

Overseas American Cemeteries



Delford W. Barker

ID: 38556426

Entered the Service From: Texas

Rank: Private

Service: U.S. Army, 401st Infantry Regiment,
101st Airborne Division

Died: Tuesday, October 03, 1944

Buried at: Ardennes American Cemetery

Location: Neupre (Neuville-en-Condroz),
Belgium

Plot: C Row: 10 Grave: 58

Awards: Bronze Star, Purple Heart

STATION Leicester, Leicestershire, England
ORGANIZATION Company "B" 401st Glider Infantry
(CO. DET. ETC.) (DUTY UNIT) (CLASS OR SERVICE)

SERIAL NUMBER	NAME	GRADE	CODE
Action 1 October 1944			
6917351	Hutchings, Walter H.	745 Pvt	Q
Fr duty to Seriously Wounded in Action to abs sk hosp unknown 1 Oct 1944.			
35136458	Baker, Lee H.	585 1/8gt	Q
Fr duty to Slightly Wounded in Action to abs sk hosp unknown 1 Oct 1944.			
42081777	Patricella, Frank A.	745 Pvt	M
Fr duty to Killed in Action 2 Oct 1944.			
12194185	Raposo, Arthur J.	504 Pvt	Q
35110894	Paulsen, Walter J.	653 S Sgt	
35289528	Spavacek, Frank E.	651 T Sgt	
Above 3 EM fr duty to Seriously Wounded in Action to abs sk hosp unknown 2 Oct 1944.			
34796576	Byrd, Charles W.	745 Pvt	Q
33835023	Riley, Albert	504 Pvt	Q
Above 2 EM fr duty to Slightly Wounded in Action to abs sk hosp unknown 2 Oct 1944.			
38556426	Barker, Delford W.	675 Pvt	Q
Fr duty to Seriously Wounded in Action to Abs sk hosp unknown 3 Oct 1944.			

OFFICER STRENGTH	PLD O & CAPT		1ST LT		2D LT		WO		FLT O	
	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T	PRES	ABS'T
ADD										
DECD										
DECD FB										
OTHER ODSN										
TOTAL										

OFFICER & ENL STRENGTH	AVIATION CADETS		ENLISTED MEN			
	PRESENT	ABSENT	PRESENT FOR DUTY	PRESENT NOT FOR DUTY	ABSENT	PRESENT AND ABSENT
ADD						
DECD						
DECD FB						
OTHER ODSN						
TOTAL						

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF RATIONS REQUIRED FOR _____ **DAY OF WEEK** _____ **NUMBER** _____
DATE _____

MESS ATTENDANCE FOR DAY OF THIS REPORT

BREAKFAST	DINNER	SUPPER	TOTAL	AVERAGE

MEM AUTHORIZED TO MESS SEPARATELY _____ **MEM ATCHD FOR RATIONS G & OTHERS MESSED** _____

MEM ATCHD TO OTHER ORGN FOR RATIONS	NET	TOTAL
MEM PRESENT	LESS	PLUS

I CERTIFY THAT THIS MORNING REPORT IS CORRECT AND THAT RATIONS FIGURES IN PART II REPRESENT AN ACTUAL COUNT AS REPORTED TO ME.

DATA ON REMAINS NOT YET RECOVERED OR IDENTIFIED

NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial)

GRADE

PRESENT SERIAL NUMBER

ORGANIZATION

RACE

CREED

FORMER SERIAL NUMBER (If applicable)

DATE OF DEATH/MIA

CAUSE OF DEATH

PLACE OF DEATH OR PLACE LAST SEEN IF MIA

DATE OF FOD

HEIGHT

WEIGHT

COLOR EYES

COLOR HAIR, SHOE SIZE

DENTAL CHART

UPPER RIGHT

X
8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

UPPER LEFT

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

LOWER RIGHT

X
16 15 14 13 12 11 10 9

LOWER LEFT

9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16

X = Extracted

O = Carious

1 = Carious Non-Restorable

FRACTURES AND/OR BREAKS

TATTOOS AND/OR BIRTHMARK

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Age: 19

10 May 25

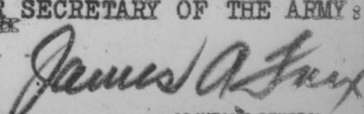
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25-5-10
19-4-23

SENSITIVE SURFACE - HANDLE EDGES ONLY

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

REPORT OF DEATH slt/LB724

DATE 16 June 1949

FULL NAME Barker, Delford W.		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 38 556 426		GRADE Pvt	
HOME ADDRESS Tivoli, Texas		ARM OR SERVICE INF.		DATE OF BIRTH 10 May 1925	
PLACE OF DEATH Holland		CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH 3 Oct 1944	
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 1 Oct 1943		LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS	
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (Name, relationship, and address) Mrs. Margaret Barker, mother, Box 171, Tivoli, Texas					
BENEFICIARY (Name, relationship, and address) Mrs. Margaret Barker, mother, same as above. Mr. Henry R. Barker, father, Box 171, Tivoli, Texas					
INVESTIGATION MADE		OWN MISCONDUCT		WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
IN LINE OF DUTY		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
OTHER PAY STATUS (Specify below) YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO					
ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT Combat Infantryman. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BATTLE <input type="checkbox"/> NON-BATTLE					
*Soldier entitled to additional pay for participation in glider flights, per VOGC 82d A/B Div. 25 Mar 44, confirmed by G.O. #53, Hq. 82d A/B Div., 5 Sep 44.					
Finding of death has been issued previously under Sec 5, Public Law 490, 7 Mar 1942, as amended, showing presumed date of death as 4 October 1945. This Report of death based on information received since that date, is issued in accordance with Sec 9, of said Act, and its effect on prior payments and settlements is as prescribed in Sec 9.					
BY ORDER OF THE UNDER SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:  ADJUTANT GENERAL					

*File
25 Jun 49
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Information from the Hospital Admission Cards created 1/11/2015
by the office of the Surgeon General, Department
of the Army (1944-1945).
Information for the year 1944

Service Number	38556426
Rank	Enlisted Man
Arm of Service	Infantry, General or Unspecified
Age	19
Race	Unknown
Length of Service	
Month of Admission	October
Year of Admission	1944
Last Treatment Facility	Not in a medical installation prior to death
Circumstances Surrounding Injury	Injuries intentionally inflicted by another person ; (except Military Enemy or Guard, Sentry, MP, etc.)
Type of Case	Casualty, battle
Type of Admission	New
Type of Diagnosis	Sole diagnosis, no history of prior disease, injury; or battle casualty
Line of Duty	In line of duty
1st Diagnosis	Killed in action
1st Anatomical Location	Unknown, code not applicable
1st Operation	
2nd Diagnosis	
2nd Anatomical Location	
2nd Operation	
3rd Diagnosis	
Causative Agent	None or Unknown
Final Result:	
Disposition	
Cause of Disposition	First diagnosis field
Month of Disposition	October
Year of Disposition	1944
Total Days (non-effective)	
Hospital Days	
Current Days /Gen Hosp (
Place of Final Cure	
Sample Size	Remaining 1944 case

Source: This information was obtained from the Hospital Admission Card data file (1944-1945) created by the Office of the Surgeon General Department of the Army. In 1970 the National Research Council first compiled this for statistical purposes using the EMTs (Emergency Medical Tags) and other Office of the Surgeon General Office Records during WWII.

DEL FORD W. BARKER
PVT 401 GLIDER INF 101 ABN DIV
TEXAS OCT 3 1944