



***Private William Henry STANCLIFFE***

*33627 3rd/4th Battalion Machine Gun Corps*

*Died of Wounds 23 September 1917 aged 19*

*Buried Mendinghem Cemetery, Belgium Grave VII. D. 13.*

*Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 6C-029*

***Personal History***

*William Henry STANCLIFFE was born at Denby Dale, Huddersfield, Yorkshire in 1897 the son of Joseph and Lavinia STANCLIFFE nee HUGHES who were married 1895 at Halifax, Yorkshire. His father died on . In the 1911 census the family were living at 71, Stephens Street, Copley, Halifax, Yorkshire,. He was aged 13 with the occupation of Worsted Mill Doffer.*

*In the 1901 census the family were living at 23, Charlotte Street, Sowerby Bridge, Yorkshire,. He was aged 3 Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Superintendent of the Line Dept. at Sowerby Bridge as a Porter*

***Service History***

*He enlisted in the Machine Gun Corps at Halifax, Yorkshire.*

*He is recorded as Died of Wounds on 23 September 1917 in 64th Casualty Clearing Station France aged 19 He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal*

***Remarks***

*Grave Inscription: "THY WILL BE DONE"Previously 4680 West Riding Regt. Other Mem's: Copley War Mem, St. Stephens. Halifax Cenotaph, Sowerby Bridge Station*

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