**Harry John Stockman**

Harry John Stockman, born in 1890 in Islington, was the son of Herbert and Emma Stockman of 34 Park Road, Bushey. His father was a store man for the GPO and Harry was one of nine children, four of whom died in childhood. In 1911, aged 24, Harry was employed as a labourer at a local print works. He married Lily May Poplett of 14 Park Road, Bushey, in 1916.

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Harry enlisted at Watford with the Royal West Kent Regiment and served as Lance Corporal G/36743 in France and Flanders. He was killed in action on 14 September 1918, aged 28. His death was recorded in The Herts Mercury on 12 Oct 1918:

A letter of sympathy from an officer states that the deceased was a very gallant soldier and his company commander, who was killed in action a few days previously, had a very high opinion of him.

Harry Stockman is remembered with honour at Vis-En-Artois Memorial in France and is commemorated on the Bushey Memorial and at St James’ Parish Church in Bushey.

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| Harry John Stockman |
| **Age in 1911:** | 21 |
| **Estimated Birth Year:** | abt 1890 |
| **Relation to Head:** | Son |
| **Gender:** | Male |
| **Birth Place:** | Islington, London, England |
| **Civil Parish:** | Bushey |
| **County/Island:** | Hertfordshire |
| **Country:** | England |
| **Street Address:** | 34 Park Road, Bushey |
| **Marital Status:** | Single |
| **Occupation:** | Labourer Printing |
| **Registration District:** | Watford |
| **Registration District Number:** | 140 |
| **Sub-registration District:** | Bushey |
| **ED, institution, or vessel:** | 9 |
| **Household Schedule Number:** | 203 |
| **Piece:** | 7695 |
| **Household Members:** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Name** | **Age** | | [Herbert Joseph Stockman](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1911England&indiv=try&h=41058626) | 47 | | [Emma Stockman](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1911England&indiv=try&h=41058627) | 48 | | [Harry John Stockman](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1911England&indiv=try&h=41058628) | 21 labourer printing | | [Edwin Thomas Stockman](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1911England&indiv=try&h=41058629) | 18 | | [Florence Nellie Stockman](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1911England&indiv=try&h=41058630) | 17 | | [Arthur Victor Stockman](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1911England&indiv=try&h=41058631) | 13 | | [Alfred Leslie Stockman](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=1911England&indiv=try&h=41058632) | 9 | |

**STOCKMAN, HARRY JOHN 14, Park Road, husband of Lily May Stockman (nee Poplett) L Corp G/36743 Royal West Kent 28 14/09/1918 CWGC Vis-en-Artois BM SJ Death recorded in SJ Parish Magazine m 11 Jan 1916**

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| Harry John Stockman |
| **Date of Registration:** | Apr-May-Jun 1890 |
| **Registration District:** | Islington |
| **Inferred County:** | London |
| **Volume:** | 1b |
| **Page:** | 352 |

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| |  | | --- | | Harry J Stockman | | **Age:** | 11 | | **Estimated Birth Year:** | abt 1890 | | **Relation to Head:** | Son | | **Gender:** | Male | | **Father:** | Herbert F Stockman | | **Mother:** | Emma Stockman | | **Birth Place:** | Islington, London, England | | **Civil Parish:** | Bushey | | **County/Island:** | Hertfordshire | | **Country:** | England | | **Street Address:  Occupation:  Condition as to marriage:  Education:  Employment status:** | http://c.mfcreative.com/i/search/bracket.png  [View Image](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/iexec?htx=view&r=5538&dbid=7814&iid=HRTRG13_1314_1316-0274&fn=Harry+J&ln=Stockman&st=r&ssrc=&pid=7676827) | | **Neighbors:** | [View others on page](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=uki1901&sin=C0000006&siv=HRTRG13_1314_1316-0274) | | **Household Members:** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | **Name** | **Age** | | [Herbert F Stockman](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=uki1901&indiv=try&h=7676825) | 36 | | [Emma Stockman](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=uki1901&indiv=try&h=7676826) | 37 | | [Harry J Stockman](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=uki1901&indiv=try&h=7676827) | 11 | | [Edwin T Stockman](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=uki1901&indiv=try&h=7676828) | 8 | | [Florence N Stockman](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=uki1901&indiv=try&h=7676829) | 7 | | [Arthur V Stockman](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/cgi-bin/sse.dll?db=uki1901&indiv=try&h=7676830) | 3 | | |  |  | | [View Original Record](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/iexec?htx=view&r=5538&dbid=7814&iid=HRTRG13_1314_1316-0274&fn=Harry+J&ln=Stockman&st=r&ssrc=&pid=7676827)  [[http://c.mfcreative.com/i/search/burst.pnghttp://c.mfcreative.com/i/search/sample.jpg](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/iexec?htx=view&r=5538&dbid=7814&iid=HRTRG13_1314_1316-0274&fn=Harry+J&ln=Stockman&st=r&ssrc=&pid=7676827)](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/iexec?htx=view&r=5538&dbid=7814&iid=HRTRG13_1314_1316-0274&fn=Harry+J&ln=Stockman&st=r&ssrc=&pid=7676827)  [[http://c.mfcreative.com/i/search/mag_m.gif](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/iexec?htx=view&r=5538&dbid=7814&iid=HRTRG13_1314_1316-0274&fn=Harry+J&ln=Stockman&st=r&ssrc=&pid=7676827)View original image](http://search.ancestry.co.uk/iexec?htx=view&r=5538&dbid=7814&iid=HRTRG13_1314_1316-0274&fn=Harry+J&ln=Stockman&st=r&ssrc=&pid=7676827)  [http://c.mfcreative.com/i/search/pdficon_small.gif](javascript:censuspdf('http://c.mfcreative.com//pdf/trees/charts/UKCensus1901.pdf')) |
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| Harry John Stockman |
| **Birth Place:** | Islington, Middx. |
| **Residence:** | Bushey, Herts |
| **Death Date:** | 14 Sep 1918 |
| **Death Location:** | France & Flanders |
| **Enlistment Location:** | Watford, Herts |
| **Rank:** | L/Corporal |
| **Regiment:** | Queen's Own (Royal West Kent Regiment) |
| **Battalion:** | 2/20th London Regiment |
| **Number:** | G/36743 |
| **Type of Casualty:** | Killed in action |
| **Theatre of War:** | Western European Theatre |
| **Comments:** | Formerly T/4/107956, R.A.S.C |

**Father storeman for GPO**

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**His father remained in Bushey but later became the publican at The Cock Inn, Colney Heath, St Albans.**