

## Fields of Honor Memorial

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### Personal info

Full name

**PORENTA, Frank**

Date of birth

**30 April 1916**

Age

**28**

Place of birth

**Nokomis, Montgomery County, Illinois**

Hometown

**Nanticoke, Luzerne County, Pennsylvania**

## Military service

Service number

**42071996**

Rank

**Private**

Unit

**39th Infantry Regiment,  
9th Infantry Division**

Awards

**Purple Heart**

## Death & Grave

Status

**Died of Wounds**

Date of death

**6 September 1944**

Cemetery

**American War Cemetery Henri-Chapelle**

Plot	Row	Grave
E	15	22

## Immediate family

Members

**Frank Porenta (father)**

**Antonia Porenta (mother)**

**Anna Porenta (sister)**

**Clara Porenta (sister)**

## More information

Pvt Frank Porenta was a cook before he enlisted in New York City, New York, on 5 February 1944.

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

## Photos



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