

RESTRICTED

REBURIAL

REPORT OF BURIAL

TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

18455
554 1 July 1944 Date
32538851
3258851 Serial No.
82nd A/B Div Organization
29 00 1944

REBURIAL

Gutman William (NMI) Sgt
 Last Name First Initial Rank
Unknown 508 Gasa Inf Reg 82nd A/B Div
 Unit Organization
France 1 July 44 Unknown KIA
 Place of Death Date of Death Cause of Death
1 July 1944 (Reinterred) Blosville France
 Time and Date of Burial Name of Cemetery Name or Coordinates of Location
77 4 E Peg
 Grave Number Row Number Plot Number Type of Marker

Disposition of Identification Tags: Buried with body Yes No Attached to Marker Yes No

If No Identification Tags

How were remains identified?

DISINTERRED FROM COORD: 307:914

What means of identification were buried with the body?

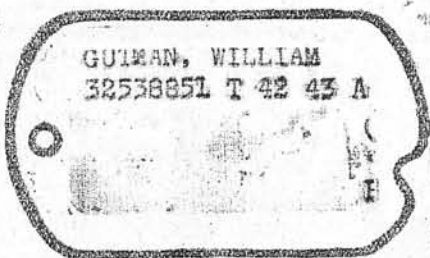
To determine Right or Left use Deceased's Right and Left.

Who is buried on:

Deceased's Right: Stanko, Frank J. 36396654 Pvt 82nd A/B Div 78
 Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.

Deceased's Left: Torpie, William J. 11054534 Tec 5 82nd A/B Div 76
 Name Serial No. Rank Organization Grave No.

Signature or Name, Rank and if possible Organization of person furnishing above Data when other than officer reporting burial.



If print of identification tag is not affixed fill in below:

Emergency Addressee Unknown Name

Address

Religion Protestant

List only Personal Effects Found on Body and disposition of same:

- Parachute pin
- Pen, fountain
- Souvenir coins

CURRENCY: \$1.00 (American)

REBURIAL

Previously buried in isolated grave
located at Coord - 307-914

Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial

Dale C Sherwood
 DALE C. SHERWOOD Verified by G.R.S. Officer
 1st. Lt., QMC

Sheet 37

File
May 7, 1945
Casta

E-4-77

Serial No. 3253851 Name Gutman, William
Grade 1st Lt Rank _____
Organization 1st Airborne
Address _____
Nearest Relative _____
Address _____
Killed in Action Yes Died of Disease _____
Date 7/1/44 Hospital _____
Battle Area _____ Information _____

Place of Burial _____
Point of Coordination _____
Description of Body _____

Members Missing _____

Signed

Abraham S. Pfc.

filed in

DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

1

SECTION A—
NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED

DIRECTIVE NUMBER

3508 01930

DATE

15 05 48

DAY MONTH YEAR

NAME

GUTMAN WILLIAM

SERIAL NUMBER

32538851

RANK

SGT

ARM

1

DATE OF DEATH

DAY MONTH YEAR

CEMETERY

BLOSVILLE - CARENTAN

1

DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

2300 01

CODE DIST. PT.

PLOT

E

ROW

4

GRAVE

77

COUNTRY

FRANCE

CAUSE OF DEATH

3

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE

SCHWARTZ BROTHERS
33 SECOND AVENUE
NEW YORK CITY, NEW YORK
(F/B ELMONT, L. I., NEW YORK)

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

MR. MAX GUTMAN (FATHER)
408 KINGSBORO PROJECT
BROOKLYN, NEW YORK

SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

NAME

GUTMAN, William

SERIAL NUMBER

32538851

RANK

Sgt.

DATE OF DEATH

DATE DISTINTERRED

17 Dec 47

IDENTIFICATION TAG ON

 REMAINS MARKER

ORGANIZATION

USAGF

RELIGION

IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY

R. W. GANSEL
1/Lt., Inf

NAME AND TITLE

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

NATURE OF BURIAL

Uniform - Mattress cover.

CONDITION OF REMAINS

Advanced decomposition

OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION

None

MINOR DISCREPANCIES

None

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET

DATE 30 Jan 48

BY R. HOLIVER

CASKET SEALED BY

R. HOLIVER

EMBALMER (Signature)

R. Holiver

CASKET BOXED AND MARKED

DATE 30 Jan 48y T. C. SNIDER

SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY

T. C. Snider

I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.

JAMES A. HOOVLER, 1st Lt., Inf

SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

1 Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

L. 3-29-47

GRADE OF DECEASED, NAME, ARMY SERIAL NUMBER AND REPORTED PLACE OF BURIAL

DATE:

Sgt William Gutman, 32 538 851
 Plot E, Row 4, Grave 77,
 United States Military Cemetery
 Bloisville, France

9 February 1948

A		C	
B		D	

DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

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PART I

I, MAX GUTMAN

(Please indicate relationship to the deceased by placing an "X" in the proper box.)

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

- WIDOW
- WIDOWER
- SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- FATHER
- MOTHER
- BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (Specify) _____

HAVING FAMILIARIZED MYSELF WITH THE OPTIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE TO ME WITH RESPECT TO THE FINAL RESTING PLACE OF THE DECEASED DESIGNATED ABOVE, NOW DO DECLARE THAT IT IS MY DESIRE THAT THE REMAINS: (Please place an "X" in the box opposite the option you have selected.)

- 1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS.
- 2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY
BETH DAVID CEMETERY — ELMONT, L.I. N.Y.
 (NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)
- 3. BE RETURNED TO _____ (FOREIGN COUNTRY), THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)
- 4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)
 (Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)
 YES NO

THE NAME OF THE DECEASED, THE SERIAL NUMBER AND GRADE ARE CORRECT EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING CHANGES: (If no corrections are necessary, indicate this fact by inserting the word "NONE" in the space below.)

NONE

David 27 May 48
Mother

PART I (Continued)

If on Page 1 of this form you have selected Option Number 2 or 3, or Option Number 4 with your own funeral ceremonies desired at a location other than the selected national cemetery, complete one of these sections.

I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING PERSON WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE
STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY	TELEPHONE No.	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)		

OR

I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING FUNERAL DIRECTOR WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
SCHWARTZ BROS.			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
33 SECOND AVE	N.Y.C.	N.Y.	N.Y.
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.	

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON NEXT IN LINE OF KINSHIP AFTER ME, AS SET FORTH IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED
MARY GUTMAN ^{WIFE}	MARY		MOTHER
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
408 Kingsboro	Bklyn -	N.Y.	U.S.A.

REMARKS OR ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS (For additional space use page 4.)

AS EXPLAINED IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," I AM THE NEXT OF KIN AND THE INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE DISPOSITION OF THE SAID REMAINS.

I, the undersigned, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR (OR AFFIRM) that the statements made by me in the foregoing document are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

max gutman 408 Kingsboro
 (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) (STREET AND NUMBER)
MAX GUTMAN 408 KINGSBORO PROJECT
 (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) (CITY AND STATE)
BROOKLYN, N.Y.

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 21st day of April, 1948 at city (or town) of Brooklyn, county of Kings, and State (or Territory or District) of New York

*NOTE.—Page 4 is part of the notarial attestation.

Joseph Kaye
 (SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)
 JOSEPH KAYE
 NOTARY PUBLIC
 OFFICIAL FILES, No. 41, Reg. No. 39-R-8
 Commission Expires March 30, 1951

REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF INTERMENT OR TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES

PAID

DATE

(Read Explanation on Reverse Side before completing form)

NAME OF DECEDENT (Last, First, Middle Initial) GUIMAN WILLIAM		BRANCH OF SERVICE GF	TO BE FILLED IN BY CLAIMANT F. J. Stagliano
RANK OR GRADE SGT	SERIAL NO. 32 538 851	A. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INTERMENT EXPENSES (Civilian or Private Cemetery)	Col., F. D. Brooklyn, N. Y.
		B. <input type="checkbox"/> TRANSPORTATION EXPENSES (National or Post Cemetery)	NOV 1948 Syn. 218-138

INSTRUCTIONS TO PERSONS SIGNING THIS FORM

1. This form is NOT to be signed by Funeral Director.
2. Fill in as required and sign four copies.
3. Check Box "A" or Box "B" above, not both.
4. Check Box "A" when interment is in a civilian or private cemetery.
5. Check Box "B" when remains are delivered to home or other place prior to burial in a national or post cemetery.

FILL IN THIS STATEMENT IF BOX "A" IS CHECKED	FILL IN THIS STATEMENT IF BOX "B" IS CHECKED
I certify that the sum of \$ 75.00 was paid by me from personal funds in connection with the interment of the remains of the above-named decedent in the cemetery indicated below: NAME: BETH DAVID CEMETERY CITY OR COUNTY: ELMONT L.I. STATE: N.Y.	I certify that the sum of \$ _____ was paid by me from personal funds in connection with the transportation of the remains of the above-named decedent from: (City, town, or place from which remains were shipped) TO: (Name and Location of National or Post Cemetery) max Gutman SIGNATURE OF CLAIMANT 408 KINGSBORO Bklyn N.Y. ADDRESS (Street number or RFD, City and State) FATHER RELATIONSHIP TO DECEDENT
RETURN FOUR COPIES TO	

REMARKS

INFORMATION FOR NEXT OF KIN OF WORLD WAR II DECEASED

You have just been advised by telegram from Distribution Center #1 that the remains of your loved one is enroute to the United States. The purpose of this letter is to explain to you what will happen between the time you received the telegram and the time the remains will be delivered. This should help you in making your plans for burial arrangements.

The telegram that you received was dispatched several days before the arrival of the mortuary ship at the New York Port of Embarkation. As soon as the mortuary ship arrives in the United States, individual remains are debarked from the vessel and carefully checked against the passenger list deceased. The casketed remains together with the outer protective cases are then moved in special mortuary railroad cars under military guard to the distribution center, which will eventually deliver remains to the final destination.

The honored American dead being returned to the next of kin in Metropolitan New York, northern New Jersey, New England States and northern Pennsylvania are moved through Distribution Center #1 which is a Quartermaster installation located in the New York Port of Embarkation. This Distribution Center will, upon receiving remains for delivery to its area, make up a delivery schedule that will be accomplished over a period of several weeks after remains have arrived at the U. S. Port of Entry. This schedule will take into consideration the availability of appropriate escorts, transportation facilities and the operational workload of the Distribution Center itself.

Delivery of the war dead is accomplished essentially in the order in which the remains are debarked from each vessel and are delivered to the custody of the Distribution Center. There is no priority established because of rank or alphabetical order. Delivery of the remains from each vessel is completed before a delivery schedule is made for remains arriving on a subsequent ship. A period of from one to six weeks will elapse before the remains of your loved one will be delivered. This period is necessary to permit a careful inspection of the casket and its outer protective case, to determine transportation routing and to select proper military escort to deliver the remains to the place designated by the next of kin.

The remains are escorted home individually by a service man who is of equal or higher rank, of the same branch of service, of the same race and sex as the deceased.

You have already received one telegram giving advance notification

of the arrival of the remains in the United States. It was stated in this initial notification that a second telegram will be dispatched three to four days prior to the time the escort will leave the Distribution Center with the remains.

In case the burial is in a national cemetery, the family will be notified by the Superintendent of the cemetery. This notification will give the date and time of the burial service. You will receive this notification in sufficient time to make arrangements to attend. The time will usually be from three to five days. The expense of attending the ceremony at the national cemetery must be borne by the next of kin. Chaplains of the three major faiths are in attendance at the national cemetery and will conduct proper religious service. The next of kin may select a clergyman of their own choice if they so desire. Military honors are always provided by the U. S. Government at the national cemeteries.

In case of burial in a private cemetery, the funeral director or other consignee will be notified by telegram three to five days prior to delivery and he in turn is requested to notify next of kin immediately so you will have adequate time to make funeral arrangements.

The casket used in the repatriation of World War II dead is made of 18 gage seamless steel, hermetically sealed. The entire interior is quilted silk lined, consisting of upholstery, mattress and pillow. The casket is inclosed in an outer protective plywood metal-lined shipping case, which is suitable for use as a burial vault and is used for this purpose in all national cemeteries. Upon delivery of the remains, the shipping case becomes the property of the next of kin.

Transportation of the remains from this Distribution Center to the point designated by you will be at government expense. If burial is to be in a private cemetery, a government allowance of not to exceed \$75.00 is authorized to cover actual burial expenses incurred by the next of kin. Expenses in excess of this amount must be borne by the next of kin or other individual incurring such expenses. The necessary papers for applying for Government allowance, in the case of private burials, will be furnished by the escort at the time the remains are delivered. No interment allowance is authorized in the case where burial is accomplished in a national cemetery. All expenses are assumed by the U. S. Government when burial is consummated in a national cemetery.

Please feel free to call upon this Distribution Center if you think we can be of assistance to you. Letters should be addressed to the Commanding Officer, Distribution Center Number 1, New York Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, New York.

DISTRIBUTION CENTER #1
NEW YORK PORT OF EMBARKATION
BROOKLYN, NEW YORK

I certify that this message is on official
business and that its transmission with a
lower precedence, or by air mail, regular
mail, or scheduled messenger would be pre-
judicial to the public interest.

MR MAX GUTMAN

408 KINGSBORO PROJECT

BKLYN NY

James McCarthy
JAMES McCARTHY
Major, TC
Admin O, AGR Div.

CARROLL VICTORY

SGT WILLIAM GUTMAN

PLEASE BE ADVISED REMAINS OF THE LATE

ARE ENROUTE TO THE UNITED STATES. OUR RECORDS INDICATE YOU WISH REMAINS DELIVERED
TO
SCHWARTZ BROTHERS

33 SECOND AVE NEW YORK NY

WE CANNOT GIVE A DEFINITE DELIVERY DATE. IT IS EXPECTED THAT AN INTERVAL OF FROM
FIVE DAYS TO FOUR WEEKS WILL ELAPSE BEFORE DELIVERY CAN BE EFFECTED. YOUR FUNERAL
DIRECTOR WILL BE NOTIFIED BY TELEGRAM THREE DAYS PRIOR TO DATE REMAINS WILL BE
DELIVERED TO HIM. HE WILL BE REQUESTED TO INFORM YOU SO YOU MAY MAKE FINAL
FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS. REMAINS WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT. SUGGEST
YOU ARRANGE WITH LOCAL PATRIOTIC OR VETERANS' ORGANIZATION IF YOU DESIRE MILITARY
HONORS AT FUNERAL. PLEASE CONFIRM ABOVE INSTRUCTIONS BY TELEGRAM COLLECT TO
DISTRIBUTION CENTER ONE, NEW YORK PORT OF EMBARKATION WITHIN FORTY EIGHT HOURS OR
SUBMIT NEW DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS. WE REGRET IT WILL BE IMPOSSIBLE TO COMPLY AT
GOVERNMENT EXPENSE WITH CHANGES IN DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED AFTER EXPIRATION
OF THE FORTY EIGHT HOURS. PLEASE INCLUDE FULL NAME OF DECEASED IN REPLY TELEGRAM.

G. H. BARE, COL, QMC

RELEASED TO WU

SEP 30 1948

FOX

355a

RECEIPT OF REMAINS

HEADQUARTERS, NYPE - DISTRIBUTION CENTER #1, AGRS
DISTRIBUTION CENTER 58th ST. & 1st AVE., BROOKLYN, N.Y. ROUTINE

REMAINS CONSIGNED TO:

SCHWARTZ BROTHERS
33 SECOND AVENUE
NEW YORK CITY, NEW YORK

REMAINS OF THE LATE SGT WILLIAM GUTMAN ACCOMPANIED BY
¹⁰⁸
AN ESCORT WILL BE DELIVERED TO YOU BY MOTOR VEHICLE DURING THE MORNING
ON FRIDAY 22 OCTOBER PLEASE MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO ACCEPT
REMAINS UPON ARRIVAL AND PLEASE NOTIFY THE NEXT OF KIN OF THE DATE AND TIME
OF ARRIVAL.

ESCORT: M SGT ROBERT S. WALSH
ER-31469059, DET #5, 1300 ASU

G. H. BARE
COLONEL, QMC

I, the undersigned, do hereby acknowledge receipt of the remains of the above-named deceased
this 22 day of Oct, 19 48
(Day) (Month)

NOT
FILE
RECORDED
DATE 18-9-48
NAME W. H. [unclear]
R & R BR.

M/Sgt Robert S. Walsh
(Witness (Escort))
ER 31469059

Schwartz Brothers
(Consignee)
Michael Schwarz

Mr. Arrowsmith
Disinterment Section
Room 2503 B

1. Forwarded for your information.
2. Information as indicated is requested on which to base a reply to attached correspondence.
 - a. Has form 345 been dispatched? *yes 9-15-47*
 - b. Has form 345 been received? *yes 10-14*
 - c. Has form 345 been approved? *No*
 - d. What option was elected?
 - e. 345 form was executed by whom?

345

GRIFFITH *BJ*
4428

Blawie E-4-77

REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

GRADE OF DECEASED, NAME, ARMY SERIAL NUMBER AND REPORTED PLACE OF BURIAL

DATE:

293

Sgt. William Gutman, 32 538 851
 Plot B, Row 4, Grave 77,
 United States Military Cemetery
 Bloisville, France

WJ

12 September 1947

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B		D	

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PART I

I, _____ (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN) *(Please indicate relationship to the deceased by placing an "X" in the proper box.)*

- WIDOW WIDOWER SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- FATHER MOTHER BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (*Specify*) _____

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(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)

- 3. BE RETURNED TO _____ (FOREIGN COUNTRY) THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)

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(Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)

- YES NO

THE NAME OF THE DECEASED, THE SERIAL NUMBER AND GRADE ARE CORRECT EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING CHANGES: (*If no corrections are necessary, indicate this fact by inserting the word "NONE" in the space below.*)

NONE

FILE

10 FEB 1948

Capt. Mulligan

WJ
 947 42 490

PART II—RELINQUISHMENT OF DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

If you are the next of kin and you desire to relinquish your disposition authority, please fill in PART II of this form.

I, THE WIDOW (PLEASE INSERT RELATIONSHIP), AS THE NEXT OF KIN OF THE DECEASED

NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO HEREBY RELINQUISH MY RIGHTS TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED. THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE ORDER OF ELIGIBILITY OF DECEDENT'S SURVIVORS IS:

LAST NAME GUTMAN	FIRST NAME MARY	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED MOTHER		
NUMBER AND STREET 408 KINGSBORO 4th WALK	CITY OR TOWN BROOKLYN	STATE OR COUNTRY NY

WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DIRECT FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.

<p><i>Anna Helle Hirschfeld</i> (SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN)</p>	<p><u>October 10, 1947</u> (DATE)</p>
<p>Annabelle Hirschfeld (NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)</p>	<p><u>120-12-143 ST.</u> (STREET AND NUMBER)</p>
	<p><u>So. Ozone PK. L.I. N.Y.</u> (CITY AND STATE)</p>

PART III

If you are NOT the next of kin authorized to direct the disposition of remains, please fill in PART III of this form.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NOT THE NEXT OF KIN AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM. THE FOLLOWING PERSON, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, IS THE NEXT OF KIN TO WHOM THIS FORM SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

(SIGNATURE)

(DATE)

(STREET AND NUMBER)

(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED)

(CITY AND STATE)

INSPECTION CHECK LIST						SPACE NO. <i>978</i>				
CASE NO.			NAME OF DECEASED (<i>Last, First, Middle Initial</i>) GUTMAN WILLIAM			BRANCH OF SERVICE GF	RACE W	RELIGION	SEX M	DATE
RANK OR GRADE SGT		SERIAL NUMBER 32 538 851		CONSIGNEE SCHWARTZ BROTHERS 33 SECOND AVE NEW YORK NY						
SHIPPING CASE—GENERAL APPEARANCE (<i>Check ONLY Discrepancies</i>)						CONDITION OF SHIPPING CASE (<i>Check One</i>)				
						<input type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY				
FINISH (<i>Exterior</i>)						REMARKS				
FINISH (<i>Interior</i>)										
HANDLES										
HANDLE BOLTS										
STENCILING—NAME PLATE										
HEALTH PERMIT MARKER										
HEALTH PERMIT NUMBER										
CASKET—GENERAL APPEARANCE (<i>Check ONLY Discrepancies</i>)						CONDITION OF CASKET (<i>Check One</i>)				
						<input type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY				
FINISH (<i>Exterior</i>) <i>clean - polished</i>						REMARKS				
HANDLES AND FASTENINGS										
STENCILING—NAME PLATE										
CAM LOCKS (<i>Sealing</i>) <i>adjust (3)</i>										
ODOR OR MOISTURE										
<i>touch up rim</i>										
ROUTED THROUGH										
<input type="checkbox"/> MORTUARY OPERATING ROOM						<input type="checkbox"/> REPAIR SHOP				
CONDITION OF REMAINS						CASKET REPAIRED				
<input type="checkbox"/> SATISFACTORY <input type="checkbox"/> UNSATISFACTORY						<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO				
NECESSARY DISINFECTATION (<i>Explain</i>)						CASKET EXCHANGED				
						<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO				
						SHIPPING CASE REPAIRED				
						<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO				
						SHIPPING CASE EXCHANGED				
						<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO				
						REMARKS <i>sanded plastic wood</i>				
TIME	DATE	SIGNATURE OF MORTICIAN			TIME	DATE	SIGNATURE OF INSPECTOR			
						<i>10/12/48</i>	<i>Jones</i>			
REMARKS <i>Painted 10/12/48</i>										

CORRESPONDENCE ACTION SHEET

Addressee: ~~Mr.~~ ~~Miss.~~ Mrs. Mary Gutman Mother
 Relationship
 State 408 Kings 4th Walk,
 City, State Brooklyn, New York Date letter '47
 Cemetery
 Temporary: _____
 Permanent: E 4 77 usmc BROSVILLE FRANCE
 Plot Row Gr Cem. Name or No. City Country

Decedent:

Gutman

William

Initial

Rank

325388571
ASN

PARAGRAPHS
(sequence)

-- ADDITIONAL -- DATA -- MODIFICATIONS --

A letter in your behalf from Mr. Alfred L. Tanz, Counselor At Law,
has been received.

Page 6

Burial report.

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Omit the second sentence of the second paragraph

62-5

Closing paragraph.

Taylor
Analyst Typist Reviewer

Modifications

OKed



ARMY SERVICE FORCES

IN REPLY REFER TO SPOYG 2922 314.6 OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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European U.S. Miss

17 January 1946

SUBJECT: Corrections of Reports of Interment

TO: Commanding General, American Graves Registration Command
European Theater, Versailles, France
APO 887, c/o Postmaster New York, New York

FOR:

1. It is requested that the burial reports and grave markers for the following decedents, interred at the U. S. Military Cemetery, Bliesville, France, be changed to correct the discrepancies underlined, and that this office be advised when these corrections have been completed.

NAME	RANK/ GRADE	SERIAL NO.	BRANCH of SERV.	RELIGION	DATE OF DEATH	GR.	ROW	PLOT
Adkins, <u>Amos</u>	Pfc	35 438 709	214 Inf. Regt			185	10	E
Bratcher, <u>Charles C.</u>	Pfc	35 042 969	325 Glar Inf.			104	6	B
Caldwell, <u>Louis (NMI)</u>	Pfc	35 668 542	83rd Inf. Div.			119	6	D
<u>Giangiulio, Enrico</u>	Sgt	32 066 318	9 Inf. Div			175	9	T
<i>x293</i> <u>Getson, William</u>	Sgt	32 538 851	508 Para Inf. Reg.*			77	4	E
<u>Hollarsann, Aloysius J.</u>	Tec/4	37 290 859	308 Med. Bn			58	3	K
<u>Mac Millan, Kenneth A.</u>	Pvt	11 053 851	10 Armd Inf. Bn			174	9	T
<u>McMichael William J.</u>	Pvt	36 615 026	10 Armd Inf. Bn			95	5	U
<u>Schoenwald, Robert J.</u>	Sgt	35 329 237	508 Para Inf. Reg.			183	10	D
<u>Williams, Carl</u>	Pfc	36 070 461	1st Bn Co. C. *			148	8	A

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

JAMES L. FREEE
Major, GAC
Assistant

**

The records of this office show date of death 15 June 1944 and Burial 9 June 1944
2 July 1944.

Sutman Wm

NAME

32538851

SERIAL NO.

This person has been authenticated as Jewish by the Bureau
of War Records of the National Jewish Welfare Board.

10/12/45

DATE

(Signed)

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For the Bureau of War Records
National Jewish Welfare Board

WAR DEPARTMENT
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TRAI MITTAL SHEET

23 October 1944

TO	Dir., Memorial Division, OQMG, Room 1007 Tempo C., Washington, D. C.	
	(Service, division, or organization)	(Location)
DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED COMMUNICATION	(Branch or unit)	(Attention)
	Mrs. Mary Gutman TAG	293 11 October 1944
	(Originator)	(Date)
FROM	(Subject)	(File No.)
	Cas. Br. Inves & Corres Sec. Room 3707 Munitions Building. 79040	AGPC-G 261 Gutman, William 70
	(Service, division, or organization)	(Location) (Telephone)

1. For necessary action.
2. Sergeant William Gutman, 32,538,851, was killed in action in France on 1 July 1944.
3. Copy of basic communication has been referred to Decorations and Awards Branch, Washington, D. C. for so much as pertains to awards. Writer has not been advised of this reference.

For the Chief, Casualty Branch:

1. Incl.
Copy of ltr dtd 11 Oct 44 (dup)

R. C. Moor

Ralph C. Moor
Major, A.G.O.



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

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 12 August 1944
 (Kehn 4631)

FULL NAME <p style="text-align: center;">Gutman, William</p>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <p style="text-align: center;">32,538,851</p>		GRADE <p style="text-align: center;">Sgt</p>									
HOME ADDRESS <p style="text-align: center;">Brooklyn, New York</p>		ARM OR SERVICE <p style="text-align: center;">Infantry</p>		DATE OF BIRTH <p style="text-align: center;">29 Oct 1918</p>									
PLACE OF DEATH <p style="text-align: center;">European Area</p>		CAUSE OF DEATH <p style="text-align: center;">Killed in Action</p>		DATE OF DEATH <p style="text-align: center;">2 July 44</p>									
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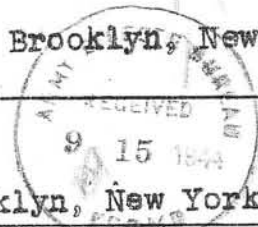
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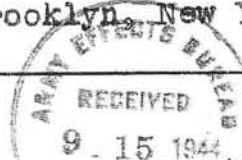
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—**BATTLE CASUALTY REPORT**—

NAME	SERIAL NUMBER	GRADE	ARM OR SERVICE	REPORTING THEATRE		
GUTMAN WILLIAM	32538851	SGT	INF	ETO		
PLACE OF CASUALTY	DATE OF CASUALTY			FLYING OR JUMPING STAT	SHIPMENT NUMBER	
	DAY	MONTH	YEAR			
FRANCE	06	JUN	44	J	MIA	133

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE

THE INDIVIDUAL NAMED ABOVE DESIGNATED THE FOLLOWING PERSON AS THE ONE TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, AND THE OFFICIAL TELEGRAPHIC AND LETTER NOTIFICATIONS WILL BE SENT TO THIS PERSON. THE RELATIONSHIP, IF ANY, IS SHOWN BELOW. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THIS PERSON IS NOT NECESSARILY THE NEXT-OF-KIN OR RELATIVE DESIGNATED TO BE PAID SIX MONTHS' PAY GRATUITY IN CASE OF DEATH

MR.-MRS.-MISS—FIRST NAME—MIDDLE INITIAL—LAST NAME	RELATIONSHIP	DATE NOTIFIED
MRS ANNABELLE GUTMAN	WIFE	24 July 44 ESW
NO. AND NAME OF STREET—CITY—STATE		
2642A WEST THIRTY FIRST STREET	NEW YORK	NEW YORK

REMARKS:

CORRECTED COPY



ACTION BY PROCESSING AND VERIFICATION SECTION: REPORT VERIFIED FORM 43 AG 201 REQ

CASUALTY BRANCH FILE ATTACHED OR CHARGED TO DATE _____

PREVIOUSLY REPORTED NO YES (AS INDICATED BELOW):

FILE NO.	MESSAGE NO.	TYPE	DATE AND AREA	E. A. NOTIFIED

FORWARDED TO SPEC. IDEN. TELEGRAM WOUNDED LETTER CORRES. S. R. & D. CERTIF. M. & M. NON-DEL.

REPORT NOT VERIFIED NO FORM 43 NO CAS. BR. FILE CHECKED BY *Griffin 24 July 44* REVIEWED BY *Kellogg*

THIS SPACE FOR USE OF MACHINE RECORDS BRANCH, A.G.O.

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

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ADJUTANT GENERAL

Summary Court-Martial
ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPT. 601 Hardesty Avenue
Kansas City 1, Missouri

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117/78
Case No. 172895
Date 5 April 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transactions in disposing of the effects of

William Gutman, 32538851 late a
(Name of decedent) (Army Serial number)
Sergeant, Infantry who died
(Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)
on the 1 day of July, 1944, at European Area

TO : The Adjutant General, War Department, Washington 25, D. C.

1. Complying with A.W. 112, a Summary Court Martial, convened at Kansas City, Mo, pursuant to S.O., 228, Hq., KQ&M Depot, dated 25 September 1943, for the purpose of disposing of the effects of the above-named soldier, or person subject to military law, reports that:

a. No legal representative or widow of decedent being present at decedent's camp or quarters, effects of decedent were forwarded to this Summary Court-Martial.

b. Local debtors owed decedent's estate \$ none, of which the sum of \$ none was collected. (If nothing was found due or collected, state "None"; otherwise attach itemized statement of sums owing and collected.) (Incl. _____.)

c. Decedent owed undisputed local creditors the sum of \$ none, which has been paid by the Summary Court-Martial from funds of decedent. (See inclosed receipt _____, Incl. _____)

d. Disposition of decedent's effects (less money paid creditors, if any) has been made by the Summary Court-Martial by transmittal through the quartermaster Corps, at Government expense to person found entitled (See Summary Court-Martial FINDING below)

FINDING

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri, on 23 March 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters, KQ&M Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of Mrs. Mary Gutman, Mrs. Annabelle Gutman for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;

Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.W. 112, Mrs. Annabelle Gutman of 2842 A West 31st Street, Brooklyn 24, State of New York (Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village) is the Widow of the above-named decedent and appears to be entitled to receive his or her effects.

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)

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REMARKS: *No Information Requested*

ATTACHMENTS: *FORM #54 197 label* FORM #100

C.A.T. *None*

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I certify that the above listed items were
not in the containers inventoried by me:

[Signature]
INVENTORY CLERK

[Signature]
SUPERVISOR

G.I. REMOVAL

5 August 1944
Date

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508th PARACHUTE INFANTRY
APO 230 U. S. Army

(Organization and A.P.O. Number)

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Inventory of Personal Effects.

TO : Effects Quartermaster, ETOUSA, Depot G-11, APO 507,
U.S. Army.

Transmitted herewith in accordance with Adm. Cir. #80, dated 25 Oct 1943, Hq. SOS. ETOUSA, is Inventory of Effects concerning subject named below.

Gutman	William	(NMI)	Sgt	32538851	
(Last Name)	(First Name)	(MI)	(Rank)	(A.S.M.)	(Control No.) (For use of Effects QM. ETOUSA)

Organization Co C 508th Parach. Inf.
(UNIT - - - - Not Branch of Service)

*Status. (Deceased, ~~1/1/44~~/~~1/1/44~~/~~1/1/44~~/~~1/1/44~~) on the Second
day of July 19 44

Designated beneficiary (With Address) Mrs. Anabelle Gutman
2842 A W 31st St
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Cl. II Assets: Cash found in effects, less cost of money order inclosed herewith

U.S.M.O. #	Ant \$	U.S.M.O. #	Ant \$
U.S.M.O. #	Ant \$	U.S.M.O. #	Ant \$

U.S. Official Check # _____ Amt. _____ Bank _____
(Name and Branch)

#Bank Accounts None

#Debtors None

#Creditors None

#Inclosed is None

(Will, Power of Attorney, War Bond, Travelers Checks. Describe Fully)

REMARKS (if any)

filed

(Attach extra sheets if necessary)

- 1 Money Belt ✓
- 1 Prcht. Qual. Wings ✓
- 1 Pr. Socks ✓
- 1 Toilet Bag ✓
- 2 EAME Ribbons ✓
- 1 Good Conduct Ribbon ✓

I certify that the foregoing inventory comprises all of subject's effects and that effects were shipped to Effects QM, EFOUSA, A.P.O. 507, G-14, U.S. Army by delivering to Effects, QM 32d A/B Div on 5 August 1944.

Joseph E. Hartsough
Signature - (In Ink)

JOSEPH E. HARTSOUGH)
Name) (Block
) letters)
2nd LT. INF., PERSONNEL OFFICER
Rank and organization

HEADQUARTERS, ARMY SERVICE FORCES

MEMO ROUTING SLIP

To the following in order indicated:

GPO 16-34200-3

1	EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER, ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU, KANSAS CITY, 1, MISSOURI <small>(Name or title) (Organization) (Building and room)</small>	172 895- <i>ch</i>	(Initials)
2			(Date)
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MEMORIAL DIVISION, PLANNING & REGISTRATION
BRANCH, TEMPO "A", WASHINGTON 25, D. C.,
(Name) (Organization) (Building and room)

(Date)
(Telephone)

GOIMAN, WILLIAM

3253885 T 2nd A

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

(See AR 600-550)

(Last name) (First name) (Middle initial) (Army serial number)

late a Sgt Inf 32nd A/B Div
(Grade) (Organization or arm or service)

who died on the unknown day of June, 1944

CLASS I—Saber, insignia, decorations, medals, campaign badges, watches, manuscripts, and other articles valuable chiefly as keepsakes.

NUMBER	ARTICLES	*PACKAGE NUMBER
	Parachute pin ✓	
	Pen, fountain ○	
	Souvenir coins ✓	

*To be filled out only in case of shipment to The Adjutant General.

CLASS II—Other effects

NUMBER	ARTICLES
	CURRENCY: \$1.00 American j

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO: Mrs. Annabelle Gutman
2842 A West 31st Street
Brooklyn, New York

Effects of:

Name Sgt. William Gutman

ASN 32538851

Case No. 117178-D

Wt.

DATE 25 September 1945
RTB:VW:fp

Doncille Marriot
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

_____ Inclose Bureau Check
_____ Acct. No. _____
_____ Amount _____
_____ Inclose "Valuables" item
_____ Ship "Valuables" item(s)

_____ Remove G.I.
_____ Note discrepancy in _____
_____ Films removed
_____ Diary removed
_____ Laundry removed

ROUTING:

_____ Accounting Branch
1. Warehouse Division
2. Files Branch, Adm. Div.

REMARKS:

Franked _____
Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
Est. Int. Chgs. _____
No. of packages 1

SEP 28 1945

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Shipping Clerk

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO: Mrs. Annabelle Gutman
2842 A West 31st Street
Brooklyn 24, New York

Effects of:
Name Sgt. William Gutman
ASN 32538851
Case No. 117178 D
Wt.

DATE 22 May 1945
GHG:MH:bo

Mrs. Annabelle Gutman
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

Inclose Bureau Check
Acct. No. 43240
Amount \$1.00 *True*
 Inclose "Valuables" item
 Ship "Valuables" item(s)

Remove G.I.
 Note discrepancy in _____
 Films removed
 Diary removed
 Laundry removed

ROUTING:

1 Accounting Branch *er*
Warehouse Division
2 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

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Annabelle Gutman

*Stop amt 21 June 50
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REMARKS:

Franked _____
Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
No. of packages _____

Shipping Clerk

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mrs. Annabelle Gutman
2842 A West 31st Street
Brooklyn 24, New York

Effects of:

Name Sgt. William Gutman
ASN 32538851
Case No. 172895-D
Wt.

DATE March 23, 1945
JRM:SP:dsf

J. S. ...
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

 Inclose Bureau Check
 Acct. No.
 Amount
 Inclose "Valuables" item
 Ship "Valuables" item(s)

 Remove G.I.
 Note discrepancy in
 Films removed
 Diary removed
 Laundry removed

ROUTING:

 Accounting Branch
 1 Warehouse Division
 2 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

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REMARKS:

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No. of packages 1

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Shipping Clerk

Gutman, William

Age at death 32 538 851

Place of burial Blossville

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Date

Field

Remarks

Correct date of death
and burial

File

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NAME GUTMAN, WILLIAM SGT 8851

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
			8159
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SCHEDULE OF COLLECTIONS

Sheet No. 3277

Department of the Army
(Department or Establishment)

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU, 601 Hardesty Avenue,
(Bureau or Office)

Received by Stanley Zablocki, Captain, OMC, Effects Quartermaster Kansas City 1, Missouri
(Name) (Title) (Station)

Period December 1950 D. O. Symbol No. 215-200
(Month or quarter ended) #645

DATE RECEIVED	RECEIPT NUMBER	NAME OF REMITTER	DETAIL DESCRIPTION OF PURPOSE FOR WHICH COLLECTIONS WERE RECEIVED	AMOUNT	FUND TO BE CREDITED (Symbol and title in full)
Sep 44	77301	William Gutman, Sgt., 32538851, dcd 1Jul44	Cash Effects of Deceased	\$1.00	218902-1951 "Proceeds from estate of deceased personnel Depts of the Arm & Air Force, other than Regular Arm & Air Force personnel." William Gutman, Sgt., 32538851, dcd 1Jul44.
Mar 45	85909	Mario Giua, Pvt., 32516454, dcd 20Nov44	Cash Effects of Deceased	1.00	218902-1951 "Proceeds from estates of deceased personnel Depts of the Arm & Air Force, other than Regular Arm & Air Force personnel." Mario Giua, Pvt. 32516454, dcd 20Nov44.
Apr 45	85933	Adolph Turpin, S/Sgt., 35898272, dcd 28Feb45	Cash Effects of Deceased	2.30	218902-1951 "Proceeds from estates of deceased personnel Depts of the Arm and Air Force, other than Regul Army & Air Force personnel Adolph Turpin, S/Sgt. 35898272, dcd 28Feb45
Carried fwd. TOTAL,				\$ 4.30	

Received 5 Dec 50 \$159.61, subject to collection. Forwarded 5 Dec 1950
GRAND TOTAL \$159.61

By Wm L. Searcy, Col, PC, POMS Army (Disbursing clerk or accountable officer) Title S/ Stanley Zablocki (Name)

By Rolph M. Bounds, 1st Lt, PC, adjutant Title Capt. OMC
Certificate of Deposit No. _____ dated _____ Effects OMC

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BROOKLYN NY OCT 11

COL BARE, NYPOE

REGARD DELIVERY OF REMAINS OF LATE SGT WILLIAM GUTMAN OF WHOM
WE HAVE SIGNIFIED NO CHANGE IN INSTRUCTIONS PLEASE BE ADVISED
THAT WE WOULD REQUEST ONLY ONE CHANGE WOULD GREATLY APPRECIATE
DELIVERY OF REMAINS TO FUNERAL PARLOR AT SCHWARTZ 33 SECOND AVENYE
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MAX GUTMAN 408 KINGSBORO BROOKLYN NY.

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AMOUNT OF CHECK \$1.00	NOTE DISCREPANCY IN NAME	INCLOSE VALU? \$	RECIPIENT FROM
ACCOUNT NUMBER 43240	SERIAL NUMBER	SHIP VALUABLE	CASUALTY REPORT
Sgt. William Gutman 32538851 117178 D TREASURER OF THE UNITED STATES			INVENTORY
			FORM 20
			LETTER
			NO. & TYPE OF CONTAINER
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			CARTONS
			PACKAGE
			FOOT LOCKER
			SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS
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DIARY REMOVED			
SUMMARY COURT DATA			DATE ACTION TAKEN
DATE OF FINDING	APPLICANT		<i>HRC 30</i>
REMARKS Payment stopped on uncashed Bureau check #77301 amount \$1.00. Duplicate check to be issued and sent to F.O.			MAIL REVIEWER (initials)
			<i>[Signature]</i>
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HEADQUARTERS, ARM SERVICE FORCES
MEMO ROUTING SLIP

To the following in order indicated:

GPO 16-34260-3

1	EFFECTS QUARTERMASTER, ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU, KANSAS CITY, 1, MISSOURI <small>(Name or title) (Organization) (Building and room)</small>	(Initials)
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293
Gutman, William

32, 538, 851

1. For necessary action.

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From

1 Nov. 44.

MEMORIAL DIVISION, PLANNING & REGISTRATION
 BRANCH, TEMPO "A", WASHINGTON 25, D. C.,
(Name) (Organization) (Building and room)

(Date)
 (Telephone)

SPQMG 293
Gutman, William
S.N. 32,538,851

1 November 1944

Address Reply To THE
QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

Mrs. Mary Gutman,
408 Kingsborough, 4th Walk,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dear Mrs. Gutman:

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May I extend to you my deepest sympathy in the loss of your son.

For The Quartermaster General:

Sincerely yours,

MAYO A. DARLING,
Lt. Colonel, Q.M.C.,
Assistant.

RECEIVED
MAY 1945

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October 11, 1944.

Casualty Division
War Department
Washington D. C.

Gentlemen:

I am in receipt of two (2) letters, one from General Gavin, the other from Colonel Lindquist, both of the 82nd Airborne Division the outfit my son, William Gutman, Sergeant, 32538851, recently deceased, as a result of combat in France, was a member of.

For the respectful sentiments the above-named commanding officers communicated to me in my hour of grief, I take this opportunity of making acknowledgment. Through your offices, please convey a parents' heartfelt bounty of thanks for any and all consideration they have shown.

I should like to call your attention to my address, which is listed below. Please send the personal effects and the decorations mentioned in a previous letter, to the address, undersigned.

Respectfully,
/s/ Mrs. Mary Gutman

408 Kingsborough

My I extend to you my deepest sympathy in the loss of your son.
4th Walk

For The Quartermaster Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Sincerely yours,

MRS. A. WALKER,
Lt. Colonel, G.I.C.,
Assistant.

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
 KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
 601 HARDESTY AVENUE
 KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

JRM:JS:mn
 November 15, 1944

IN REPLY REFER TO: ~~172895 S~~
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Mrs. Mary Gutman
 408 Kingsborough, 4th Walk
 Brooklyn, New York

Dear Mrs. Gutman:

This will acknowledge your recent letter, which has been forwarded to this Bureau from Washington for reply to that portion regarding the personal effects of your son, Sergeant William Gutman.

As yet the Army Effects Bureau has not received any property belonging to him nor any information concerning it. All War Department agencies are under instruction to forward the personal effects of military personnel to this Bureau for disposition, and it is reasonable to assume that your son's property ultimately will be received here. However, because of transportation difficulties, considerable time may elapse before the shipment reaches us.

Under the 112th Article of War, which governs the disposal of such property, personal effects are delivered by this Bureau to the legal representative or widow of the soldier. It, therefore, will be in order for us to contact Mrs. Annabelle Gutman, 2842 A West 31st Street, Brooklyn, New York, upon receipt of any of Sergeant Gutman's belongings.

I wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your son.

Yours very truly,

A. L. SMITH
 Administrative Assistant
 Army Effects Bureau

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Bury's Road Box 40, 3
Jolly 6140

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of this day
Nov. 16, 1944

John
IMMEDIATE ACTION

Dear Sir:

My husband Sgt. William Putman,
32538851, was killed in action July 1, 1944
in France, and as yet I have received
none of his personal effects.

Could you please tell me how
long I have to wait for them?

I would appreciate any information
you can give me on that matter.

Thank you.

Yours truly
(Mrs) Annabelle Putman
2842 4 St. 31 St.
Bklyn. 24, N.Y.



ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

JEM:JS:vb
December 1, 1944

IN REPLY REFER TO:

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Mrs. Annabelle Gutman
2642 1/2 West 31st Street
Brooklyn 24, New York

Dear Mrs. Gutman:

I wish to acknowledge your letter of November 16, inquiring about the personal effects of your husband, Sergeant William Gutman.

Information on file at this Bureau indicates that Sergeant Gutman's effects will be available for release to you in the near future.

I realize your desire to receive these effects, and assure you that they will be forwarded at the earliest possible date.

Yours very truly,

A. L. SMITH
Administrative Assistant
Army Effects Bureau



ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

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JRM:JBS:cms
March 24, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO

Dear Mrs. Gutman:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some property of your husband, Sergeant William Gutman.

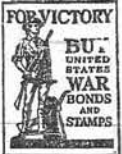
This property, consisting of a few items, is being sent to you.

If, for some reason, it has not been received at the expiration of thirty days from this date, please notify me so that tracer may be instituted.

I regret the circumstances prompting this letter, and wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your husband.

Yours very truly,

HARRY NIEMIEC
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Chief, Correspondence Branch



ARMY SERVICE FORCES
 KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
 601 HARDESTY AVENUE
 KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

CHG:MH:bo
 May 29, 1945

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IN REPLY REFER TO _____

Mr. Annabelle Gutman
 2842 A West 31st Street
 Brooklyn 24, New York

Dear Mrs. Gutman:

The Army Effects Bureau has received additional property of your husband, Sergeant William Gutman, consisting of funds in the amount of \$1.00. A check for this sum is inclosed.

As previously indicated, such property is forwarded for distribution in accordance with the laws of the state of the soldier's legal residence.

Sincerely,

A. G. SCHUMACHER
 1st Lt. Q.M.C.
 Asst. Chief, Admin. Division

1 Incl--
 Check

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RTB:VM:fp

September 25, 1945

Mrs. Annabelle Gutman
2842 A West 31st Street
Brooklyn, New York

Dear Mrs. Gutman:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some more property of your husband, Sergeant William Gutman.

This property, contained in one carton, is being sent you for distribution. If, for some reason, it has not been received within the next thirty days, this Bureau should be informed so that tracer may be instituted.

Yours very truly,

P. L. KOOB
1st Lt., QMC
Officer-in-Charge
SJ Branch

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WFH:ER:lp
February 7, 1946

Mrs. Annabelle Gutman
2842 A West 31st Street
Brooklyn, New York

Dear Mrs. Gutman:

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16 September 1947

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Mrs. Annabelle Gutman
2842 A West 31st Street
Brooklyn, New York

Dear Mrs. Gutman:

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HOC/DRK/ps
17 May 1949

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Mrs. Annabelle Gutman
2942-A West 31st Street
Brooklyn 24, New York

Dear Mrs. Gutman:

A review of the files of the Army Effects Bureau indicates that a check in the amount of \$1.00 mailed you in May of 1945 has not as yet been presented to the local depository for payment.

These funds had been received as a portion of the personal effects of your husband, the late Sergeant William Gutman.

Due to the imminent inactivation of this Bureau, it would be appreciated if this check were cashed by you at your earliest opportunity in order that the accounting records may be completed.

In the event that this check has become misplaced, a duplicate will be issued you upon your notification to this Bureau. If you desire to cash the original check, you may also show this letter to any banker if for any reason difficulty is experienced in the encashment of the original due to its date of issue.

In the event that this check has not cleared the bank on which drawn or further communication received from you within the ensuing sixty days, these funds will then be deposited with the Treasurer of the United States in order that the accounting records may be closed.

Your cooperation in the cashing of this check will be highly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

H. O. CALDWELL
Effects Quartermaster

Ref. No. 117,178

SZ/BRK/vlm
7 July 1950

Mrs. Annabelle Gutman
2842-A West 31st Street
Brooklyn 24, New York

Dear Mrs. Gutman:

I wish to refer to a Bureau check in the amount of \$1.00 previously sent you as the cash effects of your husband, Sergeant William Gutman.

The records show that this check has not as yet cleared the local bank on which drawn, and by reason of the date of issue, is considered by the bank to be staledated and consequently not now negotiable.

A stop-payment order has accordingly been placed against the original check, and the funds will be transferred in the near future, due to the deactivation of this Bureau and the closing of the bank account on which the check is drawn.

Should this check be cashed, and by reason of return of the check against which stop-payment has been entered other items are returned to you insufficient, this Bureau can in no way be held liable, inasmuch as the period for encashment has since elapsed.

Yours very truly,

STANLEY ZABLOCKI
Captain, QMC
Effects Quartermaster

October 11, 1944.

Casualty Division
War Department
Washington D. C.

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/s/ Mrs. Mary Gutman

408 Kingsborough

4th Walk

Brooklyn, N. Y.

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SPC/O 293
Gutman, William
S.N. 32,538,851

1 November 1944

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For The Quartermaster General:

Sincerely yours,

MAYO A. DARLING,
Lt. Colonel, Q.M.C.,
Assistant.

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SPQYG 293
Gutman, William

¹²
12 March 1946

Mrs. Annabelle Gutman
2842 A West 31st Street
Brooklyn, New York

Dear Mrs. Gutman:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished the burial location of your husband, the late Sergeant William Gutman, A.S.N. 32 538 851.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery, Bloisville, France, plot E, row 4, grave 77.

This cemetery is located approximately twenty miles northwest of St. Lo, twenty-four miles southeast of Cherbourg and five miles north and slightly west of Carentan, all in France, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in the loss of your husband.

Sincerely yours,

T. B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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LMS

ALFRED L. TANZ
COUNSELOR AT LAW

WHITEHALL 4-7754

52 BROADWAY
NEW YORK 4, N. Y.

June 13, 1947

Adjutant General
Washington 2,
D. C.

Dear Sir:

Mrs. Mary Gutman has asked me to write you concerning her son, ²⁹³ Sergeant William Gutman, Army Serial Number 32 538 851, who was killed in action in Normandy, France, during the invasion of the Continent.

She received letters from General James M. Gavin, Commanding General of the Eighty-Second Airborne Division and from the 508th Parachute Infantry Regiment, neither of which advised her of the burial place of her son. She has not as yet been advised where her son is buried and has asked me to communicate with you to obtain that information. She would also like to know what steps must be taken in order to have her son's remains returned to the United States for burial.

Thanking you for your prompt response, I am

Very truly yours,

Alfred L. Tanz

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QCQMF 293
Gutman, William
SN 32 538 851

17 July 1947

Mrs. Mary Gutman
408 Kings 4th Walk
Brooklyn, New York

Dear Mrs. Gutman:

A letter written in your behalf from Mr. Alfred L. Tanz, Counselor at Law, has been received.

The official Report of Burial discloses that the remains of your son were interred in Plot E, Row 4, Grave 77, in the United States Military Cemetery Blosville, located twenty-five miles southeast of Cherbourg, France.

The War Department has now been authorized to remove, at Government expense, to the place designated by the next of kin, the remains of those of our American citizens who gave their lives overseas during World War II.

I regret to inform you that, at the present time, it is not possible to give you the exact date the remains of your loved one will be returned.

I am sure you understand that, while this program is already in effect, it is necessary to thoroughly verify our records. Upon completion of this verification, the "Letter of Inquiry--Return of World War II Dead," will be mailed to the next of kin of those deceased Americans for whom verified burial information is on record in this office. In accordance with the present schedule, the remains are to be returned by cemeteries, and prior to the evacuation date of each cemetery, these Letters of Inquiry will be mailed to the next of kin giving them the opportunity to express their final and detailed desires concerning the last resting place of the remains of their loved one.

You may be assured that everything is being done to speed the return, reverently and in a dignified manner, of those who made the supreme sacrifice.

If we can assist you further, please feel free to contact us, at your convenience.

QMGMF 293 Gutman, William, SN 32 538 851, 17 July 1947 (Cont'd)

Please accept my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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Handwritten notes:
The address is
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Sgt. William Gutman, 32 538 851
Plot E, Row 4, Grave 77,
United States Military Cemetery
Blosville, France

12 September 1947

Mrs. Annabelle Gutman
2842 A West 31st Street
Brooklyn, New York

Dear Mrs. Gutman:

The people of the United States, through the Congress have authorized the disinterment and final burial of the heroic dead of World War II. The Quartermaster General of the Army has been entrusted with this sacred responsibility to the honored dead. The records of the War Department indicate that you may be the nearest relative of the above-named deceased, who gave his life in the service of his country.

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Sincerely,

THOMAS B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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If we can assist you further, please feel free to contact us, at your convenience.

Oct. 17, 1947

Office of Quartermaster General
Washington, D. C.

Re: Burial of 193

Sgt. William GUTMAN 32 538 851

Plot E, Row 4, Grave 77

U. S. Military Cemetery

Bloisville, France

Sir:

I am in receipt of a letter via Mrs. Annabell Gutman (former wife of my son, now since remarried from Maj. Gen. Thomas B. Larkin, regarding disposition of the remains of my son, ~~1st Lt.~~ ^{Sgt.} William Gutman.

Not having been on too friendly terms with Annabell Gutman, this letter is being written to verify and inquire as to whether the enclosed application which she returned was in fact signed by her, relinquishing her rights to me, Mrs. Mrs. Gutman, his mother, the next of kin.

May I have an acknowledgement from

this office as to whether or not this is so and
also that see future mail & pertinent items
be brought to my attention at my new address,
as of record. -

Mrs. Mary Gutman

408 Kingsford 4th walk.

Brooklyn, 33 N.Y.

Many thanks for your prompt acknowledgment

Yours truly

Mrs. Mary Gutman



Sgt William Gutman, 32 538 851
Plot E, Row 4, Grave 77,
United States Military Cemetery
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9 February 1948

Mr. Max Gutman
408 Kingsboro, Fourth Walk
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