

## **Albert George King.**

Albert was born in Brisley in 1883. His parents were Robert and Lydia King nee Tuck. He had at least seven siblings. His family lived at 93, Heath Road North Elmham. At the age of nineteen Albert was working in Brisley as an Agriculture Labourer. In 1907 Albert married Frances Spooner. At the time of the 1911 census the couple had one son, Arthur who was born in 1909. Arthur died in Surrey 1976.

Albert worked in 1911 as a 'Yard Man' on a farm in Brisley. The family were living in North Elmham in 1911.

Albert enlisted in Norwich on 3rd December 1914 and joined the First Battalion Norfolk Regiment. During active service Albert had quite a lot of ill health see information from the Norfolk Regimental Museum below. Albert's army number was: 1 Norf. R. 3/7571. Pte. Albert was awarded the British War Medal and The Victory Medal as well as the 1914-15 Star.

On 6th November 1915 Albert's father died.

Albert was promoted to Corporal. He was killed in action at Ypres on 1st August 1917 and he is buried at The Menin Gate Cemetery.

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### *Information from Norfolk Regimental Museum*

Born Brisley

Enlisted Norwich

Pte G King First Battalion 14040

Pneumonia 11 Station Hospital Rouen 11.5.1915

Wilarnccliffe war hospital Sheffield- 30.5.1915

Pleurisy & Pneumonia – General hospital Rouen 16.11.1915

2 Western General Hospital Manchester 21.11.1915

Killed in action- 1.8.1917

Probably changed Battalions after his return from Manchester-

Name.	Corps.	Rank.	Regtl. No.
KING	Surf. R.	Pte	3/7571
Albert A.			

  

Medal.	Roll.	Page.	Remarks.
VICTORY	K/1/02 B10	2004	Disc
BRITISH	<del>do</del>	<del>do</del>	
15 STAR	K/1/8 B.	258	
Theatre of War first served in	(1) France		
Date of entry therein	3-12-14		

K 1380.

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