



### Personal info

Full name

**LAWTON, Edward Andrew**

Date of birth

**6 September 1920**

Age

**22**

Place of birth

**Boston, Suffolk County, Massachusetts**

Hometown

**Suffolk County, Massachusetts**

### Military service

Service number

**O-731386**

Rank

**Second Lieutenant**

Unit

**335th Bombardment Squadron,  
95th Bombardment Group, Heavy**

Awards

**Purple Heart,  
Air Medal**

### Death & Grave

Status

**Killed in Action**

Date of death

**13 June 1943**

Cemetery

**American War Cemetery Ardennes**

Plot	Row	Grave
B	39	16

## Immediate family

### Members

**Henry Lawton (father)**  
**Winifred (Lyons) Lawton (mother)**  
**Winifred Lawton (sister)**

## Plane data

### Serial number

**42-29675**

### Data

**Type: B-17F**  
**Destination: Kiel, Germany**  
**Mission: Bombing of the Krupp Germaniawerft U-boat yards**  
**MACR: 2169**

## More information

2nd Lt Edward A. Lawton graduated from Mechanics Art High School and attended Boston University. He was a machinist.

He volunteered for the Air Corps of the Army of the United States in Boston, Massachusetts on 27 January 1942.

The aircraft was attacked by enemy fighters. The entire crew of ten men was killed.

## Photos



