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Personal info

Full name
CHENEY, Russell Dean

Date of birth	Age	Place of birth
7 March 1924	**20**	**Iowa**

Hometown
Palisade, Aitkin County, Minnesota

Military service

Service number
37579219

Rank
Private First Class

Unit
**16th Infantry Regiment,
1st Infantry Division**

Awards
Purple Heart

Death & Grave

Status
Killed in Action

Date of death
16 February 1945

Cemetery
American War Cemetery Margraten

Plot	Row	Grave
E	11	2

Immediate family

Members
Orval Cheney (father)
Mary E. (Barnes) Cheney (mother)
Flora C. Cheney (sister)
Alfred C. Cheney (brother)
Ward M. Cheney (brother)
Helen L. Cheney (sister)
Arthur A. Cheney (brother)

More information

He was initially buried in a temporary grave at Margraten on 17 May 1945. After being disinterred and after the cemetery was given a permanent status, he was given his final resting place on 15 January 1949.

Photos