

COMPANY "B"
702D Tank Destroyer Battalion

APO 339, c/o Postmaster
New York, New York
21 December 1944

Mrs. Rose Scrivani
East Chestnut Avenue,
Vineland, New Jersey

My Dear Mrs. Scrivani:

It is with deep regret that I inform you that your son, Technician 4th Grade Lawrence J. Scrivani, 32065539, was killed in action on 4 October 1944 in the vicinity of Ubach, Germany.

Technician 4th Grade Scrivani was one of the original members of this Company, forming the cadre when it was activated in 1941. He enjoyed the confidence and good will of the officers and men of the company, both by his sincere attention to duty and his quite, earnest personality. While there is little I can say to alleviate your sorrow, it will be comforting to know that your son gave his life on the field of battle with outstanding valor and courage in the same manner and for the same cause for which thousands of Americans have fought and died, to the end that we may continue to enjoy those Liberties and rights which we hold sacred.

I am sure it will please you to know that a Catholic Chaplain of Technician 4th Grade Scrivani's religious preference attended him at his burial, in an established American cemetery in Holland.

May I add, that your son was an extremely valuable member of my Company and that I share with you the sorrow of his death.

Sincerely,

LOUIS M. NAWROCKY,
Captain, Inf.,
Commanding.