



### Personal info

Full name

**DAHLIN, Norman Bruce**

Date of birth

**9 December 1925**

Age

**19**

Place of birth

**Los Angeles County, California**

Hometown

**Redwood City, San Mateo County, California**

### Military service

Service number

**19215828**

Rank

**Sergeant**

Unit

**569th Bombardment Squadron,  
390th Bombardment Group, Heavy**

Awards

**Purple Heart,  
Air Medal**

### Death & Grave

Status

**Killed in Action**

Date of death

**18 March 1945**

Cemetery

**American War Cemetery Ardennes**

Plot	Row	Grave
D	5	24

## Immediate family

### Members

**Walter Dahlin (father)**  
**Norma H. Dahlin (mother)**  
**Walter Dahlin (brother)**  
**Marylin Dahlin (sister)**

## Plane data

### Serial number

**43-38600**

### Data

**Type: B-17G**  
**Nickname: No Name Jive**  
**Destination: Berlin, Germany**  
**Mission: Bombing**  
**MACR: 13138**

## More information

A/C 600 was hit by flak after bombs away at target. #3 Engine was knocked out and the A/C fell back out of formation under control. Continued on course following the formation and was last definitely seen at 1240 hours at 5255N-0946E. No chutes reported.

They left the formation on the break away from the target over the city of Berlin. At 13,000 feet, about thirty miles east of Berlin, the order to bail out was given. 6 Crew members bailed out before the ship blew up in midair. Michael J. Riley, Richard C. Berryman and Norman B. Dahlin are believed to have been in the plane when it blew up. Norman didn't bail out. He was probably killed by flak.

## Photos



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