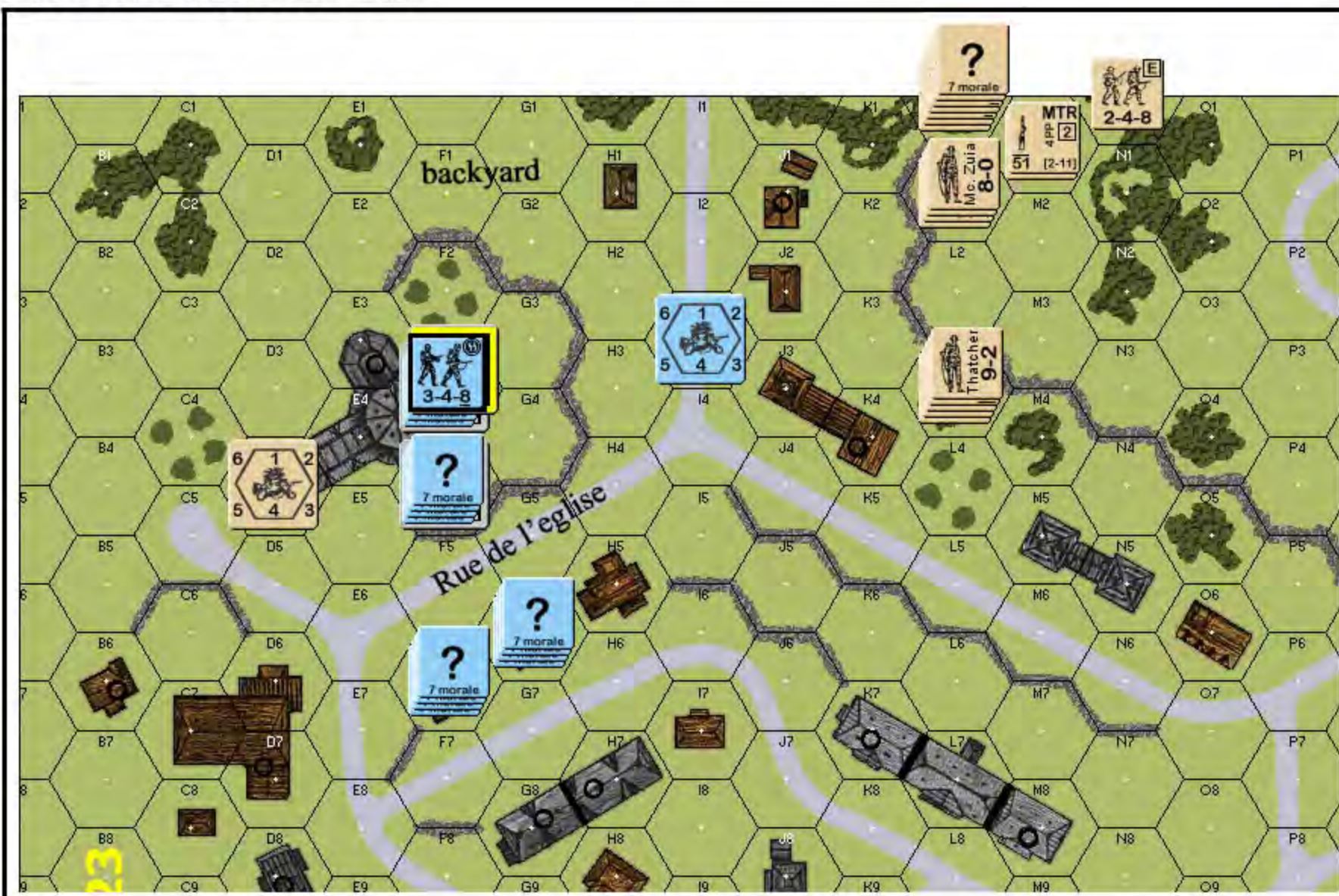
To avoid more losses the SS move all the units to the ground level out of los.

Time to start the business.

The mortar team, that moved in the woods north west of the church is able to cover the SS detachment with smoke, allowing to most of the canadian troops to cross the open to the backyard.

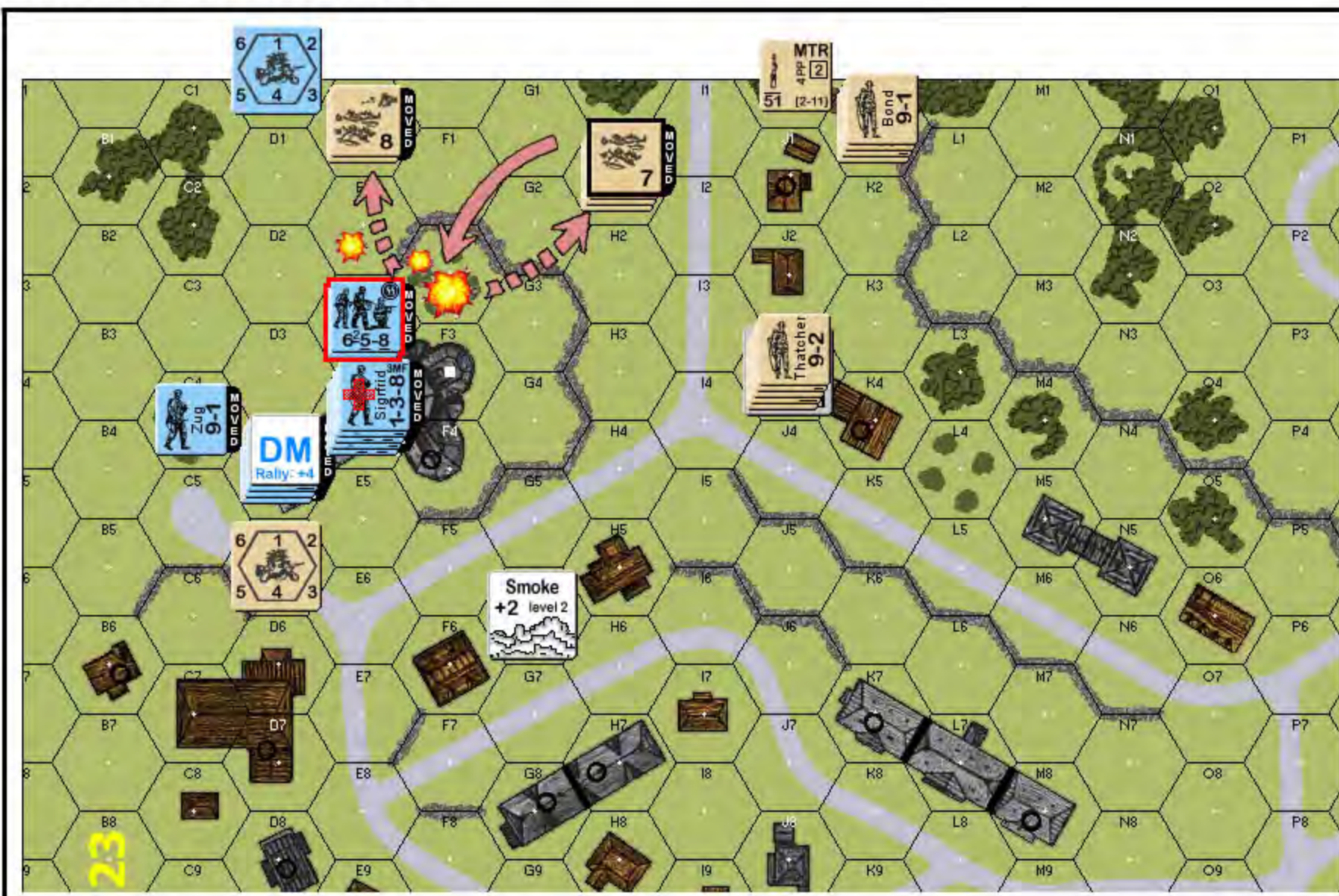
Thatcher leaves the HMG to lead the troops to the target since the only other leader alive, Bond, is busy recovering one squad that broke during the crossing.

The germans pop smoke grenades too and with that cover are able to cross the street towards the church, even if the leader is broken in the process by the canadian HMG fire.



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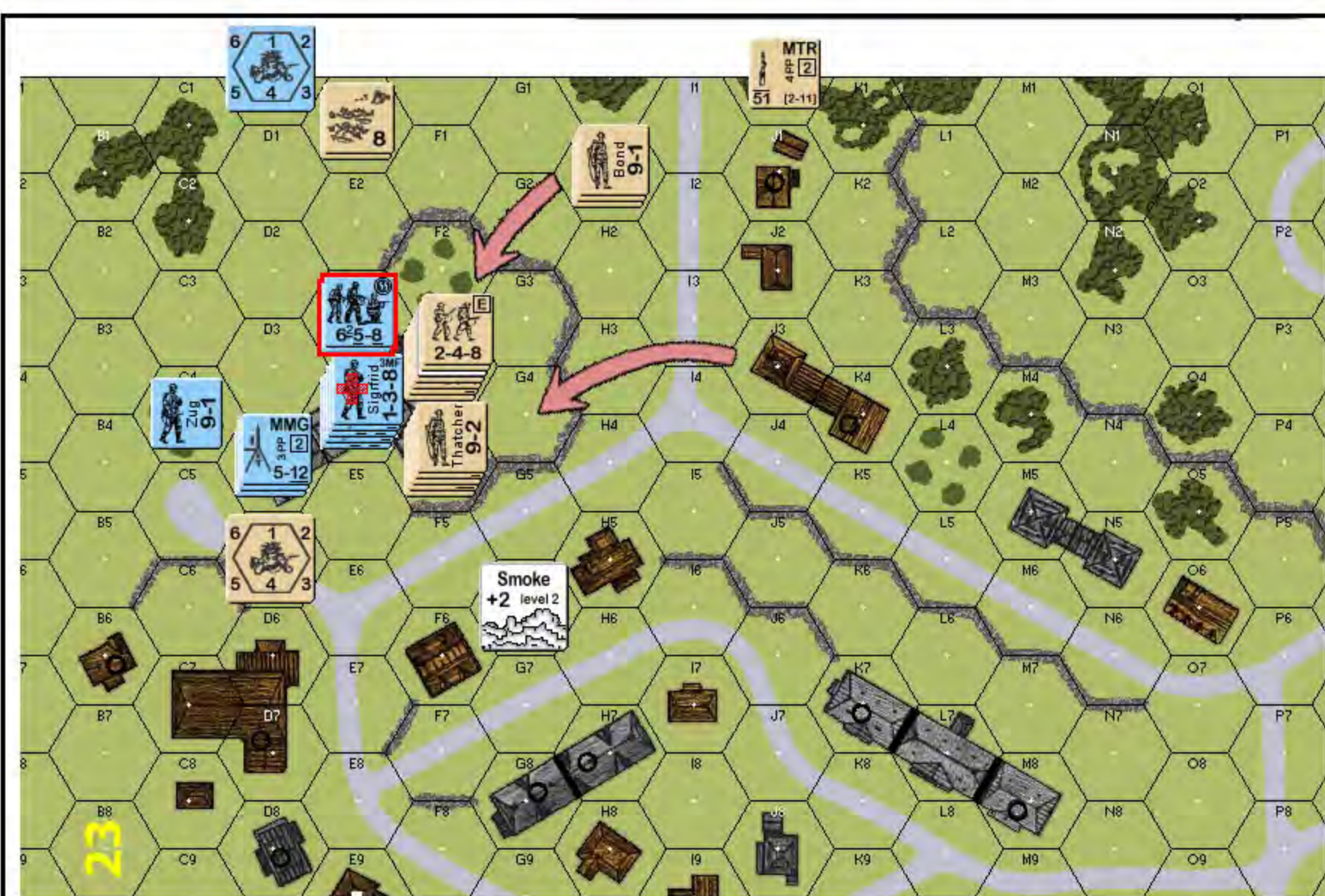
Thatcher runs back to the HMG to move its position to the upper floor of the building in order to have LOS to the ground floor of the church.

One Canadian attack to the west wing of the building is firmly repulsed by the SS firepower.

The Germans had brought all the forces in the building. Including the wounded hero and the external detachment and move away from the front positions to avoid the deadly HMG fire.

Canadians start to worry not having enough power nor time to dislodge the SS from the objective.

Brigadier H.A. Young before giving the order for the final desperate assault kneels and prays in the order: the Lord, the Holy Trinity and all the Saints in the calendar.



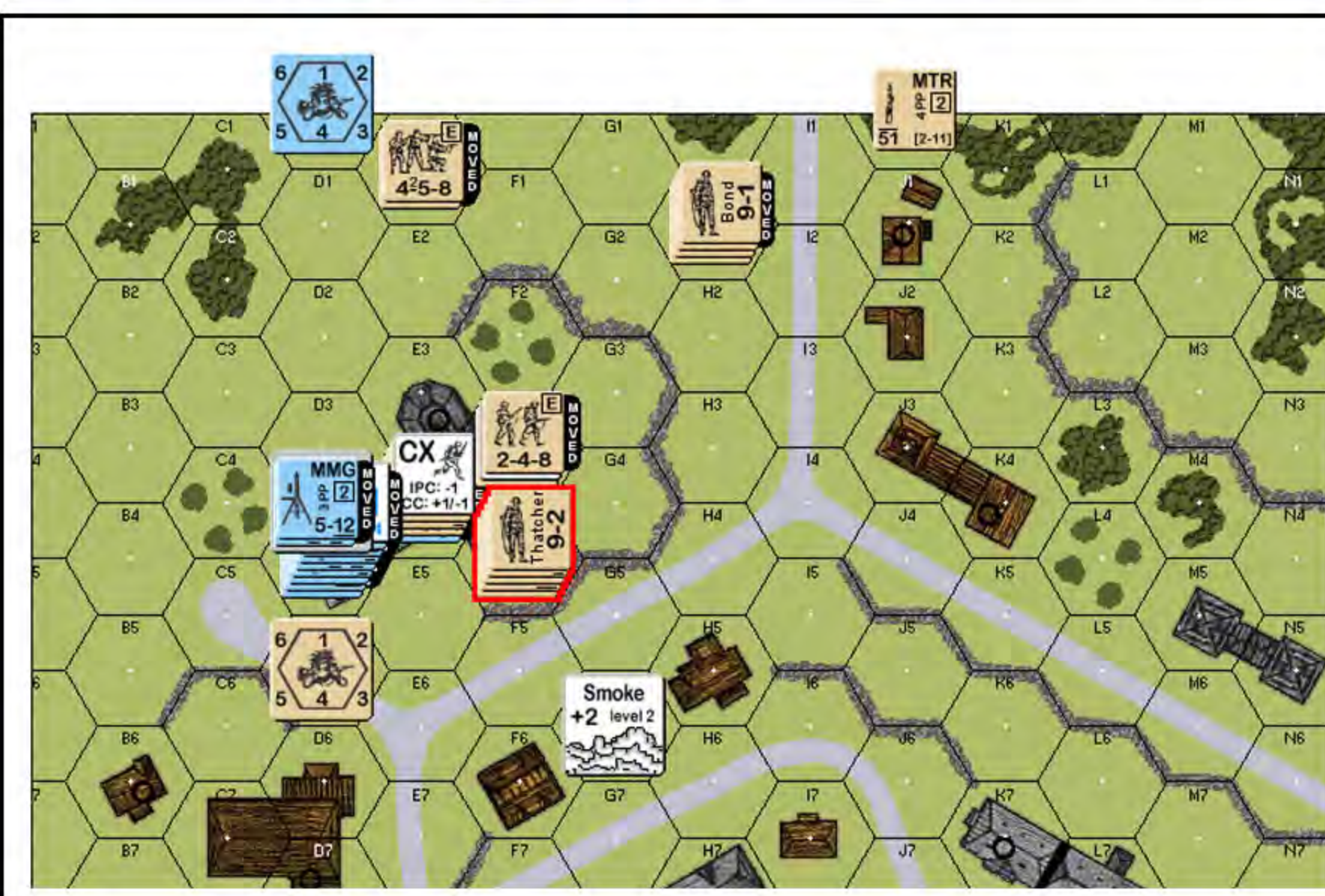
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Its miracle time.

Led by Thatcher the Canadian troops assault the church and survive without a scratch to a 36 FP +2 and to a 22 FP +3 prep fire. Creating also a hero during the firefight (private Toda).

In the following defensive fire they break all SS adjacent soldiers.

Germans retreat at the end of the church and recover 90% of the broken units. Fire on the Canadians with no effect and are demolished again by the fire led by the omnipresent Thatcher.



The last surviving German squad with the MMG moves to the upper floor for the last stand.

But when the demolition team, armed with the explosive satchel, moves near to them to place the device and they roll 11 again on the defensive fire, the German commander swears in the order: the Lord, the Holy Trinity and all the Saints in the calendar.

The German surrenders.

War bulletin:

	CANADIAN	GERMAN
MMC KIA	17%	-
MMC MIA	33%	77%
SMC KIA	33%	-
SMC MIA	-	100%

MVP : Thatcher. Brokes the first Germans in the church, drives the men to the attack, goes back to lead the HMG to push the Germans to retreat and commands the final assault.