

# Charles A Drake

He was a **World War I Era** casualty on May 28, 1918. ★ He served with honor in the **United States Army**. ★ He is remembered by the people of **Mississippi** ★ May his positive example inspire us, as global citizens. ★ When we work together, we can help one another.  
America's Fallen



World War I



US Army



Mississippi



State Flower



Charles A Drake



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## Mississippi

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### SERVICE OVERVIEW

Name	Charles A Drake
From	Jones County, Mississippi
Death	May 28, 1918
War	World War I
Rank	Private
Branch	US Army
Group	1st Division, 28th Infantry Regiment
Cause	Hostile, Killed in Action

Awarded ★ Purple Heart

## ORIGINS



According to our records [Mississippi](#) was his home or enlistment state and [Jones County](#) included within the archival record. We have [Laurel](#) listed as the city.

## SERVICE



He had enlisted in the United States Army. Served during World War I. Drake had the rank of Private. Attached to 1st Division, 28th Infantry Regiment.

## CASUALTY



During his service in World War I, Army Private Drake experienced a traumatic event which ultimately resulted in loss of life on [May 28, 1918](#). **Recorded circumstances attributed to: Killed in Action.**

## REMEMBERED



Charles A Drake is buried or memorialized at Plot D Row 15 Grave 13, Somme American Cemetery, Bony, France. This is an American Battle Monuments Commission location.

## COMMENDATIONS

★ World War I Victory Medal

★ Purple Heart



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