



***Private Frank DENHAM***

*4297 (1st/8th) 9th/8th Battalion West Yorkshire Regiment*

*Killed in action 11 July 1916 aged 26*

*Buried Blighty Valley Cemetery, France Grave I. A. 10.*

*Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 2C-031*

***Personal History***

*Frank DENHAM was born at Bradford, Yorkshire in 1890 the son of Reuben and Jane Elizabeth DENHAM. His father died in 1920. His mother died in 1920.*

*In the 1911 census the family were living at 49, Park Street, Leeds. He was aged 20 with the occupation of Domestic Gardener.*

*In the 1901 census the family were living at 4, Cross Lisbon Street, Leeds,. He was aged 10*

*In the 1891 census the family were living at 8, Downham Street, Bradford, Yorkshire,. He was aged 4 months  
He was a married man. His wife's name was Gertrude DENHAM (nee GRAINGER) They married at St. George, Leeds, Yorkshire on 14 December 1913*

*Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Chief Goods Managers Dept, at Leeds as a Porter*

***Service History***

*He was living at Leeds, Yorkshire when he enlisted in the West Yorkshire Regiment at the same place.*

*He is recorded as Killed in action on 11 July 1916 aged 26*

*He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal*

***Remarks***

*CWGC - Rifleman, Soldiers died - Private. Grave Inscription "IN LIFE HE DID HIS BEST MAY GOD GRANT HIM ETERNAL REST"*

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