

NAME: George

RANK: Colonel

ORGANIZATION: Office of Strategic Services (OSS)

OVERSEAS WARTIME SERVICE: European Theater of Operations

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George writes a friend in the United States:

“3, April, 1945

I can't tell you how much I appreciated you remembering me at Christmas time.

I have been overseas for more than a year and a half and expect to be here for a long time to come...

...I do hope that after this war is over our paths will cross again.

With warmest personal regards and all good wishes, I am

Sincerely Yours

George”

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- George made it through the Second World War and passed away in his 80s.
 - **For visual context, this link connects to an original wartime newsreel in the public domain that covers the above time period (viewer discretion advised):**
https://archive.org/details/1945-04-02_Death_Knell_For_Germany
 - **For additional detail, this link connects to the Wikipedia article that covers George's wartime organization, the OSS (reader discretion advised):**
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Office_of_Strategic_Services