

Private William BARTON

7669 2nd Battalion York and Lancaster Regiment
Died of Wounds 10 August 1915
Buried Lijssenthoek Military Cemetery, Belgium Grave III. D. 16

Victoria Station War Memorial - Ref. 1B-025

Personal History

William BARTON was born at Southport, Lancashire on 1875?.

In the 1911 census the family were living at 33, Binney Street, Sutton Oak, Nr. St. Helens, Lancashire,. He was aged 36 with the occupation of Coal Miner.

In the 1901 census the family were living at 49, Minto Street, West Derby, Liverpool, Lancashire,. He was aged 26 with the occupation of Brick Setter.

He was a married man. His wife's name was Mary BARTON (nee LEWIS) They married at Christ Church, Southport on 12 March 1905. They had children: James, Joseph

Before enlisting he was employed by the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway Company, Superintendant of the Line Dept. at St. Lukes as a Porter

Service History

He enlisted in the York and Lancaster Regiment at Southport, Lancashire. and embarked for (Theatre of war not known) on 9 September 1914. His last known address was St. Helens, Sutton Oak, Binney Street, 33 (1911 Census).

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He was awarded the Victory Medal, British War Medal & 14 Star



