

Private Harold ASHWORTH

G/5252 13th Battalion Middlesex Reiment
Killed in action 27 May 1917 aged 35
Buried Reninghelst New Military Cemetery, Belgium Grave II. E. 18

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 1A-035

Personal History

Harold ASHWORTH was born at Hulme, Manchester, Lancashire in 1882.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 63, Wyndham Way, Bury, Lancashire,. He was aged 29 with the occupation of Railway Shunter.

In the 1891 census the family were living at 82, South Gordon Street, Bury, Lancashire, Boarder,. He was aged 8 with the occupation of Scholar.

He was a married man. His wife's name was Ann Jane ASHWORTH (nee LAYLAND) They married at Holy Trinty, Bury on 19 March 1905. They had children: Harold Abraham b. 1906

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Chief Goods Managers Dept. at Bury as a Shunter

Service History

He enlisted in the Middlesex Reiment at Bury, Lancashire. and embarked for France on 23 September 1915. His last known address was Bury. Wynddham Street, 63 (1911 Census).

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



