## PRIVATE MARTIN ERICKSON

Martin Erickson was born in 1896 in the Town of Arcadia. His parents may have been Paul and Tillie Erickson. Martin enlisted on June 30, 1917, in the Army. Up until his enlistment he had been working in North Dakota. He was a member of Co C, 26<sup>th</sup> Wisconsin Infantry. On May 29, 1918, Martin was killed in action in France.

The American Legion Post in Arcadia is named for him. His sister, Lena, was the mother of Myron Scow.



Martin had three brothers (John, Helmer & Karl), one sister, Lena (Mark) Scow, one half sister (Julie) and one half brother (Alex).