



### Personal info

Full name

**ALLEN, Lee Walter**

Date of birth

**25 March 1923**

Age

**21**

Place of birth

**Catawissa, Columbia County,  
Pennsylvania**

Hometown

**Berwick, Columbia County, Pennsylvania**

### Military service

Service number

**13003297**

Rank

**Private First Class**

Unit

**H Company,  
3rd Battalion,  
513th Parachute Infantry Regiment,  
17th Airborne Division**

Awards

**Bronze Star,  
Purple Heart**

### Death & Grave

Status

**Killed in Action**

Date of death

**8 January 1945**

Cemetery

**American War Cemetery Luxembourg**

Plot	Row	Grave
H	11	81

## Immediate family

### Members

**Florence Thrash (mother)**  
**Carol Levan (half-sister)**  
**Glen Levan (half-brother)**  
**Neil Levan (half-brother)**  
**Marlin Levan (half-brother)**  
**Darris Levan (half-sister)**  
**Gloria Levan (half-sister)**

## More information

Pfc Lee W. Allen attended Berwick High School and worked in the production of beverages. His grandfather and grandmother James Trash and Alice C. Trash were his legal guardians.

He joined the Regular Army in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania on 12 September 1940. He served three years in the Quartermaster Corps at Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland before volunteering for the paratroopers.

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

He is remembered at the Pine Grove Cemetery Annex in Berwick, Columbia County, Pennsylvania.

## Photos



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