

Fields of Honor Memorial

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Personal info

Full name

MULLIGAN, William Julian

Date of birth

20 September 1918

Age

25

Place of birth

Harrell, Calhoun County, Arkansas

Hometown

El Dorado, Union County, Arkansas

Military service

Service number

17013623

Rank

Technical Sergeant

Unit

**700th Bombardment Squadron,
445th Bombardment Group, Heavy**

Awards

**Purple Heart,
Air Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster**

Death & Grave

Status

Killed in Action

Date of death

21 June 1944

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Ardennes

Plot	Row	Grave
B	39	11

Immediate family

Members

Carlton R. Mulligan (father)

Mamie A. Mulligan (mother)

Charlotte Mulligan (sister)

Ann E. (Sellers) Mulligan (wife)

Plane data

Serial number

42-50320

Data

Type: B-24H

Destination: Berlin, Germany

Mission: bombing of the city

MACR: 6166

More information

T/Sgt William J. Mulligan graduated from Corpus Christi High School and Boeing School of Aeronautics.

He joined the Air Corps of the Regular Army on 16 November 1940. He was sent overseas in April 1944.

The airplane was attacked by a ME 410 and shot down by 20 mm canon fire. Eight crewmembers were killed, two were taken prisoner.

T/Sgt Mulligan's body washed ashore north of Assens, Denmark on 28 July 1944.

Photos



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