



### Personal info

Full name

**BEI, Anthony**

Date of birth

**19 June 1919**

Age

**25**

Place of birth

**New York City, New York**

Hometown

**Brooklyn, Kings County, New York**

## Military service

Service number

**32344175**

Rank

**Private**

Unit

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

Awards

**Purple Heart**

## Death & Grave

Status

**Killed in Action**

Date of death

**20 September 1944**

Cemetery

**American War Cemetery Margraten**

Plot	Row	Grave
F	4	6

## Immediate family

Members

**John R. Bei (father)**

**Fanny Phillipa (Caltagirone) Bei (mother)**

**Emil Ballanti (stepfather)**

**Alfred F. Bei (brother)**

**Richard Bei (brother)**

**Dominick Ballanti (halfbrother)**

## More information

Private Anthony Bei attended two years of high school and worked as a photographer before he enlisted at Fort Jay, Governor's Island, New York on 27 May 1942.

He was killed during the Waalriver crossing and was initially buried at the American War Cemetery Molenhoek, The Netherlands on 22 September 1944, Plot A, Row 7, Grave 140.

His name is mentioned on the Waalcrossing Monument in Nijmegen, Netherlands.

## Photos



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