

John Tillman Meredith, T-34

17 December 1916 – 8 April 1983

(aged 66)



Lieutenant John T. Meredith, 27-year-old son of Mrs. Anna Meredith, of 92 North Watkins, has been reported missing in action over Germany since March 9. The Liberator pilot, who has been overseas since January, 1944, entered the service in 1941.



A graduate of Tech High School, he also attended the University of Cincinnati. Lieutenant Meredith was a staff sergeant at Camp Stewart GA, for about a year before transferring to the Army Air Forces.

His mother is a linotype operator for The Commercial Appeal.

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Details

He spent nine months behind enemy lines after his plane was shot down but managed to escape. Meredith was killed along with his wife and four others in an airplane crash April 8, 1983 in Weaverville CA.