

Fields of Honor Memorial

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Personal info

Full name

CARRINGTON, Edward Ward

Date of birth

23 May 1917

Age

26

Place of birth

Newark, Essex County, New Jersey

Hometown

Millburn, Essex County, New Jersey

Military service

Service number

O-793731

Rank

First Lieutenant

Unit

**332nd Bombardment Squadron,
94th Bombardment Group, Heavy**

Awards

Purple Heart

Death & Grave

Status

Killed in Action

Date of death

3 November 1943

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Ardennes

Plot	Row	Grave
A	31	39

Immediate family

Members

Waring C. Carrington (father)

Margaret H. Carrington (mother)

Waring C. Carrington (brother)

Robert L. Carrington (brother)

Ellsworth F. Carrington (brother)

Renee (Carson) Carrington (wife)

Plane data

Serial number

42-1101

Data

Type: B-17G

Destination: Wilhelmshaven, Germany

MACR: 1012

More information

1st Lt Edward Carrington attended Blair Academy.

He joined the Army in October 1940 and transferred to the Air Corps in February 1942.

Plane was hit by flak and set on fire. Two of us bailed out safely just before the plane blew up in midair. Neither of us ever saw any of the crew afterwards. Germans told us that they found 8 bodies in the wreckage.

Photos



Source of information: Peter Schouteten, Laura Phillips, www.wwiimemorial.com, www.archives.gov, www.ancestry.com - 1940 Census, New York WWII Enlisted Men Cards, www.fold3.com, The Item of Millburn and Short Hills (Millburn, New Jersey) · 17 December 1943

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