

Louis Sigmond Ernest Bernstein

Bernstein, Louis E. 1917 – 1945 Shackelford county

b. 3 March 1917

Son of [Herman Timothy Bernstein](#) and [Emma Marie Jentho Bernstein](#).

Full name; Louis Sigmond Ernest Bernstein

Louis was the oldest son of Herman T. Bernstein & Emma Marie Jentho Bernstein
Born March 3, 1917 in Shackelford County, Texas. Was in the U.S. Army WWII, stepped on a land mine and was killed March 4, 1945, buried in U.S. Military Cemetery in Belgium. He was one of nine children. Father, Herman, died 7-21-1935 and was a brother to my father, Alvin. At Louis' suggestion widow Emma moved to Long Beach, California with her 8 children shortly before Louis was killed. He said the older children could get jobs in the factories out there.

1920 Shackelford County, Texas census

H F Bernstein (head)	26
Bernstein	26
Bernstein	3
Bernstein	2
Bernstein	0
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1930 Census, Shackelford County, Pct 2.

Herman T Bernstein	37
Emma M Bernstein	36
Ruth O Bernstein	13
Louis S Bernstein	12
Agnes A Bernstein	10
Martha E Bernstein	8
Herman T Bernstein	6
Marie L M Bernstein	4
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Lorene M Bernstein	2
	[2 5/12]
Edna E Bernstein	0
	[3/12]

Selectee, enlisted 15 August 1942 at Abilene, Texas **serial number 38135610**.

Private First Class, 345th Infantry 87th Division,

died 4 March 1945 [4 March 1945 Belgium Antwerp, U.S. Military Forces, Military and Naval Forces, USA]

Entered the service from Texas. Awarded the Purple Heart.

Buried- Henri-Chapelle, Belgium **NOK** Mrs Emma M. Bernstein, Long Beach, Calif.

Listed under Los Angeles County, Calif., [WWII Army and Army Air Force Casualty List](#)
serial number 38135610.

