

Dear Sir:

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This is one of those letters we must write and yet sir it is very hard indeed. Your son was a hero till the very end - he was severely wounded - and it was just the element of time for no amount of medical science could have possibly changed the course of events. We have buried your son here at ~~the~~ Siegburg - in the American section of a German cemetery with some other American boys who have found a greater peace than seems to exist on earth. Some day when this all is just a bitter memory I hope to talk this over with you - and divulge the whole story. We here at Wazarett Siegburg have grown very fond of your son - and he was a son to be proud of - every inch a man and plenty of guts, we share with you your deep sorrow and pray that God may be with you at this time.

Sincerely
J. Dashing
Man of Confidence
Wazarett Siegburg