



Private Paul CLAPHAM

22621 4th Battalion Grenadier Guards

Killed in action 31 August 1917 aged 23

Commemorated Tyne Cot Memorial, Belgium Panel 9

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 2A-068

Personal History

Paul CLAPHAM was born at Manchester, Lancashire in 1895 the son of Thomas Frederick and Helen Rebecca CLAPHAM nee SUTTON who were married 1883 at St. Oswald, Collyhurst, Manchester. His father died in 1944. His mother died in 1944.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 624, Manchester Road, Hollinwood. Oldham, Lancashire,. He was aged 16 with the occupation of Trolley Boy.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 8, Roda Street, Blackley, Manchester,. He was aged 6

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Locomotive Dept. at Newton Heath as a Cleaner

Service History

He enlisted in the Grenadier Guards at Manchester, Lancashire. and embarked for France on 13 October 1915. His last known address was Manchester, Newton Heath, Dean Lane, 7 (CWGC).

He is recorded as Killed in action on 31 August 1917 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

