



***Private Thomas RAMSDEN***

*6973 10th Battalion Yorkshire Light Infantry*

*Killed in action 1 July 1916 aged 30*

*Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 6A-009*

***Personal History***

*Thomas RAMSDEN was born at Clifton, Brighouse, Yorkshire in 1886 the son of Henry and Mary RAMSDEN nee WALTON who were married 11/02/1882 at Dewsbury, Yorkshire. His father died in 1929. His mother died in 1929.*

*In the 1911 census the family were living at White Cott. He was aged with the occupation of Knowl Lane, Mirfield, Yorkshire. Age 26, Railway Goods Shunter.*

*In the 1901 census the family were living at 2, New Houses, Huddersfield, Yorkshire,. He was aged 15 with the occupation of Woollen Weaver.*

*In the 1891 census the family were living at 5, Bradley's Buildings, North Gate, Huddersfield, Yorkshire,. He was aged 5 with the occupation of Scholar.*

*He was a married man. His wife's name was Ellen RAMSDEN (nee HODGESON) They married at Huddersfield, Yorkshire, on 21 March 1905. They had children: Mabel b. 1910*

*Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Chief Goods Managers Dept. at Mirfield as a Shunter*

***Service History***

*He enlisted in the Yorkshire Light Infantry at Pontefract, Yorkshire. and embarked for (Theatre of war not known) on 1 September 1914. His last known address was Mirfield, Yorkshire, Knowl Lane, White Cottage (1911 Census).*

*He is recorded as Killed in action on 1 July 1916 aged 30*

*He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal & 14 Star*

**Do you have any further information about this serviceman? If so, we would be pleased to hear from you. Contact us using the link [www.mlfhs.uk/contact](http://www.mlfhs.uk/contact)**

