

8TH AIR FORCE



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German Registration: MACR No. KU 1414	3656	Service No.	Rank	Name	Duty	
Date	9 April 1944	0-799888	1st Lt.	Sundstrom, Vincent Franklin	Pilot	MIA
Type of Aircraft	B-17 G	0-680549	2nd Lt.	Vlymen, John Richmond Jr	Co-Pilot	KIA Nykobing F.
Serial No.	42 - 107076	0-739452	2nd Lt.	Bruce, Alexander Graham	Bombardier	MIA
Group/Squadron	388 BG/563 BS	33332433	S/Sgt.	Weintraub, Manuel (NMN)	Nose Gunner	MIA
Code Letters/Markings		37259152	T/Sgt.	Rose, John Clifton	Radio Op.	MIA
Mission/No.	Bombing	39237823	S/Sgt.	Gallagher, Norman Daniel	Top Turret Gunner	MIA
Target	Poznan	12193767	S/Sgt.	Schneider, Sidney (NMN)	Ball Turret Gunner	MIA
AF Station	Knettishall, Suffolk. 136	6147823	Sgt.	Waluck, Adolph (NMN)	Right Waist Gunner	KIA Svinee
Location of Crash: Baltic Sea, approx.		32450004	S/Sgt.	(NMN) Scriffignano, Philip	Left Waist Gunner	MIA
at 1500 hours about 5 miles east of Marielyst, Falster Island, Denmark		16127725	S/Sgt.	Eugene Stanley Budzbanowski,	Tail Gunner	KIA
Statement: The A/C was last sighted						
on the return route at 53°50'N/15°30'E by Capt. Richard Edward Bynum (0-749196),				Danish Civil Defence: Two aircraft observed crashing in the Baltic Sea, approx. at 1500 hours about 5 miles east of Marielyst, Falster Island. 2 chutes seen from the one aircraft, 5-6 chutes from the other.		
German records give Baltic Sea off Boetoe at 1506 hours.				Special Remarks: Body of 2nd Lt. Vlymen washed ashore on 1st August 1944 near Boetoe. Body of Sgt. Waluck washed ashore on 27th June 1944 at Stouby Klit.		

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