



## Personal info

Full name

**GERACI, Joseph P**

Date of birth

**1923**

Age

**unknown**

Place of birth

**New York**

Hometown

**Rochester, Monroe County, New York**

## Military service

Service number

**32676277**

Rank

**Private First Class**

Unit

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

Awards

**Purple Heart**

## Death & Grave

Status

**Killed in Action**

Date of death

**17 November 1944**

Cemetery

**American War Cemetery Margraten**

Plot	Row	Grave
D	11	8

## Immediate family

### Members

Louis Geraci (father)

Mary (Belfiore) Geraci (mother)

Josephine Geraci (sister)

Rose Geraci (sister)

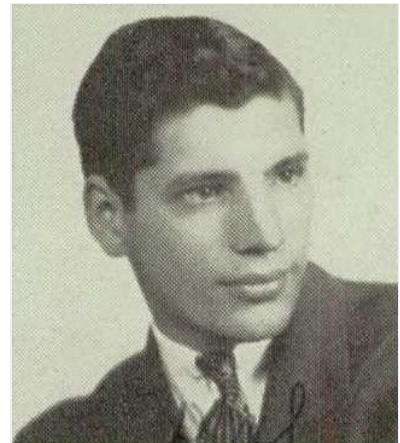
Jennie Geraci (sister)

## More information

Pfc Joseph P. Geraci enlisted in Rochester, New York on 25 January 1943.

He went overseas in September, 1944, with the 26th Infantry Division and was fighting in the Hürtgen Forest in Germany when he was killed. He was formerly a member of a Medical Corps unit at Syracuse and also was a student at the University of New Hampshire under the Army Specialized Training Program until the program was discontinued. He was graduated from Benjamin Franklin High School at Rochester and was employed by Bausch & Lomb Optical company as an optician before he entered the Army.

## Photos



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