

John Joseph Ward, T-43

5 December 1924 – 10 May 1945

(aged 20)



Marine Private John J. Ward, 20, Tech High graduate, was killed in action May 10 on Okinawa, his mother, Mrs. Marie Ward was informed last night by the War Department.

Ward went overseas last September with the First Marine Division. He was employed by E. L. Bruce Lumber Company before entering the Marine Corps.

Ward lived in Coldwater MS before moving to Memphis.

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