

Fields of Honor Memorial

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Personal info

Full name

KEHOE, Robert J

Date of birth

10 August 1921

Age

22

Place of birth

California

Hometown

Marin County, California

Military service

Service number

O-752209

Rank

Second Lieutenant

Unit

**614th Bombardment Squadron,
401st Bombardment Group, Heavy**

Awards

Air Medal with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters

Death & Grave

Status

Finding of Death

Date of death

11 April 1944

Cemetery

American War Cemetery Ardennes

Plot	Row	Grave
D	11	5

Immediate family

Members

Alma G. (Bean) Kehoe (mother)

Plane data

Serial number

42-39881

Data

Type: B-17G

Nickname: Gloria J

Destination: Politz, Germany

MACR: 4017

More information

The aircraft was hit by flak. It flew along, burning, for about 30 seconds in formation. It went up steeply, then into a straight dive. The bomb bay seemed to be on fire. Three chutes came out; two of these were delayed jumps. The aircraft then exploded.

Photos



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