



### Personal info

Full name

**MC CLESKEY, Jefferson Benson**

Date of birth

**16 January 1923**

Age

**21**

Place of birth

**Texas**

Hometown

**Stanislaus County, California**

### Military service

Service number

**39727409**

Rank

**Private**

Unit

**513th Parachute Infantry Regiment,  
17th Airborne Division**

Awards

**Purple Heart**

### Death & Grave

Status

**Killed in Action**

Date of death

**7 January 1945**

Cemetery

**American War Cemetery Luxembourg**

Plot	Row	Grave
G	3	12

## Immediate family

### Members

Henry H. Mc Cleskey (father)  
Nannie H. (Wheeler) Mc Cleskey (mother)  
Mack H. Mc Cleskey (brother)  
Hazel H. Mc Cleskey (sister)  
Dewey E. Mc Cleskey (brother)  
Elvey I. Mc Cleskey (sister)  
Henry H. Mc Cleskey Jr. (brother)  
Opal F. Mc Cleskey (sister)

## More information

Pvt J. B. Mc Cleskey attended Eastland High School and worked on a farm.

He enlisted in Los Angeles, California on 21 March 1944.

He was first buried at the Temporary American Cemetery of Grand Failly, France.

## Photos



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