

# Durrington Cemetery

## War Graves



*Lest we Forget*

### World War I



**25445 PRIVATE**

**E. KENNY**

**ROYAL IRISH REGIMENT**

**16TH NOVEMBER, 1918**

*Commonwealth War Graves Headstone for Pte. E. Kenny is located in Grave Plot # 346  
of Durrington War Graves Cemetery*

## **Edwin KENNY**

Edwin Kenny was born around 1893.

Private Edwin Kenny died on 16<sup>th</sup> November, 1918.

A death for Edwin Kenny, aged 25, was registered in the December quarter, 1918 in the district of Amesbury, Wiltshire, England.

Private Edwin Kenny was buried in Durrington Cemetery, Wiltshire in Grave /Plot Number 346 on 20<sup>th</sup> November, 1918. His death is acknowledged by Commonwealth War Graves Commission & as such he has a CWGC headstone but he does not have a personal inscription on his headstone.

The Commonwealth War Graves Commission lists Private E. Kenny 25445 as being attached to 3rd Reserve Battalion, Royal Irish Regiment. No additional family information is listed.



### **3rd Battalion, Royal Irish Regiment**

The 3rd Battalion, Royal Irish Regiment was a Reserve Battalion & was raised in Clonmel in August, 1914. The Battalion was a training Unit & it remained in the UK throughout the War. It moved within a few days of declaration of war to Dublin. In September, 1916, the battalion moved to Templemore (Co. Tipperart) but by the end of 1917 was back at Dublin. In April, 1918 the Battalion moved to England and joined the Irish Reserve Brigade at Larkhill, near Durrington, Wiltshire.

Photo of Private E. Kenny's Headstone at Durrington Cemetery, Wiltshire.



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