

Remember Them Forever

Name: Jess Marvin Epps

Birth: 23 May 1917
Hawkins County, Tennessee

Death: 11 Jun 1944
France

Cemetery: Fairview Cemetery
Gainesville, Cooke County, Texas
GPS of grave: 33.6336271, -97.1266563

Family:
Father: Samuel Tildon Epps
Mother: Amanda Lucy Cline

Military: Private First Class, 726 Tank Battalion, World War II. Enlisted 26 September 1942.
Trained at Camp Rucker, Alabama, and at Camp Pickett, Virginia.
KIA in France. Named on the War Memorial at Leonard Park in Gainesville, Texas.

Personal information: Farm hand. Jess and his brothers Lester and Vernon served in World War II

Sources: FamilySearch ID KNVC-664, Texas Birth Certificates, U. S. Census Records, World War II Army Enlistment Records, BillionGraves, Find a Grave, Headstone Applications for Military Veterans, Gainesville Daily Register

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