

## Private Lawrence Bitcliffe WARD

268234 11th Battalion West Yorkshire Regiment Died of Wounds 22 July 1917 aged 21

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## Personal History

Lawrence Bitcliffe WARD was born at Pudsey, Leeds, Yorkshire in 1895 the son of James (Jim) and Lillie WARD nee BITCLIFFE who were married 22/05/1888 at St. John, Yeardon, Yorkshire. His father died in 1934. His mother died in 1934.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 37, Glenside, Pudsey, Leeds, Yorkshire,. He was aged 15 with the occupation of Railway Clerk.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 5, Laburnam Street, Pudsy, Leeds, Yorkshire,. He was aged 5
Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Chief Goods Managers
Dept. at Low Moor as a Clerk

## Service History

He enlisted in the West Yorkshire Regiment at Leeds, Yorkshire. and embarked for France on 16 April 1915. His last known address was Parets "Dumont", Surmindake Road, Bickley, Kent

He is recorded as Died of Wounds on 22 July 1917 aged 21

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

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