

## Sapper (Private) James BERESFORD

1697 1st/5th Battalion Loyal North Lancashire Regiment
Killed in action 8 September 1916 aged 22
Commemorated Thiepval Memorial, France Pier & Face 11A

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 1B-051

## Personal History

James BERESFORD was born at Bolton, Lancashire in 1894 the son of John Thomas and Mary J. BERESFORD nee FAULKENER who were married 1892 at Holy Trinity, Bolton-le-Moors. Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Locomtive Dept. at Horwich as a Top Rammer

## Service History

He was living at Droylsden, Lancashire when he enlisted in the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment at Bolton, Lancashire. and embarked for France on 12 February 1915. His last known address was Bolton, Ordasall Street, North, 1 (2 Court - 1901 Census).

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He was awarded the Victory Medal & British War Medal



