



Personal info

Full name

CARTMILL, Leroy Eugene

Date of birth

5 January 1923

Age

22

Place of birth

**Okmulgee, Okmulgee County,
Oklahoma**

Hometown

North Fork, Beckham County, Oklahoma

Military service

Service number

38692322

Rank

Private First Class

Unit

**F Company,
2nd Battalion,
507th Parachute Infantry Regiment,
17th Airborne Division**

Awards

Purple Heart

Death & Grave

Status

Killed in Action

Date of death

24 March 1945

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Margraten

Plot	Row	Grave
F	16	25

Immediate family

Members

Roy Cartmill (father)

Iona (Hull) Cartmill (mother)

Dale E. Cartmill (brother)

Earl G. Cartmill (brother)

Betty Cartmill (sister)

Evelyn J. (Reel) Cartmill (wife)

Gene Cartmill (son)

More information

Pfc Leroy E. Cartmill graduated from Carter High School and worked on a farm.

He enlisted at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, on 21 March 1944 and was sent overseas in December 1944.

He was killed when he parachuted into Drop Zone W during Operation Varsity.

Photos



Military Cemeteries on Foreign Soil, 1942-1949 / WWII Enlistment Records / 17th Airborne Division Historical Report of Operation Varsity, Book: The Last Drop, Operation Varsity March 24-25, 1945 by Stephen L. Wright, www.fold3.com - WWII Draft Card

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