

Fields of Honor Memorial

Exported from the Fields of Honor Foundation Memorial on 01-01-2026 at 12:09

[View this record at fieldsofhonor.com](https://fieldsofhonor.com)



Fields of Honor
Foundation



Personal info

Full name

OWENS, John Wesley

Date of birth

9 May 1922

Age

22

Place of birth

Jackson County, Florida

Hometown

Shady Grove, Jackson County, Florida

Military service

Service number

34408351

Rank

Private First Class

Unit

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

Awards

**Bronze Star,
Purple Heart**

Death & Grave

Status

Died of Wounds

Date of death

27 February 1945

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Henri-Chapelle

Plot	Row	Grave
D	12	14

Immediate family

Members

Lonnie T. Owens (father)

Fannie J. (Dawson) Owens (mother)

Idel Owens (sister)

Viola Owens (sister)

Estalee Owens (sister)

William R. Owens (brother)

Wesley Owens (brother)

More information

Pfc John W. Owens enlisted at Camp Blanding, Florida on 29 October 1942.

He worked on a farm before he enlisted.

Pfc John W. Owens was first buried at Temporary American Military Cemetery Henri-Chapelle Block VVV, Row 7, Grave 132.

Photos



Source of information: Raf Dyckmans, www.abmc.gov, www.wwiimemorial.com, www.archives.gov - WWII Enlistment Record, www.ancestry.com - U.S., Headstone and Interment Records for U.S Military Cemeteries on Foreign Soil / various family trees

Photo source: www.findagrave.com - Des Philippet