

Fields of Honor Memorial

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Personal info

Full name

KLOESS, Robert Frank

Date of birth

14 August 1919

Age

25

Place of birth

Los Angeles County, California

Hometown

Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Military service

Service number

39288317

Rank

Private First Class

Unit

**2nd Infantry Regiment,
5th Infantry Division**

Awards

Purple Heart

Death & Grave

Status

Killed in Action

Date of death

19 February 1945

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Luxembourg

Plot	Row	Grave
E	11	14

Immediate family

Members

Roland A. Kloess (father)

Nina E. (Littleton) Kloess (mother)

Dorothy E. Kloess (sister)

More information

Pfc Robert F. Kloess attended college and worked as a filling station attendant before he enlisted in Los Angeles on 11 March 1943.

Photos



Source of information: Leo Minne, www.abmc.gov, www.archives.gov - WWII Enlistment Record, www.ancestry.com - 1930/1940 Census / U.S. School Yearbooks / Headstone and Interment Record, "A footsoldier for Patton" - Michael C. Bilder/James G. Bilder, The 5th Infantry Division in the ETO, www.findagrave.com

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