



Personal info

Full name

PRATHER, John Trevor

Date of birth

15 September 1921

Age

22

Place of birth

Warren County, Tennessee

Hometown

Cherokee County, Alabamba

Military service

Service number

34331209

Rank

Sergeant

Unit

**407th Bombardment Squadron,
92nd Bombardment Group, Heavy**

Awards

Air Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster

Death & Grave

Status

Missing in Action

Date of death

25 August 1944

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Margraten

Walls of the Missing

Immediate family

Members

Hiram D. Prather (father)

Orrie B. (Green) Prather (mother)

Clyde F. Prather (brother)

Oscar J. Prather (brother)

George D. Prather (brother)

Catherine L. Prather (sister)

Plane data

Serial number

42-97958

Data

Type: B-17G

Destination: Peenemunde, Germany

Mission: Bombing

MACR: 8277

More information

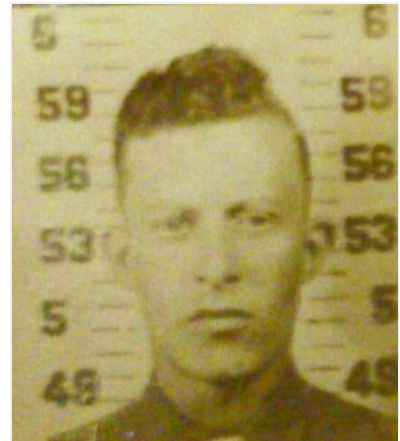
Sgt Prather enlisted on 3 June 1942 at Fort McClellan in Alabama.

This A/C was hit by flak then went into flat spin and fell to about ten thousand feet pulling out for a few seconds and then into a tight spin and burning. Several members of crew were seen to bail out.

Photos



POTTS BENJAMIN T	VIRGINIA
1 LT 81 TK BN 5 ARMD DIV	
POULOS STEVE S	ILLINOIS
FLT O 349 BOMB SQ 100 BOMB GP (H)	
POWER ELLSWORTH C	ILLINOIS
2 LT 351 BOMB SQ 100 BOMB GP (H)	
POWLEDGE ROBERT B	GEORGIA
1 LT 333 BOMB SQ 94 BOMB GP (H)	
POYTHRESS WHITNEY F JR	NORTH CAROLINA
2 LT 300 BOMB GP (H)	
PRATHER JOHN T	ALABAMA
SGT 407 BOMB SQ 92 BOMB GP (H)	
PRESSER DAVID F	



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