

Fields of Honor Memorial

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Personal info

Full name

KACHADOORIAN, Jake N

Date of birth

1 August 1919

Age

24

Place of birth

California

Hometown

Kern County, California

Military service

Service number

39239168

Rank

Staff Sergeant

Unit

**331st Bombardment Squadron,
94th Bombardment Group, Heavy**

Awards

Air Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster

Death & Grave

Status

Missing in Action

Date of death

27 September 1943

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Margraten

Walls of the Missing

Immediate family

Members

Eznig Kachadoorian (father)

Annie (Kirkorian) Kachadoorian (mother)

Andrew Kachadoorian (brother)

Reuben Kachadoorian (brother)

Harry Kachadoorian (brother)

Nick Kachadoorian (brother)

Plane data

Serial number

42-5989

Data

Type: B-17F

Nickname: Marge H

Destination: Emden, Germany

MACR: 734

More information

S/Sgt Jake N. Kachadoorian graduated from Selma High School and was a machinist for the Douglas Aircraft Corporation

He enlisted in May 1941.

The aircraft was seen with #1 and #4 engines out, with black smoke pouring out. Wheels were down and bombs were believed to be dropped. The left wing dropped off. The A/C was believed to blow up and disintegrate.

Photos



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