

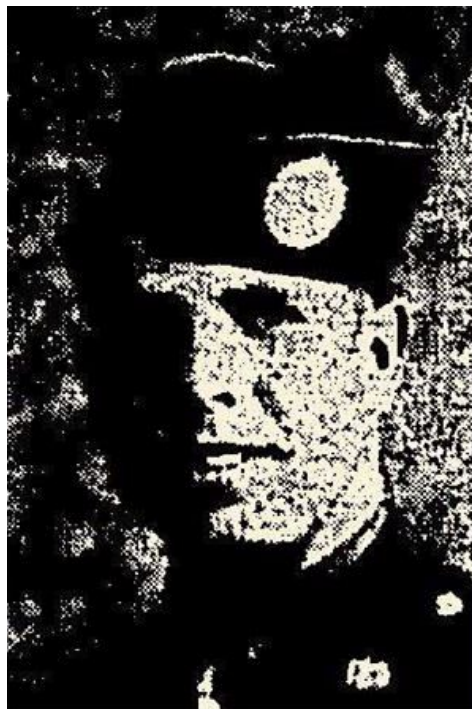
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### Personal info

Full name

**SMITH, Clarence Thomas**

Date of birth

**28 April 1922**

Age

**22**

Place of birth

**Clay County, West Virginia**

Hometown

**Charleston, Kanawha County, West Virginia**

### Military service

Service number

**35636334**

Rank

**Private First Class**

Unit

**H Company,  
3rd Battalion,  
504th Parachute Infantry Regiment,  
82nd Airborne Division**

Awards

**Purple Heart**

### Death & Grave

Status

**Killed in Action**

Date of death

**27 December 1944**

Cemetery

**American War Cemetery Henri-Chapelle**

| Plot | Row | Grave |
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## Immediate family

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### Members

Clyde T. Smith (father)  
Myrtle A. Smith (mother)  
Goodrich Smith (brother)  
Freeda Smith (sister)  
Charles Smith (brother)  
Virginia Smith (sister)  
Donald Smith (brother)  
Howard Smith (brother)  
Lula Smith (sister)

## More information

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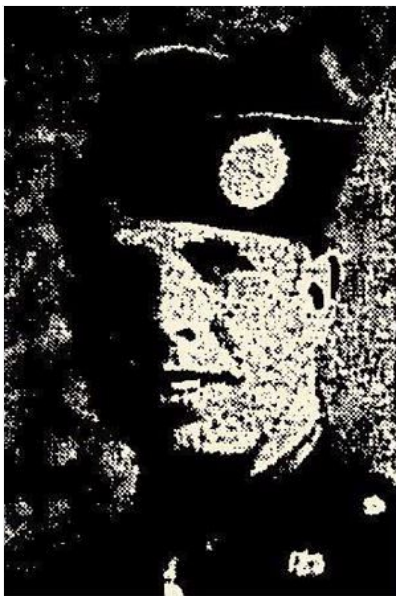
Pfc Clarence T. Smith enlisted in Huntington, West Virginia on 21 October 1942.

He was already a member of his unit since the Italian campaign.

His brother Goodrich served with the U.S. Navy Seabees in the Pacific.

## Photos

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Source of information: Terry Hirsch, Carla Mans, [WW2-Airborne.us](http://WW2-Airborne.us), [NARA](http://NARA), [WW2memorial](http://WW2memorial), [www.ancestry.com](http://www.ancestry.com) - 1940 Census / Headstone and Interment Record / U.S. WWII Draft Cards Young Men, West Virginia Memory Project

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