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finalized version is available.

Abbreviations:

b = born

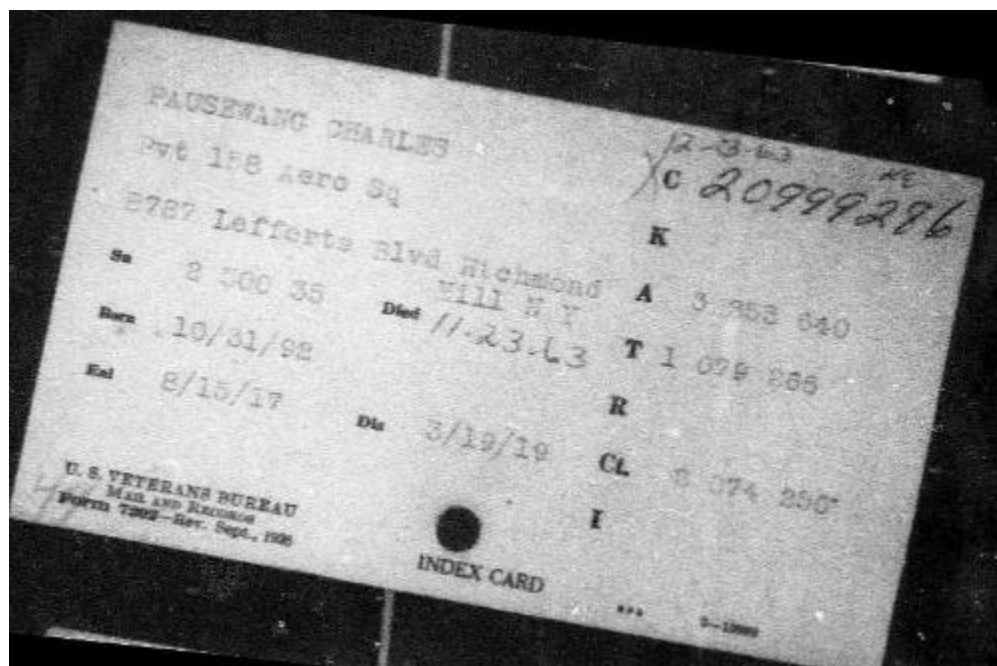
d = died

F: = Find A Grave (www.findagrave.org)

NOK = next-of-kin

TUSCANIA

Pausewang, Charles Ernest
1892 NY – 1963 NY



<https://www.familysearch.org/search/ark:/61903/1:1:7TYP-V9N2>

Charles Walter Pausewang

in the New York, New York, U.S., Index to Birth Certificates, 1866-1909

<u>Detail</u>	Source
Name:	Charles Walter Pausewang
Gender:	Male
Race:	White
Birth Date:	31 Oct 1892
Birth Place:	Manhattan, New York City, New York, New York, USA
Residence Address:	E 144 Street 567
Certificate Number:	41176
Father:	Roud. E Pausewang
Mother:	Helena M. Pausewang
Mother Maiden Name:	Ludi

NY birth record lists WALTER instead of ERNEST as his middle name -
<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/2272246:61779>

Charles Pasewang, the son of Rudolph E., is listed as living at 4090 Fulton street, Woodhaven, but inquiry there today disclosed the fact that the family moved to Mineola last November. There are two other sons besides Charles.

Charles PASEWANG – “Brooklyn Times Union” Friday 8 Feb 1918 p 13

Charles Pausewang of Mineola, L. I., is safe, according to an official report from the War Department to his people last night. Pausewang is the eldest of three sons and before enlisting in the 158th Aero Squadron lived at 4090 Fulton street, Woodhaven. From March 15, 1917, until shortly before sailing, he was stationed at San Antonio, Texas.

“Brooklyn Daily Eagle” Monday 11 Feb 1918 p 2

Five boys whose homes are in the East New York, Richmond Hill and Woodhaven sections were among those reported saved. They are: Charles Pausewag, 4090 Fulton street, Woodhaven.
 Charles A. Firth, 238 Abington road, Kew Gardens section of Richmond Hill.
 Henry Geslein, 1121 Maure avenue, Richmond Hill.
 George J. Hammer, 227 Ridgewood avenue.
 Alvan J. Samuel, 227 Ridgewood avenue.
 Pausewag was a member of the 158th Aero Squadron. Soon after his enlistment the family moved from the Fulton street address and took up a home in Mineola. A brother, William A. Pausewag, who was traveling in New Orleans on business, upon learning of the disaster, telegraphed to the Woodhaven Exemption Board, asking permission to enlist in the service at once in New Orleans.

"Brooklyn Chat" Saturday 16 Feb 1918 p 28 -

<https://www.newspapers.com/image/576267516/?terms=william%20woodhaven%20tuscania%20chat&match=1>

Wife:

Honoring June Bride-Elect.
 In honor of Miss Marie Kress of Sheffield street, whose marriage to Charles Pausewang of New York will take place Thursday, Miss Mildred French of Ralph avenue entertained Saturday evening in her home.

"Pittsburgh (PA) Post-Gazette" Tuesday 1 Jun 1926 p 8

KRESS
 On Tuesday, March 16, 1976, Mary E., in her 99th year, wife of the late Joseph L. Kress of Bellevue; mother of Mrs. Marie Pausewang of N.Y., Joseph H. of Bellevue, Francis R. of Gibsonia, William L. of McCandless; also three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Friends received on Wednesday evening 7-9, on Thursday 2-4 and 7-9 in the **ORION C. PINKERTON FUNERAL HOME**, 1014 California Ave., Avalon (N. Boros), until Friday morning at 9:15. Funeral Mass in the Assumption Church at 10 o'clock.

Obituary of Marie Kress Pausewang's mother Mary E. Blum Kress – "Pittsburgh (PA) Post-Gazette"
 Wednesday 17 Mar 1976 p 54

KRESS, on Saturday, June 4, 1960, Joseph L. Kress of 1116 Sheffield St., husband of Mary E. Blum; father of Mrs. Marie Pausewang, New York, Joseph H., Francis R., and William L. Kress; also three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Funeral from the **JAMES LOWRIE MEMORIAL HOME**, 1407 Chateau St. at Pennsylvania Ave. on Wednesday at 9:30 a. m. Requiem high mass in St. Joseph's Church at 10 o'clock. Family will receive friends from 2-5 and 7-10.

Obituary of Mary Kress Pausewang's father Joseph L. Kress – "Pittsburgh (PA) Post-Gazette"
 Monday 6 Jun 1960 p 27

Visiting Nurse Service Work Explained to Hollis Parents

A large attendance greeted several guest speakers at the meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association of P. S. 135 yesterday afternoon in the school, 208th st. and 89th ave., Hollis.

Mrs. L. R. Collins, new president of the association, presided and presented the school an American flag.

Mrs. Charles Pausewang was program chairman. She introduced Mrs. S. S. Waters of the Henry St. Visiting Nurses Service, who told of the work of the nurses, pointing

out this service is available for all who apply.

J. H. Van Cholek of the staff of the Jamaica Y. M. C. A. spoke on "Boys."

It was announced that "Fathers' Night" will be observed on March 3, when entertainment will be provided by Chief White Feather and his group.

"Brooklyn Times Union" Wednesday 5 Feb 1936 p 2

PAUSEWANG, MARIE E., 100, No services are planned. Cremation to take place. Survived by children Lonnie L. & Maria Elena Abernathy. Arrangements by Hillcrest Funeral Home Doniphan.

Obituary of Marie Elizabeth Kress Pausewang – "El Paso (TX) Times" Friday 17 Jun 2005 p 16

Detail Source

Name:	Marie Elizabeth Pausewang [Marie E Pausewang] [Marie Elizabeth Kress]
Gender:	Female
Race:	White
Birth Date:	28 Sep 1904
Birth Place:	Pittsburgh A, Pennsylvania [Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania]
Death Date:	15 Jun 2005
Father:	Joseph L Kress
Mother:	Mary E Blum
SSN:	112286955
Notes:	Apr 1952: Name listed as MARIE ELIZABETH PAUSEWANG; 24 Jun 2005: Name listed as MARIE E PAUSEWANG

Marie Elizabeth Pausewang
in the U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/17926626:60901>

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Kress

Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Kress are invited to an anniversary mass Tuesday at 9 a. m. in St. Joseph's Church, North Side, where the couple was married in 1901.

A breakfast for the immediate family will follow. In the evening, an open house will be held in their residence.

Mr. Kress, a retired machine operator, is 75 years old. Both Mr. and Mrs. Kress have lived in the North Side all their lives, and moved to their present address when they were married.

They have three sons, Joseph H., Francis R. and William L.

Kress, all of Pittsburgh, one daughter, Mrs. Pausewang of New York, and three grandchildren.

Mrs. Pausewang will celebrate an anniversary of her own while visiting her mother. The Pausewangs have been married twenty-five years today.

Couple Wed Half Century

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Kress, of 1116 Sheffield St., North Side, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Tuesday by attending mass at St. Joseph's Church, North Side, where they exchanged vows.

Mr. Kress, 75, and his wife, who is 74, will hold a reception in their home in the evening. Mr. Kress is a retired machine operator. Both are lifelong residents of old Allegheny.

The couple's daughter, Marie, and her husband, Charles R. Pausewang, of New York, are celebrating their silver anniversary today.

Besides Mrs. Pausewang, the couple has three sons, Joseph H., Francis R. and William L., all of Pittsburgh, and three grandchildren.

"Pittsburg (PA) Sun-Telegraph" Sunday 3 Jun 1951 p 38

Daughter:

Abernethy-Pausewang

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pausewang of Wilton Road, Huntington, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Margaret J. Pausewang, to Lonnie Lee Abernethy. A June wedding is planned.

Miss Pausewang was graduated from Alfred University and Ohio State University where she recently received her Master of Science degree. Mr. Abernethy was graduated from the University of North Carolina and Ohio State. During World War II he served in the Army Air Force.

The couple is attending the

Graduate School of Ohio State University, working for their PH.D. degrees.

Engagement of daughter Margaret J. Pausewang to Lonnie Lee Abernethy – “Newsday (Nassau Edition)” (Hempstead NY Friday 17 Apr 1953 p 50

Abernethy-Pausewang Troth Told

A June wedding is planned by Miss Margaret J. Pausewang, whose engagement to Lonnie Lee Abernethy, son of Mrs. L. L. Abernethy of Charlotte, N.C., and the late Mr. Abernethy, has been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pausewang of Wilton Road, Huntington.

Miss Pausewang was graduated from Alfred University and Ohio

State University where she recently received her master of science degree. Mr. Abernethy was graduated from the University of North Carolina and Ohio State University. During World War II he served with the U.S. Army Air Force.

Miss Pausewang and Mr. Abernethy are now working for their doctorate degrees at Ohio State Graduate School.

“Newsday (Nassau Edition)” (Hempstead NY) Friday 24 Apr 1953 p 160

UT Regents Announce New TWC Dean Of Engineering

Dr. Lonnie L. Abernethy Jr., was appointed dean of the Texas Western College School of Mines and Engineering Friday morning by the Board of Regents of the University of Texas System meeting in Austin. He will assume the position June 1.

His appointment fills a vacancy which occurred in December when Eugene M. Thomas announced that he will withdraw as dean to return to full-time teaching.

TWC President Joseph M. Ray said the native North Carolinian, who received his doctorate from Ohio State University, was selected after a careful search of numerous persons who were considered to fill this key position at TWC.

Dr. Ray added that "Dr. Abernethy was highly recommended by everyone we consulted, and the professors at Ohio State indicated that his doctoral dissertation was the best ever submitted in its field." Dr. Abernethy received his doctor's degree in Ceramic Engineering.

Dr. Abernethy was graduated from Central High School in Charlotte, N.C. He received the bachelor's degree from North Carolina State College before earning both the master's and doctor's degrees at Ohio State.



DR. LONNIE ABERNETHY

He became affiliated with Argonne (Ill.) National Laboratory and Atomic Energy Commission installation, in 1955, and assisted in development of nuclear elements for the first ceramic-fueled reactor there.

He joined Texas Instruments

Inc. in Dallas in 1957 as a member of the Technical Staff, Corporate Research and Engineering, then became head of the Ceramics and Metallurgy Section of the Materials Research Department. Other promotions followed and he is

presently manager of one of the major divisions.

Dr. and Mrs. Abernethy are parents of two boys, age 5 and 3.

Presbyterian Women Tell New Officers

Mrs. Lonnie L. Abernethy has been re-elected president of Women of the Church of University Presbyterian Church. Other officers are Mrs. Kenneth Beasley, vice president, and Mrs. Wellington Pindar, secretary.

Mrs. Abernethy resides with her husband and two sons at 4312 O'Keefe. She is a member of League of Women Voters, University of Texas at El Paso Faculty Women and Texas Society of Professional Engineers Auxiliary.

"El Paso (TX) Times" Sunday 6 Oct 1968 p 53

Hanging Death Ruling Waited

A coroner's ruling was pending an autopsy today in the case of a 12-year-old boy who was found hanged in his home late yesterday.

A maid found the body of Lonnie Lee Abernethy III hanging from an electrical cord around his neck, which was affixed to a brace in the attic, extending through an opening in the boy's closet.

The victim's younger brother, Charles, said Lonnie had been playing paratrooper the day before.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Abernethy Jr., 4312 O'Keefe drive.

"El Paso (TX) Herald-Post" Friday 4 Sep 1970 p 15

ABERNETHY

MARGARET JEAN ABERNETHY, 66, passed away Monday March 27, 1995. She had been a resident of El Paso for 30 years. Member of University Presbyterian Church; retired teacher; member of Alpha Omicron Sorority; University Women's Club; U.T.E.P. Women's Auxiliary; volunteer for Drive A-Meal and El Pan; member of Every Amateur Radio Club (KA5DQU) and an Elder and Choir Member at University Presbyterian Church. Survivors include her husband Lonnie L. Abernethy, El Paso; son, Charles E. Abernethy, Tuscon, AZ; mother, Marie Pausewang, El Paso. Memorial Services will be held Friday 2:00 P.M. at University Presbyterian Church with Rev. Gordon Bowie officiating. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be

made to the U.T.E.P. Women's Auxiliary. Arrangements by Harding Orr & McDaniel Montana Avenue. 320 Montana 533-1646

Obituary of daughter Margaret Jean Pausewang Abernethy – "El Paso (TX) Times" Thursday 30 Mar 1995 p 12

ABERNETHY

CHARLES ERNEST ABERNETHY, born February 2, 1960 in Dallas, TX, died February 14, 1996 at the Tucson VA Medical Center. He is survived by his father Lonnie Abernethy and his grandmother Marie Pausewang, both of El Paso. After cremation his remains were buried in Ft. Bliss National Cemetery, El Paso, TX in a private ceremony. He resided in Tucson since 1989. He earned a Bachelor of Science degree from New Mexico State University and a Master of Science Degree from the University of Arizona in Electrical Engineering. He was a member of the Tucson Unitarian Universalist Church. He obtained the rank of Lt. in the U.S. Naval Reactor Program. He was active in scouting, amateur radio (WB5VHZ), Sierra Club, American Legion and the Institute of Electrical & Electronic Engineers. At the time of his death he was working to-

ward a PhD at the University of Arizona. His hobbies were hiking, biking, back-packing, camping and cross country skiing. A Memorial Service was held at the Tucson Unitarian Universalist Church, 4831 E. 22nd St., at 3:00 p.m. Tuesday, February 20. Memorial contributions may be made to the Appalachian Trail Conference, P.O. Box 807, Harper's Ferry, West Virginia 25425. Arrangements by Desert Rose.

Obituary of Margaret's son Charles Ernest Abernethy, died from cancer the year after his mother died - "El Paso (TX) Times" Monday 4 Mar 1996 p 9



**Lonnie Lee and Maria Elena Abernethy
Endowment for Native Americans in
Engineering Scholarship (Est. 2013)**

Dr. Lonnie Lee Abernethy grew up in North Carolina and received a Bachelor of Ceramic Engineering in 1963 from North Carolina State University followed by an M.Sc. and Ph.D. from Ohio State University. When he was a graduate student at Ohio State he met his first wife Margaret who was studying for a Master's degree in ceramic engineering. After graduation they moved to the Chicago area where he worked at Argonne National Laboratory as a materials engineer. He was working for Texas Instruments in Dallas in 1963 when he interviewed for the position of Dean of the School of Mines and Engineering at Texas Western University (now UTEP – University of Texas – El Paso).

In 1984 Dr. Abernethy retired as Dean of the College of Engineering and Professor Emeritus at UTEP became a Professor Emeritus of Metallurgical and Materials Engineering. Dr. Lonnie Abernethy has honored significant people in his life in a unique and generous way – establishing scholarship endowments at five different colleges and universities around the country

One of these is in the College of Engineering at New Mexico State University in memory of his son Charles who was a student here from 1978 to 1983. Abernethy recalls that he and Charles shared many wonderful hiking experiences. Their favorite dog Napoleon often joined them on the trail. Charles lived on campus during his student years at NMSU, participated in the Co-op program while studying electrical engineering, was a member of the amateur radio club and sang in the glee club. Cancer took Charles' life in 1996 at the age of 36, a year after his mother

Abernethy has remarried (Maria Elena) and acquired a new family and he still devotes a lot of time to his favorite hobby: online investing. He shares his success by funding the scholarship endowments he and Margaret had long discussed. He has endowments at Alfred University (where Margaret obtained her first degree), Trinity University in San Antonio, UTEP (established in Margaret's memory following her death from cancer in 1995) and Colorado School of Mines as well as NMSU.

Abernethy, a longtime friend of NMSU's civil engineering program, had been trying to find an appropriate way to honor the memory of his older son who died in an accident at age 12. One night while watching a television program about the WWII Navajo code talkers, he thought that a scholarship to support Native American students might be the perfect answer.

That put him in contact with Peter Iverson, regent's professor of history at Arizona State University, whose area of interest is "American Indian, North America, Western U.S."

An exchange of e-mails between the two men resulted in Iverson pointing out New Mexico State's outstanding American Indian Program for students. Abernethy already knew about the caliber of the civil engineering program so plans moved forward quickly after that.

Number Available: 2

Class: Freshmen, Sophomore, Junior, Senior, Graduate

Major: Any

Amount: \$2900

Renewable: Until graduation

Native American Indian and U.S. citizenship required. Approved schools: University of New Mexico or New Mexico State University. Permanent address must be in New Mexico. SWE membership preferred.

<https://swe.org/scholarships/lonnie-lee-and-maria-elena-abernethy-endowment-for-native-americans-in-engineering-scholarship-est-2013/>

Father:

Rudolph E Pausewang

in the New York, New York, U.S., Index to Death Certificates, 1862-1948

Name:	Rudolph E Pausewang
Gender:	Male
Race:	White
Marital Status:	Married
Age:	76
Birth Date:	3 Mar 1871
Birth Place:	New York, New York, New York
Residence Street Address:	8787 Lefferts Blvd
Residence Place:	New York
Death Date:	15 Dec 1947
Death Street Address:	8787 Lefferts Ave
Death Place:	New York City, Queens, New York, USA
Cause of Death:	Acute Cardiac Decompusation Coronary Arteriosclerosis, Arterioscleratic Heart & Hypertensive Heart Disease Thronic Nephritis & Myocarditis
Burial Date:	17 Dec 1947
Burial Place:	Cypress Hills Cemetery
Occupation:	Retired Cabinet Mkr
Father's Birth Place:	Germany
Mother's Birth Place:	Germany
Father:	Carl Pausewang
Mother:	Wilhelmina Pausewang
Spouse:	Helen M Pausewang
Child:	Elmer Pausewang
Informant:	Elmer Pausewang
Informant Gender:	Male
Informant Relationship:	Son
Executor:	Mrs Helen M Pausewang

NY death record of father Rudolph E. Pausewang (1871-1947) - <https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/2565254:61778>

Rudolph Ernest Pausewang

in the U.S., Social Security Applications and Claims Index, 1936-2007

Name:	Rudolph Ernest Pausewang
Gender:	Male
Race:	White
Birth Date:	3 Mar 1866
Birth Place:	New York City, New York
Father:	Charles Pausewang
Mother:	Willemina Walters
SSN:	115102131
Notes:	May 1937: Name listed as RUDOLPH ERNEST PAUSEWANG

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/10885247:60901>

Mother:

JOHN J. LUDI.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY, :
MIDDLESEX COUNTY, : SS:

(L. S.)

I, Peter Francis Daly, Surrogate of the County of Middlesex, do certify the annexed to be a true copy of The Last Will and Testament of John J. Ludi, late of the said County of Middlesex, deceased, and that Christian W. Ludi, of Madison Township, Middlesex County, New Jersey, the Executor therein named, proved the same before me, and is duly authorized to take upon himself the administration of the estate of the said Testator, agreeably to the said Will;

Witness, my hand and seal of Office, on the twenty seventh day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and six.

Peter F. Daly, Surrogate.

In the name of God - Amen -

I John Jacob Ludi - of the Township of Madison in the County of Middlesex and State of

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New Jersey - being of sound and disposing mind and memory - do make and publish this, my last will and testament in manner following - that is to say ---

First - It is my will and I do order that all my just debts and funeral expenses be duly paid and satisfied as soon as conveniently can be done after my decease - Item, - I give and bequeath and devise unto my wife, Mary Anna Ludi - all my estate, and personal property, for and during the term of her - natural life - and from and immediately after her decease - I order and direct that the same be sold either at public or private sale, as my executor shall deem best, and the - proceeds divided equally between my three children, viz. - Matilda Gertrude Bissegger, of Brooklyn, New York, and Helene Pausewang, of - Brooklyn, New York, and Christian W. Ludi of Madison Township, Middlesex County New Jersey,

Item - The interest and income from my estate shall be paid unto my wife Mary Anna Ludi, during her natural life, ---

Lastly - I hereby constitute and appoint my son Christian W. Ludi, Executor of this, my last will and testament, without bonds, and I do give and bequeath unto my said son Christain W. Ludi, all that certain lot in "Rose Hill Cemetery", described as the North East one half of Lot No. 31 Section L. of the Rose Hill Cemetery Company.

In witness whereof - I have hereunto set my hand and seal, the Tenth day of April - in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Five.

John J Ludi (L. S.)

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said John Jacob Ludi, as and for his last will and testament, in the presence of us (both being present at the same time), who at his request, in his presence, and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses

James Fountain (L. S.)

Browntown, N. J.

Edward Barker (L. S.)

Cliffwood, N. J.

State of New Jersey, :

Middlesex County, ss. :

Be it Remembered, That on this twenty seventh day of February A. D. nineteen hundred and six personally appeared before me D. W. Clayton, Deputy-Surrogate of the said County of Middlesex Edward Barker, one of the witnesses to the annexed Will, who, being by me duly sworn according to Law, on his oath says that he saw John J. Ludi, the Testator therein named, sign and seal the same and heard him publish, pronounce and declare the same to be his last Will and Testament, and that at the doing thereof, the said Testator was of sound disposing mind and memory as far as he knows and as he verily believes and that James Fountain, the other subscribing witness was present at the same time, and signed his name as witness to said Will, together with deponent in the presence of the Testator and at his request.

Sworn and subscribed at New Brunswick, :
in said County, this twenty seventh day :

Edward Barker

of February A. D. 1906, before me

D. W. Clayton,

Deputy-Surrogate.

State of New Jersey, :

Middlesex County, ss. :

Be it Remembered, That on this twenty seventh day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six personally appeared before me D. W. Clayton, Deputy-Surrogate of the County of Middlesex Christian W. Ludi, of Madison Township, Middlesex County, New Jersey, the Executor in the annexed Testament named, who being by me duly sworn according to Law, on his oath says that the annexed instrument contains the true last Will and Testament of John J. Ludi, late of the County of Middlesex, deceased, the Testator therein named, so far as he knows and as he verily believes that he will well and truly perform the same by paying first the debts of the said deceased, and then the legacies in the said Will specified, so far as the goods and chattels of said deceased can thereunto extend, and that he will make and exhibit into the Surrogate's Office of the County of Middlesex, a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased that have

or shall come to his knowledge or possession, or to the possession of any person or persons for his use, and render a just and true account when thereunto lawfully required.

Sworn and subscribed before me this :
 twenty seventh day of February Anno Domini 1906. : Christian W Ludi
 D. W. Clayton,
 Deputy-Surrogate.

Middlesex County Surrogate's Office.

In the Matter of the Probate of the :
 Alleged Will of John J. Ludi, Late : Order for Probate.
 of the County of Middlesex, Deceased. :

Application having been made by Christian W. Ludi, for Probate of the last will and Testament of John J. Ludi, late of Middlesex County, deceased, and Letters Testamentary thereon, and the Surrogate having inquired into the circumstances and taken proof, and being satisfied of the genuineness of the Will produced, the validity of its execution and the competency of the testator and the probate of said Will not having been contested.

And it appearing that the testator died more than ten days ago, it is, on this twenty seventh day of February A. D. nineteen hundred and six, (1906) adjudged that the instrument offered for probate in this matter is the last Will and Testament of said John J. Ludi, late of the County of Middlesex, deceased, and the same is hereby admitted to probate; And it is ordered that Letters Testamentary be issued thereon to said

Christian W. Ludi, the executor named in said Will.

Peter F. Daly, Surrogate.

New Jersey, U.S., Wills and Probate Records, 1739-1991 for Helene Pausewang

Middlesex > Wills, Vol V, 1905-1907

https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/2038819:8796?tid=&pid=&queryId=42f2315d457ef90c03923c643fddc739&_phsrc=hFB42776&_phstart=successSource

Name: Charles Ernest Pausewang

Name variations: Charles Walter Pausewang – “Walter” was his paternal grandmother’s birth surname while Ernest was his father’s middle name

Military:

On Tuscania: 158th Aero Squadron - private

Serial number: 250,035 (on Steven Schwartz's records, appears as 250036 but this is Pennebaker's)

Entered service from: Woodhaven, Queens NY

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Charles Pausewang

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": father Rudolph Pausewang, 4090 Fulton St., Woodhaven NY

Returned from war on: "Mexican" Feb 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Charles Pausewang

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: father Rudolph Pausewang, Box 297, Mineola, Long Island NY (pvt, 158th Aero Sq)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Charles Ernest Pausewang - b. 31 Oct 1892 NY, NY; res: 894 Lake, Newark NJ. Single. Draughtsman, Public Service Railway Co., 80 Park Place, Newark NJ. Tall & slender.

World War II draft registration (1942): as Charles Ernest Pausewang - b. 31 Oct 1892 NY, NY; res: Wilton Rd., Huntington, Suffolk NY. Mailing address: RFD 2. NOK Mrs. Marie Pausewang, same address. Employed by Consolidated Edison Co. of NY, 4 Irving Place, NYC, NY. Height: 5'10 ½" – 158 lbs.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted: 15 Aug 1917

Discharged: 19 Mar 1919

Address: 8787 Lefferts Blvd., Richmond Hill NY

Rank/unit: private, 158th Aero Squadron

Birth & death:

Born: 31 Oct 1892 Manhattan, NY, NY (birth name also Charles Walter Mark)

Died: 23 Nov 1963 NY (NY death index – last residence in Centerport, Suffolk NY)

Find A Grave record: 82625284 – presence on Tuscania indicated in text

Burial location: East Farmingdale, Suffolk NY

Cemetery: Long Island National

Tombstone:

Father: Rudolph Ernest Pausewang, 3 Mar 1871 NY, NY – 15 Dec 1947 NYC, NY. Son of Carl Pausewang & Wilhelmina/Willemina Walter. Retired cabinetmaker. Buried according to NY death records in Cypress Hills Cemetery, Brooklyn, Kings NY but not on Find A Grave as of 27 May 2022. This cemetery is 28% photographed.

Find A Grave:

Mother: Helen W. Ludi Pausewang, Sep 1867 NY – 16 Jan 1953 Queens NY. Daughter of John Jacob Ludi (1825-1906, F: 136813315) & Maria A. (1836-1916, F: 136813347).

Find A Grave:

Parents' marriage:

Spouse: Marie Elizabeth Kress Pausewang, 28 Sep 1904 Pittsburgh, Allegheny PA – 15 Jun 2005 TX. SSN 112-28-6955. Daughter of Joseph L. Kress (1875-1960, F: 40364099) & Mary E. Blum (1877-1976, F: 40364108).

Her last residence was in El Paso, El Paso TX. She is buried in Fort Bliss National Cemetery, El Paso, El Paso TX. Her tombstone is inscribed "wife of PFC Charles E. Pausewang USA." She died at age 100.

Spouse Find A Grave: 137446051

Marriage: Marie Kress, 1116 Sheffield St., North Side, Pittsburgh on 3 Jun 1926 -

Children:

- Margaret Jean Pausewang Abernethy, 17 Sep 1928 NY – 27 Mar 1995 El Paso, El Paso TX. Married Lonnie Lee Abernethy Jr. in Jun 1953. Graduate of Alfred University. Master of Science degree from the Ohio State University. Studied for her Ph.D. at the Ohio State University. Died of cancer. After her death, her husband married Maria Elena, who had been married to Hector Guerrero. Margaret is buried in Fort Bliss National Cemetery, El Paso, El Paso TX. F: 252086

Siblings: an addition sibling had died by the time of the 1900 census

- William Arthur Pausewang, 30 Aug 1895 Brooklyn, Kings NY – Jul 1972 NY. SSN 067-07-0892. Married Margaret C. Miller on 15 Nov 1924 in Queens NY. On his WWII draft registration, he & his mother Helen lived at 92-42 – 216th St., Queens Village NY. Last residence was in Southhold, Suffolk NY.
- Elmer Winfred Pausewang, 4 Sep 1897 Brooklyn, NYC NY – Jun 1981. SSN 099-10-3549. On his WWII draft card, lived in Richmond Hill, Queens NY & listed his mother Helen as his NOK. His last residence was in Greenport, Suffolk NY.

Notes:

Pre-war:

Wartime:

"Brooklyn Times Union" Friday 8 Feb 1918 p 13 - as Charles Pasewang, son of Rudolph E. Pasewang, address given of 4090 Fulton St., Woodhaven, but family moved to Mineola NY Nov 1917, has 2 brothers.

"Brooklyn Times Union" Friday 8 Feb 1918 p 14 – on board from the 158th Aero Squadron: Charles Pausewang, private, Rudolph Pausewang, 4090 Fullerton St., Woodhaven NY

"Brooklyn Daily Eagle" Sunday 10 Feb 1918 p 1 – There are 12 men from Brooklyn/Long Island not yet reported saved from Tuscania, among them Pausewang, Charles, 4090 Fullerton St., Woodhaven, Long Island.

"Brooklyn Daily Eagle" Monday 11 Feb 1918 p 2 - of Mineola, Long Island NY. War Department telegram to home was received 10 Feb 1918. The oldest of 3 sons. Lived at 4090 Fulton St., Woodhaven, from 15 Mar 1917 on was in San Antonio for training until sailed from NYC

"Brooklyn Times Union" Monday 11 Feb 1918 p 12 – among the names of those added as survivors: Pasewang, Charles, private, father Rudolph Pasewang, 4090 Fulton St., Woodhaven NY

"Brooklyn Chat" 16 Feb 1918 p 28 - spelled Pausewag - of 4090 Fulton St., Woodhaven NY - shortly after his enlistment, his family moved from the Fulton St. address to live in Mineola NY. His brother

William A. was traveling in New Orleans on business & telegraphed the Woodhaven Exemption Board asking permission to enlist at once in New Orleans after hearing of ship

Post-war:

In 1936 a resident of Richmond Hill, Long Island NY - in 1952, 1952, 1953, 1956 in Huntington, Long Island NY (newspaper records)

"Pittsburgh (PA) Press" 3 Jun 1951 p 38 - notes 50th anniversary of Marie Kress Pausewang's parents Mr. & Mrs. Joseph L. Kress, 1116 Sheffield St., on 5 Jun 1951 while Charles & Marie celebrate their 25th anniversary on 3 Jun 1951

Obituary:

Social Security number: 058-03-8472

Censuses:

1900 Brooklyn NY – 243 Stockholm St.

Rudolph Pausewang, 36 MY, Mar 1866, parents b. Germany, married 13 years, mill (?) wright

Helen, 32 NY, Sep 1867, parents b. Germany, gave birth to 4 children, 3 are living

Charles, 7 NY, Oct 1893

William, 4 NY, Aug 1895

Elmer, 2 NY Sep 1897

1910 Brooklyn, Kings NY

Rudolph Pausewang, 44 NY, parents b. Germany, married 22 years, carpenter, building

Helen, 42 NY, parents b. Germany, gave birth to 4 children, 3 are living

Charles, 17 NY

William, 14 NY

Elmer, 12 NY

1915 NY state census - Queens NY

Rudolph Pausewang, 48 US, carpenter

Helen, 46 US, housework

Charles, 22 US, draughtsman

William, 19 US, retoucher on newspaper

Elmer, 17 US, laboratory assistant

1920 Queens, Queens NY

Rudolph Pausewang, 55 NY, parents b. Germany, in 1st marriage, merchant, aero planes (?)

Helen, 52 NY, parents b. Germany, in 1st marriage

Charles, 27 NY, engineer, draftsman

William A., 24 NY, artic [sic], photo

Elwin W., 22 NY, engineer, draftsman

& niece Gladys Christo/Christores, 28 NY, widow, stenographer, perfume (?) company

1930 Queens, Queens NY – 9007 – 210th St. - conducted 28 Apr 1930

Charles Pausewang, 36 NY, parents b. NY, age 31 at 1st marriage, engineer assistant, engineering, WWI veteran

Marie, 25 PA, parents b. PA, age 20 at 1st marriage

Margaret J., 1 year 6 months NY

1940 Queens, Queens NY – 90-07 – 210th St. – same house in 1935

Charles Pausewang, 43 NY, engineer, utility

Marie, 35 PA, housewife

Margaret, 11 NY, student

1950 Huntington, Suffolk NY

Charles E. Pausewang, 56 NY, evaluation engineer, Consolidated Edison

Marie E., 46 PA