

TUSCANIA

Furman, William Fredrick
1893 NY – 1971 NY

"Doing His Bit."
William Furman, who for a long time has been employed by Dr. W. J. A. Donohue and who a short time ago enlisted in the aero service of his country, is safe, he having been on the torpedoed Tuscania with the 213th



(Courtesy Brooklyn Eagle.)
Aero Squadron. Furman is very enthusiastic over "doing his bit" for his country and he has every right to feel that way as he is from a family of fighters.

At the present time his grandfather is residing with his granddaughter, Mrs. William Misel, at Whitestone. He was an old Indian fighter, and only recently expressed his regret at being too old to get into the present scrap and get a chance at Kaiser Bill. Furman's father, who was also William Furman, served his country faithfully as sergeant and Will was born at Fort Totten, where his father was located. William Misel, his brother-in-law, is also doing his bit. He is at Camp Upton in training.

Two letters have been received by Huntington friends from William Furman, who was connected with the 213th Aero Squadron and was rescued from the Tuscania when she was torpedoed off the Irish coast. The first letter was dated February 7 and the other the following day. He says he had a hard time of it and he wishes he could tell in detail what had happened but this he could not do, as the letters are censored. In the letter of the seventh he states that they are in camp and expect to move soon; that he is all right and wants to be remembered to his Huntington friends.

In the second letter he says that he has had some hard knocks since he left the old U. S. A., "but they sure do treat us good over here." He tells of how the Tuscania was struck about 6 o'clock. He said that they were sitting around telling of the things at home when they were struck and all the lights went out. He mentions the fact that Arthur StanBrough is safe and that they had moved since the time he wrote the last letter. He says that Ireland is the greatest place he ever saw, but he can't help but think of home. This letter was written in the Young Men's Christian Association headquarters.

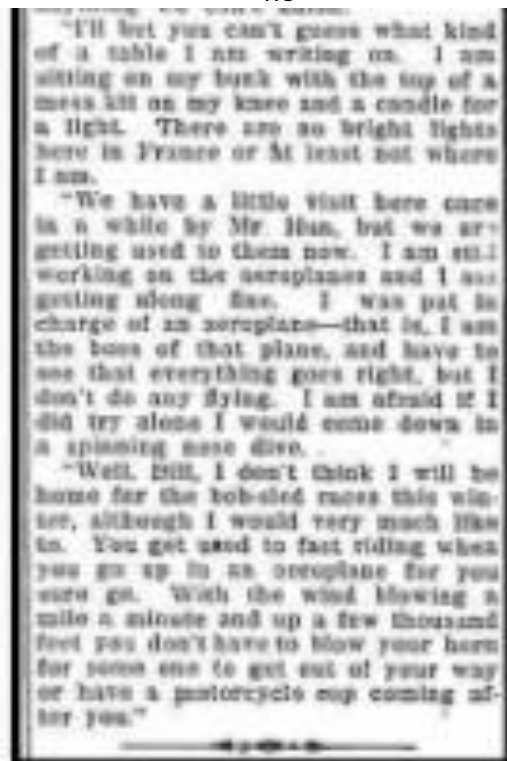
Private William Furman, former chauffeur for Dr. W. J. A. Dunbar, of this place, who was aboard the *Taenissa* with the 215th Aero Squadron, when that boat was torpedoed and who for a long time was on English soil, is now in France, according to a letter received by Lyman W. Taff, at Camp Mills. He writes that he is in the best of health and if he could tell as he wanted to he could write ten pages.

He says in part: "I get The Long Islander quite often and enjoy reading it very much, but to read about what is going on in the old home town and by being there is two different things altogether but never mind, we'll get there yet. I am in France now, but my next stop is Berlin. 'Berlin or Bust!' That's our motto, and we will get a look at old Bill Kaiser. I was reading some of the letters that the boys sent home and they are all in the same spirit. I have met two of our boys from Huntington over here in France—Bergen and Pagan from West Neck. They were quite surprised to see me. When Pagan saw me he said: 'Hello, Doc; we had some time getting here, but we got here just the same—we never start anything we can't finish.'"

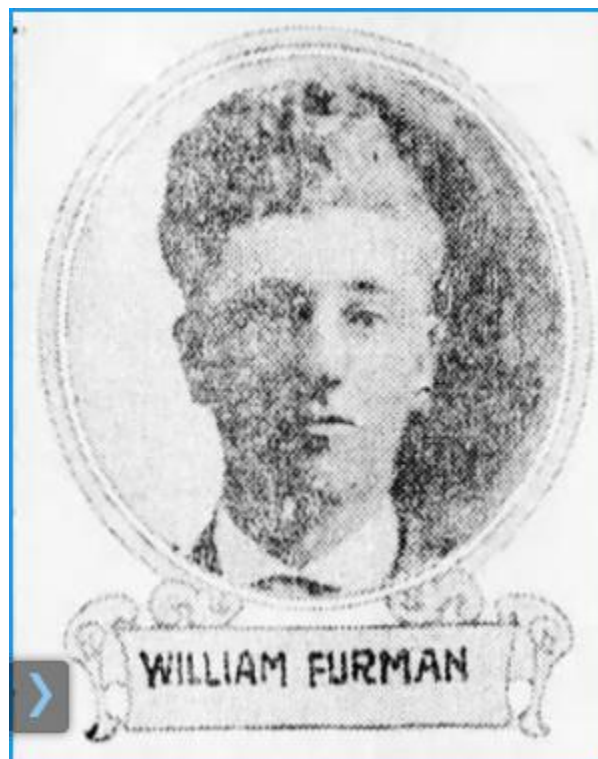
William F. Furman

Huntington—William F. Furman, 78, moved to Huntington Town at about the age of 13, and it was his home until his death Wednesday of cancer in Huntington Hospital. Furman had lived in several areas of the town, most recently on Hillside Avenue. The son of a career Army officer, Furman was born at Fort Totten and was orphaned in childhood. He moved to Huntington to stay with a foster family, then lived on various farms in the West Hills area. As a young man, Furman worked as a chauffeur for local doctors. In World War I, he fought in France and survived the torpedoing of his ship off the Irish coast. After the war, Furman undertook various types of local labor, including work on building the Marshall Field Estate in Lloyd Harbor. Furman retired at the age of 70 after 16 years with the Grumman Aerospace Corp., where he was in warehouse shipping. Furman had been an usher at St. Patrick's Catholic Church of Huntington. He was married to Roseanna Halligan Furman, a lifelong resident of the Huntington area who died in 1961. M. A. Connell Funeral Home, Huntington Station. A mass will be offered at 9:45 AM tomorrow in St. Patrick's Church.

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All above from William Furman's Find A Grave 173795720



William Frederick Furman – "Brooklyn Daily Eagle" 10 Feb 1918 p 5

Furman, William F		250,167	615 White	1 1/2
(Surname)		(Christian name)	(Army serial number)	(Race: White or colored)
Residence:	Highland Ave	Huntington Long Island	NEW YORK	
	(Street and house number)	(Town or city)	(County)	(State)
* Enlisted in	RA at Mineola L I NY on Dec 12/17			
† Born in	Whitestone LI NY 24 6/12 yrs			
Organizations:	213 Aero Sq to disch			
Grades:	Pvt 1st Apr 1/19			
Engagements:				
Wounds or other injuries received in action: None.				
‡ Served overseas:	Jan 24/18 to May 31/19			
§ Hon. disch.	June 10/19 on demobilization			
Was reported	0 per cent disabled on date of discharge, in view of occupation.			
Remarks:				

Form No. 724-1 1/2, A. G. O. March 12, 1920. 3-7688

* Insert "R. A.", "N. G.", "E. R. C.", "N. A.", as case may be, followed by place and date of enlistment. † Give place of birth and date of birth, or age at enlistment. ‡ Give dates of departure from and arrival in the United States. § Give date.

NY Army card -

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Huntington N Y		A 4 225 937			
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Born	6/4/93	R			
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U.S., Social Security Death Index, 1935-2014

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Name	William Furman
Social Security Number	094-10-2503
Birth Date	4 Jun 1893
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	New York
Last Residence	11743, Huntington, Suffolk, New York, USA
Death Date	Nov 1971

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/80158645/person/40414879462/facts>

NAME	Furman, William Frederick
DATE OF ENLISTMENT	Sept. 25, 1917.
GRADE	Pvt.
ORGANIZATION	Troop K, 1st Cavalry, N.Y. Guard
H. dis. Jha 28/17 RO 64 as F. W. Furman (Enl in Aviation Corps.	

NY Records of the State National Guard - <https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3Q57-L928-Q8TN?i=2344&cc=2329262&personaUrl=%2Fark%3A%2F61903%2F1%3A1%3AQVJT-BY62>

New York State, Birth Index, 1881-1942



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Name	Furman
Gender	Male
Birth Date	4 Jun 1893
Birth Place	Whitestone, New York, USA
Certificate Number	2623

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/80158645/person/40414879462/facts>

**FORMAN/FURMAN-POLHEMUS-GRO-
VER:** Ezekiel Furman, John Polhemus, William Grover were executed for high treason 18 Aug 1778. Seek family ancestors, info on above names. Ezekiel Forman b. 1730 father of Nathan **Furman** b. 6 Mar 1754, Rev. War Sgt. Ezekiel was husband of Abigail m. 1 Jun 1751 Newtown, NY. *Bruce S. Furman, P.O. Box 415, Salt Lake City, UT 84110.*

An inquiry from William's son Bruce S. Furman of Salt Lake City UT to the "SAR Magazine" Fall 1991 page 50 - Sons of the American Revolution - https://www.sar.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/01/LXXXVI-NO-2_FALL-1991.pdf

FORMAN/FURMAN

I am doing research on **Ezekiel** Furman, who along with John Polhemus and William Grover, according to an article in The New-Jersey Gazette (July 22, 1778, vol. 1 number 33), was tried and convicted of the crime of High Treason in June of 1778 at Monmouth in the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery . They were sentenced to be executed on 18th of August of that same year. I am looking for any information that you might have on them, or where the court records for that case might exist.

RESPONSE:

I found a reference to the conviction:

"OLD TIMES IN OLD MONMOUTH,"

by Edwin Salter & George Beekman:

"**Ezekiel** Forman, John Polhemus and William Grover were sentenced to be executed, but we have found no mention of the sentence being carried into effect---but from circumstantial evidence it is probable that they were reprieved."

It would appear that these men were part of the band of Pine Robbers who terrorized Mon. Co. residents during the Rev. War.

From an unknown requestor, but could be Bruce S. Furman, in
<http://files.usgwarchives.net/nj/monmouth/history/family/effam.txt>

FURMAN—William F. of 12 Hillside Ave., Huntington. Husband of the late Roseanna Halligan Furman. Father of William J. of Kings Park, Richard and Bruce, both of Huntington, Rosemarie Klerk of Centerport, Peter of Halesite. Also eight grandchildren. Reposing M. A. Connell Funeral Home, 934 New York Ave., Huntington Station. Mass of Resurrection St. Patrick's Church, Saturday, 9:45 AM. Burial St. Patrick's Cemetery.

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Life:

HOME GUARDS NOW IN FIRST CAVALRY

52 Huntington Men Are Must-
tered on by Major C. S.
DeBevoise.

Dr. MacLEAN IS LIEUTENANT.

Although Mustered In as Cavalrymen,
New Soldiers Will Use Infantry
Regulations for the Present.

(Special to The Eagle.)

Huntington, L. I., October 10—At a drill held last evening in the auditorium of the Huntington High School, on East Main street, fifty-two men of Huntington were mustered into the New York State military service as members of Troop 4, Squadron C, First Cavalry, N. Y. G. The mustering officer was Major C. S. DeBevoise, a Huntingtonian, assisted by Captain Adjutant S. B. Dewey.

The men, former members of the two companies of the Huntington Home Defense League, who enlisted in the Guard two weeks ago, were drilled by the Home Defense League officers, after which the mustering officer took charge. Although the men were mustered in as a cavalry organization, they will use the infantry regulations for some time to come.

Dr. B. P. MacLean, former captain of the Home Defense League, has been named acting lieutenant and will have full charge of the troop until a captain is commissioned. Requisitions will be made for uniforms and rifles. Following the muster in, Lieutenant MacLean named the following acting non-commissioned officers:

Roy W. Lindsay, Robert L. Simpson, Russell Young, Arved Larson, George Gerard, Kurt J. Galow, Willoughby C. Pendill and Russell Sammis, sergeants; Fred W. Galow, quartermaster sergeant, with Lyman W. Taft and Nathaniel Harper, clerks; Louis T. Sammis, J. J. Johnstone Jr., George Phillips, Charles Willis, James B. F. Thomson

**You Will Be Proud
Of Your Village if
It Exceeds Its Quota
Of Liberty Bonds.**

and H. Albert Muller, corporals, and Charles B. Phippard Jr., trumpeter. Frank Willett was elected troop treasurer.

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Those who were mustered in last evening:

George Lincoln Andrews, Alvah M. Baylis, Roswell S. Baylis, Fred J. Borstel, Frederick A. Bowden, William Spencer Bowker, Edward J. Brown Jr., H. Forrest Doughty, Henry Clifford Faxon, Edward Oliver Fleschel, William Frederick Furman, Frederick William Galow, Kurt J. Galow, George B. Gerard, Nathaniel Harper, John M. Hernandez, Edward Hewman, William N. Homan Jr., Edson V. Howell, Charles Henry Johnson, Hewlett D. Johnson, John Jeffrey Johnson Jr., John Kramar Jr., Arved L. Larson, Roy Warriner Lindsay, Franklin W. Mills, H. Albert Muller, Frederick M. Munroe, John S. O'Brien, Hiram Paulding Jr., Willoughby Carr Pendill, Arthur Goundill Peterson, George Henry Phillips, Charles P. Phippard Jr., Edwin Allan Riggs, John J. Robbins, Russell Edward Robbins, Charles E. Sammis Jr., G. Clifton Sammis, Louis Therpe Sammis, Russell F. Sammis, William Holland Sammons, Alfred Sapone, Robert L. Simpson, Charles H. Street, Lyman W. Taft, J. B. F. Thomson, Robert K. Toaz, Charles H. Voorhes, Charles A. Willis, Russell M. Young and Theodore Young.

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Two Huntington Boys.

Huntington, Feb. 8.—Arthur Stanbrough, aero engine expert, who had only been at Hazelhurst Aviation Field, Mineola, for a few weeks, and William Furman, a former chauffeur here, who had been in the 213th Aero Squadron for some months, were on the Tuscania when she was sunk. Mr. Stanbrough's father communicated with the Navy Department last evening and was assured that he would be notified at once on the receipt of further news from London on the sinking.

"Brooklyn Times Union" Friday 8 Feb 1918 p 13

New York Men Aboard Tuscania

Walter Friedman, private, Max Friedman, father, 737 Lexington Avenue, New York.

William F. Furman, private, Mrs. William Misal, sister, 33 West Nineteenth Street, Whitestone, L. I.

Henry Geslin, private, O. Kalfur, cousin, Richmond Hill, L. I.

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New York NY

Among the soldiers about whom word has been received that they are safe are the following from Brooklyn and towns in Queens Borough, all, with but one exception, belonging to the 213th Aero Squadron: Sergt. George A. Muller, whose mother, Mrs. Anna Muller, lives at 759 West Eleventh street.

Lieut. W. J. Blackman, 158th Aero Squadron, son of Dr. W. W. Blackman, 519 Clinton avenue. Blackman was a Cornell athlete.

Corporal John F. Eberhard, Jr., 247 St. Nicholas avenue.

Sergeant Washington G. Davies, 35 North Oxford street.

Private Alvin J. Samuels, 227 Ridgewood avenue.

Corporal Mayer Cigal, 425 Madison street.

Corporal Thomas A. Conway, 419 Henry street.

Private Martin B. Herman, 227 Ridgewood avenue.

Private Fred Flux, 105 Clinton avenue.

Corporal Frederick A. Lampe, 1290 President street.

Private Melville Miller, 70 North Portland avenue.

Private James A. McElroy, 125 Java street.

Private Henry Meyer, 155 Covert street.

Private Lafayette Rothstein, Jr., 23 Van Buren street.

Private Henry P. Senior, Jr., 148 Hancock street.

Private A. F. Abrano, Flushing.

Private Robert Blumberg, 63 Allen street, Jamaica.

Corporal Adolph Bartolomeo, Astoria. His young wife is now living with friends in The Bronx.

Private William J. Clabby, Flushing.

Private John W. Crawford, Flushing.

Private Lawrence J. Doyle, Flushing.

Private Edward J. Duffy, Flushing.

Private William F. Furman, White-stone.

Private Henry Geslen, Richmond Hill.

Private David M. Langer, Flushing.

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William F. Furman, No. 35 West
19th Street, Whitestone, L. I., N. Y.

Frederick Flux, No. 105 Clinton
Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Hilding Fagerdahl, Clintonville,
Wis.

Charles Foley, 311 Shilcien Street,
New London, Wis.

Oliver L. Flood, No. 21 Poningo
Street, Portchester, N. Y.

Charles J. Fisher, Oakdale, Jeddo,
Pa.

Edmund Fink, No. 330 East 93d
Street, New York.

Charles D. Feather, Lyndell, Pa.

Charles F. Fasco, No. 100 Newell
Street, Pittsfield, Mass.

George Faber, Far Rockaway Turn-
pike, Lawrence, L. I., N. Y.

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THE EVENING WORLD, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1918.

MANY STATES REPRESENTED IN LIST OF TUSCANIA SURVIVORS

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New York NY

94TH PURSUIT UNIT HERE ON LOUISVILLE

**Transport Brings 1,900 Troops,
Including Many Brooklyn-L. I.
Men, and 65 Brides.**

With sixty-five brides and twelve children the transport Louisville docked yesterday afternoon. The troops, numbering 1,900, were mostly air service men. The famous 94th Pursuit Squadron, formerly commanded by Capt. Eddie Rickenbacher, was on board. The 94th A. S. claims 112 planes to its credit, and also the only balloon ace.

Many Brooklyn and Long Island men were among those on the vessel, including the following:

213th Air Service.

Master Engineer Henry P. Senior Jr., 143 Hancock st.

Master Engineer Douglas W. East, Mineola, L. I.

Sgt. De Witt J. Cohen, Patchogue, L. I.

Sgt. Thomas A. Conway, 413 Henry st.

Sgt. Arthur L. Stanbrough, Huntington, L. I.

Sgt. Frederick A. Lampe, 1290 President st.

Sgt. Washington S. Davies, 55 N. Oxford st.

Sgt. Josiah E. Mayer, Patchogue, L. I.

Sgt. Harold R. Stevenson, Sea Cliff, L. I.

Chauffeur Fred Chace, Sea Cliff, L. I.

Sgt. Frederick F. Rathgeber, Flushing, L. I.

Corp. Frederick Chellborg, Sea Cliff, L. I.

Kenneth D. Kay, Sea Cliff, L. I.

Chauffeur Frederick Flux, 195 Clinton av.

Edward J. Duffy, Flushing, L. I.

Corp. David M. Loweree, Flushing, L. I.

Leater W. McKenna, Flushing, L. I.

Joseph W. Crawford, Flushing, L. I.

Chauffeur Lafayette Rothstein, 235 Van Buren st.

Alvin J. Samuel, 227 Ridgewood av.

Corp. John J. Trapp, Flushing, L. I.

Arendt B. Tesseyman, Astoria, L. I.

Chauffeur Walter R. Box, Hempstead, L. I.

Martin B. Herman, 227 Ridgewood av.

Harry Meyer, 155 Covert st.

William F. Furman, Whitestone, L. I.

Corp. Albert Cornell, Hempstead, L. I.

Nichols J. Ganley, 445 Third ave.

Sgt. Melville Miller, 79 North Portland ave.

John O'Rourke, Far Rockaway, L. I.

Robert Blumberg, Jamaica, L. I.

Henry Gestien, Richmond Hill, L. I.

Corp. Mayer Cigal, 425 Madison st.

Lawrence Negritti, Lindenhurst, L. I.

HUNTINGTON FIREMEN AWARDED WAR MEDALS

Huntington, L. I., Nov. 13—Members of the Huntington Fire Department who saw service in the war were entertained at dinner last evening at headquarters and presented with appropriately engraved medals. An honor roll was placed on the wall of the assembly room. More than 100 men enjoyed it and the program that followed.

Those who received the medals were: Edward Badetty, Byron Bailey, Frederick Bloxsom, Ernest F. Bernhardt, Archibald Brooks, Michael Connell, Forest H. Doughty, William Furman, Clarence Griffith, Bertram Gale, Raymond P. Hubbs, Edmund Hurd, James Harbinson Jr., John A. Homan, Harold Ireland, Charles E. Kelsey, Henry Ketcham, George E. Willets, Walter Latham, James Mullen, Charles Lewisy, William McGaul, James P. Nostrand, Frank O'Neill, Clarence Phillips, James Pinkerton, Frank Parmenter, Raymond Robertson, Jerry Reddy, George Reicke, Miller Willets, Henry Schwier, Nicholas Schling, August Savarese, Charles VanSise, Everitt Valentine, William Walters, Irving White, John F. Wood Jr. and John A. O'Neill.

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FINDS WIFE UNCONSCIOUS

Mrs. William Furman Overcome by
Gas, But Is Revived.

Huntington, June 19.—Mrs. William Furman is in Huntington Hospital, recovering from the effects of gas poisoning.

Coming home Saturday afternoon Mr. Furman found the house locked and could get no response when he rang the bell. Gaining entrance through a cellar window, he found the house flooded with gas. His wife was lying unconscious on the floor of the kitchen. Firemen, using an inhaler, revived Mrs. Furman and she was removed to the hospital.

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Boy's Presence of Mind Saves Mother's Life

The presence of mind of William Furman Jr., 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Furman of Highland Ave., Huntington, is responsible for his mother being alive and recuperating at the Huntington Hospital from gas poisoning.

The Furmans had been stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schvier, a short distance from their own home. Mr. Furman arrived from work Saturday and he sent his son over to their own home to tell his mother that his father had arrived.

The lad found all the doors locked and windows fastened. How-

ever, the cellar door was unfastened and he entered and made his way to the ground floor, where he found his mother unconscious and the house filled with gas.

The lad turned off the gas and opened the doors and windows before rushing back to the Schvier home to tell his father.

The Huntington Fire Department was notified and their inhalator was taken to the scene and successfully applied. Mrs. Furman's condition improved so that she could be taken to the Huntington Hospital, where her condition this morning was much improved.

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Wife

New York State, Marriage Index, 1881-1967

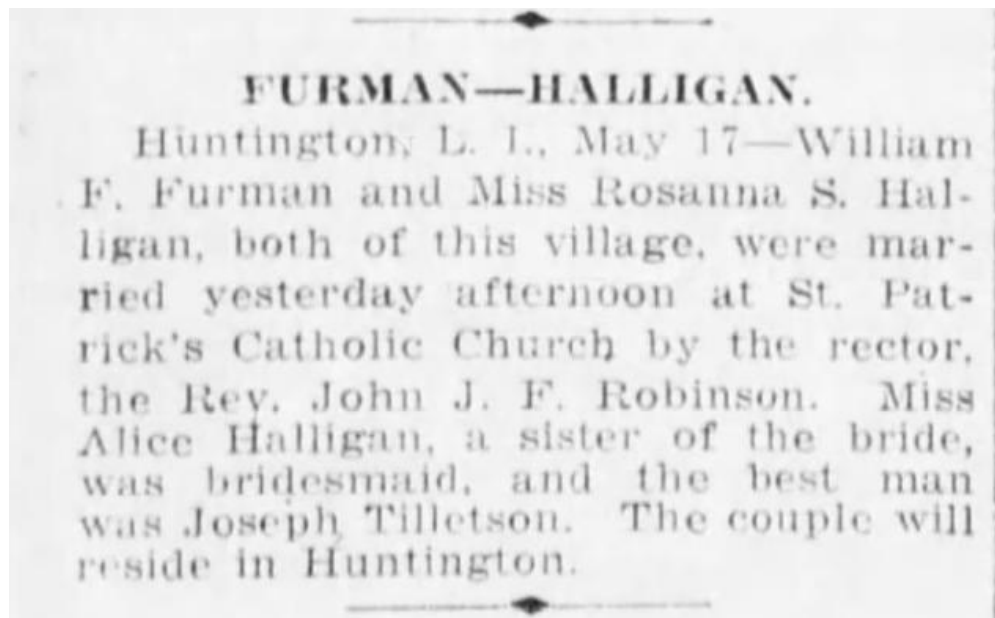

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Name **William F Furman**
 Gender **Male**
 Marriage Date **16 May 1920**
 Marriage Place **Huntington, New York, USA**
 Spouse **Rosanna G Hilligan**
 Certificate Number **8662**

Household members

Name	Age
William F Furman	
Rosanna G Hilligan	

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/80158645/person/40414879462/facts>



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Church Group Sets Dinner for Saturday In Setauket Neighborhood House, 5:30 PM

A turkey dinner with all the trimmings will be held at Setauket Neighborhood House Saturday, by members of St. James Catholic Church. Serving will be from 5:30 to 8:30 PM.

General chairman of the event is W. C. Purick, treasurer; Mrs. Rexford Heinz, both of Setauket, and Harold J. Ryan of Poquott. The kitchen committee consists of Mrs. F. J. Flinn of Stony Brook, Mrs. W. C. Purick, Mrs. James J. Twomey, Miss Annie Fallon and Mrs. Joseph Crossan.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Victor O'Hara, chairman; Mrs. Joseph

Meehan, Mrs. Charles Sharp and Mrs. William Furman. Members of the soliciting committee include Mrs. Francis Fullerton, Miss Dorothy Maeder, Mrs. Frank Neglish, Mrs. W. H. Harris, the Deasy Family, Mrs. Al Jesaitis, Mrs. Guy Gastro, Mrs. Ralph Lyons, Mrs. Frank Baker, Mrs. Kenneth McCambridge and Mrs. Elizabeth Bates.

Printing is in charge of F. J. Flinn and publicity, Mrs. Harold J. Ryan. On the serving committee are the Misses Helen and Annie Strelecki, Patty and Betty Twomey, Kathleen Harris, Josie Emma, Carol Jesaitis, Mary Lois and Winifred Nicols, Catherine Bruce, Kay Deasy, Mary Ceparano, Alice O'Hara and Susan Davidson.

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FURMAN—Roseanna (nee Halligan), of 12 Hillside Ave., Huntington, suddenly on August 28, 1961. Beloved wife of William. Devoted mother of William Jr. of Kings Park, Mrs. Kenneth Klerk of Centerport, Richard, Bruce, and Peter, all of Huntington. Also survived by five grandchildren. Dear sister of Mrs. Henry Schwier, Thomas, Fred and Leonard Halligan, all of Huntington. St. Patrick's Rosary Altar Society and the Catholic Daughters will recite the Rosary, Wednesday, 8 PM, at the M. A. Connell Funeral Home, 934 New York Ave., Huntington Station. Solemn Requiem Mass, St. Patrick's Church on Thursday, August 31, at 9:30 AM. Interment St. Patrick's West Neck Cemetery, Huntington.

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Hempstead NY

Children:

U.S. World War II Army Enlistment Records, 1938-1946

View record

Name	William J Furman
Race	White
Marital Status	Single, without dependents (Single)
Rank	Private
Birth Year	1921
Nativity State or Country	New York
Citizenship	Citizen
Residence	Suffolk, New York
Education	1 year of high school
Civil Occupation	Electricians
Enlistment Date	21 Aug 1942
Enlistment Place	Fort Jay Governors Island, New York
Service Number	32434178
Branch	Branch Immaterial - Warrant Officers, USA
Component	Selectees (Enlisted Men)
Source	Civil Life
Height	65
Weight	120

Son William Joseph Furman (1921-1984) - https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/80158645/person/40414880686/facts?_phsrc=iKj3100&_phstart=succesSource

30 Indictments by Suffolk Grand Jury

Riverhead—A Suffolk County grand jury handed down 30 indictments, including 10 secret and seven youthful offenders, in Supreme Court before Justice Cortland A. Johnson yesterday. The jurors also handed down the usual presentment praising the district attorneys office, sheriff, jail, and so forth.

Included in the indictments were two for first degree assault and one for attempted robbery in the first degree.

William Condos, 44, of Commack, who is presently awaiting trial on bad check charges, was indicted for first degree assault in his alleged attempt to wipe out his family with a shotgun. Condos was nabbed by State Police on Feb. 15, at his home, before he had time to pull the trigger.

William J. Furman, 27, of Huntington, was indicted on a similar charge. He was arrested after he allegedly fired his 20 gauge shotgun at John Kuhn Jr. at Huntington Station.

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William J. Furman, 27, of Huntington, was also given a year's suspended sentence and ordered to stay on the water wagon. Furman pleaded guilty to second degree assault in firing a shotgun at a companion.

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Melville NY

In Commack, William J. Furman, 27, of 100 Carley Ave., Huntington and Mrs. Mary Saner, 57, of Brooklyn, were taken to the Huntington Hospital after a car

driven by Mrs. Saner's son crashed headon into an auto driven by Furman.

Smithtown Ptl. Paul Sprofera said Saner was driving eastward when Furman apparently swerved

his car into the eastbound lane, collided with Saner, and then careened 40 feet into a field alongside the road. Both Mrs. Saner and Furman were released from the hospital after first aid treatment.

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Melville NY

In a Rush to Go Fishing, Says Hit-Runner

Huntington—A would-be fisherman admitted yesterday that he hit and knocked down a pretty 19-year-old girl who was walking her dog in the road, then kept on going to his favorite fishing hole.

The girl, Helen E. Leddy of 91 Sputhdown Road, was able to get the license number of the car which struck her near her home about 9 PM Monday. She was not seriously injured but she said her blouse was torn from her back and she was cut below the shoulder blade.

Police arrested William J. Furman, 30, of 14 Clinton St., late Monday evening and held him on Miss Leddy's hit and run charge. Then they added one of their own

for driving while his license was revoked. The driver was picked up near Brown's Dock.

When Furman appeared yesterday before Justice of the Peace George A. Hahn, he was fined \$50 on each count with the provision that he could serve 30 days in jail instead if he wished. He paid his fine. Furman told the court that he thought his fishing pole tied to the side of the car may have struck the girl. He was arrested in 1948 for allegedly firing a shotgun at patrons of a Huntington Station bar and given a suspended sentence of one year at his trial in County Court. Furman said he is an electrician at the Republic Aviation plant in Farmingdale.

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U.S., Social Security Death Index, 1935-2014

View record

Name	William Furman
Social Security Number	133-01-3341
Birth Date	21 Feb 1921
Issue year	Before 1951
Issue State	New York
Last Residence	11754, Kings Park, Suffolk, New York, USA
Death Date	Dec 1984

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REGISTRATION CARD—(Men born on or after February 17, 1897 and on or before December 31, 1921)			
SERIAL NUMBER 192	1. NAME (Print) WILLIAM Joseph FURMAN (First) (Middle) (Last)		ORDER NUMBER 10713 T 12.11.3
2. PLACE OF RESIDENCE (Print) 58 Woolsey Ave. HUNTINGTON Suffolk N.Y. (Number and street) (Town, township, village, or city) (County) (State) [THE PLACE OF RESIDENCE GIVEN ON THE LINE ABOVE WILL DETERMINE LOCAL BOARD JURISDICTION; LINE 2 OF REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE WILL BE IDENTICAL]			
3. MAILING ADDRESS 58 Woolsey Ave. HUNTINGTON L.I. (Mailing address if other than place indicated on line 2. If same insert word same)			
4. TELEPHONE none (Exchange) (Number)	5. AGE IN YEARS 20 DATE OF BIRTH Feb. 21 1921 (Mo.) (Day) (Yr.)	6. PLACE OF BIRTH HUNTINGTON (Town or county) HUNTINGTON (State or country)	
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS MRS. ROSE FURMAN 58 Woolsey Ave. HUNTINGTON			
8. EMPLOYER'S NAME AND ADDRESS A.C. Roeder			
9. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS 58 Greene St. HUNTINGTON L.I. (Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)			
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.			
D. S. S. FORM 1 (Revised 1-1-42)	(over)	☆ GPO 16-21630-1	William Joseph Furman (Registrant's signature)

REGISTRAR'S REPORT							
DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT							
RACE		HEIGHT (Approx.)		WEIGHT (Approx.)		COMPLEXION	
White	☒	5.6'		130		Sallow	
		EYES		HAIR		Light	
Negro		Blue	☒	Blonde		Ruddy	☒
		Gray		Red		Dark	
Oriental		Hazel		Brown	☒	Freckled	
		Brown		Black		Light brown	
Indian		Black		Gray		Dark brown	
				Bald		Black	
Philipino							

Other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification _____

I certify that my answers are true; that the person registered has read or has had read to him his own answers; that I have witnessed his signature or mark and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:

none

Janet Cushing
(Signature of registrar)

Registrar for Local Board *706 HUNTINGTON*
(Number) (City or county) (State)

Date of registration *Feb 14 1942*

SELECTIVE SERVICE
LOCAL BOARD 706
HUNTINGTON, NEW YORK

Official Business
 (STAMP OF LOCAL BOARD)

(The stamp of the Local Board having jurisdiction of the registrant shall be placed in the above space)

16-21630-1

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William J Furman

in the New York State, Birth Index, 1881-1942



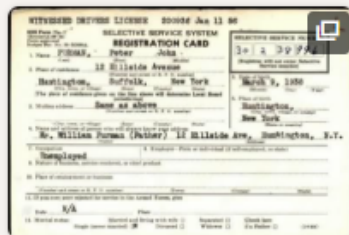
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Name	William J Furman
Birth Date	21 Feb 1921
Birth Place	Huntington, New York, USA
Certificate Number	16414

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Mr William Furman

in the U.S., Korean War Era Draft Cards, 1948-1959



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Detail Source

Name	Mr William Furman
Gender	Male
Residence Place	Huntington, New York
Draft Location	New York
Box Number	64

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**SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM
REGISTRATION CARD**

1. Name **FURMAN, Peter John**
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Place of residence **12 Hillside Avenue**
(Number and street or R. F. D. number)
Huntington, Suffolk, New York
(City, town, or village) (Zone) (County) (State)
[The place of residence given on the line above will determine Local Board jurisdiction]

3. Mailing address **Same as above**
(Number and street or R. F. D. number)
(City, town, or village) (Zone) (County) (State)

4. Name and address of person who will always know your address
Mr. William Furman (Father) 12 Hillside Ave. Huntington, N.Y.
(Name) (Address)

5. Date of birth **March 9, 1938**
(Month) (Day) (Year)

6. Place of birth **Huntington, New York**
(City, town, village, or county) (State or country)

7. Occupation **Unemployed**

8. Employer—Firm or individual (if self-employed, so state)

9. Nature of business, service rendered, or chief product

10. Place of employment or business

11. If you ever, were rejected for service in the Armed Forces, give

Date **N/A** Place

SELECTIVE SERVICE NUMBER
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Willia J Furman

in the New York State, Marriage Index, 1881-1967



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Detail	Source
Name	Willia J Furman
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	2 Aug 1958
Marriage Place	Oyster Bay, New York, USA
Spouse	Christ M Whyte
Certificate Number	31085

Records Sharing Certificate Number (Name)

Christ M Whyte
Willia J Furman

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New York, New York, Death Index, 1862-1948

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Name Elizabeth M Furman
 Age 9
 Birth Year abt 1923
 Death Date 20 Jul 1932
 Death Place Manhattan, New York, USA
 Certificate Number 16794

Daughter Elizabeth M. Furman (1923-1932) - <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/80158645/person/40414905984/facts>

Elizabeth M Furman

in the New York State, Birth Index, 1881-1942



Detail	Source
Name	Elizabeth M Furman
Birth Date	12 May 1923
Birth Place	Huntington, New York, USA
Certificate Number	43144

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Richard Thomas Fredrick Furman
October 17, 1927 – August 3, 2023

Richard "Dick" Furman, beloved husband, father, grandfather, great-grandfather, uncle, and friend, passed away peacefully surrounded by his loved ones on August 3, 2023, at the age of 95. Born in Huntington, NY, to parents William and Roseanna Furman, Dick was a lifelong Huntington resident and devoted community member. He is preceded in death by his siblings, William, Bruce, and Rose Marie, and cherished daughter, Katherine "Kathy" DeGelleke. A World War II veteran, Dick left high school at 16 to join the Marines and served with the Second Division in active combat in the Pacific theater during the invasions of Saipan, Tinian, and Okinawa islands, and as part of the occupation forces in Nagasaki, Japan. After the war, Dick returned home and married his teenage sweetheart, Virginia "Ginny" Galow, on November 19, 1950. Together they raised their three children, Richard, Kathy, and John, in Ginny's Huntington family home, the Old "Buffet Homestead," which was built in 1750. Following his service, Dick worked on the Magic City dredge deepening North Shore harbors and then went on to a career with Otis Elevator during the sky-scraper boom of the 1960's and 70's in N.Y.C. – including the building of the World Trade Center from start to finish in 1973. Later he worked with Melrose Marine and at Jacobsen's shipyard in Oyster Bay. An active member of the Huntington community, Dick volunteered with the Cold Spring Harbor Fire Department for 35 years, including stints as Captain of the Rescue Squad, Assistant Chief, Vice President, and President, and was one of the first EMT's on Long Island. He also served with the Boy Scouts of America as an advisor to the Explorer High Adventure Program and Post 12 focusing on wilderness travel and backpacking. An ardent outdoorsman throughout his life, Dick was a surf fisherman (Long Island Beach Buggy Assoc. #74), car camper, hiker, backpacker, and avid birdwatcher (Audubon Society). He passed his love of the outdoors to his children and grandchildren, who share many wonderful memories of adventures spent in nature together. He is survived by his wife of 72 years, Ginny, his eldest son Richard and daughter-in law Kairn, his youngest son John and daughter-in-law Babette, son-in-law Scott DeGelleke, and his four grandchildren, Kira, Kali, Kort, and Cole, two great-grandchildren, Emma and Evalina, and his brother Peter. Dick is remembered for his loving and humorous nature, sharp wit, exceedingly strong work ethic, a love of sweets – especially cookies and ice cream – and his belief that "any day above ground is a good day." He leaves his family with a lifetime of memories, as well as many pieces of sage-like advice, wisdom, and family sayings that guide us all through good times and bad. We are all "lucky little devils" to have known, loved, and be loved by him. Arrangements are under the care of M. A. Connell Funeral Home, a viewing will be held from 4 to 8 p.m., Monday, August 7. The funeral procession will depart from M. A. Connell Funeral Home at 10 a.m. Tuesday, August 8 and the burial will take place at 11 a.m. at the Calverton National Cemetery. A memorial service will follow from 3 to 6 p.m. at the Cold Spring Harbor Fire House.

Son Richard Thomas Fredrick Furman (1927-2023) – Find A Grave 257333222

Richard T Furman

in the New York State, Birth Index, 1881-1942



Detail Source

Name	Richard T Furman
Birth Date	17 Oct 1927
Birth Place	Huntington, New York, USA
Certificate Number	82750

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Richart Furman

in the New York State, Marriage Index, 1881-1967



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Detail	Source
Name	Richart Furman
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	19 Nov 1950
Marriage Place	Huntington, New York, USA
Spouse	Virgin P Galow
Certificate Number	50336
Records Sharing Certificate Number (Name)	
Richart Furman	
Virgin P Galow	

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Wife Virginia Galow – Brooklyn NY



Virginia Pauline Furman

December 13, 1927 - June 13, 2024

Virginia "Ginny" Furman, cherished wife, mother, aunt, grandmother, great-grandmother, and friend passed away on June 13, 2024 at the age of 96. She is preceded in death by her husband of 73 years, Richard "Dick" Furman, her brother and sister-in-law Fred and Megs Galow, and beloved daughter Katherine "Kathy" DeGelleke.

Born in Huntington NY to parents August H. and Mary Galow, Ginny was a lifelong Huntington resident who was proud of her father's legacy as a prominent local architect in the 1920s. She loved bringing friends and family to visit the buildings designed by August, including the old Huntington Hotel, Central High School, and the Cold Spring Harbor Firehouse.

After graduating from South Huntington High School in 1945, Ginny attended St. John's School of Nursing in Brooklyn (Class of 1949) and became a registered nurse. Over the course of her career she worked as a nurse at Huntington Hospital, as a teacher's aide with the Huntington High School Science Department, and finally as a receptionist for Dr. Keith Nelson's Chiropractic Center in Greenlawn.

Ginny met her husband Dick when they were 15 years old swimming at the second lake near Cold Spring Harbor, and the two were married on November 19, 1950. Together they had three children, Richard, Kathy, and John. They raised their family in Ginny's family home, the Old "Buffet Homestead," which was built in 1750 and where she lived from 1935 until the final months of her life.

An active member of the Huntington community, Ginny volunteered at the Huntington Hospital ER for almost 30 years, co-leading the Boy Scout Explorer Post 12 from 1974-1980 with her husband Dick, as well as serving with the Planting Fields Arboretum in Westbury and the Huntington Historical Society for many years.

Ginny was known for her tenacity and energy, which was reflected in her many hobbies across her long life. She enjoyed traveling across North America, Europe, and the Caribbean, was an enthusiastic swimmer, golfer, and bowler, and found great joy and friendship singing with the Northport Chorale. Ginny could often be found tending to her beautiful garden and fish pond, and was always happy to receive visitors at her home for a cup of coffee and long rounds of conversation and storytelling.

She is survived by her eldest son Richard and daughter-in-law Kairn, her youngest son John and daughter-in-law Babette, son-in-law Scott Degelleke, her four grandchildren, Kira, Kali, Kort, and Cole, and two great-granddaughters, Emma and Evalina.

Arrangements are under the care of M.A. Connell Funeral Home, viewings will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m., Wednesday, June 19. The funeral procession will depart from M.A. Connell Funeral Home at 11 a.m. Thursday, June 20 with a graveside service to follow at the Huntington Rural Cemetery.

Should friends desire, in lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Huntington Historical Society at 209 Main Street Huntington, NY 11743 or online via their [website](#).

Visitation

Wednesday, June 19, 2024
2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

M. A. Connell Funeral Home Inc.
934 New York Avenue
Huntington Station, NY 11746

Visitation

Wednesday, June 19, 2024
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

M. A. Connell Funeral Home Inc.
934 New York Avenue
Huntington Station, NY 11746

Funeral Service

Wednesday, June 19, 2024
7:30 pm

M. A. Connell Funeral Home Inc.
934 New York Avenue
Huntington Station, NY 11746

Final Resting Place

Thursday, June 20, 2024
11:00 am

Huntington Rural Cemetery
Association
New York Avenue
Huntington, NY 11743

Final Resting Place

Huntington Rural Cemetery
Association
New York Avenue
Huntington, NY 11743

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SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM
REGISTRATION CARD

1. Name
(Last) Furman (First) Richard (Middle) Thomas

2. Place of residence 100 Carley Avenue
(City, town, village, or county) Huntington (State) N.Y.
[The place of residence given on the line above will determine Local Board jurisdiction]

3. Mailing address Same

4. Name and address of person who will always know your address
(Name) Mrs. Wm. Furman (Address) 140 Carley Ave. Hunt. N.Y.

5. Date of birth Oct. 17 27
(Month) (Day) (Year)

6. Place of birth Huntington N.Y.
(City, town, village, or county) (State or country)

7. Occupation Student 8. Firm or individual by whom employed Delehanity Inst.

9. Nature of business, service rendered, or chief product

10. Place of employment or business Jamaica Queens New York
(Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)

11. Local board with which registered under Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended
7a.6 Huntington

12. Were you ever rejected for service in the armed forces? Yes ☐ No ☒ When?

13. Marital status: Single ☒ Married ☐ Living with wife ☐ Separated ☐ Divorced ☐ Widower ☐ Father ☐ (Over)

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Richard Thomas Furman

in the U.S., Korean War Era Draft Cards, 1948-1959

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Bruce S Farmen

in the New York State, Birth Index, 1881-1942



Detail	Source
Name	Bruce S Farmen
Birth Date	15 Jun 1931
Birth Place	Huntington, New York, USA
Certificate Number	44259

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son Bruce Stanley Furman (1931 -)

Bruce Stanley Furman, Age 93

 Lives: [La Mesa, CA 91942](#); [Salt Lake City, UT 84103](#)

 Locations: [235 W 600 N Apt 330, Salt Lake City, UT 84103-1348](#);

 Relatives: [Bruce S Furman](#)

 Phone number: [\(801\) 363-0603](#);

<https://truepeoplesearch.net/people/bruce-furman>



Bruce S Furman
Furman Family Tree

Father [William Fredrick Furman](#)

Mother [Rosanna Gertrude Halligan](#)

Birth [15 Jun 1931 New York, USA](#)

Death [2007 Arizona, USA](#)

Residence [unknown Salt Lake City, Salt Lake, Utah, USA](#)

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Bruce Furman

in the U.S., Public Records Index, 1950-1993, Volume 2



Detail	Source
Name	Bruce Furman
Birth Date	15 Jun 1931
Address	1185 Clubhouse Dr Apt 2807
Residence Place	Salt Lake City, Utah, USA
Zip Code	84123-1419

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Bruce Stanley Furman
in the U.S., Index to Public Records, 1994-2019



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Detail	Source
Name	Bruce Stanley Furman
Birth Date	Jun 1931
Residence Date	2004-2012
Address	8585 La Mesa Blvd
Residence	La Mesa, California, USA
Postal Code	91942
Second Residence Date	2004-2012
Second Address	8585 La Mesa Blvd Apt 200
Second Residence	La Mesa, California, USA
Second Postal Code	91942
Third Residence Date	1990-2003
Third Address	235 W 600 N Apt 330
Third Residence	Salt Lake City, Utah, USA
Third Postal Code	84103

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Bruce Stanley Furman
in the U.S., Korean War Era Draft Cards, 1948-1959

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**SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM
REGISTRATION CARD**

Furman

1. Name
FURMAN **BRUCE** **STANLEY**
(Last) (First) (Middle)

2. Place of residence
140 CARLEY AVE, HUNT, N.Y.
(City, town, village, or county) (State)
[The place of residence given on the line above will determine Local Board jurisdiction]

3. Mailing address
140 CARLEY AVE

4. Name and address of person who will always know your address
MRS. WM. FURMAN **140 CARLEY AVE, HUNT.**
(Name) (Address)

5. Date of birth
6 **15** **31**
(Month) (Day) (Year)

6. Place of birth
HUNTINGTON, N.Y.
(City, town, village, or county) (State or country)

7. Occupation
ELEC. WIREMAN

8. Firm or individual by whom employed
REPUBLIC AVIATION CORP.

9. Nature of business, service rendered, or chief product
AIRCRAFT.

10. Place of employment or business
FARMINGDALE **SUFFOLK** **N.Y.**
(Number and street or R. F. D. number) (Town) (County) (State)

11. Local board with which registered under Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended

12. Were you ever rejected for service in the armed forces? Yes ☐ No ☒ When? _____
13. Marital status: Single ☒ Married ☐ [Living with wife ☐ Separated ☐] Father ☐ (Over)
Divorced ☐ Widower ☐

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Bruce S Furman

in the U.S., Public Records Index, 1950-1993, Volume 2



Detail Source

Name	Bruce S Furman
Birth Date	15 Jun 1931
Address	8633 LA Mesa Blvd Apt 13
Residence Place	LA Mesa, California, USA
Zip Code	91941-3943

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Huntington Girl Hurt

Rose Marie Furman, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Furman of 55 Woolsey Ave., Huntington, is suffering from lacerations and the loss of two upper front teeth.

Frank J. Flessel of Prospect St., Centerport, was backing out of his driveway, when he saw some children playing on the sidewalk. As he stopped his car, before backing out on the street, the Furman child, riding a tricycle, struck the left side of the car, according to the police.

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Daughter Rose Marie Furman Klerk (1935-2020)



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Roseanne Marie *Furman* Klerk

BIRTH 21 Nov 1928

DEATH 16 Jul 2020 (aged 91)
Suffolk County, New York, USA

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Huntington, Suffolk County, New York, USA [Add to Map](#)

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KLARK - Roseanne Marie of Centerport on July 16, 2020 at the age of 85 after a brave battle with breast cancer. Passed peacefully at home surrounded by her family. Beloved wife of Kenneth for 62 years. Lifelong resident of Huntington, graduate of St. Dominick's. Roseanne was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution Ketewamoke and a dedicated worker at North Shore Holiday House in Huntington for the last 25 years. She had a love of thrift stores and garage sales and was a treasure hunter for all of her family and friends. She was a great listener, loyal friend, and devoted mother. She leaves behind her loving family; daughters Elizabeth (Fred) Flaherty, Patricia (Joseph) Capobianco, Christine Coventry, and her 8 grand-children; Kerry Flaherty, Meagan (Flaherty) Burel, Melanie Flaherty, Kimberly Flaherty, Joseph and Matthew Capobianco, Henry and Gretchen Mack, and one great grandchild on the way. With everyone's safety in mind, the family will have a private graveside service at St. Patrick's Cemetery and plans to have a memorial at a later date.

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Rose Marie - <https://www.ancestry.com/mediaui-viewer/tree/26065443/person/332512213601/media/12f35364-6c6f-4e6d-901a-f8707c29f518>

Rosemarie Marie Klerk

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Detail	Source
Name	Rosemarie Marie Klerk [Rose Marie Klerk] [Rose-Marie Klerk] [Roseann M Klerk]
Birth Date	May 1935
Residence Date	1974-2020
Address	22 Upper Ln
Residence	Centerport, New York, USA
Postal Code	11721

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Rosemarie M Klerk

in the U.S., Public Records Index, 1950-1993, Volume 1



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Detail	Source
Name	Rosemarie M Klerk [Rosemarie Klerk]
Birth Date	22 May 1935 [22 Nov 1928]
Residence Date	1974
Address	22 Upper Ln # 22
Residence	Centerport, NY
Postal Code	11721-1125
Second Residence Date	1974
Second Address	22 Upper Ln # 22
Second Residence	Centerport, NY
Second Postal Code	11721-1125

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/1788/records/324014627>

Roseanna M Furman

in the New York State, Birth Index, 1881-1942



Detail Source

Name	Roseanna M Furman
Birth Date	22 May 1935
Birth Place	Huntington, New York, USA
Certificate Number	33929

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61667/records/4113265>

Carbone-Furman

Announcement has been made of the betrothal of Miss Rosemarie Furman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Furman of Hillside Ave., Huntington, to Joseph P. Carbone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Carbone of Syosset. The engagement was made known at a celebration held recently in the Elks Club, Huntington.

The bride-elect is an alumna of Our Lady of Mercy Academy, Syosset. Her fiancé is attending Cornell University.

The couple is planning a June wedding.

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Engagement to Joseph Carbone reported - Hempstead NY

BEG PARDÓN

The engagement of Miss Rosemarie Furman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Furman of Hillside Ave., Huntington, to Joseph P. Carbone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Carbone of Syosset, as announced in Wednesday's edition of *Newsday* was erroneously reported. The couple is neither engaged nor planning to be married as stated.

The newspaper apologizes for the erroneous report of an engagement -

Newsday (Nassau Edition)
Fri, May 22, 1953 ·Page 46

Hempstead NY

Rosean M Furman

in the New York State, Marriage Index, 1881-1967



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Detail Source

Name Rosean M Furman

Gender Female

Marriage Date 15 Sep 1957

Marriage Place Huntington, New York, USA

Spouse [Kennet Klerk](#)

Certificate Number 40235

Records Sharing Certificate Number (Name)

Rosean M Furman

[Kennet Klerk](#)

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61632/records/3339686>

ENGAGEMENTS

Schuct - Teresiak

Florence J. Teresiak, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Teresiak, Islip Terrace, to John A. Schucht, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Schucht, Huntington.

Clark - Alduino

Santa Alduino, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alduino, North Babylon, to Bernard J. Clark Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Clark, West Babylon.

Johnson - Lutters

Ruth Ann Lutters, daughter of Mrs. Ruth Lutters, Riverhead, and Fred Lutters, Savannah, Ga., to Ronald G. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis A. Johnson, Jamesport.

Klerk - Furman

Rosemarie Furman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Furman, Huntington, to Kenneth G. Klerk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Klerk, Huntington Beach.

Newsday (Suffolk Edition)

Tue, Feb 05, 1957 · Page 22

Melville NY

CLOTHES HOOK
DEAR HELOISE:
 I've found a good way to keep dry cleaning from falling off the hook in the back of my car. I took a metal shower-curtain ring, the kind that is shaped like an old-fashioned keyhole, and looped the long part over the hook. I hang the clothes from the round part of the ring. Now the clothes don't fall off and get wrinkled before I can get them home.
 Rosemarie Klerk
 Centerport, N.Y.

Staten Island Advance
 Sun, Apr 29, 1990 ·Page 217

Staten Island NY

Dear Heloise: I cut out articles from the newspaper — your column, for example. I found a school composition book is a great place to tape the articles. This way they are easy to find. By using a bright colored marker to underline a particular line, I can tell at a glance what it's about.
— Rosemarie Klerk,
Centerport, N.Y.

Democrat and Chronicle
 Sat, Dec 01, 1990 ·Page 53

Rochester NY

Centerport Fire Department Honors Ken Klerk for 70 Years of Service

📅 October 9, 2018 11:41 am | 📁 Filed under: Centerport,Events,Fire,Hamlets,Heart of the Community,News,Police/Fire/EMS |
 👤 Posted by: The Huntingtonian Staff

The Centerport Fire Department recently recognized Ex-Chief Ken Klerk for his 70 years of dedicated service as a volunteer firefighter and EMT. Klerk joined the department in 1948, advanced through the officer's ranks and served as Chief of the Department from 1968-1969. He was also a Fire Commissioner from 1970-1990, Captain of the Fire Police, Centerport Rescue Squad member for over 25 years and one of the first EMT's in Suffolk County. Klerk received awards from the Town of Huntington Fire Chiefs Council, Suffolk County Fire Chiefs Council, NYS Association of Fire Chiefs, Firemen's Association of the State of NY (FASNY), Governor Andrew Cuomo and Suffolk County Executive Steve Bellone. Klerk was also presented with an anniversary cake by the Chiefs that was shared with the membership.



Awards Photo – Presenting awards from left, are NYS Fire Chiefs Director Anthony LaFerrera, FASNY Director Gene Perry, Huntington Chiefs Council President Dan McConnell, Ken Klerk, Chief Tom Boyd, First Assistant Chief Rich Miltner and Second Assistant Chief Andrew Heglund. (Photo by Steve Silverman)



Cake Photo – Centerport Fire Chiefs with Ex-Chief Ken Klerk holding cake. From left are Second Assistant Chief Andrew Heglund, Ex-Chief Ken Klerk, Chief Tom Boyd and First Assistant Chief Rich Miltner. (Photo by Steve Silverman)

<https://thehuntingtonian.com/2018/10/09/centerport-fire-department-honors-ken-klerk-for-70-years-of-service/>

https://www.ancestry.com/search/?name=Richard+T_Furman&birth=1927-10-17_huntington-suffolk-new+york-usa_11896&father=William+Fredrick_Furman&gender=m&mother=Rosanna+Gertrude_Halligan&residence=1930_huntington-suffolk-new+york-usa_11896&residence2=1935_huntington-suffolk-new+york-usa_11896&residence3=1940-4-1_huntington-suffolk-new+york-usa_11896&searchMode=advanced&searchType=t&sibling=Elizabeth+M_Furman&sibling2=William+J_Furman&sibling3=Bruce+S_Furman&treePerson=80158645_40414880687

Father

New York, Death Index, 1880-1956



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Name **Henry F Furman**
 Death Date **23 Jul 1909**
 Death Place **Middletown, New York, USA**
 Certificate Number **32942**

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/80158645/person/40414879542/facts>

9-23-25-5000 (40-1877)

U. S. ARMY

Identical

SURNAME Furman	CHRISTIAN NAME Henry	MIDDLE NAME F.	RANK 1st Cl Pvt	COMPANY A	REGIMENT US Engrs
ENLISTED WHEN Dec 24, 1895, for 3 years	WHERE Willetts Point, NY	RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT Willetts Point, NY			
ORGANIZATIONS SERVED IN Cos A and B, US Engineers					
RANKS HELD DURING SERVICE 1st Cl Pvt					
DATE AND CAUSE OF, AND RANK HELD, AT SEPARATION FROM SERVICE Dec 23, 1898--Hon. discharged--1st Cl Pvt					
LAST SERVED IN Co A, US Engineers					
BIRTHPLACE Middletown, NY	AGE AT ENL. 41 yrs 6 mos	OCCUPATION Soldier	COLOR OF EYES Blue	HAIR Sandy	
COMPLEXION Sandy	HEIGHT 5'-9"	REMARKS Character: excellent.			

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9-23-25-5000 (40-1877)

U. S. ARMY *Identical*

SURNAME Furman	CHRISTIAN NAME Henry	MIDDLE NAME F.	RANK Sgt	COMPANY B	REGIMENT US Engrs.
ENLISTED WHEN Dec. 24, 1898, for 3 years	WHERE Willetts Point, N.Y.	RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT Willetts Point, N.Y.			
ORGANIZATIONS SERVED IN Cos. B, D, F and H, US Engineers					
RANKS HELD DURING SERVICE Sergt.					
DATE AND CAUSE OF, AND RANK HELD, AT SEPARATION FROM SERVICE Dec. 23, 1901--Hon. discharged--Sergt.					
LAST SERVED IN Co. B, US Engineers					
BIRTHPLACE Middletown, N.Y.	AGE AT ENL. 43 yrs.	OCCUPATION 7 mos. Soldier	COLOR OF EYES Blue	HAIR L. Red	
COMPLEXION Fair	HEIGHT 5'-6$\frac{1}{2}$"	REMARKS Character: excellent			

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9-23-25-5000 (40-1877)

U. S. ARMY *Identical*

SURNAME Furman	CHRISTIAN NAME Henry	MIDDLE NAME F.	RANK Sgt	COMPANY H	REGIMENT US Engrs
ENLISTED WHEN Dec 24, 1901, for 3 years	WHERE Manila, P.I.	RESIDENCE AT TIME OF ENLISTMENT Middletown, NY			
ORGANIZATIONS SERVED IN Co H, US Engineers					
RANKS HELD DURING SERVICE Sgt					
DATE AND CAUSE OF, AND RANK HELD, AT SEPARATION FROM SERVICE Dec 23, 1904--Hon. discharged--Sgt					
LAST SERVED IN Co H, US Engineers					
BIRTHPLACE Middletown, NY	AGE AT ENL. 46 yrs	OCCUPATION 5 mos Soldier	COLOR OF EYES Blue	HAIR Reddish grey	
COMPLEXION Ruddy	HEIGHT 5'-9$\frac{1}{2}$"	REMARKS Character: excellent.			

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COUNTY OF ORANGE, ss.:

Harriet A. Rogers being duly sworn, say that she is the Petitioner named in the foregoing Petition; that the matters set forth in the Petition are true of her own knowledge except as to the matters therein stated to be alleged on information and belief, and as to those matters she believes it to be true.

Sworn to before me this 5 day of August, 1909, *Harriet A. Rogers*
Miss Wiggins
 Notary Public
 Orange, N. J.

COUNTY OF ORANGE, ss.:

Harriet A. Rogers do depose and say that I am a resident of the Princetonville suit in the County of New Jersey; that I am over the age of twenty-one years, and I do solemnly swear and declare that I will well, honestly and faithfully discharge the duties of Administrator ex of the goods, chattels and credits of *Henry S. Surman*, deceased, according to law.

Sworn to before me this 3 day of August, 1909, *Harriet A. Rogers*
Miss Wiggins
 Notary Public
 Orange, N. J.

6-58
 Filed this 5 day of August, 1909

Surrogate's Court,
 Orange County.

In the Matter of the Application for Letters
 of Administration of the Goods,
 Chattels and Credits of

Henry S. Surman
 Deceased.

PETITION.

HENRY W. & RUSSELL WIGGINS.

Atty. for Petitioner.

PRINCE OF THE UNITED STATES, ORANGE, N. J.

COUNTY OF ORANGE, ss.:

I, ... do depose and say that I am a resident of the of in the County of; that I am over the age of twenty-one years, and I do solemnly swear and declare that I will well, honestly and faithfully discharge the duties of Administrator of the goods, chattels and credits of deceased, according to law.

Sworn to before me this day of }
 19..... }

..... Surrogate.

Surrogate's Court, County of Orange.

In the Matter of the Application for Letters of Administration of the
Goods, Chattels and Credits of

Henry F. Furman
Deceased.

To the Surrogate's Court of the County of Orange:

The Petition of *Harriet A. Rogers*
of the *County of Orange* in said County of Orange.

RESPECTFULLY SHOWETH:

That your Petitioner *is a sister*
of the said deceased; who died on the *29* day of *July* 19*09*.
a natural death, being at the time of his death a resident of the *City* of
Middletown in said County of Orange, without leaving any Last
Will and Testament, to the knowledge, information or belief of your Petitioner; that said deceased died
possessed of certain personal property within this State, and that as your Petitioner *is*
informed and believe, the value of the personal property of which the said deceased died possessed,
together with the probable amount to be recovered by reason of any
right of action granted to an Executor or Administrator of the said deceased by special provision of law, does
not exceed the sum of *One hundred and sixty*
dollars, and that the value of the real property, whereof the said deceased died possessed situated in the State
of New York does not exceed the sum of *no*
dollars. That said deceased has left *no* surviving his *widow (his husband)*.

next of kin, whose names and places of residence and their relationship to said intestate, as far as the same
can be ascertained upon diligent inquiry, are as follows: *his only children*

Mary F. Furman of White Stone, Long Island
New York age 19 years
Frank Furman of Huntington, Long Island
New York age 17 years
William Furman of Huntington, Long
Island New York age 16 years
Raymond Furman of White Stone
Long Island New York who was ten
years of age on March 7, 1899

That the said deceased left no widow, ~~husband~~ or next of kin surviving him *as above stated*.

That no Letters of Administration upon the estate of the said *Henry F. Furman*
deceased, have been granted out of any Court in this State, and no previous application has been made for
such Letters, to the knowledge or belief of your Petitioner. Your Petitioner therefore prays that a decree
may be granted by the Surrogate of the County of Orange awarding LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION
of the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased to *her*, pursuant to the statute in such case made
and provided.

Dated the *29* day of *August* 19*09*

Harriet A. Rogers

* When Limited Letters are desired change to "exclusive of."

MIDDLETOWN.—Henry F. Furman, who had served 33 years in the United States Army and been retired, died here yesterday as the result of a stroke of paralysis.

The Buffalo News
Fri, Jul 30, 1909 · Page 13

Buffalo NY

Mother

SERGEANT TURNER'S DISCLAIMER

Whitestone, L. I., January 25—Ex-Sergeant Joseph Turner, who refused to admit Father John F. O'Hara of St. Luke's Church to see his daughter, Mrs. Frank Furman, now says that he did so at his daughter's request. He adds: "I have no religious prejudices. My first wife was a Catholic and her children were baptized in that faith. I have never done anything to influence them in any way before or after her death. My son Frederick is a good Catholic and lives at home with me. If he found it disagreeable here he would not remain, for he is over 21 years old. If my daughter wants to see Father O'Hara I will send for him. Her peace of mind and happiness concerns her father more than any one else."

"Brooklyn Daily Eagle" 25 Jan 1901 p 7

THE PRIEST NOT WANTED.

Sergeant Turner Refused Father O'Hara Permission to Administer the Last Rites to His Daughter.

Whitestone, L. I., January 22—In his sermon last Sunday the Rev. John F. O'Hara of St. Luke's Catholic Church related to his congregation the following incident:

"At midnight one day last week I was summoned to minister to Mrs. Frank Furman, who resides with her father, ex-Sergeant Joseph Turner, U. S. A., on Nineteenth street, near Eighth avenue, Whitestone. I saw the patient; she was very ill, suffering from pulmonary troubles, and after I heard her confession I left the house, promising to call the following morning. When I went to make my morning call Sergeant Turner, the patient's father, met me at the door and said: 'I understand you were in my house last evening without any permission from me. We are not Roman Catholics and I will not permit you to enter my house.' I told him that his daughter was a member of my church and asked him if he would place himself on record as refusing to allow me to see her when she had sent for me. He did not reply, but refused to admit me. I did not want to make a scene in the house where a woman was probably dying, and I left the place after telling him that he, a soldier of the United States, was placing himself in a position antagonistic to the Constitution of his country, which grants to every citizen of the land freedom to worship as he or she sees fit."

Mrs. Furman is Sergeant Turner's daughter by his first wife, who was a Roman Catholic, and Father O'Hara points to the case as one of the baneful results of mixed marriages between Protestants and Catholics. He says he will ask authority from Bishop McDonnell to refuse to marry any member of his congregation to any one except a Catholic.

Sergeant Turner would not consent to be interviewed on the case. For over a score of years he was a member of the Battalion of Engineers, stationed at Fort Totten, Willets Point.

Brooklyn Eagle

Tue, Jan 22, 1901 Page 9

Mrs. Frank Furman.

Whitestone, L. I., January 28—Mrs. Frank Furman, a daughter of ex-Sergeant Joseph Turner, died Saturday night of pulmonary troubles. She was 28 years of age and leaves a husband and five young children. The funeral took place to-day from her father's home. The Rev. Frank W. Gray, pastor of the Epworth Methodist Church of Whitestone, conducted the services. The interment was in the Flushing Cemetery.

Brooklyn Eagle

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New York City, Deaths, 1892-1902

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Name	Cecilia Furman
Birth Date	abt 1875
Age	26
Death Date	26 Jan 1901
Death Place	New York, New York
Certificate Number	236

<https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/80158645/person/40418704844/facts>

Whitestone Veteran, 81, Had Long Military Career.

Whitestone, Feb. 23.—Sergeant Joseph Turner, 81, a Civil War veteran and Indian fighter, died at his home, 33 West Nineteenth street, of old age and a complication of diseases. He had lived in this vicinity for the last fifty-five years. Twenty-two years were spent at Willets Point, now Fort Totten, and thirty-three in Whitestone proper.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Mary Klenle, of Easton, Pa., and one son, Eugene Turner, of Arrochar, Staten Island; nine grand children, Frank Furman, Unionville, N. Y.; Eddie Turner, Brooklyn; Clara Carr, Highland Falls, N. Y.; Maud Broaderrick, Mable Dibble, Easton, Pa.; Mary Meisle, Raymond Furman, Whitestone; William Furman, Iva Smith, Cold Spring, L. I., and four great grand children.

By direction of Colonel Walk, commandant of Fort Totten, he will be given a military funeral at 2 o'clock, Sunday afternoon. A firing squad and bugler will be detailed from Fort Totten, and the Spanish-American War Veterans, W. S. Overton Camp, under command of Commander August Siegler, and Edwin M. McKee Post, American Legion, under command of Lieutenant William Carson, and Julia Dent Grant Garrison, Army and Navy Union, will attend. Sergeant Turner was an honorary member of the Spanish-American War Veterans and Julia Dent Grant Auxillary. The funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. H. S. Trueman, pastor of the Epworth Methodist Episcopal Church and burial will follow in Flushing Cemetery.

Sergeant Joseph Turner was born in Rochester, N. Y., on September 16, 1841, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Turner. The family removed to Turner's Falls, N. Y., just back of the military post at West Point and when Sergeant Turner was eighteen years old he ran away from home, just prior to the Civil War and enlisted in Company A, of the Engineer Battalion, then stationed at that post, as drummer boy, May 19, 1859. Lieutenant R. S. MacKenzie, commanding. He served throughout the Civil War and escaped unhurt. Later Company A saw service

on the frontier posts of the great northwest and though he engaged in many skirmishes with the Indians, he again managed to escape unhurt.

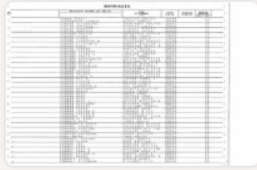
During the Civil War days and while still in his teens he was married to Miss Mary Rowen, of Cold Spring, N. Y., at Highland Falls, N. Y. From this union there was nine children, six boys and three girls. The first Mrs. Turner died some forty years ago and the sergeant was married again to Mrs. Mary Owen, a widow, of Highland Falls, August 18, 1883. There was no issue from this marriage. The second Mrs. Turner died some years ago. During his stay at Willets Point (Fort Totten) he served in all the big railroad strikes.

Sergeant Turner was made a corporal in Company A, Engineer Battalion, July 1, 1863; Sergeant in Company C, Engineers, March 1, 1866, and the first sergeant of Company C, on May 1, 1868, which he held until he was retired in 1889—twenty-one years. The records show that he did not spend one day in the guard house under restraint for his entire service of thirty years. He used to relate many amusing and exciting stories about his war experiences but the one he loved to tell most was when he saved a sick comrade's life at the risk of a court martial.

Siblings:

Sister Mary J. Furman Meisle(1890 - ?)

William H Meisle
in the New Jersey, U.S., Marriage Index, 1901-2016



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Detail	Source
Name	William H Meisle
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	1916
Marriage Place	New Jersey, USA
Spouse	Mary I Furman
Certificate Number	24063

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U.S., World War I Draft Registration Cards, 1917-1918



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Name	William Meisle
Race	White
Marital Status	Married
Birth Date	14 Jul 1886
Birth Place	New York, USA
Residence Date	1917-1918
Street Address	33 West 19th St
Residence Place	Queens, Queens, New York, USA
Draft Board	176
Physical Build	Slender
Height	Tall
Hair Color	Chestnut
Eye Color	Blue

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Meisle William 1,731,604 *White *Colored.
 (Surname) (Christian name) (Army serial number)

Residence: 33 W 19 St New York NEW YORK
 (Street and house number) (Town or city) (County) (State)

*Enlisted *R. A. *N. G. *E. R. C. *Inducted at New York NY Sept 29, 1917
 Place of birth: Whitestone NY Age or date of birth: 31 2/12 yrs

Organizations served in, with dates of assignments and transfers: Co E 302 Engrs to Feb 7/18; Co B 3 Engrs Tn Regt Camp AA Humphreys Va to desertion

Grades, with date of appointment: Corp Nov 1/17; Sgt Feb 11/18; Pvt July 29/18

Engagements:

Wounds or other injuries received in action: None.

Served overseas from 0 to 0, from 0 to 0

Deserted: Oct 31, 1918, at Camp Humphreys Va
 (Date) (Place)

Remarks:

FORM NO. 724-5, A. G. O. *Strike out words not applicable. †Dates of departure from and arrival in the U. S.
 Nov. 22, 1919. 3-7245

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Whitestone Banquets Its Conscripted Men

Whitestone, Sept. 19.—In the Columbia Club last night a banquet was tendered to the men selected to represent this community in the National Army by Whitestone Chapter, American Red Cross. Among the guests who made addresses were Col. Elmer G. Austin, of Fort Totten; Roscoe Conklyn, Assistant Attorney General; Albert Staub, Director Atlantic Division, American Red Cross; Alfred J. Kennedy, chairman of Whitestone Chapter; Henry C. Buncke, treasurer of Whitestone Chapter and clerk of the Local Exemption Board, Division No. 176, and John R. Townsend, chairman of the Local Exemption Board. The banquet was served by the Canteen Committee of Whitestone Chapter, of which Mrs. W. F. Kropp is chairman.

The men to whom the banquet is tendered and who will leave in a few days for Camp Upton, are: Mike Vlodic, Wawnenloc Korien, William L. Carson, Markor H. Anderson, Joseph Hodel, John S. Twaddell, Felix Tesco, Joseph Will, William Meisle, Michael Pokresko, William H. Stewart, Harry J. Conlan, William P. Ryan, Herman H. Habicht, Oliver W. Saxton, Frank D. Peter, John A. Sellers, Fridolin J. Blumer, Ward Van Ness Johnson, Frederick Emons, Henry Salter, William Hopp, George W. Shrader, James B. Lawlor, Henry B. Kouwenhoven, John X. O'Connor, Clarence H. Loeschman, Claude A. Scheirer, Bernard Lehmann, Herbert L. Johnson, Peter Uski and Harry Kowalabsky.

The Brooklyn Daily Times
 Wed, Sep 19, 1917 - Page 7

Brooklyn NY

WOMAN DEAD IN LONELY SPOT.

Body Must Have Laid Some Time at Street Corner in Whitestone.

The body of a woman, so badly decomposed that it was impossible last night to tell whether she had been black or white, was found last evening by William Hinkmann and William Meisle at Eleventh avenue and First street, Whitestone, Queens. The woman appeared to have been about 5 feet 4 inches in height and weighed about 150 pounds.

There was a black cheviot skirt and jacket of similar material on the body. The shoes were black Oxfords and the stockings black. A satchel was found near the body. In the absence of the Coroner its contents were not given out.

It is not known how the woman came to her death and the examination last night did not indicate it in any way. The locality is a rather lonely one.

New York Herald
Sat, Aug 13, 1904 · Page 2

**Bags Rabbit;
He's Bagged**

Although the rabbit hunting season upstate extends to Jan. 31, the season on Long Island ends Dec. 31. It cost William Meisle, 64, of 150-30 12th Ave., Whiteside, a \$10 fine in Flushing Court, Queens, to learn that. Meisle appeared on complaint of State Game Warden Edward Hauptmann, who said the defendant was carrying a bag containing one dead rabbit when arrested.

Daily News
Sun, Feb 02, 1941 · Page 96

New York NY

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				Mary	Wife	1	2	W	49	7	2	8	New York	36

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William Meisle
in the New York, New York, U.S., Death Index, 1949-1965

Detail	Source
Name	William Meisle
Age	86
Birth Date	abt 1875
Death Date	27 Jun 1961
Death Place	Queens, New York, New York, USA
Certificate Number	7614

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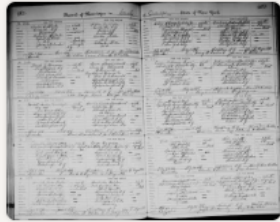
FOR THE GROOM		FOR THE BRIDE	
PROFESSION - <i>Cap...</i>			
No. <i>7257</i>			
NAME - <i>Frank J. Furman</i>	COLOR <i>white</i>	<i>Anna Mary Cromwell</i>	COLOR <i>white</i>
RESIDENCE - <i>Brooklyn N.Y.</i>	AGE <i>22</i>	<i>Town of Mamaroneck</i>	AGE <i>16</i>
OCCUPATION - <i>Workman</i>	NO. OF MARRIAGE <i>First</i>	<i>Housework</i>	NO. OF MARRIAGE <i>First</i>
BIRTHPLACE - <i>White Stone L.I.</i>	WIDOWER	<i>Big Island Orange Co.</i>	WIDOWED
FATHER - <i>Frank H. Furman</i>	DIVORCED <i>no</i>	<i>Ham. E. Cromwell</i>	DIVORCED <i>no</i>
BIRTHPLACE - <i>unknown</i>	"	<i>Chester Orange Co. N.Y.</i>	"
MOTHER - <i>Beccelia Turner</i>	"	<i>Phile. E. Littlebaker</i>	"
BIRTHPLACE - <i>White Stone L.I.</i>	RELATION	<i>Cydenburg N.Y.</i>	RELATION
CONSENT BY - <i>Jan 26 1916</i>	DATE OF MARRIAGE <i>Feb 26 1916</i>	PLACE OF MARRIAGE <i>Unionville N.Y.</i>	OFFICIAL <i>Rev. J. MacAnnes</i>
DATE OF LICENSE <i>Jan 26 1916</i>	PROFESSION <i>L. G. Gorman</i>	WITNESS <i>Mrs. George Bros.</i>	<i>George Bros.</i>

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Brother Frank Joseph Furman (1891-1968)

Frank J. Furman

in the New York, U.S., County Marriage Records, 1847-1849, 1907-1936



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Detail Source

Name	Frank J. Furman
Gender	Male
Age	22
Birth Date	abt 1894
Marriage Date	26 Feb 1916
Marriage Place	Orange, New York, USA
Father	Frank H. Furman
Mother	Cecelia Turner
Spouse	Anna Mary Cromwell
Film Number	000829655

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61377/records/30242?tid=&pid=&queryId=dd002d71-d302-4769-8504-f6c569c8dd8a&_phsrc=iKj3176&_phstart=successSource

Furman

in the New York, New York, U.S., Vital Records, Births 1847-1897, Marriages 1847-1903, Deaths 1798-1900



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Detail Source

Name	Furman
Gender	Male
Record Type	Birth
Birth Date	4 Dec 1891
Birth Place	Whitestone, Queens, New York
Father	Frank Furman
Mother	Cecelia Furman

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/62518/records/1029411>

Form 1 2205 REGISTRATION CARD No. **73**

1 Name in full **Frank J. Furman** Age in yrs. **24**

2 Home address **Unionville N.Y.**

3 Date of birth **Dec 4 1893**

4 Are you (1) a naturalized citizen, (2) a naturalized citizen, (3) an alien, (4) or have you declared your intention (specify which)? **Yes**

5 Where were you born? **White Stone, Long Island, American**

6 If not a citizen, of what country are you a citizen or subject?

7 What is your present trade, occupation, etc., or office? **Lathe Worker**

8 By whom employed? **Ames Condensed Milk Co.**

9 Have you a father, mother, wife, child under 12, or a sister or brother under 12, wholly dependent on you for support (specify which)? **wife & child**

10 Married or single (which)? **married** Race (specify which)? **Caucasian**

11 What military service have you had? Rank _____ years _____ Nation or State _____

12 Do you claim exemption from draft (specify grounds)? **No**

I affirm that I have verified above answers and that they are true.

30 Frank J. Furman (Signature of registrant)

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1 Tall, medium, or short (specify which)? **Tall** Slender, medium, or stout (which)? **Slender**

2 Color of eyes? **Blue** Color of hair? **Dark** Build? **Medium**

3 Has person lost arm, leg, hand, foot, or both eyes, or is he otherwise disabled (specify)? **No**

I certify that my answers are true, that the person registered has read his own answers, that I have witnessed his signature, and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:

R.E. Sayer (Signature of registrar)

Precinct **Oriskany**

City or County **Oriskany**

State **N.Y.** Date of registration **June 5, 1917**

WWI draft registration - Reports a birthdate of 4 Dec 1893 instead of actual 4 Dec 1891 -

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/6482/records/1725279>

Frank J Furman

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



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Detail Source

Name	Frank J Furman
Gender	Male
Birth Date	4 Dec 1891
Claim Date	25 Jan 1968
SSN	072059094
Notes	24 Jan 1968: Name Listed As Frank J Furman

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/60901/records/993882>

Edith Furman

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



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Detail Source

Name	Edith Furman
Age	4
Birth Year	abt 1897
Death Date	5 Jun 1901
Death Place	Kings, New York, USA
Certificate Number	10052

Sister Edith Furman (1896-1901) –

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/9131/records/1088778?tid=&pid=&queryId=f1141c4c-daf1-4337-99b4-bdc6b307f8cb&phsrc=iKj3185&phstart=successSource>

Edith Furman

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



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Detail	Source
Name	Edith Furman
Gender	Female
Race	White
Marital Status	Single
Age	4
Birth Date	abt 1897
Birth Place	USA
Residence Street Address	61 Poplar Street
Death Date	5 Jun 1901
Hospital	Kingston etre Hospital
Death Place	New York City, Brooklyn, New York, USA
Cause of Death	Exhaustion, Diphtheria, Measles & Scarletina
Burial Date	6 Jun
Burial Place	Flushing LJ
Father	John Furman
Certificate Number	10052

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61778/records/1333820>

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BIRTH.**

NAME OF FATHER:
Furman, Henry J.

Rank or Occupation: } *Ret. Lt. Eng.*
Am. - 42 years

MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER:
Cecilia James
Am. - 24 years

NAME OF CHILD:
Edith Cecilia

Sex of Child: } *♀* Number of, by this marriage: } *4th*

Date of birth: *Dec. 11 1896*

Place of birth: *Hillside Point N.Y.*

Report signed by
H. J. Lippel
Major & Surgeon.

U.S., Carded Birth Records in Military Hospitals, 1884-1916 for Edith Ceilia

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/62370/records/3646?tid=&pid=&queryId=0c667c37-988b-4dd9-bd38-e663a54aaeb4&_phsrc=iKj3189&_phstart=successSource

QUEENS MARRIAGE LICENSES.
ducti st., Long Island City.
Raymond Furman, 25. 33 W. 19th st.,
Whitestone; Amelia Webler, 25. 145 N.
8th ave., Whitestone.

Brooklyn Eagle
Thu, Feb 26, 1925 · Page 20

Brother Raymond Roger Furman (1899-

Raymond Furman

in the New York, New York, U.S., Marriage License Indexes, 1907-2018



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Detail	Source
Name	Raymond Furman
Gender	Male
Marriage License Date	21 Feb 1925
Marriage License Place	Queens, New York City, New York, USA
Spouse	Amelia Webber
License Number	534

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61406/records/8427294>

REGISTRATION CARD—(Men born on or after February 17, 1897 and on or before December 31, 1921)

SERIAL NUMBER T 995	1. NAME (Print) Raymond Roger Furman		ORDER NUMBER T 11,375
2. PLACE OF RESIDENCE (Print) Chester, N.Y.			
(THE PLACE OF RESIDENCE GIVEN ON THE LINE ABOVE WILL DETERMINE LOCAL BOARD JURISDICTION; LINE 2 OF REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE WILL BE IDENTICAL)			
3. MAILING ADDRESS Chester, N.Y. Box 331			
4. TELEPHONE na	5. AGE IN YEARS 42	6. PLACE OF BIRTH Whitestone, New York	
DATE OF BIRTH March 7, 1899			
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF PERSON WHO WILL ALWAYS KNOW YOUR ADDRESS Mrs. R. R. Furman, Chester, N.Y. Box 331			
8. EMPLOYER'S NAME AND ADDRESS Lehigh Hudson R.R. Warwick, N.Y.			
9. PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT OR BUSINESS Same			
I AFFIRM THAT I HAVE VERIFIED ABOVE ANSWERS AND THAT THEY ARE TRUE.			
D. S. S. Form 1 (Revised 1-1-42)		GPO 16-21630-1 Raymond R. Furman (Registrant's signature)	

REGISTRAR'S REPORT

DESCRIPTION OF REGISTRANT					
RACE	HEIGHT (Approx.)	WEIGHT (Approx.)	COMPLEXION		
White	5ft. 11	175 lbs.	Sallow		
	EYES	HAIR	Light		
Negro	Brown	Blonde	Ruddy		
	Gray	Red	Dark		
Oriental	Hazel	Brown	Freckled		
	Brown	Black	Light brown		
Indian	Black	Gray	Dark brown		
		Bald	Black		
Filipino					

Other obvious physical characteristics that will aid in identification
none

I certify that my answers are true; that the person registered has read or has had read to him his own answers; that I have witnessed his signature or mark and that all of his answers of which I have knowledge are true, except as follows:

Registrar for Local Board
Mabel L. Fraser
(Signature of registrar)
305
(Number) (City or country) (State)
Date of registration
Oct. 14, 1942

Local Board No. 305
Orange County
Town Hall, P.O. Box 550
Goshen, (STAMP OF LOCAL BOARD) 305

(The stamp of the Local Board having jurisdiction of the registrant shall be placed in the above space)

16-21630-1

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/2238/records/303065652?tid=&pid=&queryId=57fa56f4-d5b7-4fb8-83e4-b5651e3c65d5&phsrc=iKj3193&phstart=successSource>

Two Years Today



This little young lady is celebrating her second birthday today. She is Marjory Amalia Furman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Furman of Chester.

Middletown Times Herald
Mon, Nov 15, 1937 · Page 7

Middletown NY

Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

Name: William Fredrick Furman

Name variations: also middle name spelled Frederick / Friedrich and surname spelled Fuhrman. In the "American Jewish Chronicle" his name is used as Fuhrman - but William appears to be Catholic.

Military:

On Tuscania: 213th Aero Squadron - private

Serial number: 250,167

Entered service from: Whitestone, Queens NY

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: William F. Furman

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": sister Mrs. William Misal, 33 W. 19th St., Whitestone, Long Island NY

Returned from war on: "Louisville" May 1919

Sailed on return ship as: William F. Furman

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: mother Mrs. Mary Misal, 33 W. 19th St., Whitestone NY (PFC, 213th Aero Sq) [sister, not mother]

World War I draft registration (1917): as William Fredrick Furman - b. 4 Jun 1893 Fort Totten NY; res: Highland Ave., Huntington, Suffolk NY. Single. Chauffeur for Dr. Donahue, Huntington NY. Medium height & build.

World War II draft registration (1942): as William Frederick Furman - b. 4 Jun 1896 Whitestone NY; res: 43 Prospect St., Huntington, Suffolk NY. NOK Mrs. Rose Furman, same address. Employed by F.M. Concannon, Huntington, Suffolk NY. Height: 5'5 ½" – weight 135 lbs. Registered 26 Apr 1942.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted 12 Dec 1918

Discharged 10 Jun 1919

Address: Huntington NY

Rank/unit: private 1st class, 213th Aero Squadron

NY, Abstracts of WWI Military Service:

William F. Furman, serial 250167, resident of Highland Ave., Huntington, Long Island NY. Enlisted in Army at Mineola, Long Island NY on 12 Dec 1917 at age 24 years 6 months. Born Whitestone, Long Island NY. In 213th Aero Squadron to discharge. Promoted to private 1st class 1 Apr 1919. Overseas 24 Jan 1918 to 1 May 1919. Discharged 10 Jun 1919. 0% disabled.

Birth & death:

Born: 4 Jun 1893 Whitestone, Queens NY (at Fort Totten, where father Frank H. [also listed as William] was stationed in the U.S. Army) [birth year of 1896 on WWII draft card]

Died: 27 Nov 1971 Huntington, Suffolk NY

Find A Grave record: 173795720 – photo – presence on Tuscania noted in text

Burial location: Huntington, Suffolk NY

Cemetery: St. Patrick's

Tombstone:

Father: Henry Franklin (Frank H.) Furman, 11 Jul 1855 Middletown, Orange NY (tombstone inscribed 1853) – 23 Jul 1909 Middletown, Orange NY.

Son of David C. Furman & Sarah Ann Owens.

Enlisted in the US Marine Corps 29 Nov 1880 in Boston MA.

In Apr 1885 serving in Panama, coming from the Marine Barracks at Brooklyn NY, in Co. B, 2nd Battery.

In the 1892 NY state census living in Flushing, Queens NY, occupation soldier. His wife Cecilia & 3 of their children living separately in Flushing NY.

Re-enlisted in Army on 24 Dec 1898 in Willets Point NY.

Listed with his family in the 1900 census as being at Fort Totten NY; he was actually stationed in the Philippines.

On 24 Dec 1901 re-enlisted as a sergeant in the Army at Camp Dewey, Manila, Philippines.

Re-enlisted 24 Dec 1901 at the Manila Arsenal for 3 years. Stated his birthplace was Middletown NY & his age 46. Co. H. Engineers.

On 24 Dec 1907 re-enlisted as a sergeant in Co. H, 2nd US Engineers Battalion in Washington DC.

Died at Thrall Hospital in Middletown, Orange NY five days after collapsing & becoming unconscious, with no movement of right arm or right leg. Cause of death: cerebral hemorrhage.

His sister Harriet A. Rogers of Quarryville, Sussex NJ asks on 3 Aug 1909 to be appointed administratrix of his estate, which consists of \$160 & no real property. Henry F. Furman d. 29 Jul 1909 in Middletown, Orange NY. He left no widow. There were only four children: Mary J. Furman of White Stone, Long Island NY, age 19 – Frank Furman of Huntington, Long Island NY, age 17 – William Furman of Huntington, Long Island NY, age 16 – Raymond Furman of White Stone, Long Island NY, 10 years on 7 Mar 1899. See for more details: <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/80158645/person/40414879542/facts>

Buried in Slate Hill Cemetery, Goshen, Orange NY, where his grandson, Herbert Victor Furman [son of his son Frank], killed in action in 1945 in Germany in WWII, is also buried. Tombstone inscribed: Co. H. Btn USE [US Engineers]

Find A Grave: 9289538

Mother: Cecilia A. Turner Furman, Feb 1872 Willets Point, Queens NY – 26 Jan 1901 Whitestone, Queens NY.

Daughter of Joseph Turner (1841-1922, F: 94875410) & Mary K. --- (d. 1914, F: 94895500).

Her death made some newspaper headlines.

After a Catholic priest had been admitted to her father Sergeant Joseph Turner's house as Cecilia was ill (dying), her father ordered him out on his 2nd visit.

The story appears in the "Brooklyn Times Union" 22 Jan 1901 p 9 in which Rev. John F. O'Hara of St. Luke's Church in Whitestone said he had been called to Cecilia's bedside at 1 a.m. at her father's house on 19th St. in Whitestone NY, stayed some time & heard her confession, promising to return to give her the last rites of the Catholic Church.

When he came back the next day, the priest was told by her father Sgt. Turner that Fr. O'Hara had seen his daughter without his permission & she did not wish to see him & barred his access to her room.

In the "Brooklyn Daily Eagle" 25 Jan 1901 p 7 (copied above), Sgt. Turner said this was done at his daughter's wishes.

Obituary: "Brooklyn Daily Eagle" Monday, 28 Jan 1901 p 7 – In Whitestone, Long Island NY 28 Jan – Mrs. Frank Furman, daughter of ex-Sgt. Joseph Turner, died Saturday night [26 Jan 1901] of pulmonary troubles. Age 28, survived by husband & 5 young children. The funeral is today [28 Jan

1901] from her father's home, with Methodist Church services & interment in Flushing Cemetery, Queens NY. There is no grave marker.

Find A Grave:

Parents' marriage: 12 Jun 1889 Flushing, Queens NY; married by the Rev. J. Carpenter Smith

Spouse: Roseanna Gertrude Halligan Furman, 15 Jul 1895 Lloyd Harbor, Suffolk NY – 30 Aug 1961 Huntington, Suffolk NY.

Daughter of William Halligan & Mary Ann Doyle.

Buried in St. Patrick's Cemetery, Huntington, Suffolk NY.

Her obituary lists her children as: William Jr. (Kings Park NY), Mrs. Kenneth [Rosemarie] Klerk (Centerport NY) and Richard, Bruce & Peter of Huntington NY.

Spouse Find A Grave: 173795718

Marriage: 16 May 1920 Huntington, Suffolk NY in St. Patrick's Catholic Church, having obtained a marriage license on 13 May 1920. Officiant: Rev. John J.F. Robinson.

Children:

- **William Joseph Furman**, 21 Feb 1921 Huntington, Suffolk NY – 6 Dec 1984 Kings Park, Suffolk NY. - A corporal in WWII. – Family Trees claim he was husband of Chris/Chryst White/Whyte; there are several other marriage records for men named William J. Furman. The marriage with "Christ M. White" occurred on 2 Aug 1958 in Oyster Bay NY. - Buried in Calverton National Cemetery, Calverton, Suffolk NY. F: 196771023
- **Elizabeth M. Furman**, 12 May 1923 Huntington, Suffolk NY – 20 Jul 1932 Manhattan, NY County NY (date on NY death record; Find A Grave notes date of 17 Jul 1932 & says it may be interment date, which would be impossible). - Buried in St. Patrick's Cemetery, Huntington, Suffolk NY. F: 173795717
- **Richard Thomas Fredrick ("Dick") Furman**, 17 Oct 1927 Huntington, Suffolk NY - 2 Aug 2023 NY. – WWII veteran; corporal in the US Marine Corps. - Married Virginia Pauline (Ginnie) Galow (1927-2024, F: 271615098) on 19 Nov 1950 in Huntington, Suffolk NY. – Buried in Calverton National Cemetery, Calverton, Suffolk NY. F: 257333222
- **Bruce Stanley Furman**, 15 Jun 1931 NY (age 9 in 1940 census) – online genealogies claim died either in or around 2007 in AZ but no documentation has been located. Had lived in Salt Lake City UT & La Mesa CA. Listed in the Aug 2023 obituary of his brother Thomas as deceased. But his name, phone & addresses appear online as of Nov 2025 in "find a person" records.
- **Roseanne Marie Furman Klerk**, 15 Jun 1935 Huntington, Suffolk NY (her Find A Grave record & Social Security claim date of 21 Nov 1928 but she was age 5 in 1940 census) – 15 Jul 2020 Suffolk Co. NY. – A newspaper report indicated she was engaged to marry Joseph P. Carbone, son of Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Carbone of Syosset NY, with plans to marry in Jun 1953. Two days later, the newspaper retracted this story as erroneous. – Married Kenneth G. Klerk on 15 Sep 1957 in Huntington, Suffolk NY; he survived her. – Buried in Saint Patrick's Cemetery, Huntington, Suffolk NY. F: 213182280
- **Peter Furman**, ca. 1938 NY (age 2 in 1940 census). Is he the Peter J. Furman b. 9 Mar 1938, who married Theresa M., a resident of Worcester MA in 1993. The only surviving sibling noted in his brother Richard's Aug 2023 obituary.

Siblings: When their mother Cecilia died in Jan 1901, there were five surviving children. Edith died in Jun 1901. Helpful resource: <https://www.ancestry.com/family-tree/person/tree/80158645/person/40414879462/facts>

- Mary J. Furman Meisle**, May 1890 Whitestone, Long Island NY – unknown. - NY birth record: female child, was christened in Flushing, Queens NY 8 May 1890 Whitestone, Long Island NY. Born to Frank H. Furman (34) & Cecilia Turner (19). William’s wartime next-of-kin. - Wife of William H. Misel (b. 1886) whose surname is also found spelled Misal, Meisle & other variations. The Meisle spelling appears to be the most accurate; he was also born in Whitestone, Long Island NY. It is used on his NY WWI Army card, which notes he deserted on 31 Oct 1918 from Camp Humphreys VA. William & Mary married in NJ in 1916. - In the 1920 census, William Meisle (34 NY, city fireman, listed as “grandson”) & his wife, Mary I. Meisle (29 NY, parents b. NY, housekeeper [listed as “granddaughter”]) live with her grandfather, Joseph Turner, 77 NY, widowed, retired, father b. England, mother b. Ireland & Mary’s brother Raymond Furman (20 NY, single, cutter off, ribbon mill) at 33 W. 19th St. in Whitestone, Queens NY. – In the 1925 NY state census for Queens NY, William H. MISLE(42 US, mason) resides with wife Mary J. (38 US, housework). – In 1940 William H. MEISLE, but misread/misindexed as MEISTE (63 NY) resides with wife Mary (49 NY) in Queens NY at 148-22 – 12th Ave. This census was conducted 16 Apr 1940. They had lived at the same place in 1935. William was a construction carpenter & Mary was a housewife at home.
- Frank Joseph Furman**, 4 Dec 1891 Whitestone, Long Island NY (Dec 1891 in 1900 census; as male child b. 4 Dec 1891) Whitestone, Long Island NY – 25 Jan 1968. - On his marriage license (26 Jan 1916): Frank J. Furman, age 22, 1st marriage, resident of Poughkeepsie NY. Born White Stone, Long Island NY. Father: Frank H. Furman, unknown birthplace. Mother: Cecilia Turner, White Stone, Long Island NY. - Married Anna Mary Cromwell, age 16, resident of Minisink NY. Resident Big Island, Orange Co. NY. Daughter of William E. Cromwell (b. Chester, Orange NY) & Phee E. Tillebank/Tedebank/Tillbank (b. Ogdensburg NY). Married 26 Feb 1916 Unionville, Orange NY. Living in Unionville NY when his grandfather Sgt. Joseph Turner died 23 Feb 1922. Frank lists a birth date of 4 Dec 1892 Whitestone NY on his WWII (1942) draft card, with his NOK Mrs. Ann Furman. SSN 072-05-9094. In 1940 census for Newburgh, Orange NY, Frank (50 NY, laborer) living with wife Ann (40 NY) & son Herbert Furman (23 NY, quiller, carpet mill). - His son Herbert Victor Furman was b. 27 Dec 1916 in Unionville NY; was married on his 1942 WWII draft card to Helen Elizabeth Furman, worked for Middletown & Union Railroad. PFC Herbert V. Furman was killed in action in WWII in Germany on 3 Mar 1945. “Middletown (NY) Times-Herald” 19 Mar 1945 p 1 – Herbert’s photo, noted as son of Mr. & Mrs. Frank Furman, 42 Sprague Ave. - Herbert is buried in Henri-Chapelle American Cemetery in Belgium, F: 56281314 for Herbert.
- Edith Cecilia Furman**, 17 Dec 1896 Willets Point, Queens NY (in a military hospital) – 5 Jun 1901 Kingston Hospital, Brooklyn, Kings NY (age 4). – Birth in Dec 1896 reported in 1900 census. - Her father listed as John Furman on her NY death certificate. Cause of death: exhaustion, diphtheria, measles & scarlatina. - Buried in Flushing Cemetery on 6 Jun 1901.
- Raymond Roger Furman**, 7 Mar 1899 Whitestone, Long Island NY (Mar 1899 in 1900 census) - ?. - Living in Whitestone NY when his grandfather Sgt. Joseph Turner died 23 Feb 1922. - Married Amelia Webber (Weber/Webler) on 21 Feb 1925 in NY. – In the 1930 census for Chester, Orange NY, conducted 3 Apr 1930, Raymond Furman (31 NY, age 26 at his 1st marriage, section hand, steam railroad, age 26 at his 1st marriage) lived on Rail Road Ave. with wife Amelia V. (31 NY, parents b. Switzerland) & their 3 children, plus his brother-in-law John Weber, 25 NY, single, parents b. Switzerland, also a steam railroad section hand.) - In

the 1940 census, Raymond (44) & Amelia (40) are living in Chester, Orange NY with their 5 children. - "Middletown (NY) Times Herald" 15 Nov 1937 p 7 – photo of Marjory Amalia Furman, who was celebrating her 2nd birthday that day, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Ray Furman of Chester NY. – The family also lived in Chester, Orange NY in the 1950 census.

Notes:

Orphaned at age 13 according to news story but was apparently age 16 [William was born 1893; father died 1909]. Moved to Huntington NY where he resided the rest of his life.

His daughter Roseanne Marie Furman Klerk's obituary claims she was a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, so either her father William or mother Roseanna apparently had a soldier in the Revolutionary War. This could be the Ezekiel Furman, who was scheduled to be executed in the Revolution, about whom William's son Bruce Stanley Furman made online inquiries. See copies above.

Wartime:

1918 address of sister Mrs. William Misal: 33 or 35 W. 19th St., Whitestone, Long Island NY [F record - Mrs. Misel)

"Brooklyn Times Union" 8 Feb 1918 p 13 - former chauffeur, in the 213th some months

"NY Herald" 9 Feb 1918: son of the late Francis Furman (for many years a member of Coast Artillery at Fort Totten). William's grandfather Joseph Turner, Civil War vet, supposedly the oldest man drawing a pension from the government

"Brooklyn Daily Eagle" 10 Feb 1918 p 5 - photo

Post-war:

Living in Whitestone, Long Island NY when his grandfather Sgt. Joseph Turner died 23 Feb 1922.

Obituary:

Social Security Number: 094-10-2503

Censuses:

1892 NY state census – Flushing, Queens NY – his father living separately as soldier
Frank Furman, 41 US, soldier

1892 NY state census – Flushing, Queens NY – William's mother & older siblings (William not yet born)
Cecilia Furman, 20 US
May, 2 US
Frank, 1 US
David, 63 US, laborer

1900 Fort Totten, Flushing, Queens NY – conducted 1 & 2 Jun 1900
Frank H. Furman, no age reported – his birth place, birth information for his parents & occupation not listed, married 11 years [this was his home address but he was stationed in the Philippines at the time]
Cecilia A., 28 NY, Feb 1872, parents b. NY, gave birth to 5 children, 5 are living
Frank, 8 NY, Dec 1881 [sic/should read 1891], at school
William H., 6 NY, Jun 1893, at school
Edith, 3 NY, Dec 1896
Raymond, 1 NY, Mar 1899
Parents of children are both listed as born NY.

1910 cannot locate

1920 cannot locate

1925 NY state census – Huntington, Suffolk NY – Anderson St. – as of 1 Jun 1925
William F. Furman, 30 US, sexton
Rosanna G., 30 US, housework
William J., 4 US
Elizabeth M., 2 US

1930 Huntington, Suffolk NY – Turn St. – conducted 7 Apr 1930
William Furman, 38 NY, parents b. NY, age 28 at 1st marriage, driver, store, WWI veteran
Rose, 36 NY, parents b. NY, age 28 at 1st marriage
William, 9 NY
Elizabeth, 6 NY
Richard, 2 NY
& lodger John E. Bloxema, 71 CT, parents b. CT, widowed

1940 Huntington, Suffolk NY – Woolsey Ave. – same house in 1935 – conducted 12 Apr 1940

William Furman, 42 NY, truck driver, feed grain

Rose, 42 NY, housewife, at home

William, J., 19 NY, new worker

Richard, 12 NY

Bruce, 9 NY

Rose Marie, 5 NY

Peter, 2 NY

& lodger Lulie Jenkinson, 68 NY, widow

1950 Huntington, Suffolk NY – conducted 24 Apr 1950 – William, wife, some of his children

Frank Halligan, 46 NY, never married, clam digger, clam industry [head of household]

William S. Furman, 52 NY, warehouse, aircraft [brother-in-law]

Roseanne Furman, 52 NY [sister]

Bruce Furman, 18 NY, assembly, aircraft [nephew]

Rosemarie Furman, 14 NY [niece]

Peter Furman, 12 NY [nephew]

1950 Huntington, Suffolk NY – conducted 21 Apr 1950 – two of William's sons

George J. Carey, 27 NY, expeditor for lighting company, public utility [head of household]

Alice, 25 NY [wife]

Their son & daughter plus two "cousin-in-law" residents:

William Furman, 29 NY, never married, shooter, airplane industry, aircraft

Richard Furman, 22 NY, never married, dredging