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## Personal info

Full name

# WEGERT, Arthur Frederick

Date of birth Age Place of birth

2 January 1916 28 Cincinnati, Hamilton County, Ohio

Hometown

Cincinnati, Hamilton County, Ohio

## Military service

Service number

35560305

Rank

**Private** 

Unit

26th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division

Awards

**Purple Heart** 

#### Death & Grave

Status

#### Killed in Action

Date of death

2 December 1944

Cemetery

**American War Cemetery Margraten** 

Plot	Row	Grave
F	11	1

## Immediate family

Members

Walter Wegert (father)

Johanna Brandhorst (mother)

Richard O. Wegert (brother)

Wilbert F. Wegert (brother)

Mauriel Wegert (wife)

### More information

Pvt Arthur F. Wegert enlisted at Fort Thomas, Newport, Kentucky on 24 February 1944. He attended East Night High School in Cincinnati, Ohio. Pvt Wegert was trained as a meteorologist in a field artillery observation unit at Ft. Sill, Okla., but before going overseas in November, 1944, was transferred to the provisional infantry. He entered the Army the preceding February.

He was a clerk before he enlisted.

# **Photos**





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