



Robert H. Grell

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Second Lieutenant, U.S. Army

Service # O1179083

**345th Field Artillery Battalion
90th Infantry Division**

Entered the Service from: Pennsylvania

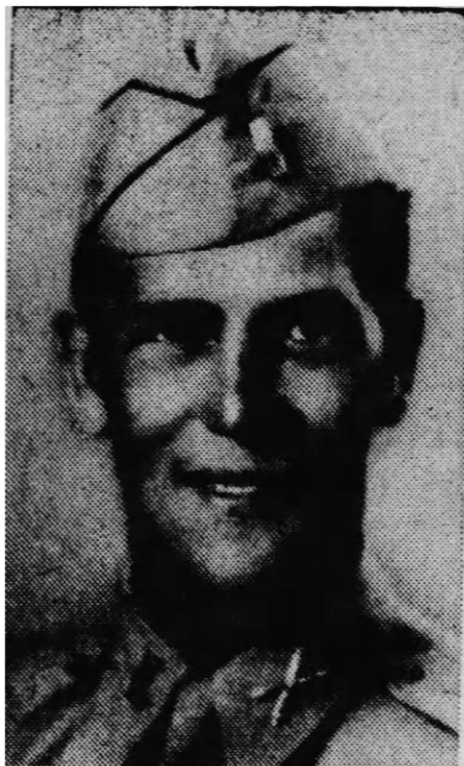
Died: 24-Jun-1944

Buried at: Plot G Row 12 Grave 33

Normandy American Cemetery

Colleville-sur-Mer, France

Awards: Silver Star, Purple Heart



ROBERT H. GRELL

The War Department informed Mrs. Louise Grell, 220 Forster street, late yesterday that her husband, Second Lieutenant Robert Grell, had died on June 24 as a result of wounds received in action in France on June 22.

Lt. Grell has been overseas with the Field Artillery as a Reconnaissance Officer since March, and is believed to have participated in the invasion of Normandy.

A former member of the National Guard, he entered the Army in January, 1941, and trained at Camp Shelby, Miss., before attending Officers Candidate School, at Fort Sill, where he was commissioned. He is the son of George Grell, 412 Herr street, and is a graduate of the Hershey Industrial School. He was employed at the Glenn Martin Co., in Baltimore, Md.

Never Saw Baby Son

Lt. Grell never saw his three-months-old son, Robert Eugene, who was born one month after Grell left the country.

Silver Star



(Citation Needed): Robert H. Grell, United States Army, is reported to have been awarded the Silver Star under the below-listed General Orders, for conspicuous gallantry and intrepidity in action against the enemy while serving with the 90th Infantry Division during World War II.

General Orders: Headquarters, 90th Infantry Division, General Orders No. 89 (1944)