

Fields of Honor Memorial

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Personal info

Full name

HOSSACK, Alexander Gridley

Date of birth

1 August 1916

Age

28

Place of birth

Paterson, Passaic County, New Jersey

Hometown

Paterson, Passaic County, New Jersey

Military service

Service number

32304218

Rank

Private First Class

Unit

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

Awards

**Silver Star,
Purple Heart**

Death & Grave

Status

Killed in Action

Date of death

21 December 1944

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Henri-Chapelle

Plot	Row	Grave
C	8	12

Immediate family

Members

Charles Hossack (father)

Alice M. Hossack (mother)

Joseph Hossack (brother)

Henry Hossack (brother)

Margaret Hossack (sister)

More information

Pfc Alexander G. Hossack was a bartender before he enlisted.

He enlisted in May 1942 and trained at Camp Croft, South Carolina and was sent overseas in September 1942.

He was a veteran of the campaigns in Africa, Sicily, Italy and France.

At the time of his death his brother Joseph served with the U.S. Navy.

Photos



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