



***Private Martin FARAGHER***

*9351 2nd Battalion Lancashire Fusiliers*

*Killed in action 26 August 1914 aged 32*

*Commemorated La-Ferte-Sous-Joarre Memorial, France*

*Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 3A-025*

***Personal History***

*Martin FARAGHER was born at Bacup, Lancashire in 1882 the son of Patrick and Briget FARAGHER nee CONROY. His father died in 1892. His mother died in 1892.*

*In the 1911 census the family were living at 19, Hill Street, Bacup, Lancashire,. He was aged 28 with the occupation of Builders Labourer.*

*In the 1901 census the family were living at 35, Blackwood Road, Bacup, Lancashire,. He was aged 18 with the occupation of Stone Quarryman.*

*He was a married man. His wife's name was Annie FARAGHER (nee COLLIS) They married at Hyndburn Registry Office or Registrar Atended on 16 March 1905*

*Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Chief Goods Managers Dept. at Bacup as an Extra Porter*

***Service History***

*He was living at Stacksteads, Lancashire when he enlisted in the Lancashire Fusiliers at Bacup, Lancashire.*

*He is recorded as Killed in action on 26 August 1914 aged 32*

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

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