

**In Memory of
Worker WINIFRED EDITH ABSALOM
42271, Queen Mary's Auxiliary Army Corps
Who died, age 24, on 4 March 1918
Daughter of Albert and Elizabeth Absalom,
of Hinton Waldrist
Remembered with honour
HINTON WALDRIST (ST. MARGARET) CHURCHYARD**



Commemorated in perpetuity by the Commonwealth War Graves Commission

Winnie was sister to Agnes Wheatley and Emily, Herbert John, Harry, Lizzie, Alice and Ada Lilian Absalom. Winne was a signaller and had served in France.

She died at the Poor Law Infirmary in Bedford; the cause of death, Phthisis Pulmonalis, was certified by G H Goldsmith MD; the Informant was the Master of the Poor Law Institution, Bedford, describing her as: 'of Round House Race Farm, spinster, WAAC no. 4291 - Signal Depot, Fenny Stratford.'

Her great niece, Mrs Wendy Hunt, granddaughter of Winnie's sister Agnes, explains that despite the humble circumstances of her death, Winnie's coffin was taken from the Round House (near the old Lamb and Flag) on a gun carriage to Hinton Waldrist churchyard where she was buried with full military honours.