

Surname	Rutter
Forename	George
Initials	G
Age	24
Honours/Awards	
Date died	24/10/1917
Rank	Gunner
Regiment	Royal Field Artillery
Unit/Squadron	"B" Bty. 159th Bde.
Service Number	188639
Cemetery/Memorial	Ruisseau Farm Cemetery
Grave Reference	B.5.
Further Information	Son of Martha Rutter, of Ulhinton, Tarporley; husband of Emily Rutter, of 13, Cross St., Seacombe, Cheshire. Educated at St. Paul's School.



#### News Report

##### Seacombe Chorister Killed

Intimation has been received of the death in action of Gunner George Rutter, R.F.A., on October 24. He joined up about twelve months ago, and had been six months in France. He was educated at St. Paul's School, and was a member of the choir for a considerable length of time, and employed at Messrs. Thomas Rigby and Son, Ltd., flour millers, Liverpool. He was a good all-round sport, football being his special hobby. His wife, Mrs. E. Rutter, resides at 13, Cross Street, Seacombe.

Lieut. Norman Hanna writes:- "Dear Mrs. Rutter, - What can I say to lessen your sorrow; words are so inadequate. Your husband's death was the noblest of all, his end came instantly whilst at his post of duty at the guns. A fine, cheerful soldier he was and very efficient in all branches of his work. He would suffer no pain at all, for death was instantaneous. A large shell fell just where he was and

killed four other poor fellow besides.

References and Acknowledgments

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