



Personal info

Full name

CHAFIN, Claude

Date of birth

30 June 1910

Age

34

Place of birth

**Red Jacket, Mingo County, West
Virginia**

Hometown

Mingo County, West Virginia

Military service

Service number

35933583

Rank

Private

Unit

**26th Infantry Regiment,
1st Infantry Division**

Awards

Purple Heart

Death & Grave

Status

Killed in Action

Date of death

7 September 1944

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Henri-Chapelle

Plot	Row	Grave
H	7	3

Immediate family

Members

James C. Chafin (father)

Laura E. (Stone) Chafin (mother)

Steward Chafin (brother)

James R. Chafin (brother)

Morris Chafin (brother)

Edith Chafin (sister)

Charles Chafin (brother)

Hubert Chafin (brother)

Hobart Chafin (brother)

John Chafin (brother)

Veva Chafin (wife)

Williard Chafin (son)

More information

Pvt Claude Chafin enlisted at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana on 22 September 1943.

He attended Red Jacket High School.

He was first buried at Temporary American Military Cemetery Fosse, Belgium.

Photos



Source of information: Peter Schouteten, Raf Dyckmans, Terry Hirsch, www.wwiimemorial.com, www.archives.gov, www.ancestry.com - Enlistment / Cole's Family Tree / West Virginia Birth Index / 1930 Census / U.S., Headstone and Interment Records for U.S. Military Cemeteries on Foreign Soil, West Virginia Memory Project

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