



Corporal William GREEN

1254 1st/5th Battalion King's Own Royal Lancaster Regiment

Killed in action 10 September 1916 aged 29

Commemorated Thiepval Memorial, France Pier & Face 5D & 12B

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 3B-049

Personal History

William GREEN was born at Wrea Green, Lancashire in 1887 the son of John and Elizabeth GREEN nee BENTHAM who were married 14/06/1886 at St. Wilfred, Standish, Lancashire. His father died in 1918. His mother died in 1918.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 29, Sunnt Banl, Kirkham, Blackpool, Lancashire,. He was aged 13 with the occupation of Cotton Dealer.

In the 1891 census the family were living at 1, Piccadilly Square, Standish, Chorley, Lancashire,. He was aged 3

He was a married man. His wife's name was Mary GREEN (nee HOLLAND?) They married at Old Fylde Registry Office or Registrar Atended on 30 March 1905

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

Service History

He enlisted in the King's Own Royal Lancaster Regiment at Blackpool, Lancashire. and embarked for France on 14 February 1915. His last known address was Blackpool, Gorton Street, 41 (CWGC).

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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

