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Personal info

Full name

WANINGER, John Joseph

Date of birth

12 April 1921

Age

23

Place of birth

**Evansville, Vanderburgh County,
Indiana**

Hometown

Peoria County, Illinois

Military service

Service number

16053640

Rank

Private

Unit

**A Company,
1st Battalion,
346th Infantry Regiment,
87th Infantry Division**

Awards

French Croix de Guerre with Bronze Star

Death & Grave

Status

Killed in Action

Date of death

15 December 1944

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Lorraine

Plot	Row	Grave
C	10	97

Immediate family

Members

John G. Waninger (father)**Bertha A. (Wanninger) Waninger (mother)****Marie Waninger (sister)****Ed A. Waninger (brother)**

More information

Pvt John J. Waninger attended high school for four years and was a stenographer and typist before he volunteered for the Army of the United States in Peoria, Illinois on 2 February 1942.

He was first buried at the Temporary American Military Cemetery in Limey, France.

Source of information: Peter Schouteten, www.abmc.gov, www.wwiimemorial.com, www.archives.gov – WWII Enlistment Record, www.ancestry.com - Headstone and Interment Record, www.87thinfantrydivision.com, www.findagrave.com – David C. Henderson

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