

Charles Erskine Thorn 1892 – 1915

07.02.1915 he was in the trenches at Ypres under fire and was transferred to hospital.

Died 24.04.1915 at home of tuberculosis brought on by exposure in the trenches.

Served in France from November 1914

Buried St. Luke's, Tiptree row 29 plot 1

Age: 22

Son of Charles & Sarah he lived in Maldon Road, a house called Heathfield. His father was a builder and owned a brewery and Erskine became a brewer too. Younger siblings: Violet Dorothy, Margery Dora, Robert Nelson, Doris Primrose, Mary Joyce, Christine Noella, Olven Sebastian, Gwendoline Elizabeth, Herbert Wethered.



The cross is alongside Church Road.

The house 'Heathfield' and brewery were demolished and the grounds now house the first few houses on the right of Vine Road.

Born	Parents & Siblings at Home	Locations	Marriage / Other	Jobs / Rank
3rd Q 1892 Tiptree Siblings 3Q1892 Erskine 1893 Violet Dorothy 1895 Margery Dora 1898 Robert Nelson 1899 Doris Primrose 1901 Mary Joyce 1902 Christine Noella 1905 Olven Sebastian 1906 Gwendoline Elizabeth	Charles & Sarah 1901 1 brother 4 sisters 1911 3 brothers 6 sisters	1901 Maldon Road, Tiptree 1911 Heathfield, Tiptree 1915 Tiptree		1901 father brewer and builder (employer) 1911 father brewer (employer) 1911 Operative brewer 1915 Lance Corporal Motor cyclist 702 Household Cavalry and Cavalry of the Line (incl. Yeomanry and Imperial Camel Corps) Essex Yeomanry