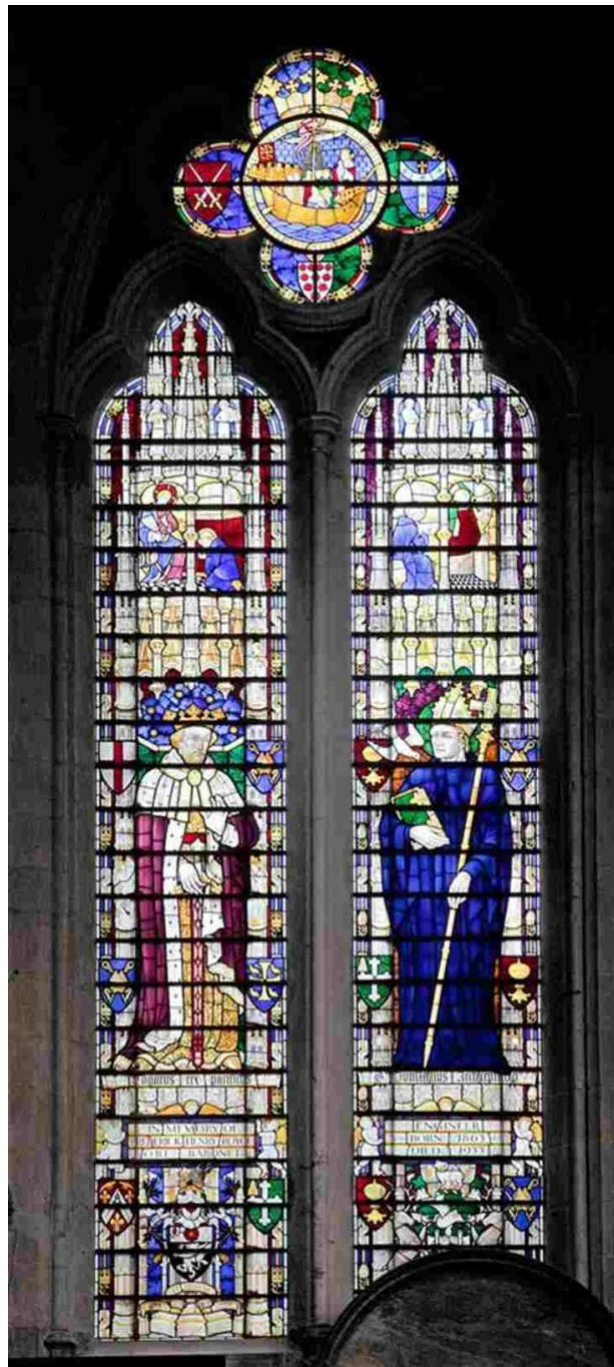


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SIR HENRY ROYCE  
WESTMINSTER ABBEY MEMORIAL WINDOW



In the north aisle of the nave of Westminster Abbey is a memorial window for Sir Frederick Henry Royce, engineer and car designer. This is one of a series of stained glass windows in the nave designed by Sir J. Ninian Comper and each window depicts a King of England and a churchman or abbot connected with the Abbey's history. In this case, this window depicts figures of King Edgar (first king of all England) and St Dunstan (who brought monks to Westminster in about 960 AD).

Comper completed the design just before his death in 1960 and the work was carried out by his partner John Bucknall. It was unveiled by Lord Kindersley, chairman of Rolls Royce Ltd., on 23rd October 1962 and the inscription at the base reads:

In memory of Frederick Henry Royce O.B.E. Baronet,  
Engineer. Born 1863. Died 1933



*Sir Henry's coat of arms is shown in the bottom left panel with the Griffin on the blue background visible in the shield, see inset.*

*The coat of arms of the city of Derby, where his cars were made, is shown (partly obscured) in the bottom right panel. The ram at the top and stags on either side are visible, see inset.*

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