

NAME: Joseph

RANK: Major

ORGANIZATION: Seventh Army

OVERSEAS WARTIME SERVICE: European Theater of Operations

- The following excerpt is directly from an original wartime letter written by Joseph. This is the only letter from Joseph in the site curator's possession.
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Joseph writes two friends in the United States:

“22 Oct 44

Received your letter today and it surely was keen hearing from you...Was sorry to hear the quotation ‘The Prayers of the Wicked Avail the Nothing. ‘ I’ve done some praying a few times since ‘D’ day Aug 15th and will continue despite your quotation...pretty cold and wet occasionally but my sense of xx humor is standing up OK. Love to all Joseph”

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- Joseph made it through the Second World War but when he passed away is unknown.
 - **For visual context, this link connects to an original wartime film in the public domain that covers 15 August 1944 and Joseph’s organization (viewer discretion advised):**
<https://archive.org/details/CB-17>
 - **For additional detail, this link connects to the Wikipedia article that covers Joseph’s wartime organization, the Seventh Army (reader discretion advised):**
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Seventh_United_States_Army