

World War I Casualty Biographies

Sergeant Arthur Charles Flower

Sergeant Arthur Charles Flower, Service No: 9350. Died 16th November 1917, aged 24. He served with the 1st/5th Bn. Somerset Light Infantry. Buried at Deir El Belah War Cemetery, Grave ref: B. 110.

Son of George and Mary Jane Flower, of 143, Horningsham, Warminster, Wilts.



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The 1901 census has the family living in The Rank, Maiden Bradley, parents George, 52, a journeyman mason on estate, and Mary J. Flower, 49, their children, Henry, 25, a mason labourer, Elizabeth, 23, Albert, 20, a naval stoker, Matthew, 17, farm labourer, Frederick, 14, farm labourer, and Charles, 7.

In the 1911 Census, Arthur Charles Flower, 18, born in Maiden Bradley, Wilts, was a boarder living in Bournemouth.

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Arthur Charles Flower was wounded in France, in 1915, and recovered, to return to fight in Israel /Palestine, where he was killed 16th November 1917.



Deir El Belah War Cemetery, Israel/Palestine, where Arthur Charles Flower is buried.