



Personal info

Full name

ALEX, Peter

Date of birth

29 April 1923

Age

21

Place of birth

Illinois

Hometown

Burbank, Los Angeles County, California

Military service

Service number

39554848

Rank

Private First Class

Unit

**G Company,
2nd Battalion,
12th Infantry Regiment,
4th Infantry Division**

Awards

Purple Heart with Oak Leaf Cluster

Death & Grave

Status

Killed in Action

Date of death

16 December 1944

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Henri-Chapelle

Plot	Row	Grave
H	1	50

Immediate family

Members

Othon Alex (father)
Penelope Alex (mother)
Frank Alex (brother)
Nick Alex (brother)
Connie Alex (sister)
Barbara L. Alex (wife)

More information

Pfc Peter Alex was a tinsmith or a coppersmith before he enlisted in Los Angeles, California on 18 January 1943.

He was most likely killed by artillery fire because his body suffered shrapnel wounds in the left shoulder.

He was first buried on 19 December 1944. He was disinterred on 20 October 1947 and given his final resting place on 2 May 1949.

Photos



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