



***Private Clifford Shortus SHARP***

*4193 D' Cpmpany 1st/5th Batt. King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry*

*Killed in action 16 August 1916 aged 19*

*Commemorated Thiépval Memorial, France Pier & Face 11C & 12A*

*Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 6B-044*

***Personal History***

*Clifford Shortus SHARP was born at Goole, Yorkshire in 1897 the son of Thomas and Mary A SHARP nee COLLIER who were married 1882 at Holy Trinity, Rothwell, Leeds, Yorkshire.*

*In the 1911 census the family were living at 45, Adeline Street, Goole, Yorkshire,. He was aged 13 with the occupation of Grocers Errand Boy.*

*In the 1901 census the family were living at 32, Vermingden Terrace, Goole, Yorkshire,. He was aged 3 Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Locomotive Dept. at Goole as a Cleaner*

***Service History***

*He enlisted in the King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry at Strenstall, Yorkshire. and embarked for France on 19 August 1915. His last known address was Goole, Yorkshire, Parliament Street, 68 (CWGC).*

*He is recorded as Killed in action on 16 August 1916 aged 19*

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

***Remarks***

*Other Memorials : Goole Times 1917 Roll of Honour Booklet*

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