

Octo Vasquez, Lpifanio 36069652 S/Sgt. FA Dur. A. (Tex) 44ev

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
 OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
 WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

QMGH-C 293
 Vasques, Epifanio
 SN 3806952

13 February 1958

SUBJECT: Cancellation of Gravesite Reservation.

TO: Superintendent
 Fort Bliss National Cemetery
 Fort Bliss, Texas

The following gravesite reservation has been canceled and notation thereof should be made in your records:

<u>NAME (RESERVEE)</u>	<u>GRAVE OR LOT NO. & SECTION</u>	<u>NAME (VETERAN)</u>
Vasques, Cruz (Admin - Unable to locate)	9474 E	Vasques, Epifanio S Sgt

MFR: Mathis (78796) The above reservation has been canceled on the December 1955, 2 year survey roster.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

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John J. Flynn
 JOHN J. FLYNN
 Lt. Colonel, CG
 Memorial Division

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1 January 1942

REPORT OF GRAVE SITE RESERVATIONS

ORIGINAL 25-10 658-54

TO: THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

NATIONAL CEMETERY

Fort Bliss, Texas

JAN 12 1948

NAME (LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE INITIAL) OF PERSON FOR WHOM RESERVED

Vasques, Cruz

SEE BELOW *
 VETERAN
 WIFE

NO. GRAVE SITE RESERVED

9474

SECTION

E

NO. ADJOINING GRAVE SITE

9475

OCCUPIED BY *

VETERAN
 WIFE

DATE OF RESERVATION

19 Dec 1947

SERVICE DATA

VETERAN'S NAME (LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE INITIAL)

Vasquez, Epifanio

RANK

S/Sgt

SERIAL NUMBER

3206952

DATE OF LAST SERVICE
died in service
date unknown

SERVICE

ORGANIZATION

U S Army

REMARKS

*Res requested - 5/24/48
Res ltr to widow - 3/22/48 Care J. Sonsteliie*

FEB 13 1958
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*CROSS OUT ONE NOT APPLICABLE
PREPARE IN TRIPLICATE AND FORWARD ORIGINAL AND DUPLICATE TO
THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

SIGNATURE OF SUPERINTENDENT
Carl J. Sonsteliie

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, WASHINGTON 25, D.C.
GRAVESITE RESERVATION SURVEY

NATIONAL
CEMETERY

FORT BLISS

9474

E

(GRAVE) (SECTION)

BESIDE

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S/Sgt. Epifanio Vasquez

NAN - FILE

T. C. BASHAM
CEM. BRANCH
MEM. DIV.

COMPLETE THE OTHER SIDE OF
CARD AND RETURN IT PROMPTLY

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Mrs. Cruz Vasquez
2104 East Yandell
El Paso, Texas

DO NOT FOLD, SPINDLE, OR MUTILATE THIS CARD.

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THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL IS MAINTAINING A GRAVESITE RESERVATION IN YOUR NAME IN THE NATIONAL CEMETERY AS INDICATED ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THIS CARD

IN ORDER THAT THIS OFFICE MAY DETERMINE WHETHER YOU DESIRE TO CONTINUE THE RESERVATION, AND WHETHER YOUR ELIGIBILITY THEREFOR HAS BEEN AFFECTED, PLEASE SUPPLY THE INFORMATION REQUESTED BELOW, AND RETURN THIS CARD IMMEDIATELY TO THIS OFFICE IN THE INCLOSED SELF-ADDRESSED POSTAGE-FREE ENVELOPE.

THE NEXT SURVEY OF YOUR GRAVESITE RESERVATION WILL BE MADE IN APPROXIMATELY TWO YEARS

(CHECK APPLICABLE STATEMENTS)

I DESIRE TO CONTINUE THE GRAVESITE RESERVATION

I HAVE REMARRIED

I DO NOT DESIRE TO CONTINUE THE GRAVESITE RESERVATION

I HAVE NOT REMARRIED.

FORM 155138 X

(SIGNATURE)

(DATE)

(STREET ADDRESS)

(CITY)

(ZONE)

(STATE)

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE TO AVOID
PAYMENT OF POSTAGE, \$300



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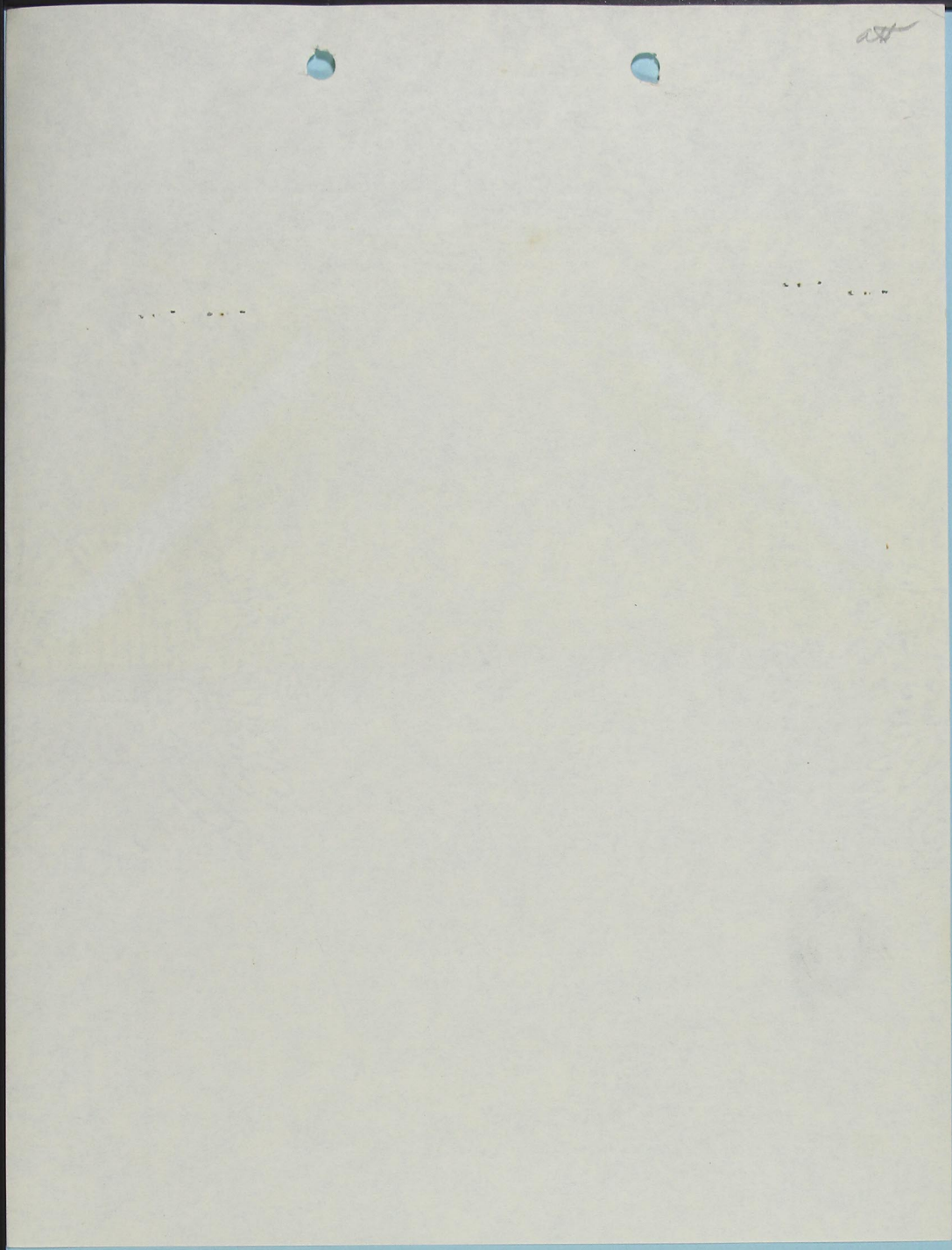


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Date: 26 Mar 56

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Vasquez, Epifanio 38069652
Name of Decedent

S/Sgt USA
Rank Organization

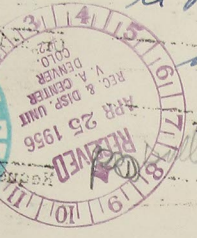
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Survey Date Requested by

Ft Bliss, Gr 9474, Sec E

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C. B. ✓
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Cruz P. Vasquez
P.O. Box 3746 7042104 E. Yandell
El Paso, Texas



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El Paso, Texas

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VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

REFERENCE SLIP

TO THE FOLLOWING IN ORDER INDICATED

	NAME OR TITLE	ORGANIZATION	BLDG. AND ROOM No.	INITIALS
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2.				DATE
3.				DATE
4.				DATE

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| <input type="checkbox"/> RECOMMEND SIGNATURE | <input type="checkbox"/> INFORMATION |

REMARKS:

Name of veteran: VASQUEZ, Epifanio

File Number (XC) 3 746 404

Please furnish on reverse of the attached card, the name and current address of widow, and note whether widow has re-married. If widow is deceased or if there is no record of a widow, so state.

Return completed card direct to The Quartermaster General, Department of the Army, Attn: Cemetery Branch, Memorial Division, Washington 25, D. C.

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Att: (1)

FROM: VARO, 3061 DALLAS, TEX DATE: _____
F. G. FRASER 3HCDA
 (NAME AND ORGANIZATION)
 Chief, Office Services Division
 Munitions Building, Washington 25, D. C.
 (BUILDING AND ROOM NUMBER) PHONE: _____

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 O. O. M. G.
 MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH
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 DENVER, COLO.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, WASHINGTON 25, D.C.
GRAVESITE RESERVATION SURVEY

NATIONAL FORT BLISS TEX
CEMETERY

BESIDE EPIFANIO VASQUEZ *76*

VASQUEZ CRUZ MRS
816 S VIRGINIA ST
EL PASO TEX

DO NOT FOLD, SPINDLE, OR MUTILATE THIS CARD.

NAN-FILE
(GRAVE) (SECTION)

T. C. BASHZM
CEM. BRANCH
MEM. DIV MAR 26 1956

PLEASE COMPLETE THE OTHER SIDE OF
THIS CARD AND RETURN IT PROMPTLY

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FORM 15137X

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(CHECK APPLICABLE STATEMENTS)

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I HAVE REMARRIED

I DO NOT DESIRE TO CONTINUE THE GRAVESITE RESERVATION

I HAVE NOT REMARRIED.

(SIGNATURE)

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(STREET ADDRESS)

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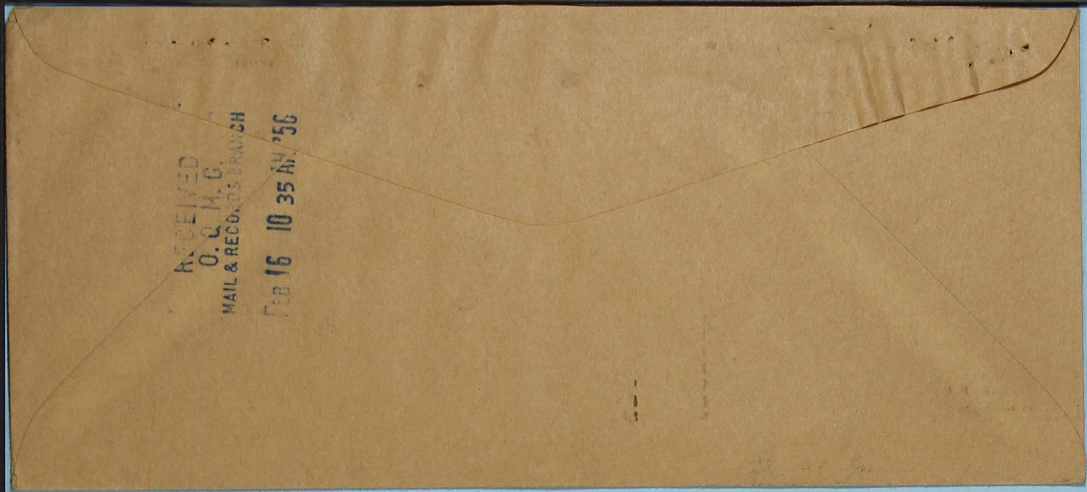
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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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In Reply Refer To
QMGMG 293
Vasquez, Epifanio
SN 3 806 952

28 May 1953

Mrs. Cruz Vasquez
816 South Virginia Street
El Paso, Texas

Dear Mrs. Vasquez:

The records of this Office show that a national cemetery grave-site has been reserved in your name.

Regulations provide that The Quartermaster General communicate periodically with reservees for the purpose of determining whether it is desired that the reservation remain in force. In the event it is not possible to obtain a request for continuation, such reservation is subject to cancellation. Accordingly, it is requested that you furnish the information noted below and return it to this Office in the inclosed self-addressed envelope which requires no postage.

Your wishes concerning the continuance of your reservation will be solicited again in approximately two years, precluding any necessity for further action on your part until you hear from this Office further. It is requested, however, that we be notified promptly of any change in your marital status or permanent address which may take place subsequent to the time you furnish the information requested below.

Sincerely yours,

J. F. Watt
JAS. F. WATT
Lt. Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

1 Inclosure
Self-addressed Envelope

DO NOT DETACH

I desire to continue the grave reservation indicated below

I do not desire to continue said gravesite reservation

Fort Bliss _____ National Cemetery, Grave 9474 Section E

beside S/Sgt. Epifanio Vasquez

I have remarried

I have not remarried

Signature: Cruz P. Vasquez

Street Address 816 So. Virginia St.

Date 6/11/53 City and State El Paso Tex

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FILE
RECORDS ANNOTATED
DATE 15 June 53
NAME B. Melvin
MEM. DIV.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

In Reply Refer to
FORM 203

The records of this Office show that a national security review
also has been reviewed in your name.

Regulations provide that the Quartermaster General commands
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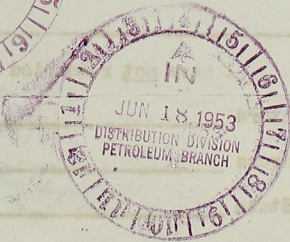
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your current status or payment status when any such change occurs
so the time you furnish the information requested below.

Sincerely yours,

[Handwritten Signature]
M. E. WAT
1st Colonel, 43
Quartermaster Division

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CEMETERY BRANCH

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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Lt. Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

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MAIL ROOM

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I desire to continue the grave reservation indicated below

I do not desire to continue said gravesite reservation

Fort Bliss National Cemetery, Grave 9474 Section E

beside S/Sgt. Epifanio Vasquez.

I have remarried I have not remarried

Signature _____

Street Address _____

Date _____ City and State _____

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

IN REPLY REFER TO
QMGMC 293

Vasquez, Epifanio
SN 3 806 952

30 March 1950

Mrs. Cruz Vasquez
816 South Virginia Street
El Paso, Texas

Dear Madam:

The National Cemetery Regulations require that gravesite reservations in national cemeteries be renewed periodically. It is now necessary that you complete the renewal request form below and return it, using the enclosed self-addressed postage-free envelope, in order that this Office will be informed of your wishes. It is important that you reply promptly, as failure to do so may result in the cancellation of your reservation. It is also important that you notify this Office of any change in your permanent address.

The remarriage of a non-service widow or widower of a deceased serviceman or woman automatically terminates the privilege of interment in a national cemetery. Cancellation of a reservation, except when due to remarriage, does not preclude the privilege of burial in the same grave with the deceased.

Sincerely yours,

R. G. AMLONG
Colonel, QMG
Memorial Division

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Return Envelope

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I have remarried Yes No

I desire to renew the following gravesite reservation Yes No

Cemetery Fort Bliss, Section E, Lot _____,

Grave 9474, beside the late S/Sgt. Epifanio Vasquez.

Signature Emig P. Vasquez

Date 4/8/50

Address 816 S. Virginia ST

City and State El Paso, Texas

*File
18 April 1950
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Carr*

TO: [Illegible]

FROM: [Illegible]

SUBJECT: [Illegible]

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 L. M. L. N. P. BHANU



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

IN REPLY REFER TO
OQGMC 293

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Colonel, QMC
Memorial Division

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MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

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Return Envelope

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I have remarried Yes No

I desire to renew the following gravesite reservation Yes No

Cemetery Fort Bliss, Section F, Lot _____,

Grave 9474, beside the late S/Sgt. Epifanio Vasquez.

Signature _____

Date _____ Address _____

City and State _____

Date 19 Dec 1947

TO: Mrs Epifanio Vasquez,
816 S. Virginia St.,
El Paso, Texas.

The authorized inscription for a Government headstone of the general type (furnished for all decedents except those who served only during the Civil and Spanish-American Wars) includes: (1) The State from which the veteran came; (2) religious emblem in a small circle above the inscription on the face of the headstone; and (3) the dates of birth and death.

In order that the appropriate information, as desired by the next of kin, may be shown on the headstone for the decedent whose name is listed below, it is requested that you fill in the proper spaces indicated below the data called for, and RETURN THIS FORM PROMPTLY TO THE

Superintendent, Fort Bliss National Cemetery, Box 342, El Paso, Texas.
Superintendent of Cemetery or Commanding Officer of Post

If this form is not returned to the Superintendent within fifteen (15) days from date of mailing, the headstone will be ordered with the data as to religious emblem, State and date of birth inscribed thereon as shown in the official records, and NO CHANGE WILL BE MADE AT A LATER DATE AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

293 To be filled in by Superintendent or Commanding Officer

Name of Veteran Epifanio Vasquez
Rank, etc. Staff Sgt. U S Army
Grave or lot No. 9475 Sec E.
Date of death _____
Date buried 19 Dec 1947

To be filled in by Next of Kin

State desired Texas,
Religious emblem desired Latin Cross for Christian Faith.
(Latin Cross for Christian Faith, Star of David for Hebrew Faith)
Date of birth January, 19th, 1919.
Address of kin 816 S. Virginia St, El Paso, Texas.
Signature Cruz P. Vasquez Date December, 31st, 1947.

*File
1-27-48
Epifanio Vasquez*

Date _____

TO

Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor
510 S. Virginia
El Paso, Texas

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decedents except those who served only during the Civil and Spanish-American Wars) includes:
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Superintendent of Cemetery or Commanding Officer of Fort

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AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE.

To be filled in by Superintendent or Commanding Officer

Name of Veteran _____
Rank, etc. _____
Grave or lot No. _____
Date of death _____
Date buried _____

To be filled in by Next of Kin

State desired _____
Religious emblem desired _____
Date of birth _____
Address of kin _____
Signature _____
January, 1947



OWSG FORM 315
(20 March 1947)

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DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE

<p>1 29/3</p>		<p>SECTION A — NAME AND BURIAL LOCATION OF DECEASED</p>		<p>DIRECTIVE NUMBER 1240 15842</p>	<p>DATE 05 08 47 DAY MONTH YEAR</p>
<p>NAME VASQUEZ EPIFANIO</p>		<p>SERIAL NUMBER 38069652</p>	<p>RANK S SG</p>	<p>ARM 1</p>	<p>DATE OF DEATH DAY MONTH YEAR</p>
<p>CEMETERY HENRI CHAPELLE EUPEN</p>		<p>DISPOSITION OF REMAINS 1 85 20 10 CODE DIST. PT.</p>			<p>CAUSE OF DEATH 2</p>
<p>PLOT P</p>	<p>ROW 6</p>	<p>GRAVE 114</p>	<p>COUNTRY BELGIUM</p>		<p>CAUSE OF DEATH 2</p>

SECTION B — CONSIGNEE AND NEXT OF KIN

<p>NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONSIGNEE KASTER AND MAXON FUNERAL HOME 201 EAST YANDELL BOULEVARD EL PASO, TEXAS</p>	<p>NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN MRS. CRUZ VASQUEZ 816 SOUTH VIRGINIA STREET #29 EL PASO, TEXAS</p>
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SECTION C — DISINTERMENT AND IDENTIFICATION

<p>NAME VASQUEZ, EPIFANIO</p>	<p>SERIAL NUMBER 38069652</p>	<p>RANK S/SGT</p>	<p>DATE OF DEATH 28 OCT 44</p>	<p>DATE DISINTERRED 25 SEP 47</p>
<p>IDENTIFICATION TAG ON <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REMAINS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKER</p>	<p>ORGANIZATION HQ BTRY 440TH ARMD FA BN, 7 ARMD DIV</p>	<p>RELIGION C</p>	<p>IDENTIFICATION VERIFIED BY HENRY J. BLUME, 1/LT FA 540 QM SV CO.</p>	

SECTION D — PREPARATION OF REMAINS FOR SHIPMENT

<p>NATURE OF BURIAL UNIFORM AND MATTRESS COVER</p>	<p>CONDITION OF REMAINS BODY INTACT. UPPER GOND WING BRIDGE.</p>
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OTHER MEANS OF IDENTIFICATION
FULL NAME IN OD SHIRT.

MINOR DISCREPANCIES
NONE

REMAINS PREPARED AND PLACED IN CASKET
DATE 2/10/47 BY RAY E. BOWER, EMB SUPV

<p>CASKET SEALED BY RAY E. BOWER, EMB SUPV</p>	<p>EMBALMER (Signature) RAY E. BOWER, EMB SUPV 562 QM SV CO. <i>Ray E Bower</i></p>
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<p>CASKET BOXED AND MARKED DATE 2/10/47 CHARLES E. HACKLER, CLK REC</p>	<p>SHIPPING ADDRESS VERIFIED BY RAY E. BOWER, EMB SUPV</p>
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I hereby certify that all the foregoing operations were conducted and accomplished under my immediate supervision and that the report above is correct.

David L. Benschhoff
DAVID L. BENSCHOFF, CAPT. INF
SIGNATURE OF GRS INSPECTOR

1 Prepare Discrepancy Report QMC Form 1194a for major discrepancies.

File N.A.T. E. Aplan 1-9-48

RECORD OF CUSTODIAL TRANSFER

1. SHIPPED			
FROM U.S. M.C. HENRI CHAPELLE, BELGIUM		TO LIEGE, BELGIUM (BARGE LOADING POINT)	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE TRUCK		NAME OF CONVOYER SGT. LUPE J. VALBUENA R A 39570049	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER CAPT MERLE KAY 0290506	DATE Merle Kay 11/10/47	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>[Signature]</i>	DATE 11/10/47
2. SHIPPED			
FROM LIEGE, BELGIUM (BARGE LOADING POINT)		TO ANTWERP PORT PIER 140	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE BARGE FLUVIALE		NAME OF CONVOYER SGT JAMES W. BLACKMON R A 34051352	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER LT JAMES P. MITCHELL 01298270	DATE 11/10/47	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>[Signature]</i>	DATE 11/10/47
3. SHIPPED			
FROM ACRC ANTWERP BELGIUM		TO USAT ROBERT F. BURNS	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE ZEC		NAME OF CONVOYER ELROY N. NATHAN, 1st LT. T.C.	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER L E Butler Lt Col Inf	DATE -6 NOV 1947	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER Elroy N. Nathan	DATE -6 NOV 1947
4. SHIPPED			
FROM USAT "ROBERT F. BURNS"		TO NYPC	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE ZEC		NAME OF CONVOYER ELROY N. NATHAN, 1st LT. T.C.	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER ELROY N. NATHAN, 1st LT. T.C.	DATE 24 NOV 1947	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER JAMES L. MCKINNON COLONEL, T. O. PORT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER	DATE 26 NOV 1947
5. SHIPPED			
FROM NYPC		TO DC #10	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE Train		NAME OF CONVOYER P. F. C. Curtis P. Martin	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER JAMES L. MCKINNON PORT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER	DATE 30 NOV 1947	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER <i>[Signature]</i>	DATE 12-3-47
6. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE
7. SHIPPED			
FROM		TO	
KIND OF CONVEYANCE		NAME OF CONVOYER 12945 02 08 43	
SIGNATURE OF SHIPPER	DATE	SIGNATURE OF RECEIVER	DATE

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JOSEPH L. EGAN
PRESIDENT

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DUANE H HALLETT, FIRST LT AC=

FORTWORTH QM DEPOT FTW=

SKASTER AND MAXON FUNERAL HOME, 201 EAST YANDELL BLVD EL PASO, TEXAS WILL ACCEPT REMAINS OF S. SGT. EPIFANIO VASQUEZ ACCORDING TO PREVIOUS INSTRUCTIONS=

MRS CRUZ VASQUEZ 816 SOUTH VIRGINIA ST#29•

201 816 #29•

THE COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM ITS PATRONS CONCERNING ITS SERVICE

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<p>THIS HEADQUARTERS HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT THE REMAINS OF LATE</p> <p style="text-align: center;">S SGT EPIFANIO VASQUEZ ARE ENROUTE TO THE UNITED STATES.</p> <p>RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE INDICATE YOU WISH REMAINS DELIVERED TO</p> <p style="text-align: center;">KASTER & MAXON FUNERAL HOME 201 E. YANDELL BLVD. EL PASO TEXAS</p> <p>PLEASE INSTRUCT FUNERAL DIRECTOR TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT RAILROAD STATION UPON ARRIVAL. WE REGRET IT IS NOT POSSIBLE AT THIS TIME TO GIVE YOU A DEFINITE DELIVERY DATE HOWEVER THREE DAYS PRIOR TO SHIPMENT FROM THIS DEPOT YOUR FUNERAL DIRECTOR WILL BE NOTIFIED BY TELEGRAM OF RAIL ROUTING AND SCHEDULED TIME REMAINS WILL ARRIVE AT RAILROAD STATION. HE WILL BE REQUESTED TO PASS THIS INFORMATION TO YOU SO THAT YOU MAY MAKE FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS. REMAINS WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY MILITARY ESCORT. WITHIN 48 HOURS OF DATE OF THIS MESSAGE PLEASE CONFIRM BY TELEGRAM COLLECT TO FORT WORTH QUARTERMASTER DEPOT ABOVE DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS OR SUBMIT NEW DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS. PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT IT WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE TO COMPLY AT GOVERNMENT EXPENSE WITH ANY DESIRED CHANGES IN DELIVERY INSTRUCTIONS RECEIVED AFTER THE EXPIRATION OF THE 48 HOUR PERIOD. YOUR PROMPT COOPERATION WILL GREATLY ASSIST THIS OFFICE IN MAKING FINAL DELIVERY. IF YOU SHOULD DESIRE MILITARY HONORS AT</p>					
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FUNERAL YOU SHOULD ASK ANY LOCAL PHILANTHROPIC OR VETERANS ORGANIZATION TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS. PLEASE INCLUDE FULL NAME OF DECEASED IN REPLY TELEGRAM.						
DUANE H. HALLETT 1st Lt., A. C.						
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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
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QNDP-AGR 293

18 December 1947

Superintendent,
Fort Bliss National Cemetery
El Paso, Texas

Dear Sir:

In compliance with telephone request of 17 December 1947, the following telegram from the Office of the Quartermaster General, Memorial Division, on the change of shipping instructions for S/Sgt Epifanio Vasquez, ASN 38069652, is quoted for your information:

"EPIFANIO VASQUEZ ASN 38069652 REQUESTED CHANGE APPROVED. DELIVER REMAINS TO FORT BLISS NATIONAL CEMETERY."

Very truly yours,

DUANE H. HALLETT
1st Lt AC
Chief, Adm. Branch
A G R Division

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FROM LARKIN QMG WASH DC
TO CO FWQMD FORT WORTH TEX

RE NR 1/17

EPIFANIO VASQUEZ ASN 38069652 REQUESTED CHANGE APPROVED.
DELIVER REMAINS TO FORT BLISS NATIONAL CEMETERY .

END NR 7/17 ROGERS

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WA 284 FROM BUTLER QM DEPOT FORT WORTH TEX P P P
TO THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
ATTN MEMORIAL DIV
WASHINGTON D C

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CONTACTED THIS OFFICE STATING THAT NEXT OF KIN OF STAFF SERGEANT
EPIFANIO VASQUEZ SERIAL NUMBER 38069652 DISINTERMENT DIRECTIVE
NUMBER 1240 15842 HAS CONTACTED HIM REQUESTING FINAL INTERMENT
BE MADE IN THE FORT BLISS NATIONAL CEMETERY PD REMAINS ARE SCHEDULED
TO DEPART FOR EL PASO THIS AFTERNOON PD IN ACCORDANCE WITH YOUR
TWX NUMBER 24/24 CORRADO PART TWO REQUEST IMMEDIATE TWX AUTHORITY
TO COMPLY WITH THIS REQUESTED CHANGE PD END 1/17 CASTLE
1530Z

WILL APPRECIATE A RUSH ANSWER ON THIS ONE
ACK PLS TKS

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RECEIPT OF REMAINS

DISTRIBUTION CENTER
FORT WORTH QUARTERMASTER DEPOT FORT WORTH TEXAS

DLR AND REPORT
ANY CHARGES ROUTINE

REMAINS CONSIGNED TO: KASTER & MAXON FUNERAL HOME
201 EAST YANDELL BLVD
EL PASO TEXAS

REMAINS OF THE LATE STAFF SERGEANT EPIFANIO VASQUEZ SERIAL NUMBER 38069652 BEING SHIPPED TO YOU ACCOMPANIED BY ESCORT STAFF SERGEANT WILFRED J BARCOMB ON TRAIN NUMBER ELEVEN TEXAS PACIFIC RAILROAD LEAVING FORT WORTH THREE THIRTY PM SEVENTEEN DECEMBER AND DUE TO ARRIVE EL PASO STATION SEVEN FORTY FIVE AM RAILROAD TIME EIGHTEEN DECEMBER. REQUEST YOU MAKE ARRANGEMENTS TO ACCEPT REMAINS AT STATION UPON ARRIVAL AND THAT YOU IMMEDIATELY PASS THIS INFORMATION ON TO THE NEXT OF KIN.

DUANE H HALLET
1st Lt., AC

DEC 12 1947

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, DO HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THE REMAINS OF THE ABOVE-NAMED DECEASED

THIS 19 DAY OF Dec MONTH, 1947
Walter & Maxon
By Ed L Blair
WITNESS (Escort) CONSIGNEE

293 Vasquez Epifanio - 38069652 X
REPATRIATION RECORDS DL CAPT ROGERS 72262

CO FWQMD FORT WORTH TEX

RE NR 1/17

EPIFANIO VASQUEZ ASN 38069652 REQUESTED CHANGE APPROVED.

DELIVER REMAINS TO FORT BLISS NATIONAL CEMETERY.

END NR 7/17 ROGERS
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Confirmation copy

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QMGM 293
EPIFANIO VASQUEZ 38069652
17 DEC 47

R. M. BAUKNIGHT LT COL QMC

*NAI
12/17/47
18/12/47*

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WA 284 FROM BUTLER QM DEPOT FORT WORTH TEX P P P

TO THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL

ATTN MEMORIAL DIV

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Sr, 38069652

273 Vasquez, Epifanio (S/Sgt.)

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Vasquez, Epifanio

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EPIFANIO VASQUEZ, 38069652 17 Dec 47

R. M. BAUKNIGHT LT COL QMC

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REQUEST FOR DISPOSITION OF REMAINS

GRADE OF DECEASED, NAME, ARMY SERIAL NUMBER AND REPORTED PLACE OF BURIAL

DATE:

S/Sgt. Epifanio Vasquez, 38 069 652
Plot P, Row 6, Grave 114,
United States Military Cemetery
Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

3 March 1947

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DO NOT WRITE ABOVE THIS LINE

NOTE.—The next of kin should familiarize himself with the contents of the pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," before filling out this form. When the proper part of this form is filled out and properly signed by the next of kin, it should be returned to the OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, MEMORIAL DIVISION, WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON 25, D. C., in the self-addressed postage-free envelope provided for this purpose.
If you are the next of kin or authorized representative of next of kin and desire to direct the disposition of the remains, please fill in PART I of this form.

PART I

I, Mrs. Cruz Vasquez
(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF NEXT OF KIN)

(Please indicate relationship to the deceased by placing an "X" in the proper box.)

- WIDOW WIDOWER SON OVER 21 YEARS OLD DAUGHTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD
- FATHER MOTHER BROTHER OVER 21 YEARS OLD SISTER OVER 21 YEARS OLD

RELATIONSHIP OTHER THAN ABOVE (Specify) _____

HAVING FAMILIARIZED MYSELF WITH THE OPTIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE TO ME WITH RESPECT TO THE FINAL RESTING PLACE OF THE DECEASED DESIGNATED ABOVE, NOW DO DECLARE THAT IT IS MY DESIRE THAT THE REMAINS: (Please place an "X" in the box opposite the option you have selected.)

1. BE INTERRED IN A PERMANENT AMERICAN MILITARY CEMETERY OVERSEAS.
2. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES OR ANY POSSESSION OR TERRITORY THEREOF FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY

Evergreen Cemetery El Paso, Texas
(NAME AND LOCATION OF CEMETERY)

3. BE RETURNED TO _____ (FOREIGN COUNTRY) THE HOMELAND OF THE DECEASED OR NEXT OF KIN, FOR INTERMENT BY NEXT OF KIN IN A PRIVATE CEMETERY LOCATED AT _____ (LOCATION OF CEMETERY SELECTED)

4. BE RETURNED TO THE UNITED STATES FOR FINAL INTERMENT IN A NATIONAL CEMETERY LOCATED AT Fort Worth (LOCATION OF NATIONAL CEMETERY SELECTED)
- (Please indicate if your own religious services at a location other than the selected national cemetery are desired by placing an "X" in the proper box)
- YES NO

THE NAME OF THE DECEASED, THE SERIAL NUMBER AND GRADE ARE CORRECT EXCEPT FOR THE FOLLOWING CHANGES: (If no corrections are necessary, indicate this fact by inserting the word "NONE" in the space below.)

None

(28 July 47 after contact)

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D. Cruz

PART I (Continued)

If on Page 1 of this form you have selected Option Number 2 or 3, or Option Number 4 with your own funeral ceremonies desired at a location other than the selected national cemetery, complete one of these sections.

I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING PERSON WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
		TELEPHONE No.

OR I, AS THE NEXT OF KIN, DO FURTHER DECLARE THAT I DESIRE THE REMAINS TO BE SENT TO THE FOLLOWING FUNERAL DIRECTOR WHO HAS AGREED TO RECEIVE THEM:

FULL NAME OF FUNERAL DIRECTOR			
Kaster and Maxon Funeral Home			
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
201 E. Vandell Blvd.	EIPaso	EIPaso	Texas
EXPRESS OFFICE (Nearest railroad passenger station)	TELEGRAPH ADDRESS	TELEPHONE No.	
EIPaso, Texas	EIPaso, Texas	Main 211	

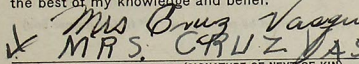
IN CASE OF EMERGENCY THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PERSON NEXT IN LINE OF KINSHIP AFTER ME, AS SET FORTH IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL	RELATIONSHIP TO DECEASED
VASQUEZ	PONSIANO	-IP	BROTHER
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	COUNTY OR PROVINCE	STATE OR TERRITORY OF U. S. A., OR COUNTRY
LOWE VALLEY ROUTE-1 Box 203	EIPaso	EIPASO	TEXAS

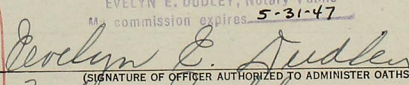
REMARKS OR ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS (For additional space use page 4.)

AS EXPLAINED IN THE PAMPHLET, "DISPOSITION OF WORLD WAR II ARMED FORCES DEAD," I AM THE NEXT OF KIN AND THE INDIVIDUAL AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE DISPOSITION OF THE SAID REMAINS.

I, the undersigned, DO SOLEMNLY SWEAR (OR AFFIRM) that the statements made by me in the foregoing document are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.


 MRS. CRUZ VASQUEZ 816 S. VIRGINIA ST. #29
(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) (STREET AND NUMBER)
 EIPASO, TEXAS
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) (CITY AND STATE)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant this 31st day of March,
 1947, at city (or town) of El Paso, county of El Paso, and State (or Territory or District) of Texas

EVELYN E. DUDLEY, Notary Public
 My commission expires 5-31-47

(SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO ADMINISTER OATHS)
 Notary Public
(OFFICIAL TITLE)

*NOTE.—Page 4 is part of the notarial attestation.

If you are the next of kin and you des

I, THE _____

NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO I

THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE

LAST NAME
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED
NUMBER AND STREET

WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE

(SIGNATURE OF _____)

(NAME PRINTED _____)

If you are NOT the next of kin auth

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NO

NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM.

SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

LAST NAME
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED
NUMBER AND STREET

(SIGNATURE _____)

(NAME PRINTED _____)

STAMPED OR
PRINTED NAME
REQUIRED

PART II—RELINQUISHMENT OF DISPOSITION AUTHORITY

If you are the next of kin and you desire to relinquish your disposition authority, please fill in PART II of this form.

I, THE _____, AS THE NEXT OF KIN OF THE DECEASED
(PLEASE INSERT RELATIONSHIP)
NAMED IN PART I OF THIS FORM, DO HEREBY RELINQUISH MY RIGHTS TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.
THE NEXT EXISTING PERSON IN THE ORDER OF ELIGIBILITY OF DECEDENT'S SURVIVORS IS:

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY

WHOM I UNDERSTAND SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO DIRECT FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED.

(DATE)

(SIGNATURE OF NEXT OF KIN) _____
(STREET AND NUMBER)

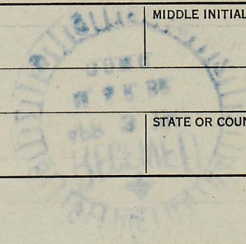
(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) _____
(CITY AND STATE)

PART III

If you are NOT the next of kin authorized to direct the disposition of remains, please fill in PART III of this form.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY YOU THAT I AM NOT THE NEXT OF KIN AUTHORIZED TO DIRECT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE REMAINS OF THE DECEASED NAMED ON PAGE 1 OF THIS FORM. THE FOLLOWING PERSON, TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE, IS THE NEXT OF KIN TO WHOM THIS FORM SHOULD BE DIRECTED.

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE INITIAL
RELATIONSHIP TO THE DECEASED		
NUMBER AND STREET	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTRY



(DATE)

(SIGNATURE) _____
(STREET AND NUMBER)

(NAME PRINTED OR TYPED) _____
(CITY AND STATE)

ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND INSTRUCTION

All remarks and information entered here will be considered as part of the Notarial Attestation.

Handwritten notes and lines in the top section of the document.



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S/Sgt. Epifanio Vasquez, 38 069 652
Plot F, Row 6, Grave 114,
United States Military Cemetery
Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

3 March 1947

Mrs. Cruz Vasquez
816 South Virginia Street
El. Paso, Texas

Dear Mrs. Vasquez:

The people of the United States, through the Congress have authorized the disinterment and final burial of the heroic dead of World War II. The Quartermaster General of the Army has been entrusted with this sacred responsibility to the honored dead. The records of the War Department indicate that you may be the nearest relative of the above-named deceased, who gave his life in the service of his country.

The enclosed pamphlets, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," and "American Cemeteries," explain the disposition, options and services made available to you by your Government. If you are the next of kin according to the line of kinship as set forth in the enclosed pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead," you are invited to express your wishes as to the disposition of the remains of the deceased by completing Part I of the enclosed form "Request for Disposition of Remains." Should you desire to relinquish your rights to the next in line of kinship, please complete Part II of the enclosed form. If you are not the next of kin, please complete Part III of the enclosed form.

If you should elect Option 2, it is advised that no funeral arrangements or other personal arrangements be made until you are further notified by this office.

Will you please complete the enclosed form, "Request for Disposition of Remains" and mail in the enclosed self-addressed envelope, which requires no postage, within 30 days after its receipt by you? Its prompt return will avoid unnecessary delays.

Sincerely,

THOMAS E. LANKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

- 5 Enclosures
- 1. Pamphlet (Options)
- 2. Disposition Form
- 3. Envelope
- 4. Pamphlet (Cemeteries)

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S/Sgt. Epifanio Vasquez, 38 069 652
Plot P, Row 6, Grave 114,
United States Military Cemetery
Henri-Chapelle, Belgium

25 April 1947

Mrs. Cruz Vasquez
816 South Virginia Street #29
El Paso, Texas

Dear Mrs. Vasquez:

Reference is made to the inclosed form "Request for Disposition of Remains" signed by you. This form is being returned to you for correction of those parts circled in red.

In making the necessary changes please do not erase any of the information already on the form but draw a line through the incorrect information and enter the correction just above.

Your promptness in returning the corrected form will avoid further delay.

Sincerely,

APR 28 12 28 PM '47
2 Incls.
RECEIVED BRANCH

RICHARD B. COOMBS
Major, QMC
Memorial Division

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QMR 293
 Vasquez, Epifanio
 A.S.N. 38 069 652

15 January 1947

Mrs. Cruz Vasquez
 816 South Virginia Street
 El Paso, Texas

Dear Mrs. Vasquez:

Inclosed herewith is a picture of the United States Military Cemetery Henri-Chapelle, Belgium, in which your husband, the late Staff Sergeant Epifanio Vasquez, is buried.

It is my sincere hope that you may gain some solace from this view of the surroundings in which your loved one rests. As you can see, this is a place of simple dignity, neat and well cared for. Here, assured of continuous care, now rest the remains of a few of those heroic dead who fell together in the service of our country.

This cemetery will be maintained as a temporary resting place until, in accordance with the wishes of the next of kin, all remains are either placed in permanent American cemeteries overseas or returned to the Homeland for final burial.

FOR THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL:

Sincerely yours,

G. A. HORKAN
 Brigadier General, QMC
 Assistant

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 O. O. H. C.
 RECORDS BRANCH
 Incl
 Photograph

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SFQYG 293
Vasquez, Epifanio

11 June 1946

Mrs. Cruz Vasquez
816 South Virginia Street
El Paso, Texas

Dear Mrs. Vasquez:

The War Department is most desirous that you be furnished information regarding the burial location of your husband, the late Staff Sergeant Epifanio Vasquez, A.S.N. 38 069 652.

The records of this office disclose that his remains are interred in the U. S. Military Cemetery, Henri-Chapelle, Belgium, plot P, row 6, grave 114.

This cemetery is located approximately seven miles southwest of Aachen, Germany, five miles northwest of Eupen and eight miles east of Liege, both in Belgium, and is under the constant care and supervision of United States military personnel.

The War Department has now been authorized to comply, at Government expense, with your feasible wishes regarding final interment, here or abroad, of the remains of your loved one. At a later date, this office will, without any action on your part provide you with full information and solicit your detailed desires.

Please accept my sincere sympathy in your great loss.

Sincerely yours,

T. B. LARKIN
Major General
The Quartermaster General

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JUN 11 1946
O.C.M.S.
MAIL & RECORDS BRANCH

GRAVES REGISTRATION
FORM NO. 1
(Revised 1 Sept. 1943)

RESTRICTED
REPORT OF BURIAL 378
TM 10-630 AND AR 30-1815

30321
31 October 1944
Date

Vasquez Epifanio 8/Sgt 38069652
 Last Name First Initial Rank Serial No.
 H9 BTRY Unit 440 Armd Fa. Bn. 7th Arm'd. Div
 Germany Est. 28 October 1944 KIA GSW Chest
 Place of Death Date of Death Cause of Death
 31 October 1944 Henri Chapelle Cem. #1 705352
 Time and Date of Burial Name of Cemetery Name or Coordinates of Location
 114 6 P 705352
 Grave Number Row Number Plot Number Type of Marker

Disposition of Identification Tags: Buried with body Yes No Attached to Marker Yes No

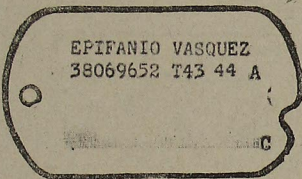
If No Identification Tags
How were remains identified?

What means of identification were buried with the body?

To determine Right or Left use Deceased's Right and Left.

Who is buried on:	Griffin	31182388	Unk.	Unknown	115
Deceased's Right:	Name	Serial No.	Rank	Organization	Grave No.
Deceased's Left:	Casey	14015121	Sgt	28th Inf. 8th Div	113
	Name	Serial No.	Rank	Organization	Grave No.

Signature or Name, Rank and if possible Organization of person furnishing above Data when other than officer reporting burial.



If print of identification tag is not affixed fill in below:

Emergency Addressee _____
Name

_____ Address

Religion C

List only Personal Effects Found on Body and disposition of same:

[Handwritten signature]
 Signature of Officer or other person reporting burial
HARRY DUBROV, 1st Lt., GPO
RESTRICTED
 Verified by G.R.S. Officer
[Handwritten initials]
 18-19-45

[Handwritten signature]

DECEASED UNIDENTIFIED

Take Fingerprints of Both Hands. If unable to obtain a complete set of Fingerprints, Take Those You Can, and fill in the following:

Height: _____ Laundry Marks: _____
 Weight: _____ Number of Rifle: _____
 Color of Eyes: _____ Wear Glasses? _____
 Color of Hair: _____ Is Tooth Chart Attached? _____
 Race: _____

(If possible, have medical personnel take a tooth chart, if no medical personnel present, fill in a tooth chart below.) In space below, locate, and describe any scars, birthmarks, moles, deformities, etc.

Note below any identifying clues found, such as letters, photographs, probable organization of deceased, etc.:

Left Hand

4
3
2
1
Thumb

Right Hand

4
3
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Thumb

TOOTH CHART

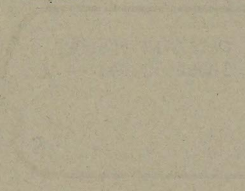
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Upper		8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
Lower		8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

Indicate: missing natural teeth by X; crowns by O; fillings by □; Bridges by C; linking anchor teeth; replacements by artificial teeth X

Characteristics: _____

Other Data: _____

If this is an Isolated Burial, make a Sketch of the Location, oriented with Permanent Landmarks. If more space needed attach separate sheet. Indicate North.



WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 19 Nov 1944
M.D./ELC/4624

FULL NAME <u>Vasquez, Epifanio</u>		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER <u>38 069 652</u>	GRADE <u>S/Sgt.</u>										
HOME ADDRESS <u>El Paso, Texas</u>		ARM OR SERVICE <u>FA</u>	DATE OF BIRTH <u>19 Jan 19</u>										
PLACE OF DEATH <u>European Area</u>	CAUSE OF DEATH <u>Killed in action</u>		DATE OF DEATH <u>28 Oct 44</u>										
STATION OF DECEASED <u>European Area</u>		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE <u>4 Nov 41</u>	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS										
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <u>Mrs. Cruz Vasquez, wife, 816 South Virginia St., El Paso, Texas</u>													
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) <u>Mrs. Cruz Vasquez, wife, same as above</u> <u>Mrs. Guadalupe Ruiz Vasquez, mother, Rt. #42, Box 726, El Paso, Texas</u> <u>Mr. Carlos Vasquez, brother, same as mother's.</u>													
INVESTIGATION MADE?		IN LINE OF DUTY		OWN MISCONDUCT		WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS		AUTHORIZED ABSENCE		IN FLYING PAY STATUS		OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW)	
YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO
											X		

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

*Records also show wife as ^MMrs. Lorenza D. Vasquez, 1005 1st St., El Paso, Texas

FILE.
30 1944

COPIES FURNISHED:			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BATTLE	BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR <i>[Signature]</i> ADJUTANT GENERAL
S. G. O.	F. B. I.	F. O. U. S. A.	<input type="checkbox"/> NON-BATTLE	
2. O. G. M. G.	O. F. D.	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU		
G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	CASUALTY BRANCH FILE A. G. 201 FILE		

WD, AGO, FORM NO. 52-1, 29 MAY 1944

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WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

297023

REPORT OF DEATH

DATE 19 Nov 1944
M.D./E.L.C./4624

FULL NAME Vasquez, Epifanio		ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 38 069 652	GRADE S/Sgt.
HOME ADDRESS El Paso, Texas		ARM OR SERVICE FA	DATE OF BIRTH 19 Jan 19
PLACE OF DEATH European Area	CAUSE OF DEATH Killed in action		DATE OF DEATH 28 Oct 44
STATION OF DECEASED European Area		DATE OF ENTRY ON CURRENT ACTIVE SERVICE 4 Nov 42	LENGTH OF SERVICE FOR PAY PURPOSES YEARS MONTHS DAYS
EMERGENCY ADDRESSEE (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Cruz Vasquez, wife, 816 South Virginia St., El Paso, Texas			
BENEFICIARY (NAME, RELATIONSHIP & ADDRESS) Mrs. Cruz Vasquez, wife, same as above Mrs. Guadalupe Ruiz Vasquez, mother, Rt. #42, Box 726, El Paso, Texas Mr. Carlos Vasquez, brother, same as mother's.			
INVESTIGATION MADE? YES NO	IN LINE OF DUTY YES NO	OWN MISCONDUCT YES NO	WAS DECEASED ON DUTY STATUS YES NO
			AUTHORIZED ABSENCE YES NO
			IN FLYING PAY STATUS YES NO
			OTHER PAY STATUS (SPECIFY BELOW) YES NO

EVENTS BUREAU RECEIVED NOV 27 1944

ADDITIONAL DATA AND/OR STATEMENT

"Records also show wife as Mrs. Lorenza D. Vasquez, 1005 1st St., El Paso, Texas

COPIES FURNISHED:			<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BATTLE	BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR <i>J. Paul</i> ADJUTANT GENERAL
S. G. O.	F. B. I.	F. O., U. S. A.	<input type="checkbox"/> NON-BATTLE	
A. G. M. G.	G. P. D.	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU CASUALTY BRANCH FILE		
G. A. O.	VET. ADMIN.	A. G. 201 FILE		



ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

IN REPLY REFER TO 297025 ✓

CHC:LH:vc
11 June 1945

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Mrs. Cruz Vasquez ✓
816 South Virginia Street
El Paso, Texas

Dear Mrs. Vasquez: ✓

Since our letter of May 3, the Army Effects Bureau has received funds belonging to your husband, Staff Sergeant Epifanio Vasquez. ✓

A bureau check for \$12.36, covering these funds, is inclosed for proper distribution according to the laws of the state of the decedent's legal residence.

Yours very truly,

A. G. SCHUMACHER
1st Lt. Q.M.C.
Asst. Chief, Adm. Division

1 Incl--Check

fill in

ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Effects of:
Name S/Sgt. Epifanio Vasquez

Cruz Vasquez

ASN 38069652

Case No. 297023

Wt.

GHG:LH:vc

DATE 9 June 1945

FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

x Inclose Bureau Check
Acct. No. 102411
Amount 12.36 *True*
Inclose "Valuables" item
Ship "Valuables" item(s)

Remove G.I.
Note discrepancy in _____
Films removed
Diary removed
Laundry removed

83732 dk

ROUTING:

1 Accounting Branch *sw*
Warehouse Division
2 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

102411
297023

June 15 45

Cruz Vasquez

12.36

Twelve and 36/100

REMARKS:

Franked _____
Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
No. of package _____

Eff. QM Form 14 (26 Dec 44)

Shipping Clerk

ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
INVENTORY

ln 5/29

297023⁰⁵

CASE NO. _____

TYPED BY _____

DATE Wineland

STATUS 5-1-45

NAME deceased

A.S.N. Epifanio Vasquez ✓

RANK 38069652

ORGANIZATION S/Sgt

AMOUNT Unk. ACCOUNT NO. 102411 re

LIST NO. 12.36 PAID-Check No. 83732 fl

REMARKS F 169

dj

A C C O U N T I N G I N V E N T O R Y

297023

JRM:VJ:vr
May 3, 1945

Mrs. Cruz Vasquez
816 South Virginia Street
El Paso, Texas

Dear Mrs. Vasquez:

The Army Effects Bureau has received some additional property of your husband, Staff Sergeant Epifanio Vasquez.

These effects, contained in one package, are being forwarded to you. If delivery is not made within thirty days from this date, please notify me so that tracer action may be instituted.

As previously indicated, personal property is transmitted by this Bureau for distribution according to the laws of the state of the soldier's legal residence.

Extending every sympathy, I am

Sincerely yours,

P. L. KOE
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Officer-in-Charge
SJ Unit

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ARMY SERVICE FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO:

Mrs. Cruz Vasquez
816 South Virginia Street
El Paso, Texas

Effects of:
Name

S/Sgt. Epifanio Vasquez
38069652

ASN

297023 D

Case No.

Wt.

DATE 3 May 1945
JRM:VJ:vr

B. Vasquez
FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

Inclose Bureau Check
 Acct. No. _____
 Amount _____
 Inclose "Valuables" item
 Ship "Valuables" item(s)

Remove G.I.
 Note discrepancy in _____
 Films removed
 Diary removed
 Laundry removed

ROUTING:

Accounting Branch
 1 Warehouse Division
 2 Files Branch, Adm. Div.

Ziba dj

Copy

REMARKS:

Franked **MAILED**
Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
Est. Frt. Chgs. **MAY 8 1945**
No. of packages _____

MC
Shipping Clerk

SHEET <u>1</u> OF <u>1</u> SHEETS	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY		DECEASED MISSING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
BOX NUMBER <u>9</u>	ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES <u>1</u>	P O W <input type="checkbox"/>	ABANDONED <input type="checkbox"/>
TALLY NUMBER <u>7074</u>	INVENTORY DATE <u>4 April 1945</u>	CASE NUMBER <u>297.023</u>	RANK <u>S/SGT</u>
EFFECTS OF <u>EPIFANIO YASQUEZ</u>	A.S.N. <u>38069652</u>	ORGANIZATION <u>72nd Armd. Div.</u>	

CLOTHING	PERSONAL ITEMS	CONTAINERS
BELT	BRACELET, IDENTIFICATION	BAGS, CLOTH
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	BRUSHES	BAGS, TRAVEL
CLOTH, WASH	CAMERAS	BILLFOLD, (NO MONEY) <u>wice</u>
COATS	GLASSES	CASE
FOOTWEAR, PR.	KNIVES	FOOTLOCKER
GLOVES, PR.	LIGHTERS	KIT, SEWING
HANDKERCHIEFS	MISC. INSIGNIA	KIT, TOILET
HEADWEAR	MISC. ITEMS	KIT, WRITING
JACKETS	PEN, FOUNTAIN	PAPERS AND MISC.
OVERCOATS	PENCIL, MECHANICAL	BOOKS
SCARFS	PIPES	BOOKS, ADDRESS
SHIRTS	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	BOOKS, NOTE
SOCKS, PR.	RIBBONS, DECORATION	BOOKS, PILOT LOG
TIES	RINGS <u>2</u>	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DURATION)
TOWELS	TOBACCO	FILMS
TROUSERS, PR.	TOILET ARTICLES	LETTERS
TRUNKS, PR	WATCH	PAPERS, PERSONAL
UNDERWEAR	WINGS	PHOTOS
		SHOE SHINE ARTICLES
		SHORT SNORTER
		SOUVENIRS
		SOUVENIR MONEY <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		STATIONERY
		TESTAMENTS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

REMARKS: no information

ATTACHMENTS: FORM #54 FORM #100

rechecked

Inventory

Sub G.R. Labille

C.A.T. <u>none</u>	WEIGHT	GI REMOVED
WAREHOUSE SPACE <u>753</u>	STORED BY <u>MC</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
		<input type="checkbox"/> IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
		<input type="checkbox"/> DIARY REMOVED
INVENTORIED BY <u>Beard</u>	DATE SHIPPED <u>MAY 8 1945</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> LOCKED STORAGE
PACKED BY <u>Beard</u>	CHECKED BY <u>J</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> LAUNDRY REMOVED
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> #43 OR ADDITIONAL	<input type="checkbox"/> FILM REMOVED

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

(Empty section for additional remarks)

SHORTS

14 Shillings
 9 Pence.
 104 French Francs.
 73 marks.

U.S. GOVT. CHECK SHORT

NUMBER
 DATE
 SYMBOL
 AMOUNT

(Empty section for listing shorts)

I certify that the above listed items were not in the containers inventoried by me:

Beard
 INVENTORY CLERK

Zaferen
 SUPERVISOR

G.I. REMOVE

NAME

VASQUEZ, EPIFANIO

S SGT

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
		9	7074

TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED
P.E.BAG		

Eff. QM Form 48

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

The following listed effects
were found on S/Sgt
(Rank)

Vasquez, Epifanio 38069652
(Name) (ASN)

7th ArmdDiv Est 10-28-44
(Orga) (Date Died)

Buried at Henri Chapelle#1

and effects forwarded to
Effects QM.

Wallet w/pjphotos ✓
2 Rings ✓
7 Souv Coins ✓

14 Shillings 9 Pence 0
104 French Francs 0
73 Marks 0

1 November 1944
RAY GRAHAM
Major FD
SN 212-196

H. Dubrov
HARRY DUBROV, 1ST LT, QMC

S/Sgt VASQUEZ
VASQUEZ ZEPHANIO
38069652



ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

JRM:VJ:na
April 23, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 297023

Mrs. Cruz Vasquez
816 South Virginia Street
El Paso, Texas

Dear Mrs. Vasquez:

Thank you for the information furnished the Army Effects Bureau in connection with personal effects belonging to your husband, Staff Sergeant Epifanio Vasquez.

These effects are being forwarded to you in one package.

If, by any chance, the property has not reached you at the expiration of thirty days from this date, please notify me and tracer will be instituted.

The action of this Bureau in transmitting personal effects does not, of itself, vest title in the recipient. Such property is forwarded for distribution according to the laws of the state of the soldier's legal residence.

I wish to express my sympathy in the loss of your husband.

Sincerely yours,

P. L. KOOB
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Officer-in-Charge
SJ Unit

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ARMY SERVICES FORCES
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU

ORDER FOR SHIPMENT

SHIP TO: Mrs. Cruz Vasquez
 816 South Virginia Street
 El Paso, Texas

Effects of: 30069652
 Name: 297023 D

ASN
 Case No.
 It.

DATE: 20 April 1945
 JRM:VJ:co

[Signature]
 FOR: Effects Quartermaster

REMARKS:

<input type="checkbox"/> Inclose Bureau Check	<input type="checkbox"/> Remove G.I.
<input type="checkbox"/> Acct. No. _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Note discrepancy in _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Amount _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Films removed
<input type="checkbox"/> Inclose "Valuables" item	<input type="checkbox"/> Diary removed
<input type="checkbox"/> Ship "Valuables" item(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Laundry removed

ROUTING:

<input type="checkbox"/> Accounting Branch
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Warehouse Division
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Files Branch, Adm. Div.

REMARKS:

[Handwritten initials]

FRANKED APR 28 1945

Franked _____
 Est. Exp. Chgs. _____
 Est. Frt. Chgs. _____
 No. of packages 1

[Handwritten initials]
 Shipping Clerk

File no

SHEET 1 OF 1 SHEETS	ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU INVENTORY		DECEASED -x-
BOX NUMBER	ORIGINAL NUMBER OF PACKAGES 1		MISSING
TALLY NUMBER 6808	INVENTORY DATE 20-Feb 1945	CASE NUMBER 297023	P.O.W.
EFFECTS OF EPIFANIOS VASQUEZ		RANK Sgt.	ABANDONED
A.S.N. 38069652	ORGANIZATION Hqs. Btry 440d Inf		
PACKAGE DESCRIPTION	#1 M.A. J. a. B.W.		

CLOTHING	PERSONAL ITEMS	CONTAINERS
BELT	BRACELET, IDENTIFICATION	BAGS, CLOTH
BELT, MONEY (NO MONEY)	BRUSHES	BAGS, TRAVEL
CLOTH, WASH	CAMERAS	BILLFOLD (NO MONEY)
COATS	GLASSES	CASE
FOOTWEAR, PR.	KNIVES	FOOTLOCKER
GLOVES, PR.	LIGHTERS	KIT, SEWING
HANDKERCHIEFS	MISC. INSIGNIA	KIT, TOILET
HEADWEAR	MISC. ITEMS	KIT, WRITING
JACKETS	PEN, FOUNTAIN	PAPERS AND MISC.
OVERCOATS	PENCIL, MECHANICAL	BOOKS
SCARFS	PIPES	BOOKS, ADDRESS
SHIRTS	RELIGIOUS ARTICLES	BOOKS, NOTE
SOCKS, PR.	RIBBONS, DECORATION	BOOKS, PILOT LOG
TIES	RINGS	DIARY (REMOVED FOR DURATION)
TOWELS	TOBACCO	FILMS
TROUSERS, PR.	TOILET ARTICLES	LETTERS
TRUNKS, PR.	WATCH <i>crust & Avon</i>	PAPERS, PERSONAL
UNDERWEAR	WINGS	PHOTOS
		SHOE SHINE ARTICLES
		SHORT SNORTER
		SOUVENIRS
		SOUVENIR MONEY
		STATIONERY
		TESTAMENTS
		U.S. MONEY (AMOUNT)

1 letter opener

REMARKS: *Wife Mrs. Cruz Vasquez 816 S. Virginia St. El Paso Texas. *Both watches damaged not in running order.*

ATTACHMENTS: *2 Inventories*

C.A.T. <i>none</i>	WEIGHT	GI REMOVED
WAREHOUSE SPACE <i>2028</i>	STORAGE	SHORTAGE ON REVERSE
INVENTORIED BY <i>Johnston</i>	DATE SHIPPED APR 28 1945	IDENT. TAGS REMOVED
PACKED BY <i>Supple</i>	CHECKED BY <i>E</i>	DIARY REMOVED
		LOCKED STORAGE
		LAUNDRY REMOVED
		FILM REMOVED

NAME

VESQUEZ, EPIFANIOS S/SGT.

BAY	PALLET	BOX	TALLY
	14	12	6808

TYPE OF PKG.	WHSE. SPACE	INVENTORIED
CTN.		

Eff. QM Form 48

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Jilena

30 October 1944

SUBJECT: Inventory of Personal Effects of:

Vasquez Andres (MI) (Rank) (ASN)
 (Last Name) (First Name) (MI) (Rank) (ASN)

TD: Effects Quartermaster, Communication Zone, APO 100
 US Army

The above named individual of Headquarters (Unit) 10th Armored F. A.

Battalion was reported (Status-Killed, MIA,
 (Organization) (Status-Killed, MIA,

Hospitalized, etc.) about 28 October 1944
 (Date)

Designated Beneficiary if information readily accessible Mrs. Cruz P. Vasquez (Wife)

816 S. Virginia St., El Paso, Texas.

INVENTORY OF EFFECTS

- 1 Application for allotment ✓
- 1 Picture ✓
- 4 Letters of Recommendation ✓
- 2 Fountain Pens ✓
- 2 Watches, one Gruen, one Avalon ✓
- 1 Letter opener ✓
- 1 Cigarette lighter ✓
- 2 Ribbons for uniform ✓
- 1 Pilot's Wings ✓

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Money in the amount of None has been turned into

(Name of finance officer and symbol number)

Form WDFD 38

enclosed.

Names and addresses of any Banks in which accounts may be

carried:

I certify that the above items constitute all of the effects, secured by me, of the above named individual and that they were forwarded to the Effects Depot by Truck on (Rail, Truck, etc.)

30 October 1944.

Name

David J. Traynham

Rank & ASN

DAVID J. TRAYNHAM
Capt., O-116895h

Organization

Hq Btry, 140th Armd. VA Bn.
Commanding

Any additional pertinent information:

None

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File no.

Tally in No TIR-209
Parcel # 1

TALLY IN INVENTORY RECORD

NAME VESQUEZ, EPIFANIO RANK S/sgt. ASN 38069652

SHOWN ON CONSIGNEE'S T.O. AS _____

ORGANIZATION 1st. Btry, 440th ARMD F.A. BN

DATE 4/NOV/44 CASE _____ PARCEL CTN. STATUS KIA

ITEMS	DESCRIPTION	REMARKS
	Personal letters	
1	Letter opener	
2	Service ribbons	
2	Four train pass	
1	cigarette lighter	
1	wrist watch (avalon)	
1	wrist watch (Kruen)	(Damaged) no band
1pc	Pilots Wings	
1	photo	
1	Form, WD, AGO # 625	

INVENTORIED Cpt. Trawinski WISE SPACE _____

TYPE CONTAINER _____

Summary Court-Martial
 ARMY SERVICE FORCES
 KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOI
 601 Hardesty Avenue
 Kansas City 1, Missouri

JRM:VJ:co

Case No. 297023
 Date 20 April 1945

SUBJECT: Report of transaction in disposing of the effects of

Epifanio Vasquez, 38069652 late a
 (Name of deceased) (Army Serial Number)
Staff Sergeant, Field Artillery who died
 (Grade) (Organization, Army or Service)
 on the 28 day of October, 1944, at European Area

TO : The Adjutant General, War Department, Washington 25, D.C.

1. Complying with A.W. 112, a Summary Court-Martial, convened at Kansas City, Mo. pursuant to S.O., 228 Hq., KQCM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, for the purpose of disposing of the effects of the above-named soldier, or person subject to military law, reports that:

- a. No legal representative or widow of decedent being present at decedent's camp or quarters, effects of decedent were forwarded to this Summary Court-Martial.
- b. Local debtors owed decedent's estate \$ none, of which the sum of \$ none was collected. (If nothing was found due or collected, state "None", otherwise attach itemized statement of sums owing and collected.) (Incl. _____.)
- c. Decedent owed undisputed local creditors the sum of \$ none which has been paid by the Summary Court-Martial from funds of decedent. (See inclosed receipt _____, Incl. _____)
- d. Disposition of decedent's effects (less money paid creditors, if any) has been made by the Summary Court-Martial by transmittal through the Quartermaster Corps, at Government expense to person found entitled (See Summary Court-Martial FINDING below)

FINDING

Before a Summary Court-Martial which convened at Kansas City, Missouri, on 18 April 1945, pursuant to Special Orders 228, Headquarters KQCM Depot, dated 25 September 1943, the application or affidavit of Mrs. Cruz Vasquez for the effects of the above-named deceased soldier, or person subject to military law, now in the possession of the United States, with other relevant evidence, was duly considered;

Whereupon, this Summary Court-Martial finds that, under the provisions of A.W. 112, Mrs. Cruz Vasquez of 616 South Virginia Street, El Paso State of Texas (Number, Street or Avenue) (City, Town or Village) is the widow of the above-named decedent and appears to be entitled to receive his or her effects.

(Signature of Summary Court Officer)
JOHN R. MURPHY, Colonel, Q.M.C.
 (Name, Rank, Organization)
 SUMMARY COURT MARTIAL

Case No. 297023

To ~~John W. Hoff~~ Date 4-14

*Helen
3B*

ACTION APPROVAL SLIP

QUESTION INVOLVED: 2 wives
listed as casualty - address
of EA Wife confirmed

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Is it safe
to ship to Widow Cruz
Wife Mrs. Lorena

Initials H.A.
dw

APPROVED ACTION: Since widow Cruz is first
beneficiary - ship to her

Initials nu



ARMY SERVICE FORCES
KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
601 HARDESTY AVENUE
KANSAS CITY 1, MISSOURI

(S-5-2-45)
JRM:JFH:md
April 2, 1945

IN REPLY REFER TO 297023

Mrs. Cruz Vasquez
816 South Virginia Street
El Paso, Texas

IMMEDIATE ACTION

Dear Mrs. Vasquez:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal property of your husband, Staff Sergeant Epifanio Vasquez.

I know you want to receive this property quickly, and in making application it is necessary only that you confirm your address, stating that you are the legal widow of Sergeant Vasquez.

Your reply may be made at the foot of this letter, if desired, and mailed in the inclosed self-addressed envelope which needs no postage.

Sincerely yours,

P. L. Koob
P. L. KOOB
2nd Lt. Q.M.C.
Officer-in-Charge
SJ Unit

1 Incl--Envelope

In reply to above letter, I am the legal widow of Sergeant Epifanio Vasquez, and as such, I hereby ask you to send me the personal property that you received from overseas. My address is correct as shown in your letter (816 So. Virginia St. El Paso, Texas).

Very truly yours,

Cruz Vasquez

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KANSAS CITY QUARTERMASTER DEPT
ARMY EFFECTS BUREAU
321 HARBERTS AVENUE
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

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IN REPLY REFER TO: 300000

Mr. Orin Vasquez
518 South Virginia Street
El Paso, Texas

Dear Mr. Vasquez:

The Army Effects Bureau has received from overseas some personal property of your husband, Sergeant Emilio Vasquez.

I hope you wish to receive this property, and in making application it is necessary only that you confirm your address, stating that you are the legal widow of Sergeant Vasquez.

Your reply may be made at the foot of this letter, if desired, and mailed in the enclosed self-addressed envelope which needs no postage.

Sincerely yours,

W. L. ...
2nd Lt. ...
Office ...
321 Unit ...

I feel--lawson

In reply to above letter, I am the legal widow of Sergeant Emilio Vasquez, and as such, I hereby ask you to send me the personal property that you received from overseas. My address is correct as shown in your letter (518 So. Virginia St., El Paso, Texas).

Very truly yours,

[Handwritten signature]