

<i>Name</i>	Charles Herbert BASS
<i>Birth Place</i>	Bugbrooke
<i>Occupation 1911</i>	At school
<i>Date of Birth</i>	Fourth quarter of 1900; baptised 2 December 1900



Charles Bass in 1921

<i>Date Enlisted</i>	29 October 1918
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<i>Parents</i>	Benjamin BASS and Joanna BASS (née EALES)
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<i>Married</i>	Margaret Ellen GIBBINS from Harpole in the third quarter of 1928
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<i>Information from National Roll of the Great War</i>
No entry found.

<i>Additional Information</i>
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Charles BASS was one of eight surviving children of Benjamin BASS, a labourer for 'Army Ordnance', possibly at Weedon, and his wife Joanna.

At his enlistment in October 1918 at Northampton, Charles described himself as a 'Farm worker'. As number 171746, he was posted to 53<sup>rd</sup> (Young Soldier) Battalion, the Middlesex Regiment, a unit of the Training Reserve stationed at Aldershot, Hampshire, where he was posted to 'A' Company of the battalion.

The war was over before Charles had completed training and his record is annotated 'No service overseas'. He was therefore not entitled to any medals for his short time in army uniform. Charles was sent on terminal leave from 22 January 1919 and was officially discharged on 19 February that year.

In 1928 he married Margaret GIBBINS and he died on 15 April 1944; Margaret lived on until September 1981.