

Fields of Honor Memorial

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Personal info

Full name

HUGHES, Noah Todd

Date of birth

22 September 1919

Age

23

Place of birth

Ardmore, Carter County, Oklahoma

Hometown

Ardmore, Carter County, Oklahoma

Military service

Service number

O-664890

Rank

First Lieutenant

Unit

**335th Bombardment Squadron,
95th Bombardment Group, Heavy**

Awards

**Purple Heart,
Air Medal**

Death & Grave

Status

Finding of Death

Date of death

13 June 1943

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Ardennes

Plot	Row	Grave
D	1	55

Immediate family

Members

Noah T. Hughes (father)

Sally B. Hughes (mother)

Plane data

Serial number

42-30118

Data

Type: B-17F

Destination: Kiel, Germany

Mission: Bombing U-Boat Yards

MACR: 4738

More information

1st Lt Noah T. Hughes graduated from Ardmore High School and from Oklahoma A&M College in 1941.

He enlisted on 17 June 1941 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

After having left the target, Kiel, Germany, flightnumber 42-30118 crashed into the Kiel Bay (Baltic Sea) with the loss of all onboard. It is unclear if this was due to flak or enemy fighters. It is also believed that the aircraft of 1st Lt Noah T. Hughes collided in midair with "colleague", flightnumber 42-29763.

Photos



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