



Personal info

Full name

STRAUSS, Martin M

Date of birth

4 June 1922

Age

20

Place of birth

New York City, New York

Hometown

Manhattan, New York County, New York

Military service

Service number

O-727056

Rank

First Lieutenant

Unit

**368th Bombardment Squadron,
306th Bombardment Group, Heavy**

Awards

Air Medal with 3 Oak Leaf Clusters

Death & Grave

Status

Finding of Death

Date of death

17 April 1943

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Margraten

Walls of the Missing

Immediate family

Members

Arthur Strauss (father)

Kate M. Strauss (mother)

Carol (Timoner) Strauss (sister)

Plane data

Serial number

42-3034

Data

Type: B-17F

Nickname: Bodacious Critter

Destination: Bremen, Germany

Mission: Bombing of the Focke Wulf aviation industry plant

MACR: 15518

More information

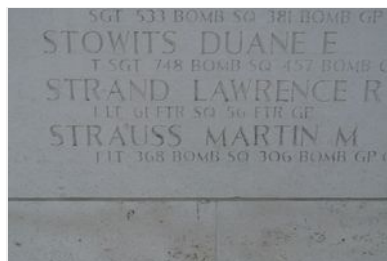
1st Lt. Martin M. Strauss attended college and was an actor.

He enlisted at Fort Jay, New York on 26 June 1941.

The aircraft is believed to have turned back toward the enemy coast at 54 deg 10 min N - 06 deg 40 min E, and is believed to have crashed into the sea.

The entire crew of ten was killed. Nine are remembered on the Walls of the Missing at Margraten, one, William R. Payne, is remembered on the Walls of the Missing at Cambridge.

Photos



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