

## Fields of Honor Memorial

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### Personal info

Full name

**RICHARDS, Emil Steven**

Date of birth

**12 August 1918**

Age

**26**

Place of birth

**Minnesota**

Hometown

**Clearbrook, Clearwater County, Minnesota**

### Military service

Service number

**37599124**

Rank

**Private**

Unit

**E Company,  
2nd Battalion,  
346th Infantry Regiment,  
87th Infantry Division**

Awards

**Purple Heart**

### Death & Grave

Status

**Killed in Action**

Date of death

**4 March 1945**

Cemetery

**American War Cemetery Luxembourg**

Plot	Row	Grave
E	14	34

## Immediate family

### Members

**Harry E. Richards (father)**

**Bertha Richards (mother)**

**Charles E. Richards (brother)**

**Carroll E. Richards (brother)**

**Juilitta M. Richards (sister)**

**Verland H. Richards (brother)**

**Florence A. Richards (sister)**

**Anna M. Richards (sister)**

**Harris L. Richards (brother)**

**Beulah L. Richards (wife)**

## More information

Pvt Emil S. Richards was a skilled welder and flame cutter before he enlisted at Fort Snelling Minnesota on 15 July 1944.

## Photos



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