

TUSCANIA

Gunther, Christian Jacob

1894 NY – 1951 NY

GUNTHER—CHRISTIAN J., on March 2, 1951, beloved husband of Louise; dear father of Patricia A., John A. and Christian R.; brother of Mary Hoeffner, Magdalen Wright, Sophie Herchenroder, Cella Klag, Anna Aneser, Lulu Herchenroder, Carrie McBride and Elizabeth Dess. Reposing at the Stutzmann Funeral Home, 224-39 Jamaica Avenue, Queens Village, Long Island. Solemn Requiem Mass at SS. Joachim and Anne Church, Monday, 10 a.m. Interment National Cemetery, Pinelawn.

"Brooklyn (NY) Daily Eagle" Saturday 3 Mar 1951

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Gunther Christian		250,171	536	1 1/2
(Surname)	(Christian name)	(Army serial number)	(Race: White or colored)	
Residence: Elmont		NEW YORK		
(Street and house number)		(Town or city)	(County)	(State)
* Enlisted in	RA Mineola LI NY	Dec 11/17		
† Born in	Brooklyn NY	22 3/12 yrs		
Organizations:	213 Aer Sq to disch			
Grades:	Corp Oct 1/18			
Engagements:				
Wounds or other injuries received in action: None.				
‡ Served overseas:	Jan 24/18 to May 31/19			
§ Hon. disch.	July 8/19 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, WWI Military Record -

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GUNTHER, J. CHRISTIAN		cXC16540930	
GUNTHER CHRISTIAN JOSEPH			
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JOSEPH Veterans Administration Master Index -

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REPORT OF INTERMENT										NAME OF CEMETERY			
TO: THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL, WASHINGTON 25, D. C.										LONG ISLAND OYA-16			
NAME (Last, First, Middle Initial) GUNTHER, Christian J.										EMBLEM (Check one) ☒ CHRISTIAN ☐ HEBREW ☐ OTHER (Specify)			
RANK Cpl.										SERIAL NUMBER 250171			
STATE New York										SERVICE DATA (Company, Regiment, Division, or other organization, and basic arm of service) 213 Aero Sqdn Air Svc.			
DATE OF BIRTH										DATE OF DEATH			
MONTH	DAY	YEAR	MONTH	DAY	YEAR	MONTH	DAY	YEAR	MONTH	DAY	YEAR	SEC. OR GRAVE PLOT	OR LOT NO.
Aug.	31	1894	Mar.	2	1951	Mar.	5	1951	N 28	542		12-11-17	7-8-19
REMARKS (Authority for interment, pension, or claim number, disinterment, etc.) Auth. Tel. CQM File C.J. Gunther QMC 389 3-5-51 (RE) (SR) (DB) was verified by next of kin - 3-5-51 Widow Louise to be interred in same grave										HEADSTONE OR MARKER ORDERED Procter, Vt. 4 - APR 1951 7464928			
NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN OR OTHER RESPONSIBLE PERSON Louise Gunther 105-11 223rd St. Queens Village, N.Y.										SHIPPING POINT FOR HEADSTONE NEAREST FREIGHT STATION FARMINGDALE, NEW YORK			
SIGNATURE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF NATIONAL CEMETERY, OR TRANSPORTATION OFFICER, OR QM OF POST CEMETERY <i>J. Metzger</i>										POST OFFICE ADDRESS FARMINGDALE, NEW YORK			
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Christian Gunther

Vital • New York, Births and Christenings, 1640-1962

Name Christian Gunther
Sex Male
Father's Name [John Gunther](#)
Father's Sex Male
Mother's Name [Elizabeth Gerlach Gunther](#)
Mother's Sex Female
Event Type Birth
Event Date 31 Aug 1894
Event Place Brooklyn, Kings, New York, United States
Event Place (Original) Brooklyn, Kings Co, Ny

Christian Gunther's Parents and Siblings

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John Gunther	Father	M	✓
Elizabeth Gerlach Gunther	Mother	F	✓

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Christian Gunther

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



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Detail Source

Name	Christian Gunther
Gender	Male
Race	White
Birth Date	31 Aug 1895
Birth Place	Bklyn Kings, New York
Father	John Gunther
Mother	Elizabeth Gerlack
SSN	113188360
Notes	Nov 1942: Name Listed As Christian Gunther

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Christia Gunther

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

Detail Source

Name	Christia Gunther
Age	56
Birth Date	abt 1895 [abt 1895]
Death Date	8 Mar 1951
Death Place	Queens, New York, New York, USA
Certificate Number	2054

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Life

New York Men Aboard Tuscania

Richmond Hill, L. I.

Christian J. Gunther, private, Mrs. Elizabeth Gunther, Belmont, N. Y.

George J. Hannon, private, Mrs. George J. Hannon, Belmont, N. Y.

New-York Tribune
Fri, Feb 08, 1918 · Page 2

NY, NY

(By Special Wire to The Courier.)
 Washington, Feb. 9.—The name of John E. Helsell of Niagara Falls, who was included among those aboard the Tuscania, has not been received here, but it will probably take all night to get the complete list of survivors, and the fact that it has not been received does not indicate he is not among the survivors.
 Hawthorne W. Lathrop of No. 7 Rowley street, Rochester, is included in the list of survivors.
 Christian J. Gunther, whose address was cabled as Elmont, N. Y., is also among the survivors. There is no Elmont in the postal guide, and it is probable Gunther is from Belmont, Allegany county.

Buffalo Courier
 Sun, Feb 10, 1918 ·Page 37

Buffalo NY – it was Elmont in Queens NY

Additional Survivors.

BROOKLYN.
 Additions to the list of survivors made public by the War Department follow:
WILLIAM B. BLACKMAN, 519
 Clinton avenue.
CHARLES H. CRAFTS, 307 Carl-
 ton avenue.
JOSEPH L. LEEM, 600 Bedford
 avenue.
WALTER J. MARTEN, 550 Ham-
 burg avenue.
THOMAS C. PERROTT, 345 Pa-
 cific street.

QUEENS.
CHARLES A. FIRTH, 238 Abing-
 don road, Kew Gardens.
CHRISTIAN J. GUNTHER, El-
 mont.
CHARLES PAUSEWANO, 4100
 Fulton street, Woodhaven.

LONG ISLAND.
RICHARD F. DREYER, Sea Cliff.

Times Union
 Mon, Feb 11, 1918 ·Page 1

Brooklyn NY

SERGEANT SAVES GUNTHER.

**Gave Tuscania Soldier Who Could
Not Swim His Life Belt.**

Elmont, March 21.—Chris Gunther, of this place, sends first news of his mar-
row escape from the Tuscania to his
folks. He was shaving, two decks be-
low, when the torpedo hit and was
obliged to grope his way up to the top
deck as all the lights went out.

The deck was crowded with men, the
majority of which could not swim. The
lifeboats were lowered and the one he
went into collided with another and cap-
sized. Gunther could not swim and was
about to give up hope when his friend,
Sergeant Stucky, called to him to hold
on to the boat, which he did. The ser-
geant handed him his own life belt, or,
he says, he would not have been able
to write his letter home.

He lost everything he possessed
which included tobacco, razor and all
toilet articles given to him by his family
the day he left.

The Brooklyn Daily Times
Thu, Mar 21, 1918 Page 3

Brooklyn NY

RIFLED MAN'S POCKETS, GOES TO PENITENTIARY

County Judge Burt J. Humphrey, in the Queens County Court, yesterday, sentenced Nicholas Fitzgibbons, 33 years old, of Fulton street, Hollis, to a term in the New York Penitentiary after he had been found guilty by a jury of grand larceny, second degree, on Oct. 25. The jury recommended mercy.

Fitzgibbons, a gardener at the Hollis Hotel, stole \$10 from the trousers pockets of Chris Gunther, a hotelman, living at New York and Locust avenues, Jamaica, on the night of Aug. 3. He took the screen out of the bedroom window and helped himself.

Times Union
Thu, Nov 03, 1921 -Page 12

is this him? His family involved in the hotel business

SENTENCED FOR LARCENY.

Judge Burt J. Humphrey in the Queens County Court yesterday, sentenced Nicholas Fitzgibbons, 33, of Fulton st., Hollis, to a term in the New York penitentiary after he had been found guilty by a jury of grand larceny. The jury recommended mercy. Fitzgibbons was alleged to have visited Chris Gunther's Hotel, Jamaica, on the night of Aug. 3, and stolen \$108 from a waiter, James Francino.

Brooklyn Eagle
Thu, Nov 03, 1921 -Page 19

MALVERNE

The Malverne Catholic Church Bazaar opened on Wednesday evening in the tent on the Church Grounds at Hempstead ave., and will be closed on Saturday, June 26.

No efforts nor pains have been spared to make the first affair of the Church in Malverne a success. About 500 articles have been donated for prizes, including a Studebaker automobile, a Hope Chest, a Vacuum Cleaner, Floor Lamps and bicycles.

The Catholics of Malverne feel very happy over the generous offers of assistance that have poured in from every side, and are particularly proud of the tolerance manifested in the assistance given by their non-Catholic brethren.

The Masonic Booth at the fair is being handled by a committee of Masons headed by Charles Palmer of Jamaica. Elkdom booth will be presided over by the genial Chris Gunther of Queens Village, a member of Hempstead Lodge. The Knights of Columbus Booth will be manned by the Knights from Lynbrook led by "Jim" Freel and Bill Meyer.

The Tablet
Sat, Jun 26, 1926 · Page 20

***Cops Raid Only 8 of 9 Places
Pastor Listed as Speakeasies***

Queens Village Minister Expected to Seek Reason for Failure to Act on Ninth Tip.

The Rev. J. Earle Edwards, pastor of the Queens Village Baptist Church, is intent on drying up his community. When he charged that nine old line saloons were operating full blast in the community, police demanded the addresses. Eight on the list were raided last night and now the police have a list of five more supplied by the Queens pastor.

But today Mr. Edwards was reported wondering why the ninth place he listed was not also raided. All of the so-called saloons had been running full blast, he said.

Eight Men Held.

Eight men were arrested in raids conducted by Lt. Arther D. Dawnes of Inspector Byron R. Sackett's office on the information supplied by the minister. Edwards launched his campaign against the places by writing to Police Commissioner Grover A. Whalen and Prohibition Commissioner Doran.

As many as 30 motorcars have been observed parked at night outside of some of the places raided, according to Mr. Edwards. He also told authorities that it is not infrequently that people living in the neighborhood of the alleged speakeasies are awakened at night by the sound of carousing and women's screams.

Pleased With Raids.

He will insist, the Rev. Mr. Edwards said, that every place known to be selling liquor in Queens Village be closed and he added that he will take special precautions to learn if they reopen again and promptly inform the police and Prohibition authorities of the fact.

Mr. Edwards expressed himself as pleased today with the quick action which followed his first protest. Almost as soon as Commissioner Whalen received his letter, he detailed Lieutenant Downs to call at the parsonage and get the list of speakeasies.

The same quick action will be greatly appreciated by the residents of Queens Village in regard to the other place on the list and the five more which he submitted yesterday, the Rev. Mr. Edwards says.

Those arrested so far in the minister's campaign are:

Michael Dapper, alleged proprietor of an establishment at Hollis ave. and Springfield blvd.

Samuel Prager, proprietor of a resort near the Belaire Railroad station.

Fred Hittmeyer, alleged proprietor

of the Sherwood Hotel, Hempstead ave. and 217th st.

A. J. Fredericks, alleged proprietor of the Hollis Community Grill, 198-26 Jamaica ave.

Fred Phillips, said to be proprietor of the Creedmoor Hotel, opposite the Creedmoor Hospital for the Insane.

Raymond Schneider, bartender at the Commercial Restaurant, of which Felix de Gregorio is said to be proprietor.

Joseph Bain, bartender at the Queens Club, 224th st. and Jamaica ave., of which Getz and Livingston are said to be proprietors, and Chris Gunther, Hempstead ave. and 218th street.

Brooklyn Eagle
Fri, Jun 14, 1929 · Page 19

Brooklyn NY

Cannibal Club Beefsteak

The Cannibal Club, of Queens Village, had a beefsteak party in the Knights of Columbus Hall, 218-38 98th st., Queens Village, last night. Walter M. Raleigh, big chief of the tribe, assisted by his deputy, Big Chief Frank J. Shannon, was in charge of the entertainment committee.

Chiefs Albert C. W. Sleke, Adam Faath and Nicholas Fleiger carved the beef. Leonard Meylan presided at the piano. There were songs by Chris Gunther, Warren J. O'Brien, Frank J. Shannon, William M. Blake, Walter MacDonald, James Farley and Nicholas Fleiger; Irish step dance by Thomas J. Lanigan and Daniel E. Walsh; also there was a war dance for the reception of members into the order as chiefs having served as savages for three meetings. Every cannibal candidate must chew off one pound of steak before he can become a chief in the tribe. After which ceremonies members were tried for insubordination of rules of the high tribunal of the big chiefs of this district.

The Brooklyn Daily Times
Wed, Sep 30, 1931 · Page 12

Is this him?

UNITY POST, V.F.W., FORMS AUXILIARY

Queens Village Body Begins Its Second Season With Col- orful Installation.

With a double celebration that inaugurated its second season of activities and also marked the rapid growth since its organization last spring, Unity Post, 1,570, Veterans of Foreign Wars, installed officers for the new year and instituted the first ladies' auxiliary, before 500 persons last night in the Citizens' Community House in Queens Village.

The installation was colorful and impressive, with the officers in full regalia and the women in white gowns. Each officer to be installed was escorted by the officer of the day to the dais, which was banked with flowers. Appropriate military music was played. The assembly hall was hung with flags and other insignia of the organization.

Veterans of three wars were on the platform, including Commander David Llewelyn, of Alfred M. Wood Post, 369, G. A. R., who conveyed the greetings of the Civil War veterans to the new post; Walter L. MacDonald, a veteran of the Spanish-American War, and Capt. William H. Kelleher, jr., who presided as chairman of the installation committee. Capt. Kelleher is a World War veteran. Mrs. Mathilda Burling, national representative of the Gold Star Mothers, who was instrumental in obtaining authorization from Congress for a delegation of Gold Star Mothers to go to France next summer, addressed the post. William F. Elghmey, State Department counsel of the administration of New York, also felicitated the group.

Unity Post, the first of its kind in Queens Village and Bellaire, was formed last March through the efforts of George W. Lloyd and Harry J. Frey. Although the charter members then numbered only 41, it now has a membership of 67 and expects to increase it to 150 by the end of this year. It has actively participated in all public celebrations in that vicinity and makes frequent trips to the U. S. Veterans' Hospital at Northport, where clothing, cigarettes, food and magazines are distributed.

Plans for a new permanent clubhouse for the post were announced at the exercises. The veterans expect to build a community hall to be known as the Chateau, a quaint structure embodying all the outward appearances of that type of building in the French provinces—high peaked roof, thick walls, and low arched doorways. The post at present meets in Citizens' Community House.

munity House.

Col. Robert Starr Allyn, judge advocate general of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, installed the officers, while Mrs. Ada E. Harrison, national senior vice-president of the Ladies' Auxiliary, instituted the auxiliary. Invocation and benediction were pronounced by the Rev. Paul B. Beard, pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Redeemer of Queens Village.

Officers of Post

The post officers for 1929 include: Commander, Harry J. Frey; adjutant, Alfred A. Johnson; quartermaster, Charles L. Strack; senior vice-commander, Francis I. McKeon; junior vice-commander, George Jarvis; officer of the day, George J. Benz; surgeon, Dr. Albert G. Mott; advocate, Alfred Lowe; chaplain, Allen McCullough; historian, Charles W. Walter; patriotic instructor, Harry F. Kohimorgen; quartermaster sergeant, James C. Turner; guard, Harry MacDonald; sentinel, Richard N. Henry; bugler, Edmund Fink; color guard, Nicholas Ronca; color guard, Andrew B. Jacobsen; trustees, George W. Lloyd, Raymond P. Sheehan, Daniel Berger; County Council delegates, Alfred Lowe, George W. Lloyd, John R. Ross, Edmund Fink.

Chairmen of committees are: Entertainment, William H. Kelleher, jr.; clubhouse, Christian Gunther; Northport Hospital, Fred Buchholz; relief, Walter I. McKeon; Memorial Day, Thomas L. Mullan.

Leaders of Auxiliary

The leaders of the Ladies Auxiliary are:

President, Helen G. Lloyd; senior vice-president, Lillian R. Mott; junior vice-president, Bertha Buchholz; chaplain, Luddelle Wingardner; treasurer, Daisy M. Frey; secretary, Florence E. Nelson; conductress, Leona M. Ronca; historian, Madeline C. Ross; patriotic instructor, Dorothy E. Mallon; guard, Margaret Walter; trustees, Jeanne Olsen, Mildred Mullen, Clementine Strack; color bearers, Pearl Lindley, Loretta Horeen, Bertha Hughes, Margaret E. Johnson.

The Brooklyn Daily Times
Sat, Jan 05, 1929 - Page 19

UNITY POST, V. F. W., COMMITTEES NAMED

Commander Frey Announces Appointments for 1929.

Commander Harry J. Frey of Unity Post 1570, V. F. W., which meets at Gunther's Hotel in Queens Village, has appointed committees for the year as follows:

Entertainment—William H. Kelleher, jr., chairman; George W. Lloyd, Harry F. Kohlmorgen, Fred H. Buchholz, Christian Gunther, Charles L. Strack, Frederick Dressel and Walter L. McDonald.

Housing—Christian Gunther, chairman; Arthur Lowe, Dr. Albert G. Mott, Walter L. MacDonald, Charles L. Strack, William H. Kelleher, jr., and Francis I. McKeon.

Northport Hospital—Fred H. Bushholz, chairman; Allen McCullough, Wallis Lisperard, Thomas C. Hughes, John R. Ross, Charles Clancy, James H. Martin and Edward Frey.

Veterans' Welfare—Walter L. MacDonald, chairman; James J. Harkins, Frank E. McLean, Charles W. Caldwell, Robert M. Davies, Andrew B. Jacobson and Philip Flad.

Fife and Drum Corp—Francis I. McKeon, chairman; Frederick Dressel, Edmund Fink, Arthur M. Tjaden, Richard Paridis and Jacob Klink.

Membership Drive—George Jarvis, chairman; Alfred A. Johnson, Harold J. Fahey, George J. Benz, Harry MacDonald, James Olsen, Joseph Kelly, John Engelhardt, Alexander E. Roeder, John A. Lewis, Leo Warner, Gustave F. Peterson and Jack Fecharsky.

Memorial Day—Thomas L. Mullen, chairman; John A. Lewis, Thomas F. Greely, Charles H. Griswold, Cyril J. Sloan, Charles F. March, William A. Wiedt and Wilbur P. Campbell.

Sickness and Distress—George W. Lloyd, chairman; Dr. Albert G. Mott, Anthony T. Kamp, Raymond P. Sheehan, Charles W. Caldwell, William A. Palmer, Russell Kruger and Wilbur P. Campbell.

Auxiliary—Richard N. Henery, chairman; Charles W. Walter, Allen McCullough, James C. Turner, William F. Deacon, William F. Delaney and George W. Lloyd.

The Brooklyn Daily Times
Sat, Jan 26, 1929 · Page 44

BYERS PADLOCKS IN 5 BORO STORES

One Each in Nassau, Richmond Also Closed for Volstead Violations.

Federal Judge Byers today ordered padlocks for Volstead law violations on six places in this borough, one in Nassau County, and another in Richmond. Another establishment received a suspended decree on filing a bond in the amount of \$500, not to violate the prohibition act for one year. The cases were presented by Assistant U. S. Attorney Francis F. Giles.

The list follows:

Store at 5522 Seventh ave., padlocked for three months. May Price, landlady.

Store at 251 Van Brunt st., padlocked for one year. James Seagriff, tenant; Louis and Clothilde Palony, landlords.

Store at 492 Third ave., padlocked for six months. Thomas F. Fulla, tenant; Yetta Messenbaum, landlord.

Store at 213 Navy st., padlocked for one year on default, no defendants appearing.

Store at 258 Fulton st., padlocked for five months. Rudolph Marnede, tenant; Isaac and Katherine Grogan, landlords.

Store at 217-89 Hempstead ave., nyc., padlocked for six months. Christian Gunther, tenant; John P. Carroll, landlord.

Store at 3 William st., Stapleton, S. I., padlocked for four months. Samuel Baker, tenant; Rubram and Horman Brewing Co., landlord.

Bungalow at 2840 West Eighth st., padlocked suspended on filing bond for \$500. Tillie F. Sate, landlord.

The Brooklyn Daily Times
Mon, Apr 20, 1931 - Page 2

LONG BEACH CREW SAVES FISHERMEN

Six in Cruiser Which Goes
Dead Off Arverne—Plane
Also Called.

Battered about by a heavy sea, six men were rescued by members of the Long Beach Coast Guard in command of Capt. George M. Schellenger last night when their 24-foot motor cabin cruiser in which they were returning from a fishing trip went dead about a half mile of Beach 63d st., Arverne.

The cruiser Surfman owned and piloted by Christian Gunther, of 217-95 Hempstead ave., Queens Village, had been off the Rockaway coast all day. When the party started home and were heading toward East Rockaway Inlet, the motor went dead. Gunther displayed a distress signal after throwing over his anchor. The anchor, however, failed to hold and the boat started to draw toward the beach.

Municipal lifeguards observed the

boat toward the beach. Municipal lifeguards observed the plight of the boat and notified the Coast Guard. Captain Schellenger and his men reached the scene within 15 minutes after the call was received. In the meanwhile, the new Coast Guard seaplane was dispatched from Floyd Bennett Field, but upon observing that the Coast Guards from Long Beach had effected the rescue the pilot returned. Captain Schellenger towed the boat to the Coast Guard dock, after which the six left for home.

In coming down from the top deck I met one of my best friends, Chris Gunther of Belmont Park, Long Island, and he was crying as he did not have a lifebelt and was only half dressed.

I risked my life again to go down and find a lifebelt which I did and put it on him (for I had promised his mother before leaving Long Island to look after him at all times as best I could). After putting the lifebelt on him, I left to help lower the lifeboats that were swung on the davits, and did not see any more of him until about three weeks afterward in Winchester, England.

A letter home written by William James Stuckey – “Columbia (SC) State” Sunday 23 Apr 1939 p 15 - <https://www.newspapers.com/image/748950266/>

Wife Helen Vandenbroucke Marcus



Passport application of Helen Marcus 10 Apr 1922 – b. 31 Jan 1891 Brussels Belgium. Age 31. Height 5'3". Married to husband Myer Marcus (b. Philadelphia PA); they now reside at 84 Grove St., NYC, her permanent residence address. She lived in Belgium from her birth to 1911, then again in Belgium from 1912 to 1914. She plans to return to the US within 6 months, going to Belgium, France & the British Isles for pleasure. She plans to leave NYC on the “New Amsterdam” on 3 Jun 1922. <https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/3:1:3Q57-996B-Z8KW?i=377&cc=2185145>

Christian J Gunther

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



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Detail	Source
Name	Christian J Gunther
Gender	Male
Marriage License Date	19 Feb 1924
Marriage License Place	Queens, New York City, New York, USA
Spouse	Helen Marcus
License Number	466

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OBITUARY

MYER MARCUS

Once Was Employed in Art Department of The Inquirer

Special to The Inquirer.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—Myer Marcus, director of the World's Comic Art Department, died of heart failure last Saturday morning at his home, Woodview road, West Hempstead, L. I. He was born thirty-six years ago in Philadelphia, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Marcus. He early developed ability, and while young was an artist on The Philadelphia Inquirer.

Going West to prospect for gold, he became a cartoonist for a Denver paper in 1908. Later he went into vaudeville successfully, and with Tom McNamara, toured the United States and Europe. While abroad he kept up his work as an artist and contributed frequently to The Inquirer. On his return his comic strips depicted the character "Asthma" Simpson in the Eve-

ning Sun, under the name of Billy Liverpool. After several years with Hearst publications he came to the World in 1920.

While in Europe he married Miss Helen Vandembrouche, of Brussels, and is survived by his wife and their daughter, Louise, aged fifteen, as well as a brother, Louis, of Atlantic City.

The funeral, which will be private, will be from Mr. Marcus's home Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

"Philadelphia (PA) Inquirer" 27 Nov 1923 p 6

Name:	Helen Gunther [Helen Brouche]
Gender:	Female
Race:	White
Marital status:	Married
Age:	38
Birth Date:	abt 1890
Birth Place:	Belgium
Residence Street Address:	218Th Street
Years in US:	14 Years
Death Date:	12 Dec 1928
Hospital:	St Anthony's Hospital
Death Place:	New York City, Queens, New York, USA
Cause of Death:	Pulmonary phthisis
Burial Date:	14 Dec 1928
Burial Place:	Flushing cemetery
Occupation:	Housewife
Father's Birth Place:	Belgium
Mother's Birth Place:	Belgium
Father:	Henry Vanden Brouche
Mother:	Louise Brouche
Executor:	Christopher Gunther
Executor Relationship:	Husband
Certificate Number:	7235

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

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Father's Birth Place	Belgium
Mother's Birth Place	Belgium

Father	Henry Vanden Brouche
Mother	Louise Brouche
Executor	Christopher Gunther
Executor Relationship	Husband
Certificate Number	7235

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Certificate Number	7235

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The original and each copy of an application for a passport must have attached to it a copy of the applicant's photograph.
A loose signed photograph of the applicant must accompany the application.
The photograph must be on thin paper, should have a light background, and be not over three inches in size.

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22-This blank must be completely filled out. The legal fee of one dollar, in currency or postal money order, must accompany the application.

A woman's application must state whether she is married or not, and a married woman must state whether her husband is a native citizen.

The rules should be carefully read before making the application to the Department of State, Division of Passport Control, Washington, D. C.

[Edition of 1919.]

[FORM FOR NATIVE CITIZEN.]

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No.	DEPARTMENT OF STATE
APR 18, 1922	PASSPORT
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WASHINGTON.	

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

STATE OF NEW YORK
COUNTY OF NEW YORK ss.

I, Helen Marcus (mailed.)
NATIVE AND LOYAL CITIZEN OF THE
UNITED STATES, hereby apply to the Department of State, at Washington, for a passport.

I solemnly swear that I was born at Brussels Belgium, in the State of
on or about the 31 day of Jan, 1891; that
my ^{father} ~~husband~~ Myer Marcus was born in Phila., Pa
and is now residing at 84 York St. New York City.
[that he emigrated to the United States from the port of
on or about _____, 1____; that he resided _____ years, uninterruptedly, in
the United States, from 1____ to 1____, at _____; that he was
naturalized as a citizen of the United States before the _____ Court
of _____, at _____,
on _____, 1____, as shown by the accompanying Certificate of Naturalization];
that I have resided outside of the United States at the following places for the following periods:

Belgium from 1912 to 1914
from Brussels to 1911

and that I am domiciled in the United States

BIRTH CERTIFICATE GIVEN

and that I am domiciled in the United States, my permanent residence being at 84 Ave. to NYC.
in the State of New York, where I follow the occupation of housewife.
My last passport was obtained from I never had one, on _____
and was _____ I am about to go abroad temporarily; and I
intend to return to the United States within 6 months with the purpose of residing and per-
forming the duties of citizenship therein; and I desire a passport for use in visiting the countries
hereinafter named for the following purpose:

<u>Belgium</u> (Name of country.)	<u>Pleasure</u> (Object of visit.)
<u>France</u> (Name of country.)	<u>Pleasure</u> (Object of visit.)
<u>(Great Britain) British Isles</u> (Name of country.)	<u>Pleasure</u> (Object of visit.)

I intend to leave the United States from the port of New York
sailing on board the New Amsterdam on June 3rd, 1922
(Name of vessel.) (Date of departure.)

OATH OF ALLEGIANCE.

Further, I do solemnly swear that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States
against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and
that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion: So help me God.

Helen Marcus
(Signature of applicant.)

Sworn to before me this 10 day
of APR 10 1922
Emad Walden
Agent of the Department of State
Clerk of the Court

FEE REGR. APR 15 1922
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* A person born in the United States should submit a birth certificate with his application, or if the birth was
officially recorded, affidavits from the attending physician, parents, or other person having actual knowledge
of the birth.
† If the applicant's father was born in this country, lines should be drawn through the blanks in brackets.
[OVER.]

DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT.

Age: 31 years. Mouth: small
 Stature: 5 feet, 3 inches, Eng. Chin: round
 Forehead: Broad Hair: Brown
 Eyes: Brown Complexion: Fair
 Nose: Medium Face: Oval
 Distinguishing marks: none

IDENTIFICATION.

I, Grace Smith, solemnly swear that I am a native citizen
 of the United States; that I reside at 500 W-144th Street 7/4 that I have known
 the above-named Helen Marcus personally for 10 years and
 know her to be a native citizen of the United States; and that the facts stated in her affidavit
 are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Grace Smith
House wife
 (Occupation)
500 - W - 144th Street
 (Address of witness.)
7-4

Sworn to before me this 10 day
APR 10 1922
 of 1922, 19

Alma B. Medina
 Agent of the Department of State

Clark of the

County of

Applicant desires passport to be sent to the following address:

*84 Grove Street
New York City,
New York*

EW

A signed duplicate of the photograph to be attached hereto must be sent to the Department with the application, to be affixed to the passport with an impression of the Department's seal.



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Helen VanDerBroucke

in the New York, New York, U.S., Extracted Marriage Index, 1866-1937



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Detail Source

Name	Helen VanDerBroucke
Gender	Female
Marriage Date	20 Mar 1911
Marriage Place	Manhattan, New York, USA
Spouse	Myer Marcus
Certificate Number	6658

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/9105/records/2876564?tid=&pid=&queryId=963a8f78-f70b-4210-91e1-5698cc29b627&phsrc=iKj10149&phstart=successSource>

Helene Vandembrowcke

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



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Detail Source

Name	Helene Vandembrowcke
Gender	Female
Marriage License Date	20 Mar 1911
Marriage License Place	Manhattan, New York City, New York, USA
Spouse	Myer Marcus
License Number	7566

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61406/records/8914813>

Helen Marcus

in the New York, U.S., Arriving Passenger and Crew Lists (including Castle Garden and Ellis Island) 1820-1957



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Detail Source

Name	Helen Marcus
Gender	Female
Marital Status	Married
Age	31
Birth Date	abt 1891
Departure Port	Southampton, England
Arrival Date	28 Jul 1922
Arrival Port	New York, New York, USA
Ship Name	Aquitania

3	Lipton,	Elisa,	44	Y	M	Passport 156061	21st Mar 1922.	48196
3	Marcus,	Helen,	31	Y	M	By marriage,		
4						Passport 157121	1st Apr 1922.	04, 14 Ave New York City.

Name crossed through

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8. 8. Aquitania		sailing from Cherbourg		22 JUL 1922, 19		Arriving at Port of NEW YORK 28th July 1922.	
No. on List	NAME IN FULL		AGE	SEX	IF NATIVE OF UNITED STATES INSULAR POSSESSION OR IF NATIVE OF UNITED STATES, GIVE DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH (CITY OR TOWN AND STATE).	IF NATURALIZED, GIVE NAME AND LOCATION OF COURT WHICH ISSUED NATURALIZATION PAPERS, AND DATE OF PAPERS.	ADDRESS IN UNITED STATES.
	FAMILY NAME	GIVEN NAME	Yrs.	Mon.			
1	Scheringer	Joseph	31	M	Michigan	Passport 130995 5th Apr 1922. Noton Mich June 1912 Passport 146176 18th Apr 1922. by marriage 27th March 1910 New-York N.Y.	Wife: Aug. Scheringer 713 Oak Street in Calumet Michigan. N. Marcus 84 Grove street New-York N.Y.

Helen Marcus

in the New York, U.S., Arriving Passenger and Crew Lists (including Castle Garden and Ellis Island) 1820-1957



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Detail Source

Name	Helen Marcus
Gender	Female
Marital Status	Married
Age	31
Birth Date	abt 1891
Departure Port	Cherbourg, France
Arrival Date	28 Jul 1922
Arrival Port	New York, New York, USA
Ship Name	Aquitania

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Helen Marcus

in the New York, U.S., Arriving Passenger and Crew Lists (including Castle Garden and Ellis Island) 1820-1957



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Detail Source

Name	Helen Marcus
Gender	Female
Marital Status	Married
Age	32
Birth Date	1891
Departure Port	Hamilton, Bermuda
Arrival Date	5 Jul 1923
Arrival Port	New York, New York, USA
Ship Name	Fort St George

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/7488/records/4027712126?tid=&pid=&queryId=ba5653ac-92da-4b83-953e-0824805618d6&_phsrc=iKj10157&_phstart=successSource

Myer Marcus was an early 20th century newspaper cartoonist, who also worked under the pen name Billy Liverpool. Born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Marcus started as an artist on The Philadelphia Inquirer, where his early creations include 'Percy Vere' (1905-06), 'Doubting Thomas' (1906-07), 'Big Scalper' (1906-09), 'Acrobatic Trix of Hix and Nix' (1907) and 'Sheer-luck Homes' (1907).

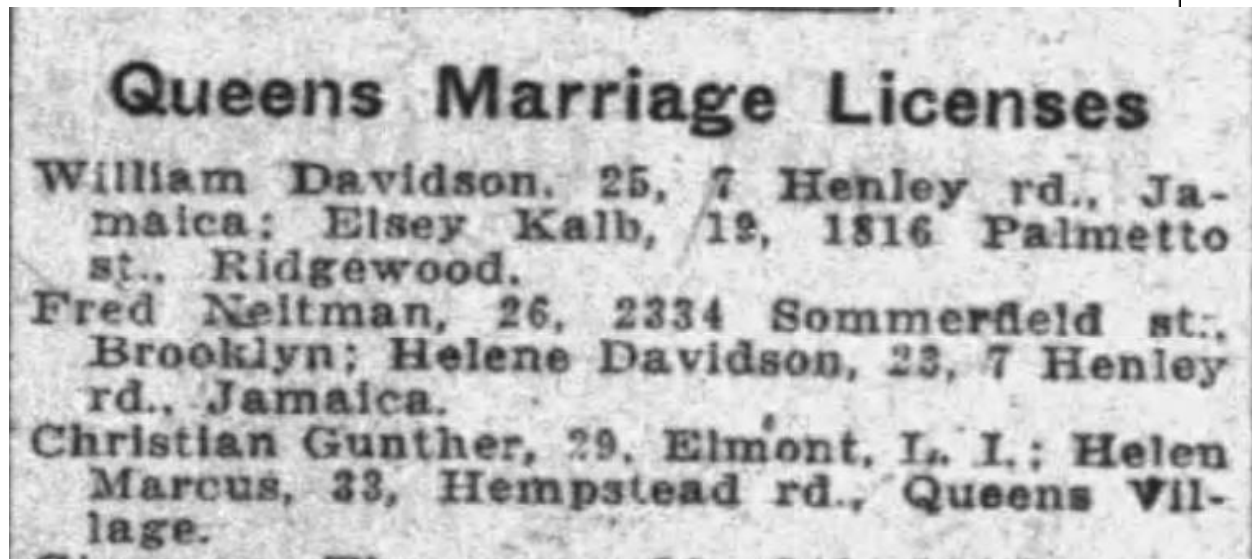
Marcus was a longtime cartoonist with the newspapers published by William Randolph Hearst. Around 1914, he was hired as a ghost artist for Bud Fisher's 'Mutt and Jeff' comic strip. When Fisher filed a lawsuit against Hearst and the strip was put on hold, Marcus developed a couple of pages/strips on his own, such as 'Brow Brothers' and 'Asthma Simpson, the Village Queen', which he drew under the pen name Billy Liverpool for The Evening Sun in 1915 and 1916. Between 1916 and 1920 he made strip called 'Fuller Bunk' through Hearst's Newspaper Feature Service. He moved to Pulitzer's The World in the early 1920s, where he served as director of the comic art department until his death in 1923.

102 pages/strips Asthma Simpson the Village Queen 1914-1915

002 pages/strips Asthma Simpson the Village Queen Sundays 1916

95 years ago November 24, 1923 Artist **Myer Marcus**

(also known as Billy Liverpool) dies at age 46. The newspaper cartoonist ghosted *Mutt and Jeff* at one point; his work included the *Fuller Bunk* strip, and he was comic art department director of Pulitzer's *The World*.



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Brooklyn NY

Wife/stepdaughter Louise Marcus

Christian Gunther

Marriage • New York, New York City Marriage Records, 1829-1938

Name	Christian Gunther
Sex	Male
Age	40
Birth Year (Estimated)	1895
Event Type	Marriage
Event Date	5 Mar 1935
Event Place	Queens, New York City, New York, United States
Source Details	1123

Christian Gunther's Parents and Siblings

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John	Father	M	▼
Elizabeth Gerlock	Mother	F	▼

Christian Gunther's Spouses and Children

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Louise Marcus	Wife	F	27	^
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Name	Louise Marcus
Sex	Female
Age	27
Birth Year (Estimated)	1908
Event Type	Marriage
Event Date	5 Mar 1935
Event Place	Queens, New York City, New York, United States
Source Details	1123

Other People on This Record

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Helen Vandenbrouche	F	▼

Christian Gunther

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



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Detail Source

Name	Christian Gunther
Gender	Male
Marriage License Date	5 Apr 1935
Marriage License Place	Queens, New York City, New York, USA
Spouse	Louise Marcus
License Number	1408

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61406/records/8355984>

Louise Gunther

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



Detail Source

Name	Louise Gunther
Age	40
Birth Date	abt 1910 [abt 1910]
Death Date	14 Jun 1950
Death Place	Queens, New York, New York, USA
Certificate Number	5442

Is this her?

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61461/records/1229635?tid=155184286&pid=342051364788&queryId=caa95b34-42f7-41a0-b0b8-15706389745a&phsrc=iKj10119&phstart=successSource>

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IMMIGRATION SERVICE

Record in this blank United States citizens and citizens of insular possessions of the United States arriving at a port of continental United States from a foreign port or a port of the insular possessions of the United States, and such citizens arriving at a port of said insular possessions from a foreign port, a port of continental United States, or a port of another insular possession.

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S. S. "FORT VICTORIA" sailing from HAMILTON, BERMUDA, DEC. 19TH, 1922, Arriving at port of NEW YORK, N.Y., DEC. 21ST, 1922

Louise Marcus

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Detail Source

Name	Louise Marcus
Gender	Female
Marital Status	Single
Age	14
Birth Date	1908
Departure Port	Hamilton, Bermuda
Arrival Date	21 Dec 1922
Arrival Port	New York, New York, USA
Ship Name	Fort Victoria

22	MARCUS	HELEN	31	F	M	1898	HUSBAND U.S.CITIZEN.	85 GROVE ST., NEW YORK, N.Y.
23	MARCUS	LOUISE	14	F	S	1908	FATHER U.S.CITIZEN.	85 GROVE ST., NEW YORK, N.Y.

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Children by Louise:

Patricia A Gunther

in the New York, New York, U.S., Birth Index, 1910-1965

NAME	DATE OF BIRTH	PLACE OF BIRTH
Gunther, Patricia A.	Feb 26, 1936	Queens, New York City, New York, USA

Detail Source

Name	Patricia A Gunther
Birth Date	26 Feb 1936
Birth Place	Queens, New York City, New York, USA
Certificate Number	1??

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 Daughter Patricia A. Gunther (1936 –

Patricia A. Gunther

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



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Detail Source

Name	Patricia A. Gunther
Gender	Female
Marriage License Date	5 Jan 1953
Marriage License Place	Queens, New York City, New York, USA
Spouse	Charles H. Gunther
License Number	100

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Patricia A Gunther

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



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Detail Source

Name	Patricia A Gunther [Patricia Wachter] [Patricia Gunther]
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Birth Date	26 Feb 1936
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Residence Date	1995
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Address	9230 Lagoon Pl Apt 214
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Residence	Davie, FL
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Postal Code	33324-6711
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Second Residence Date	1995
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Second Address	9230 Lagoon Pl Apt 214
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Second Residence	Davie, FL
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Second Postal Code	33324-6711
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Third Address	250 Jacaranda Dr Apt 611
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Third Residence	Plantation, FL
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Third Postal Code	33324-2535
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Fourth Address	250 Jacaranda Dr Apt 611
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Fourth Residence	Plantation, FL
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Fourth Postal Code	33324-2535
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<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/1788/records/137329973>

Patricia A Gunther

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



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Detail Source

Name	Patricia A Gunther [Patricia Wachter]
Birth Date	Feb 1936
Residence Date	1995-2020
Address	9230 Lagoon Pl
Residence	Davie, Florida, USA
Postal Code	33324
Second Residence Date	1995-2020
Second Address	9230 Lagoon Pl
Second Residence	Fort Lauderdale, Florida, USA
Second Postal Code	33324
Third Residence Date	1995-2020
Third Address	9230 Lagoon Pl
Third Residence	Plantation, Florida, USA
Third Postal Code	33324
Fourth Residence Date	1995-2020
Fourth Address	9230 Lagoon Pl Apt 214a
Fourth Residence	Davie, Florida, USA
Fourth Postal Code	33324

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/62209/records/316985416>

WACHTER

Wachter, Worth F. "Butch", 67, of Plantation, FL a 20-year resident, coming from Kings Park, NY, died Saturday, February 3, 2001. Member of Fort Lauderdale Country Club. Survived by daughters, Carol Fallon of Sayville, NY, JoAnn Droluk of Houston, TX and Lynn Wachter of Pompano Beach, FL; son, Charles Gunther of Wellington, FL; sisters, Helen Kelleher of San Diego, CA and Valerie Redman of Bellmore, NY; grandsons, Brian Chandler and Christian Gunther; and granddaughters, Sandra and Corinne Fallon. Funeral service will be 6:00 PM, Tuesday at FRED HUNTER'S HOLLYWOOD MEMORIAL GARDENS HOME, 6301 Taft Street, where friends may call 2-4 and 6-8 PM, Tuesday.

South Florida Sun Sentinel
Sun, Feb 04, 2001 -Page 37

Fort Lauderdale FL

PERFORM TONIGHT—The Queens Court Council of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, composed of scholastic stars from all over the city, but particularly Brooklyn and Queens, will see action for the first time in the Metropolitan A. A. U. Junior basketball championship tourney in the Williamsburg Young Men's Hebrew Association gym tonight at 7:30 o'clock. The combine is coached by Pete Reiher, former St. John's Prep and University star, who is now a court official.

The team is made up of Jim Grant, 16, 6-5, 190, John Adams, son of a detective; Worth (Butch) Wachter, Jamaica, 17, 6-4, 193; Pete Hassett, Andrew Jackson, 16, 6-4, 175; Bob Young, Richmond Hill, 15, 6-4, 185; Jim Coyle, Rice, 17, 6-3, 165; Bill Cowley, St. John's Prep, 16, 6-3, 165; Tom Flynn, Power Memorial Academy, 17, 6-2, 195; Jim McCue, Franklin K. Lane, 17, 6-2, 190; Joe Wilson, St. John's Prep Jayvees, 15, 6-1, 180; Hal Pascal, Kew Forest, 15, 6-1, 155; Wally Lempicki, John Adams, 17, 6, 160, who spent a few days visiting at Miami University in Ohio, and Jack Ferguson, Andrew Jackson, 17, 6, 160.

Phil Sagona, captain of St. John's Prep, runner-up to St. Simon Stock of the Bronx for retention of its C. H. S. A. A. city championship, was on the squad but had to be dropped because it was found he was a trifle too old for the competition.

Brooklyn Eagle

Thu, Mar 29, 1951 · Page 24

There is nothing new in cakes, pies or cookies, said Drake. If it hasn't been made, it's because no one will eat it. What then, if not uniqueness, can Entenmann's credit for its success?

"The best ingredients," said Worth Wachter, Southeast regional sales manager. No unreliable bananas. Only Chiquita's. Entenmann's uses Kraft Cream Cheese, Diamond Walnuts, Smuckers jams and some of its own products made in New York, including apple fillings and chocolate, for its products, said Wachter.

The Miami News

Sat, Aug 23, 1980 · Page 38

Worth Francis Wachter

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



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Detail Source

Name	Worth Francis Wachter [Worth F Wachter]
Gender	Male
Race	White
Birth Date	15 May 1933
Birth Place	New York Jam, New York
Death Date	3 Feb 2001
Father	Roy Wachter
Mother	Elizabeth Wyse
SSN	110260265
Notes	Oct 1950: Name Listed As Worth Francis Wachter; 13 Feb 2001: Name Listed As Worth F Wachter

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/60901/records/40838251?tid=&pid=&queryId=3c2d3308-e9dd-4935-9eec-16fe09fff133&phsrc=iKj10135&phstart=successSource>

Worth F. Wachter

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



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Detail Source

Name	Worth F. Wachter
Gender	Male
Marriage License Date	15 Jan 1953
Marriage License Place	Queens, New York City, New York, USA
Spouse	Joan H. Fodor
License Number	333

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61406/records/1389671>

Worth Francis Wachter

in the U.S., School Yearbooks, 1900-2016



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Detail Source

Name	Worth Francis Wachter
Estimated Age	Abt 16
Birth Year	abt 1935 [abt 1935]
Yearbook Date	1951
School	Jamaica High School
School Location	Queens, New York, USA
Yearbook Title	Yearbook

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/1265/records/1461794831>

John A Gunther

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



Detail Source

Name	John A Gunther
Birth Date	30 Apr 1939
Birth Place	Floral Park, New York, USA
Certificate Number	24815

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son John A. Gunther (1939 -)

John A Gunther

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



Detail Source

Name	John A Gunther
Birth Date	30 Apr 1939
Address	Rt 1 Box 135 Rt
Residence Place	Richmondville, New York, USA
Zip Code	12149

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/1732/records/259792991?tid=&pid=&queryId=5b3ca0f9-e60f-4ca2-b720-e3d903eb06ae&_phsrc=iKj10143&_phstart=successSource

John A Gunther

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



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Detail	Source
Name	John A Gunther [John A Guntheror] [John A John]
Birth Date	Apr 1939
Residence Date	2015-2020
Address	8 Sanford St
Residence	Warrensburg, New York, USA
Postal Code	12885
Second Residence Date	1989-2011
Second Address	Rr 7 Box 135
Second Residence	Richmondville, New York, USA
Second Postal Code	12149
Third Residence Date	1986-2009
Third Address	Rr 1 Box 214
Third Residence	Richmondville, New York, USA
Third Postal Code	12149
Fourth Residence Date	1986-1994
Fourth Address	12 Fairmont Ln
Fourth Residence	Richmondville, New York, USA
Fourth Postal Code	12149

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/62209/records/317018300>

Christian Gunther

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



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Detail	Source
Name	Christian Gunther [Christian Robert Gunther]
Gender	Male
Race	White
Birth Date	19 Dec 1940
Birth Place	Floral Park, New York
Death Date	16 Feb 2001
Father	Christian Gunther
Mother	Louise Marcus
SSN	096321510
Signature on SSN Card	Chris Gunther
Relationship of Signature	Signature Name Differs From Nh's Name.
Notes	May 1957: Name Listed As Christian Gunther; 02 Dec 1994: Name Listed As Christian Robert Gunther; 23 Feb 2001: Name Listed As Christian R Gunther

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/60901/records/16131926?tid=61238015&pid=40068628205&queryId=7aa8eb13-35fb-40cd-857c-9e1cd1e5cd00&phsrc=iKj10125&phstart=successSource>
 Son Christian Robert Gunther (1940-2001)

Christian Gunther

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



Detail Source

Name	Christian Gunther
Birth Date	19 Dec 1940
Birth Place	Floral Park, New York, USA
Certificate Number	86420

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Christian Gunther

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



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Detail Source

Name	Christian Gunther
Gender	Male
Marriage License Date	1969
Marriage License Place	Queens, New York City, New York, USA
Spouse	Loretta Power
License Number	9143

<https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/61406/records/5230387>

Robert Gunther

in the U.S., School Yearbooks, 1900-2016



[More information available at Classmates.com](#)

Detail	Source
Name	Robert Gunther
Estimated Age	16
Birth Year	abt 1940 [abt 1940]
Yearbook Date	1956
School	Garden City High School
School Location	Garden City, New York, USA

Him? <https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/1265/records/470908925>

2 Sent to Jail For Burglary

Mineola—Two youths were sentenced yesterday to Elmira Reformatory terms for the burglary of an Elmont bar.

They are Christian Gunther, 19, a machinist, of 218-38 Hillside Ave., and Robert Ingersoll, 20, an audit clerk, of 217-40 100th Ave., both Queens Village. County Judge Paul J. Widlitz gave them indeterminate terms of up to five years for breaking into Ciro's Bar and Grill, 127 Hempstead Turnpike, Elmont, on April 9.

Newsday (Nassau Edition)
Fri, Aug 05, 1960 · Page 25

Suffolk NY – is this him?



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POWER - Helen Agnes (nee Kelly), died peacefully on February 12, 2010 in the ninety-seventh year of a life dedicated to her family, to her faith and to the nursing profession. Born in New York City on July 16, 1913, Helen was a graduate of Evander Childs High School and The French Hospital School of Nursing. She served on the staff of The French Hospital from 1934 to 1939 as an operating room RN. Following her marriage, Helen resided in Woodside, Queens for more than forty years. After the death of her husband, Helen moved to Rockville Centre, New York where, for twenty-two years, she rekindled her lifelong commitment to the nursing profession as an active member of the Outreach Center at St. Agnes' parish. She moved to Summit, New Jersey in 2006. If there were a Hall of fame for baseball fans, Helen would have been a charter member. She was an avid Yankee fan as a young girl living in the Bronx and was present for the opening game at the original Yankee Stadium in 1923. She passed on this love for baseball to her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Helen was the beloved wife of the late James J. Power [1983]. She is survived by her son James and by her daughters Helen Diskin, Patricia Frosina and Loretta Gunther Logan as well as by thirteen grandchildren and sixteen great-grandchildren. She was the beloved mother-in-law of Maureen Power, Salvatore Frosina, John Logan, the late Peter Diskin and the late Christian Gunther. She was predeceased by her parents Agnes McIntyre Kelly and Edward Kelly, as well as by her sister Loretta McCarthy and by her brother Edward Kelly. A Requiem Mass in celebration of Helen's life will be held at St. Patrick's Church, 85 Washington Ave., Chatham, NJ on Saturday, February 20, 2010 at 10 AM. Interment will follow at Calvary Cemetery in Woodside, NY. Friends may call at Bradley Funeral Home, 345 Main Street, Chatham, NJ from 2 to 4 PM and 7 to 9 PM on Friday, February 19,

to 9 PM on Friday, February 19, 2010. For further information, go to bradleyfuneralhomes.com. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Agnes Parish Outreach, 1 Quealy Place, Rockville Centre, NY 11570.

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*Father***OBITUARY.****John Gunther.**

John Gunther, of 118 Jamaica avenue, who died at that address Sunday, was for nearly thirty years the proprietor of the hotel and restaurant known as the Farmers' Home, which in the old days of the Jamaica Plank road on which it was located, was a stopping place for the nearby Long Island farmers on their trips to Brooklyn. He was born in Newtown fifty-three years ago and nearly all his life had been spent in the East New York section. He was a member of East New York Council, No. 179, Catholic Benevolent Legion, the Enetracht Society, of which he was treasurer, and of St. Michael's Roman Catholic Church. He leaves a widow, Elizabeth Gunther, two sons, John and Christopher, and eight daughters. To-morrow morning at 10 o'clock there will be funeral services at St. Michael's Church, with the Rev. Father Willibad, assistant rector, officiating.

Obituary of his father John Gunther – "Brooklyn Times Union" 12 Dec 1905 p 2

LEGAL NOTICES.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, by the grace of God free and independent—To Elizabeth Gunther, widow of John Gunther, deceased, Anna Griffith, Cecelia Klage, Elizabeth Gunther, daughter of John Gunther, deceased, Mary Hoeffner, Lena Wright, John Gunther, son of John Gunther, deceased, if living, if dead, to his heirs at law or devisees; Mary Hurley, "Jane Doe" (name fictitious, real name unknown to petitioner, said person being a tenant of the premises No. 112 Jamaica avenue, Brooklyn); A. Ottens, Weber & Wagner Cigar Company, E. Baker Cigar Company, Michael Tuck & Company, Eagle Cigar Company, Adrian V. Suydam, and generally to all the creditors of John Gunther, deceased, send greeting: You and each of you are hereby cited and required personally to be and appear before our Surrogate of the County of Kings, at the Surrogate's Court of said County, held at the Hall of Records in the Borough of Brooklyn, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of October, 1919, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause why a decree should not be made directing the disposition of the real property of JOHN GUNTHER, deceased, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the payment of his debts, and such of you as are hereby cited as are under the age of twenty-one years, are required to appear by your guardian, if you have one, or if you have none, to appear and apply for one to be appointed, or in the

event of your neglect or failure to do so, a guardian will be appointed by the Surrogate to represent and act for you in the proceeding.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of the Surrogate's Court to be hereunto affixed. Witness Hon. Her. (L. S.) bert T. Ketcham, Esq., Surrogate of our said County, at the Hall of Records, the 29th day of August, in the year 1910.

EDWARD J. BERGEN,
Clerk of the Surrogate's Court.

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

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Name	John Gunther
Age	53
Birth Year	abt 1852
Death Date	10 Dec 1905
Death Place	Kings, New York, USA
Certificate Number	22640

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Mother

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Name	Elizabeth Gunther
Age	81
Birth Year	abt 1857
Death Date	30 Jun 1938
Death Place	Queens, New York, USA
Certificate Number	4560

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Elizabeth Gunther

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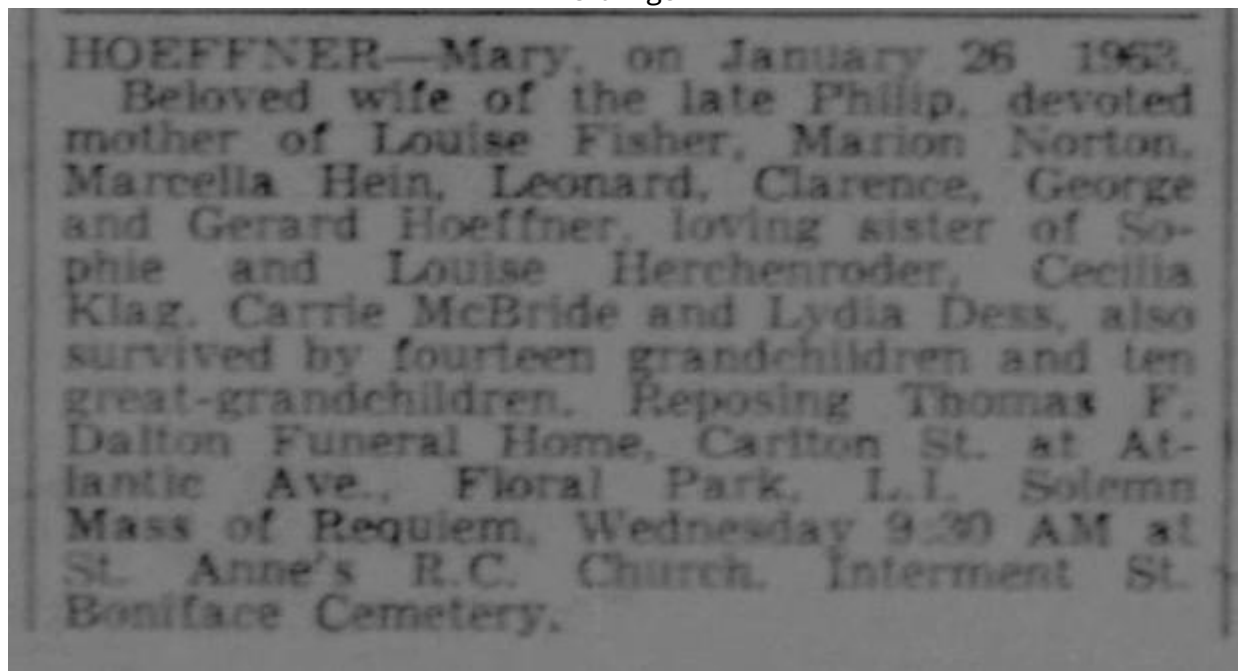
Name	Elizabeth Gunther [Elizabeth Garfand]
Gender	Female
Race	White
Marital Status	Widowed
Age	81
Birth Date	17 Feb 1857
Birth Place	USA
Years in US	life
Death Date	30 Jun 1938
Death Street Address	218-25 103 Rd Ave
Death Place	New York City, Queens, New York, USA
Cause of Death	Carcinoma of Head of Pancreas
Burial Date	4 Apr 1938
Burial Place	St Johns Cemetery
Occupation	Housewife
Father's Birth Place	Germany
Mother's Birth Place	Germany
Father	William Garfand
Mother	Barbara Seitg

Spouse	John Gunther
Child	Elizabeth Dess
Informant	Elizabeth Dess
Informant Gender	Female
Informant Relationship	Daughter
Executor	Elizabeth Dess
Executor Relationship	Daughter
Certificate Number	4560

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Siblings



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Melville NY

Sister Mary Gunther Hoeffner (1875-1963)

New York State, Death Index, 1957-1968

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Name **Mary Hoeffner**
 Gender Female
 Age 87
 Birth Date abt 1876
 Residence Place Floral Park, Nassau, New York, USA
 Death Date 26 Jan 1963
 Death Place New York, USA
 Certificate Number 3790

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Magdalen Wright

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

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Detail Source

Name	Magdalen Wright
Age	78
Birth Date	abt 1877 [abt 1877]
Death Date	28 Apr 1955
Death Place	Queens, New York, New York, USA
Certificate Number	4410

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Sister Magdalena Gunther Wright (1877-1955)

...Place, Sunday, 4 p.m.
WRIGHT—OLIVER T., August
 12, 1938, at his residence, 105-08
 220th Street, Queens Village, be-
 loved husband of Magdalen; also
 survived by one son, a daughter and
 two grandchildren. Solemn requiem
 mass at Sts. Joachim and Anne
 R. C. Church on Tuesday at 9:30
 a.m. Interment St. John's Ceme-
 tery.

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New York State, Death Index, 1957-1968

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Name	Sophie Herchenroder
Gender	Female
Age	85
Birth Date	abt 1878
Residence Place	Floral Park, Nassau, New York, USA
Death Date	10 Jul 1963
Death Place	New York, USA
Certificate Number	53567

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Sister Sophie Gunther Herchenroder (1880-1963)

New York, New York, Extracted Marriage Index, 1866-1937

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Name	Sophie Guenther
Gender	Female
Marriage Date	4 Jun 1901
Marriage Place	Kings, New York, USA
Spouse	Joseph Hershenroeder
Certificate Number	3326

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Brother John Gunther (1882-1909)

New York, New York, Extracted Death Index, 1862-1948[View record](#)

Name	John Gunther
Age	28
Birth Year	abt 1881
Death Date	4 Sep 1909
Death Place	Kings, New York, USA
Certificate Number	16643

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MANY NASSAU INDICTMENTS.

Nearly All Are for Minor Crimes.
Grand Jury Finishes Work
for Term.

(Special to the Eagle.)

Mineola, L. I., February 19—The Nassau County Grand Jury completed its labors yesterday afternoon and adjourned for the present Supreme Court term. A large number of indictments were found, several against persons who are still at large. Among the jail prisoners indicted were: John Gunther, four indictments for burglary, for breaking into the Long Island Railroad stations at Seaford, Massapequa, Central Park and Farmingdale in 1908; Broul Obrisky, assault, second degree; John Olsen, Frank Strange, Frank Carman, Oliver Townsend, burglary, third degree, in breaking into vacant houses at Red Spring, Glen Cove, and carrying away a large quantity of personal property.

Peter O'Connor and Thomas Fitzpatrick, who broke into the Thompson Bros.' store at Farmingdale, last month, were indicted for burglary. Fitzpatrick, who was shot by the watchman, has sufficiently recovered to stand trial. Samuel Balls, colored, of Glen Cove, indicted for burglary, third degree; Frank Williams, robbery, in picking pockets at the last Vanderbilt Cup race; Robert M. Queen, forgery; Frank Poltraur and Joseph Thiry, burglary; Oswald Link, grand larceny, second degree; Frank Corouri, robbery; Frank Edwards and Edward Tibbits, burglary; Arthur Leary and Walter Palmer of Roslyn, burglary; William Rogers, obtaining money under false pretenses.

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Fredk. Alex Günther

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	Fredk. Alex Günther
Gender	Male
Ethnicity	White
Marital Status	Single
Death Age	0
Record Type	Death
Birth Date	abt 1883
Birth Place	East New York
Residence Place	East New York
Death Date	2 Jul 1883
Death Place	Brooklyn, New York, USA
Death Address	Samaica Plank Road
Father	John Günther
Mother	Elizabeth Günther

949	Günther Fredk. Alex	M. July 2, 1883	Y. -	M. W. S. E. N. Y.	Place, Jamaica plank road	Res. East New York
M. Delia	"	Y. 1883	D. 26			
F. John Günther	S. J.	Contributing)	Chief and Determining)	Meningitis	Francis Miller	M. D.
M. Elizabeth	"		Consecutive and Contributing)	Convulsions	Res. Jamaica plank road	

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 Brother Frederick Alex Gunther (1883-1883)

Fred A Gunther

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



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Name	Fred A Gunther
Age	7/12
Birth Year	abt 1882 [abt 1882]
Death Date	2 Jul 1883
Death Place	New Lots, New York, USA
Certificate Number	949

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New York State, Marriage Index, 1881-1967



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Name **Anna Griffith**
 Gender Female
 Marriage Date 1 Apr 1923
 Marriage Place Queens, New York, USA
 Certificate Number 8531

Household members

Name	Age
Louis Aneser	
Anna Gunther	
Anna Griffith	

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Sister Anna Gunther Griffith Aneser (1884-1962)

New York, New York, Extracted Marriage Index, 1866-1937

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Name **George Griffith**
 Gender **Male**
 Marriage Date **28 Nov 1906**
 Marriage Place **Kings, New York, USA**
 Spouse **Anna Gunther**
 Certificate Number **10729**

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George F Griffith

in the New Jersey, U.S., Death Index, 1848-1878, 1901-2017

Detail Source

Name **George F Griffith**

Death Date **Apr 1917**

Death Place **Non-Residents of New Jersey, New Jersey, USA**

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Cecelia Gunther

in the New York, New York, U.S., Extracted Marriage Index, 1866-1937



Detail Source

Name	Cecelia Gunther
Gender	Female
Marriage Date	25 Aug 1907
Marriage Place	Queens, New York, USA
Certificate Number	980

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Sister Cecelia Gunther King 91888-1966)

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New York, New York, Extracted Birth Index, 1878-1909

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Name Louise Gunther
 Birth Date 27 Sep 1889
 Birth Place Kings, New York, USA
 Certificate Number 8629

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Sister Louise Gunther Herchenroder (1889-1992)

New York, New York, Extracted Marriage Index, 1866-1937

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Name	Louisa Gunther
Gender	Female
Marriage Date	12 Sep 1909
Marriage Place	Kings, New York, USA
Spouse	Wm J Herchenroder
Certificate Number	7570

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

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Name	Louise Herchenroder
Social Security Number	117-28-4743
Birth Date	13 Sep 1889
Issue year	1952-1954
Issue State	New York
Last Residence	01854, Lowell, Middlesex, Massachusetts, USA
Death Date	26 Jul 1992

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Thomas J. McBride, 23, of Jamaica, L. I.,
Carrie Gunther, 19, of 99 Vermont st.

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Sister Carrie Gunther McBride (1892 –1968)

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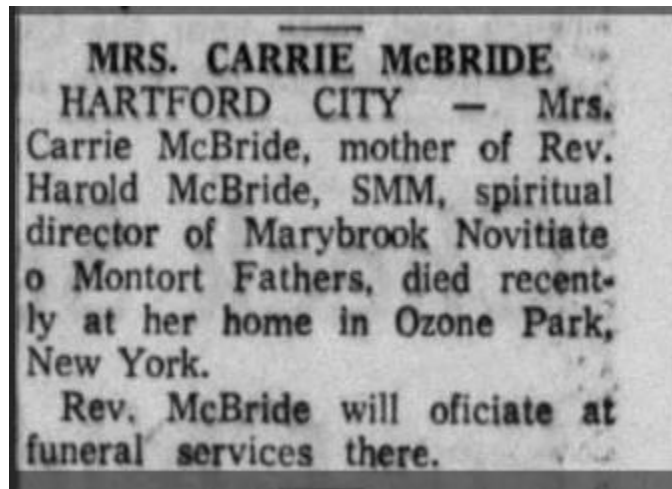
Name	Carrie Gunther
Birth Date	9 Feb 1892
Birth Place	Kings, New York, USA
Certificate Number	2984

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**Obituary for CARRIE Mc BRIDE
McBride**

📅 22 Feb 1968

📍 Muncie, Indiana

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Carrie McBride

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



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Detail Source

Name	Carrie McBride
Gender	Female
Birth Date	9 Feb 1892
Death Date	19 Feb 1968
Claim Date	5 Mar 1968
SSN	110268293
Notes	04 Mar 1968: Name Listed As Carrie McBride

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Thomas John McBride

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



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Detail Source

Name	Thomas John McBride
Birth Date	1 Jan 1888
Death Date	1 Jun 1949
Claim Date	29 Jun 1949
SSN	127072974
Notes	24 Sep 1976: Name Listed As Thomas John McBride

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New York, New York, Marriage License Indexes, 1907-1995

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Name **Thomas J McBride**

Gender **Male**

Marriage License Date **29 Dec 1911**

Marriage License Place **Brooklyn, New York City, New York, USA**

Spouse **Carrie Gunther**

License Number **15128**

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Thomas J. McBride, of 87 Flushing avenue, was married last week to Miss Carrie Gunther, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Gunther, of 90 Vermont street, East New York, in the Church of St. Pius V., of Jamaica, by the Rev. Father M. Legnani, pastor of the church. Miss Stark, organist of the church, played the wedding march. The bride wore a gown of champagne colored satin and lace evening cap, and carried a bouquet of narcissus. Miss Julia Horner acted as bridesmaid and was attired in a princess gown of pink satin. William F. Sheehan acted as best man. Miss Gunther is prominent in East New York social circles, as is Mr. McBride. He is head usher at the church in which he was married and is a well known business man in Wall street. Following the ceremony the party was entertained at the home of the bride's parents. A wedding feast followed an appropriate entertainment. Those present included Miss

J. Brown, Frank Bauer, Miss Carrie
 Mayn, Miss Ella Macaulay, Miss
 May Funch, Miss Anna Mayn, Mrs.
 Mutz, George Mutz, Thomas Magulre,
 Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Hoeffner, Chris-
 topher Gunther, David O'Keefe, Miss
 Elsie Schmidt, E. Harriss, Miss
 Laura McBride, Miss Katherine
 Ryan, Miss Marie Ryan, Mrs. Kate
 McBride, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gunther,
 Miss G. Brown, Mrs. M. Roach, J.
 Wright, Mr. and Mrs. William Klag,
 Mr. and Mrs. George Griffith, Her-
 man Voss, David Horner, Mr. and
 Mrs. Joseph Hercheroeder, Miss
 Katherine Horner, Mr. and Mrs.
 Charles Egge, Mr. and Mrs. William
 Hercheroeder, Mr. and Mrs. O. T.
 Wright, Frank Savio, Miss Elsie Hat-
 ter, Miss Julia Horner, Miss Emma
 Harbers, Miss Lulu Hatter, Miss Jo-
 sephine Brose, Miss Tille Harbers,
 Miss May Brose, Miss Marie Savio
 and Miss Marie Lawrence.

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August & Lydia (Gunther) Dess

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Sister Elizabeth Gunther O'Connor Dess (1899-1981)

New York State, Marriage Index, 1881-1967



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Name	Michael G. O'Connor
Gender	Male
Marriage Date	8 Jan 1918
Marriage Place	Hempstead, New York, USA
Spouse	Lydia Gunther
Certificate Number	2050

Household members

Name	Age
Lydia Gunther	
Michael G. O'Connor	

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Michael O'Connor

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Detail Source

Name	Michael O'Connor
Gender	Male
Race	White
Marital Status	Married
Age	36
Birth Date	abt 1894
Birth Place	USA
Residence Street Address	218-25 103Rd Avenue
Residence Place	New York
Years in US	life
Death Date	13 Dec 1930
Hospital	St Anthony's hospital
Death Place	New York City, Queens, New York, USA
Burial Date	16 Dec 1930
Burial Place	St Johns Cemetery
Occupation	Horse Trainor
Father's Birth Place	USA
Mother's Birth Place	USA
Father	Patrick O'Connor
Mother	Alice O'Connor

Executor	Lydia O'Connor
Executor Relationship	Wife
Certificate Number	7310

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Florida Death Index, 1877-1998

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Name Elizabeth Dess
 Race White
 Age at Death 81
 Birth Date 25 Apr 1899
 Death Date 7 Feb 1981
 Death Place Dade, Florida, United States

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New York, New York, Extracted Birth Index, 1878-1909

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Name Elizabeth Gunther
 Birth Date 25 Apr 1899
 Birth Place Kings, New York, USA
 Certificate Number 10196

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Raymond O'Connor Now Prisoner-of-War

Word has been received by relatives in Ottawa that Raymond O'Connor, 25-year-old son of the late Michael O'Connor, well known steeple chase rider, and of Mrs. Lydia Dess, now residing in Queen's Village, Long Island, N. Y., is a prisoner-of-war in Germany.

A gunnery instructor with the United States Army Air Force, he went overseas in June, was wounded in Italy and received the Purple Heart and Air Medal. He was reported missing on October 4.

Mrs. Phil Phelan and Mrs. J. E. Gadbois, of Ottawa, are aunts and Tom O'Connor, of Ottawa, is an uncle.

Raymond O'Connor's wife and baby are residing with his mother in Queen's Village. An older brother, Tom, is with the United States Army in Italy.

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Ottawa, Ontario, Canada

Tuesday, August 02, 2011

Ink-Slinger Profiles: Myer Marcus

(Part two in the five-part series of profiles on cartoonists and their connection to Bud Fisher. A select group of men worked on Fisher's Mutt and Jeff comic strip; I call them the "Fisher-men". Myer Marcus's connection is revealed at the end of his profile. --Alex)

Myer Marcus was born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania on November 14, 1887; the birthdate is from his World War I draft card. In the 1900 U.S. Federal Census, Marcus was the first of two sons born to Abraham and Esther. They lived in Philadelphia at 1517 Park Avenue. Nothing is known about Marcus's art training. A New York Times obituary said his cartooning career began at the *Philadelphia Inquirer*, and some of his strips were: Percy Vere (1905-06); Doubting Thomas (1906-07); Acrobatic Trix of Hix and Nix (1907); and [Sheer-luck Homes](#) (1907).

Marcus ventured to the West where he met another cartoonist, Tom McNamara; they formed a vaudeville team, Mack and Marcus. Their act was described in the Salt Lake Evening Telegram (Utah) on November 21, 1908.

During one of the overseas tours, Marcus met his future wife. On March 20, 1911, the *Philadelphia Inquirer* gave this account of their meeting.

Philadelphian on Pier for Fiancee

Miss Van Den Broucke Comes to Be Bride of Myer Marcus, Artist

One of the happiest passengers on board the Lapland, which arrived late today from Antwerp and Dover, was Miss Helene Van Den Broucke, of Brussels. The young woman crossed the Atlantic to become a bride. Her fiance met her on the pier. He is Myer Marcus, a young artist of Philadelphia. They met when he was rambling through Europe last year, making sketches here and there. Not long after they were introduced, Miss Van Den Broucke was wearing an engagement ring.

Mr. Marcus was called back to this country on important business. A correspondence followed in which Mr. Marcus timorously suggested that both would be happier if his fiancee could arrange to come to America. Her answer arrived much sooner than he expected. It was in the form of a cablegram announcing Miss Van Den Broucke would leave Antwerp on board the very next departing steamship. Her family provided a chaperone, and the girl and the chaperone said tonight that the journey had been exceedingly pleasant.

The marriage will take place tomorrow. It will be informal, with half a dozen relatives and friends there to congratulate the couple after the knot is tied. Mr. Marcus has a home ready in the German section of Philadelphia and the honeymoon will be spent there.

During the week of April 3, 1911, the *Philadelphia Inquirer* introduced three strips by Marcus: [Excuse Me](#) (April 3, 6 and 7, then daily starting on 10), Mrs. Make-Over (a one-shot, April 4) and Hector the Inspector (a one-shot, April 5). Excuse Me, which was undated, also appeared in the *Jersey Journal* (Jersey City, New Jersey); in December 1913 his run ended. The strip continued with [Joe Doyle](#). Marcus obtained a copyright to comic strip or panel called Brow Brothers (Hiram and Lowell) on November 7, 1914, as recorded in the *Catalogue of Copyright Entries*, Part 4, Works of Art, Etc. 1914, New Series, Volume 9 Number 4. Two years later, Newspaper Feature Service held the copyright to it; presumably Marcus was the artist (Allan's note: the only record I have of Brow Brothers appearing was in 1919, from King Features, by a G.V. Dyer). In 1917 his strip, Fuller Bunk aka Fuller Bull, saw publication. Marcus signed his World War I Draft Registration Card on June 5, 1917. He was a cartoonist for the Newspaper Feature Service and lived at 622 West 141st Street in Manhattan. He was described as "5 ft 4, medium build with brown eyes and hair."

In 1920 the Marcus's lived in Hempstead, New York at 17 Woodview Road. They had a daughter, Louise, who was 11 years old and born in Belgium. On December 21, 1922, Marcus's wife and daughter returned, after nearly seven months, from Bermuda; her passport application stated she lived at 84 Grove Street in Manhattan.

Marcus passed away on November 24, 1923; he was 36 years old. On November 25, the *New York Times* reported his death.

Myer Marcus, director of the comic art department of The World, died of heart disease yesterday at his home on Woodview Road, West Hempstead, L.I., in his thirty-seventh [sic] year. He started as an artist on The Philadelphia Inquirer, but a gold prospecting venture led him westward and in 1908 he became cartoonist for a Denver paper. He tried vaudeville with success as a partner of Tom McNamara, touring this country and Europe. His comic strips of Asthma Simpsons [sic] appeared in The Evening Sun here. After several years with the Hearst publications he went to The World three years ago. Services will be held at his late residence at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

According to the *Times*, Marcus created Asthma Simpson, so, that means he was Billy Liverpool. This story will continue in Ink-Slinger Profiles: Billy Liverpool - stay tuned!

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PHILADELPHIAN ON PIER FOR FIANCEE

Miss Van Den Broucke Comes
to Be Bride of Myer
Marcus, Artist.

Thieves Rob Grocery Within Half
Block of Policeman—Ticket
Scalpers Apply Test

From The Inquirer Bureau.

NEW YORK, March 19.—One of the happiest passengers on board the Lapland, which arrived late today from Antwerp and Dover, was Miss Helene Van Den Broucke, of Brussels. The young woman crossed the Atlantic to become a bride. Her fiancé met her on the pier. He is Myer Marcus, a young artist of Philadelphia. They met when he was rambling through Europe last year, making sketches here and there. Not long after they were introduced, Miss Van Den Broucke was wearing an engagement ring.

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Myer Marcus

Billy Liverpool

(14 November 1877 - 24 November 1923, USA)

Myer Marcus was an early 20th-century newspaper cartoonist, who also worked under the pen name Billy Liverpool. Born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Marcus started as an artist on The Philadelphia Inquirer, where his early creations include 'Percy Vere' (1905-06), 'Doubting Thomas' (1906-07), 'Big Scalper' (1906-09), 'Acrobatic Trix of Hix and Nix' (1907) and 'Sheer-luck Homes' (1907).

In 1908, Marcus became a cartoonist for a Denver paper, and during this period, he also toured the USA and Europe as a vaudeville act with [Tom McNamara](#). He made a newspaper strip called 'Excuse Me' for the Jersey Journal in 1913-1914, later continued by [Joe Doyle](#).

Marcus was a longtime cartoonist with the newspapers published by [William Randolph Hearst](#). Around 1914, he was hired as a ghost artist for [Bud Fisher](#)'s 'Mutt and Jeff' comic strip. When Fisher filed a lawsuit against Hearst and the strip was put on hold, Marcus developed a couple of strips on his own, such as 'Brow Brothers' and 'Asthma Simpson, the Village Queen', which he drew under the pen name Billy Liverpool for The Evening Sun in 1915 and 1916. Between 1916 and 1920, he made a comic strip called 'Fuller Bunk' through Hearst's Newspaper Feature Service. He moved to [Joseph Pulitzer](#)'s The New York World in the early 1920s, where he served as director of the comic art department until his death in 1923.

The Myer Marcus/Billy Liverpool connection was discovered by Alex Jay of the Stripper's Guide:

[Ink Slinger profile for Myer Marcus](#)

[Ink Slinger profile for Billy Liverpool](#) 

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Abbreviations:

b = born

d = died

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

NOK = next-of-kin

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Name: Christian Jacob Gunther

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: 213th Aero Squadron - private

Serial number: 250,171

Entered service from: Elmont, Nassau NY

Sailed on "Tuscania" as: Christian J. Gunther

Next-of-kin on "Tuscania": mother Mrs. Elizabeth Gunther, Elmont NY

Returned from war on: "Louisville" May 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Christian J. Gunther

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: mother Mrs. Elizabeth Gunther, Elmont NY (cpl, 213th Aero Sq)

World War I draft registration (1917): recorded as Christain but signed Christian Gunther - b. 31

Aug 1896 Brooklyn NY; res: Elmont, Nassau NY. Single, with dependent mother. Employed as bartender for Oliver T. Wright, Elmont NY [his brother-in-law]. Tall & slender.

Found at:

https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/6482/records/16029226?tid=&pid=&queryId=102c1d4e-20c3-4e94-8ba0-022ab82ea835&_phsrc=iKj10112&_phstart=successSource

National Tuscania Survivors Association 1939 roster: 218th St. & Hempstead Rd., Queens Village NY

World War II draft registration (1942): as Christian --- Gunther - b. 31 Aug 1895 Brooklyn NY; res: 98-28 – 218th St., Queens Village, Queens NY. NOK wife Louise [no surname], same address. Employed for self, Gunther's Tavern, 217-95 Hempstead Ave., Queens Village NY. Height: 6' – weight: 185 lbs. Registered 26 Apr 1942.

Veterans Administration Military Index: middle name listed as JOSEPH; birthdate as 31 Aug 1895 & death as 2 Mar 1951.

Enlisted 11 Dec 1917

Discharged 8 Jul 1919

Address: 218 St. & Hempstead Rd., Queens Village NY

Rank/unit: corporal, 213th Aero Squadron.

NY, WWI Military Record

Christian Gunther, serial 250171, resident Elmont NY. Enlisted Mineola, Long Island NY on 11 Dec 1917 at age 22 years, 3 months. Born Brooklyn NY. In 213th Aero Squadron to discharge. Promoted to corporal 1 Oct 1918. Overseas 24 Jan 1918 to 31 May 1919. Discharged 8 Jul 1919. 0% disabled.

Birth & death:

Born: 31 Aug 1894 (tombstone; NY City Births) - or - 31 Aug 1895 Brooklyn NY (WWII draft card & Veterans Administration Master Index) or 31 Aug 1896 (WWI draft card) Brooklyn, Kings NY

Died: 2 Mar 1951 NY [this record is blurry & is indexed as 8 Mar 1951]

Find A Grave record: 82590710, presence on Tuscania noted in flower

Burial location: East Farmingdale, Suffolk NY

Cemetery: Long Island National

Tombstone: veteran tombstone: New York CPL 213 Aero Sq WWI

Father: John Gunther, 17 Mar 1853 Newtown, Suffolk Co. NY – 10 Dec 1905 Brooklyn, Kings NY.

Obituary from the “Brooklyn Times Union” 12 Dec 1905 p 5. Died at his home at 118 Jamaica Ave. For over 30 years was the proprietor of the Farmers’ Home hotel/restaurant on the Jamaica Plank Road. Survived by his wife Elizabeth, 2 sons John & Christopher [sic], & 8 daughters.

Buried in Saint John Cemetery & Mausoleum, Middle Village, Queens NY.

Find A Grave: 154398888

Mother: Elisabeth/Elizabeth Gerlach Gunther, 17 Feb 1856 Brooklyn, Kings NY – 30 Jun 1938 Queens NY.

Daughter of William “Garfand” & Barbart Sertg [sic].

Cause of death: cancer of head of pancreas.

Buried in Saint John Cemetery & Mausoleum, Middle Village, Queens NY.

Find A Grave: 154398786

Parents’ marriage: ca. 1875

Spouse: Helen Vandenbroucke (Vandenbrouche) Marcus Gunther, 31 Jan 1891 Brussels, Arrondissement Brussel-Hoofdstad, Brussels-Capital Region, Belgium – 12 Dec 1928 Queens NY. Daughter of Henri Vandenbroucke & Louise Doyen (listed on her marriage license with Myer Marcus).

On her 3 Jun 1922 passport application, Helen said she lived in Belgium from birth to 1911 & then again from 1912 to 1914. Helen left Antwerp, Belgium, 11 Mar 1911 on board “Lapland,” ethnicity Flemish, Helene Vandenbaucke, age 20, b. Brussels, Belgium, single, arrived NYC on 20 Mar 1911 [and was married the same day]. No occupation. Brother Henri Vandenbrouche, 162 Avenue Princess Elisabethstrasse, Brussels, Belgium. Heading to her intended husband, Myer Marcus, 6427 Woodsvievwstrasse (spelling?), Philadelphia PA. Height 5’4”. [When she sails on “Aquitania” from Cherbourg, France, on 22 Jul 1922 to NYC, she says she was married 20 Mar 1910 in NY, NY.]

On her passport form sworn to on 10 Apr 1922 in NY, NY, Helen Marcus, born Brussels 31 Jan 1891, age 31, height 5’3”, lived in Belgium from 1911 to 1914. Her husband Myer Marcus was born in Philadelphia PA & resided at 84 Grove St., NYC, NY. She never had a passport previously. She

planned to visit Belgium, France & the British Isles for pleasure & expected to return in 6 months to the US. She planned to sail on the “New Amsterdam” on 3 Jun 1922.

According to the “Philadelphia Inquirer” of Monday, 20 Mar 1911, Myer met his arriving fiancée, Helen Van Den Broucke, on the arriving ship “Lapland” on 19 Mar 1911 & they were to marry 20 Mar 1911. They had met a year earlier while Myer was touring Europe and soon became engaged. She then crossed the Atlantic with a chaperone.

The official NY marriage record reports Myer Marcus obtained a marriage license on 20 Mar 1911 in Manhattan NY and married Helen the same day.

Buried in Flushing Cemetery. Flushing, Queens NY on 14 Dec 1928.

Spouse Find A Grave: 210863599

Marriage: Christian J. Gunther married Helen Marcus on 19 Feb 1924 in Queens NY.

Helen’s first husband was Myer Marcus, son of Abraham Marcus & Esther Harris, born 14 Nov 1887 Philadelphia PA & died 24 Nov 1923 NY.

On his WWI draft card, he resided at 622 W. 141st St., Manhattan NY & was a newspaper cartoonist. He reported he had a wife & a child under age 12.

Obituary (copied above) from “Philadelphia (PA) Inquirer” 27 Nov 1923 p 6. Well-known cartoonist (with first name spelled Meyer in the headline & Myer in the text), director of the comic art department at the NY World, died Saturday, 24 Nov 1923 at his home on Woodview Rd., West Hempstead, Long Island NY. Prior to joining the “World” in 1920 he worked for several years for Hearst publications. Married in Europe to Helen Vandenbrouche of Brussels; also survived by 15-year-old daughter Louise Marcus & brother Louis Marcus (Atlantic City NJ). Numerous online resources; one copied above. At one time, he inked the famous “Mutt & Jeff” comic strip. Worked for Hearst Publications, then the NY World.

He also toured Europe & the US as part of a vaudeville act with Tom McNamara. According to a history, he did this after a stint in 1908 as a cartoonist in Denver CO following a stint with the “Philadelphia Inquirer.” He then worked for publications of William Randolph Hearst & Joseph Pulitzer in the US.

Spouse: Louise Marcus Gunther, 1908 Belgium – 14 Jun 1950 Queens NY [is this her? .

First Christian’s stepdaughter, then his wife. Daughter of Helen/Helene Vandenbrouche.

A bit unclear who her father was. If Myer Marcus was touring Europe in 1910 & got engaged to her mother Helen, Louise was born prior to that time.

She is noted as the daughter of Myer Marcus in his obituary, and that Myer & her mother Helen Vandenbrouche were married in Belgium. However, the day her mother Helen’s ship arrived in NYC on 20 Mar 1911 (or 19 Mar 1911), Myer & Helen (who said she was single & heading to her intended husband Myer Marcus) married in Manhattan NY on 20 Mar 1911.

In the 1920 census, Louise (age 11) lists her father as born in PA (where Myer was born) & her mother in Belgium. In 1908, when Louise was born in Belgium, Myer (according to his obituary) is in Denver CO. Louise a resident of NY, NY in 1915 NY state census.

Although space was reserved for her to be buried with Christian in Long Island National, she is not on Find A Grave as **of 22 Dec 2020**. She may have remarried; there are numerous marriages listed for women named Louise Gunther in the NYC area.

A woman named Louise Gunther, age 40 (therefore born circa 1910), died 14 Jun 1950 in Queens NY.

Spouse Find A Grave:

Marriage: license obtained 5 Apr 1935 in Queens NY between Christian Gunther & Louise Marcus

Children:

- **Patricia A. Gunther**, 26 Feb 1936 NYC/Queens NY. She married Worth Francis Wachter (15 May 1933 NY – 3 Feb 2001 Broward Co. FL). She appears to have reverted to the surname Gunther according to 2026 data. Worth's (or their?) daughter is Lynn Patricia Wachter, b. Dec 1957 & a resident of FL. Worth is buried in Fred Hunter's Hollywood Memorial Gardens East, Hollywood, Broward FL, F: 192236599. He was the son of Roy E. Wachter (1902-1955) & Elizabeth M. Wyse (died 26 Aug 1968 NY, F: 287413753).
- **John A. Gunther**, 30 Apr 1939 Floral Park, Nassau NY. In the 1990s & in 2001, John lived in Richmondville, Schoharie NY. There are numerous marriage records in the NYC area that may be him.
- **Christian Robert Gunther**, 19 Dec 1940 Floral Park, Nassau NY – 16 Feb 2001 Bayport, Suffolk NY. - SSN 096-32-1510. – Married Loretta Power (1945-13 Feb 2013, F: 169606887) on 19 Dec 1940 in Queens NY. She became known as Loretta Power Logan. Their joint headstone reads Gunther-Power. Loretta was the daughter of James Joseph Power (1911-1983, F: 254048402) & Helen Agnes Kelly (1913-2013, F: 254048428). – Both Christian & Loretta are buried in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Coram, Suffolk NY (his interment date: 20 Feb 2001). F: 167996097.

Siblings: Christian was born between Carrie & Elizabeth.

Two siblings had died between 1900 (when his mother reported she had given birth to 10 children, 10 of whom were living) and 1910 (when Elisabeth said she had given birth to 12 children, 10 of whom were living).

- **Mary Gunther Hoeffner**, 16 Sep 1875 Queens Co. NY – 26 Jan 1963 Floral Park, Nassau NY. - Wife of Philip Henry Hoeffner (1871-1935, F: 47063277) whom she married in 1896. - Surname was Hoeffner when Christian died in Mar 1951. - Buried in St. Boniface Cemetery, Elmont, Nassau NY. F: 47117533
- **Magdalena (Lena/Magdalen) Gunther Wright**, 26 Apr 1877 NY – 28 Apr 1955 Queens NY [Find A Grave interment date: 2 May 1955 NY. - Wife of Oliver Titus Wright (1875-1938, F: 144053308) whom she married in 1897. - Surname was Wright when Christian died in Mar 1951. - Buried in Saint John Cemetery & Mausoleum, Middle Village, Queens NY. F: 173435792
- **Sophie Gunther Herchenroder**, Mar 1880 NY – 10 Jul 1963 NY [interment date of 15 Jul 1963]. - Wife of Joseph William Herchenroder (1878-1970, F: 177524187), the son of Frederick Hochenrider & Caroline Sauer. Joseph is the brother of William J. Hochenrider, who married Sophie's sister Louise. – Sophie married Joseph 4 Jun 1901 Kings Co. NY. - Surname was Herchenroder when Christian died in Mar 1951. - Buried in St. Joseph Cemetery, East Farmingdale, Suffolk NY. F: 177524188

- **John Gunther**, Jan 1881 or 1882 NY – 4 Sep 1909 Kings Co. NY. - Husband of Dorothy Scherman/Schermann (Jun 1882 NY-before 1915) whom he married in 1898. They had 2 sons: Sylvester (1900-1970) & Vincent (b. 1904). – Buried in St. John Cemetery & Mausoleum, Middle Village, Queens NY. F: 154398917. Grave is unmarked
- **Frederick Alex Gunther**, 1883 NY – 2 Jul 1883 New Lots, Kings NY. Died at age 7 months of meningitis, with convulsions.
- **Anna (Annie) Gunther Griffith Aneser**, May 1884 NY – 27 Sep 1962 (burial date). - Circa 1907 Anna married George F. Griffith (1886-1917 NJ, F: 162220245) on 28 Nov 1906 in NY. They had 2 sons Harold (1908) & George (1912) Griffith. – On 1 Apr 1923 in Queens NY, Anna Griffith in married Louise F. Aneser (1879-1960, F: 160612748). - Surname was Aneser when Christian died in Mar 1951. - Buried in Saint John Cemetery & Mausoleum, Middle Village, Queens NY. F: 160612747
- **Cecelia (Celia) Gunther Klag**, 12 May 1888 Brooklyn, Kings NY – 21 Mar 1966 (may be interment date). Wife of William Frederick Klag (1886-1951, F: 163389492) whom she married 25 Aug 1907 in Queens NY. Surname was Klag when Christian died in Mar 1951. William is buried in Saint John Cemetery & Mausoleum, Middle Village, Queens NY at F: 163389494.
- **Louise (Lulu) Gunther Herchenroder**, 27 Sep 1889 Kings Co. NY – 26 Jul 1992 [last residence: Lowell, Middlesex MA]. - SSN 117-28-4743. - Wife of William J. Hochenroder (1885-1964, F: 177524189), son of Frederick Hochenroder & Caroline Sauer. William's brother Joseph married Louise's sister Sophie. William & Lulu married 12 Sep 1909 in Kings Co. NY. - Name was Lulu Herchenroder when Christian died in Mar 1951. - Although William is buried in Saint Charles Cemetery, East Farmingdale, Suffolk NY, Louise/Lulu is not on Find A Grave.
- **Carolina/Caroline (Carrie) Gunther McBride**, 9 Feb 1892 Kings Co. NY – 19 Feb 1968 Ozone Park, Queens NY. - - Married Thomas John McBride (1888-1949, F: 167119550) on 29 Dec 1911 in Brooklyn, Kings NY. They obtained a marriage license in Dec 1911 in NY & married Jan 1912 in NY. – Her surname was McBride when her brother Christian died in Mar 1951. – Her son Rev. Fr. Eugene McBride, a Catholic priest in Muncie IN at the time of her death, officiated at Carrie's funeral. – Buried in St. John Cemetery & Mausoleum, Middle Village, Queens NY. F: 167119494
- **Elizabeth (Lydia) Gunther O'Connor Dess**, 25 Apr 1899 NY – 7 Feb 1981 Dade Co. FL. - There is a record of an Married to Michael O'Connor (9 Nov 1893 MI – 13 Dec 1930 Queens, NY, F: 163993148) on 8 Jan 1918 in Hempstead NY. His NY death notice lists him as a horse trainer; he is listed in the account of their son Raymond O'Connor's prisoner-of-war of Germany in WWII as a well-known steeplechase rider. - Elizabeth married August Dess (1900-1966) circa 15 Sep 1931 & they are together in the 1940 census. Surname was Dess when Christian died in Mar 1951. Her next husband was Augustine Michael Dess (1900-1966, F: 182760539) who is buried in Saint John Cemetery & Mausoleum, Middle Village, Queens NY with wife Marie Clare Nickel (1908-1929). – Not on Find A Grave as of 6 May 2026.

Notes:

Wartime:

Post-war:

Jul 1922 voyage: Helen Marcus, age 31, married, left Cherbourg, France 22 Jul 1922 & arrived in NYC on 28 Jul 1922 on the "Aquitania." Passport 148175, issued 18 Apr 1922, citizen by marriage 20 Mar 1910 NY, NY. Husband M. Marcus. Resident 84 Grove St., NY, NY

Dec 1922 voyage: sailing on "Fort Victoria" from Hamilton, Bermuda, on 19 Dec 1922, arriving in NYC on 21 Dec 1922: Helen Marcus, 31, married, b. 1891 and Louise, 14, b. 1908. Not native-born US. Helen's husband & Louise's father is a US citizen. Residents of 83 Grove St., NY, NY.

Jul 1923 voyage: sailing on "Fort St. George" from Hamilton, Bermuda, on 3 Jul 1923, arriving in NYC on 5 Jul 1923. Helen Marcus, age 32, married, b. 1891, her husband is a US citizen, she was naturalized in 1918 at the [left blank, what appears to be Washington written in].

Obituary:

Social Security Number: 113-18-8360

Censuses:

1880 Brooklyn, Kings NY

John GUNTER, 28 NY, father b. Baden, mother b. Alsace, hotel keeper

Elizabeth, 22 NY, father b. Holland, mother b. Bavaria

Mary, 5 NY

Lena, 3 NY

Sophia, 13 months NY

1892 NY state census – Brooklyn, Kings NY – conducted 16 Feb 1892

John Gunther, 40 US, hotel

Elizabeth, 35 US, home

Mary, 16 US, home

Elina (spelling?), 14 US

Sophia, 12 US

John, 11 US

Anne, 7 US

Ceila, 4 US

Lulu, 3 US

Carrie, 1 US

1900 Brooklyn, Kings NY – 110 Jamaica Ave. - conducted

John Gunther, 48 NY, Mar 1852, parents b. Germany, married 25 years, hotel keeper

Elizabeth, 40 NY, May 1860, parents b. Germany, gave birth to 10 children, 10 are living

Sophie, 20 NY, Mar 1880

Annie, 16 NY, May 1884

Celia, 12 NY, May 1888, at school

Lulu, 10 NY, Sep 1889, at school

Carrie, 8 NY, Feb 1892, at school

Christian, 5 NY, Aug 1894

Elizabeth, 1 NY, Apr 1899

& 5 boarders

1905 NY state census – Brooklyn, Kings NY – 118 Jamaica Ave. – as of 1 Jun 1905

John Gunther, 53, hotelkeeper

Elizabeth, 48, housework

Mary, 29, housework

Lena, 27, housework

Sohie, 25, housework

John Jr., 23, hotelkeeper

Anna, 21, housework

Celia, 17, housework

Lulu, 15

Carrie, 13, at school

Chris, 11, at school

Elizabeth Jr., 6

With boarders:

George Ketcham, 25, bartender

Louis Riegel, 48 Germany, porter

[all born US except for Riegel]

1910 Brooklyn, Kings NY – 90 Vermont St. – conducted 15 Apr 1910

Elizabeth, 52 NY, widow, parents b. Germany, gave birth to 12 children, 10 are living

Carrie, 18 NY, stenographer, motorcycle office

Christian, 15 NY

Elizabeth, 11 NY, at school

1915 NY state census – Assembly District 23, NY, NY – Christian's 2 future wives – first Helen, then her daughter (Christian's stepdaughter) Louise

Myer Marcus, 27 US, newspaper cartoonist, citizen

Hellen, 24 Belgium, house work, alien

Louise, 7 Belgium, alien

1920 Richmond Hill, Queens NY – 2800 Jamaica Ave.– conducted 7 Jan 1920

Madeline (Magdalena) Gunther Wright & her family are the census entry prior to that for the household containing her mother Elizabeth Gunther, brother Christian & married sister Elizabeth Gunther O'Connor & her family - in 2 adjacent households

Oliver T. Wright, 44 NY, parents b. NY, hotel manager [head of household]

Madeline Wright, 41 NY, parents b. NY [wife] [Magdalena Gunther]

Sophia Wright, 19 NY, clerk, Federal Bank [daughter]

Oliver C. Wright, 17 NY, clerk, Long Island Bank [son]

1920 Richmond Hill, Queens NY – conducted 7 Jan 1920

Elizabeth Gunther, 64 NY, widow, parents b. Germany [head]

Christian Gunther, 24 NY, single, parents b. NY, mechanic, garage [son]

Michael O'Connor, 26 MI, father b. Canada, mother b. MI, jockey, steeple chase [son-in-law]

Elizabeth O'Connor, 20 NY, parents b. NY [daughter]

Thomas M. O'Connor, 1 year 3 months NY, father b. MI, mother b. NY [grandchild]

Raymond J. O'Connor, 4 months NY, father b. MI, mother b. NY [grandchild]

1920 Hempstead, Nassau NY – 17 Woodview Rd. – conducted 28 Jan 1920

Myer Marcus, 32 PA, parents b. PA, cartoonist, journal

Helen, 28 Belgium (French), parents b. Belgium (French) [note: her maiden name is Flemish, not French]

Louise, 11 Belgium, father b. PA, mother b. Belgium

1930 Queens NY – 10020 Hempstead – conducted 3 Apr 1930

Christian Gunther, 35 NY, parents b. NY, widowed, proprietor, restaurant, WWI veteran

Louise Marcus, 22 NY [actually Belgium], parent b. NY [actually mother b. Belgium, father b. PA], typist, real estate [stepdaughter]

1940 Queens NY – 9828 – 218th St. – same place in 1935 – conducted 5 Apr 1940 - his former stepdaughter is now his wife – their 3rd child Christian Robert is born Dec 1940

Christian Gunther, 46 NY, proprietor, tavern

Louise, 32 Belgium

Patricia, 4 NY

John, 11 months NY

1950 Queens NY – 105 – 223rd St. – conducted 19 Apr 1950

Christian Gunther, 55 NY, self-employed, tavern

Louise, 42 Belgium

Patricia, 14 NY

John, 10 NY

Christian Jr., 9 NY