

Memorial: (WMR 88176) Halling, Kent

LANCE CORPORAL

**HORACE CHITTENDEN**

Service Number: G/2892

Regiment & Unit/Ship Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment)  
8th Bn.

Date of Death Died 25 December 1916  
Age 23 years old

Buried/commemorated PHILOSOPHE BRITISH CEMETERY,  
MAZINGARBE  
II. E. 7.  
France

Additional Info Son of Mr. Silas Chittenden, of 3, Rose  
Cottages, Upper Halling, Rochester, Kent.

Personal Inscription REST IN PEACE



Born Halling Kent, son of Silas & Alice Chittenden, of 3, Rose Cottages, Upper Halling, Rochester, Kent.

1911 Census - 3, Rose Cottages, Upper Halling, Rochester, Kent - Silas Chittenden, head, age 47, married, engine driver locos, cement works, born lower Halling, Kent; Alice Chittenden, wife, age 38, married 18 years, 5 children, 4 still alive, born Buckland, Kent; Horace Chittenden, son, age 16, single, farm labourer, born Buckland, Kent; Harriet Chittenden, daughter, age 13, school, born Upper Halling, Kent; Winnifred Chittenden, daughter, age 9, born Upper Halling, Kent; Phoebe Chittenden, daughter, age 7, born Upper Halling, Kent; William Chapman, age father in law, 75, widower, farm labourer, born Sevenoaks, Kent; John Chapman, brother in law, age 43, single, cement labourer, born Buckland, Kent.

Enlisted Chatham Kent, age 20 years & 65 days, height 5ft 7? inches, weight 128lbs Formerly cement labourer.

8th September 1914, enlisted & posted Depot, Royal West Kent Regiment; 12th September 1914, posted 8th Battalion, Royal West Kent Regiment; 20th September 1916, appointed unpaid Lance Corporal; 5th October 1916, appointed paid Lance Corporal.

4th July 1919, Statement of Relatives - Father, Silas Chittenden, 3, Rose Cottages, Upper Halling; Mother, Alice Chittenden, 3, Rose Cottages, Upper Halling; Sisters - Harriet Chittenden, age 22, St Margaret House, Rochester; Winnifred Chittenden, age 17, 21 Watts Avenue, Rochester; Phoebe Chittenden, age 16, 3, Rose Cottages, Upper Halling.

Buried at Philosophe British Cemetery, II. E. 7., Mazingarbe, Pas de Calais, France, and St. John the Baptist Church, Halling, Kent.

[Information from Janet & Richard Mason website]