



***Private Leonard WATERHOUSE***

*5312 12th Battalion Manchester Regiment*

*Died of Wounds 1 September 1915 aged 25*

*Buried Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium Grave III. B. 21.*

*Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 7B-020*

***Personal History***

*Leonard WATERHOUSE was born at Newton Heath, Lancashire in 1890 the son of Samuel and Maria WATERHOUSE nee LINDSEY who were married 1881 at St. Matthias, Salford, Lancashire. His father died in 1926. His mother died in 1926.*

*In the 1911 census the family were living at 84, Hadfield Street, Newton Heath, Manchester,. He was aged 20 with the occupation of Railway Labourer.*

*In the 1901 census the family were living at 536, Oldham Road, Newton Heath, Manchester, Lancashire,. He was aged 10*

*He was a married man. His wife's name was Elizabeth Ellen WATERHOUSE (nee DUNEASE) They married at Prestwich Register Office or Registrar Attended on 27 March 1905*

*Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Carriage and Wagon Dept. at Newton Heath Shops as a Labourer*

***Service History***

*He enlisted in the Manchester Regiment at Manchester, Lancashire. and embarked for France on 16 July 1915. His last known address was Blackley, Manchester, Moston Lane, Walker Street, 6 (CWGC).*

*He is recorded as Died of Wounds on 1 September 1915 aged 25*

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

***Remarks***

*Grave Inscription "REST IN PEACE"*

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