



Private Arthur SYKES

10/396 10th Battalion East Yorkshire Regiment

Killed in action 5 December 1916 aged 23

Buried Sailly-Au-Bois Military Cemetery, France Grave II. F. 15

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 6C-063

Personal History

Arthur SYKES was born at Normanton, Yorkshire on 16 June 1893 the son of Enoch Bottomley and Fanny SYKES nee SPEIGHT who were married 04/10/1892 at St. Martin, Womersley, Yorkshire. His father died in 1951. His mother died in 1951.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 1a, Manuel Street, Golle, Yorkshire,. He was aged 17 with the occupation of Shipping Clerk.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 1, Henry Street, Goole, Yorkshire,. He was aged 7

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

Service History

He enlisted in the East Yorkshire Regiment at Hull, Yorkshire. and embarked for Egypt on 22 December 1915. His last known address was Goole, Yorkshire, Manuel Street, 1a (1911 Census).

He is recorded as Killed in action on 5 December 1916 aged 23

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

