

WILLIAM HENRY THORPE

There are 2 possibilities for William Henry Thorpe.

One lived in Wadhurst , Sussex. He was a private in the Royal Sussex regiment. Had gone out with the British Expeditionary Force and was Killed in Action in 9 May 1915.

The other lived in Islington. He had joined as a Lance Corporal in the 1st (City of London) Battalion of the Royal Fusiliers. He fought in France and Flanders and was Killed in Action on 24 August 1918

Unfortunately we have no way of knowing which gentleman was on our war Memorial.

However I have found his name on another war memorial in Deptford. There is a photograph of the Church but it was bombed in WWII so we have no more information.

Memorials

Remembered on St Mark's WWI Memorial, Deptford and St Margaret Church, Lee WWI Memorial.