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**2 LT Wilbur T. Dickheiser
Class 71-43**

ID: 01183502

Branch of Service: U.S. Army

Hometown: Essex County, NJ

Status: KIA 29 October 1944



Killed in action serving with Battery A, 151st Field Artillery Battalion

War Victim's Rites Arranged

The body of the late Second Lieut. Wilbur T. Dickheiser, who died in the service of his country during World War 2, will arrive tomorrow at the Higgins "Home for Funerals." Last rites have been scheduled for Wednesday.

Lieutenant Dickheiser, 29, lost his life in Italy, Oct. 29, 1945, while serving with Battery A, 151st Field Artillery. He was the son of Mrs. Libby Jaffe of 1136 W. Eighth St.

Before entering the Army in 1943, Lieutenant Dickheiser was a buyer for Orbach's store, Newark. He was commissioned upon graduation from Officer Candidate School at Fort Sill, Okla.

Besides his mother, he leaves a sister, Mrs. Fred B. Dorf, and a brother, Norman E. Dickheiser, both of the W. Eighth St. address.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Wednesday in the Higgins "Home for Funerals." Interment will be in Mt. Lebanon Cemetery, Iselin.

Buried in Mount Lebanon Cemetery, Iselin, New Jersey