

## Job Willatt

Job Willatt born on 16th October 1893 in Papplewick was one of six children born to Edward Job and Annie Willatt.

By 1911 the family had moved to Holme Pierrepont where Job was working as a stable help / horseman on a farm and his father was a wagoner on the estate.

On the 10th March 1915 Job Willatt aged 22 years 5mths was living in Ruskington, Lincs and enlisted with the R.F.A. as a driver. However due to his occupation as a corn merchant's drayman his employers W.H. Brown were successful in applying for exemption and in the summer of 1915 he married 23 year old shepherd's daughter Emma Procter in Sleaford.

In 1916 Job was recorded as employed as a carter living at Maud Street in Nottingham, which is where his daughter Marjorie Alice was born that year.

The exemption was removed on 9th March 1918 and Job Willatt was transferred to the Royal Field Artillery as a driver.

Job Willatt died on the 26th February 1976 in Ruddington aged 82 years.



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