



L/Sergeant George SPEAKMAN

16182 9th Battalion Loyal North Lancashire Regiment

Killed in action 2 May 1916 aged 25

Commemorated Arras Memorial, France Bay 7

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 6C-024

Personal History

George SPEAKMAN was born at Chorley, Lancashire in 1890 the son of Joseph and Elizabeth SPEAKMAN nee WITHNELL who were married 1879 at Wigan Register Office or Registrar Attended . His father died on . In the 1911 census the family were living at 18, Waterloo Street, Chorley, Lancashire,. He was aged 20 with the occupation of No Occupation.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 14 & 16 Mill Street, Chorley, Lancashire,. He was aged 10

In the 1891 census the family were living at 16, Mill Street, Chorley, Lancashire,. He was aged 1

He was a married man. His wife's name was Ellen SPEAKMAN (nee BRENNAN) They married at Chorley Register Office or Registrar Attended on 25 March 1905. They had children: James b. 1911

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company as a Unloader

Service History

He enlisted in the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment at Chorley, Lancashire. and embarked for France on 24 September 1915. His last known address was Chorley, Lancashire, Mill Street, 2 (CWGC).

He is recorded as Killed in action on 2 May 1916 aged 25

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

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