

## Fields of Honor Memorial

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### Personal info

Full name

**BENNETT, Willie Aiken**

Date of birth

**4 July 1913**

Age

**31**

Place of birth

**Varnville, Hampton County, South  
Carolina**

Hometown

**Varnville, Hampton County, South Carolina**

## Military service

Service number

**34010289**

Rank

**Private First Class**

Unit

**39th Infantry Regiment,  
9th Infantry Division**

Awards

**Purple Heart with Oak Leaf Cluster**

## Death & Grave

Status

**Killed in Action**

Date of death

**8 April 1945**

Cemetery

**American War Cemetery Margraten**

Plot	Row	Grave
A	9	24

## Immediate family

Members

**William H. Bennett (father)**

**Cornelia (Smith) Bennett (mother)**

**Ada Bennett (sister)**

**Carl Bennett (brother)**

**Harold Bennett (brother)**

**Ernestine Bennett (sister)**

**Lucille Bennett (sister)**

**Dorothy M. Bennett (sister)**

**Rosa (Nettles) Bennett (wife)**

**Carroll W. Bennett (son)**

## More information

Pfc Willie A. Bennett enlisted at Fort Jackson Columbia, South Carolina on 11 January 1941.

He attended one year of high school.

## Photos



Source of information: Peter Schouteten, Astrid van Erp, Terry Hirsch, [www.wwiimemorial.com](http://www.wwiimemorial.com), [www.archives.gov](http://www.archives.gov), [www.ancestry.com](http://www.ancestry.com) - Headstone and Interment Record, 1910/1930 Census / WWII Enlistment Record, Sandra Moseley Whittaker (niece)

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