



Private Francis POWER

3577 9th Battalion Lancashire Fusiliers

Killed in action aged 26

Buried Lala Baba Cemetery, Turkey Grave III. C. 6.

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 5C-063

Personal History

Francis POWER was born at Manchester, Lancashire in 1889 the son of Francis and Margaret POWER nee LILLEY who were married 17/12/1883 at St. Oswald, Collyhurst, Manchester.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 39, Baguley Street, Manchester,. He was aged 22 with the occupation of Railway Platelayers Labourer.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 4, Oram Street, Harpurhey, Manchester, Lancashire,. He was aged 13

He was a married man. His wife's name was Ada POWER (nee LITH) They married at Christ Church, Harpurhey, Manchester on 3 December 1907. They had children: Francis b.1908, Elizabeth b. 1910, Alfred b. 1914, James Edward b. 1914

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Chief Civil Engineers Dept. at Manchester Vicoria

Service History

He enlisted in the Lancashire Fusiliers at Manchester, Lancashire. and embarked for Balkans on 11 July 1915. His last known address was Manchester, Queens Road, James Palace, 9 (CWGC).

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He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal & 1914-15 Star

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