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Killed in Action

**Clarence Grimm, Jr.,
Killed in Action**

Tech. Sgt. Clarence "Bud" Grimm, Jr., 20, was killed in action June 4 over England, the war department informed his wife, 2710 Dahle st., Monday night.

The sergeant was engineer and top turret gunner on a B-24 Liberator bomber and had been overseas since Apr. 23.

Survivors are his wife; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Grimm, Sr., 817½ University ave.; two brothers, Master Sgt. James, who is enroute from California to Camp Ellice, Ill., and William, at home, and a sister, Virginia, nurse at Wisconsin General hospital.

Sgt. Grimm attended Blessed Sacrament graded school and graduated from West high school. Entering the army air forces on Feb. 9, 1943, he trained as an air mechanic at Keesler Field, Miss., and graduated from the aerial gunnery school at Harlingen, Tex. Before going overseas, he had additional training at the Tucson, Ariz., and Alamogordo, N. M., air fields.

June 25, 1944

Obituaries
**Memorial Mass
Monday for Grimm**

A solemn memorial mass will be sung at Blessed Sacrament church by the Rev. R. D. Goggins, O. P. at 10 a. m. Monday for T/Sgt. C. W. (Bud) Grimm who was killed in action over England on June 4. Chaplain Roland Reny from Truax Field will preside at the abluton. A military guard from Truax Field will attend in a body.

Sgt. Grimm is survived by his wife, Helen Fennig Grimm, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Grimm, a sister Virginia, and two brothers, Willard and M/Sgt. James C. Grimm who is stationed at Camp Ellis, Ill.



TECH. SGT. CLARENCE GRIMM

Tech. Sgt. Clarence "Bud" Grimm, Jr., 20, engineer-gunner on a Liberator bomber, was killed in action over England June 4. His wife lives at 2710 Dahle st. and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Grimm, Sr., at 817½ University ave.

Father
Oct 18, 1956

Clarence W. Grimm

Clarence W. Grimm, 63, 211 N. Blouat st., died Wednesday night in a Madison hospital.

Mr. Grimm, who was born Sept. 29, 1893, lived here all his life. He was a bricklayer and was affiliated with Bricklayers' local No. 13. He married the former Lorretta Kercher. A son, Bud Grimm, was killed in World War II.

Surviving besides his widow are two sons, John W. Kercher, 5802 Dorsett dr., and James C., Pasadena, Calif.; a daughter, Mrs. B. M. Laws, Garden Grove, Calif.; a brother, Walter, address unknown; two sisters, Mrs. Marie Lathrop, 218 Marion st., and Evelyn Grimm, Chicago, Ill.; and eight grandchildren.

Friends may call at the Fitch-Lawrence funeral home.

Mother

**Grimm, Mrs. Loretta M.
LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA/
MADISON—Mrs. Loretta M. Grimm,
age 69, died on Sunday, October 21, 1984,**

**In Long Beach, California. She is
survived by two sons, James C. Grimm
of South Pasadena, California and John
W. Grimm of Madison, 10
grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren.
She was preceded in death by her
husband, Clarence, a son Clarence Jr.
(Bud) and a daughter, Virginia K. Laws.
Burial will be in Resurrection Cemetery
at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, October 27,
1984. Friends may call from 4:00 p.m. to
7:30 p.m. on Friday, October 26, 1984, at
the JOYCE FUNERAL HOME, 5701
Odana Rd.
where a Rosary service will be held at
7:00 p.m.**