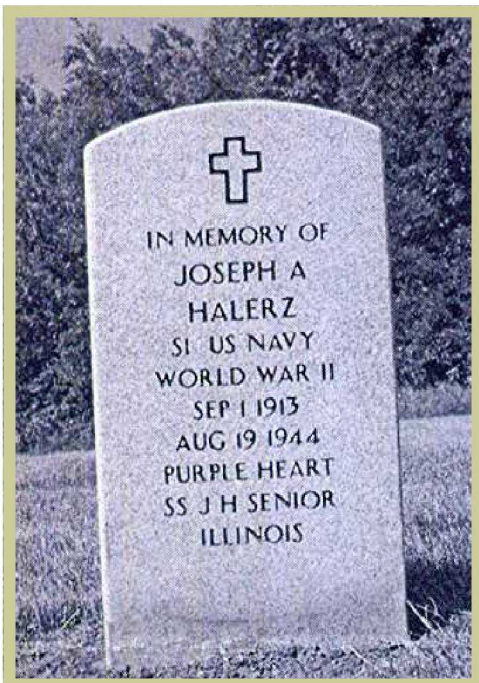


# Joseph A Halerz

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Joseph A. Halerz joined the United States Navy from his home state of Illinois. Joe was born September 1, 1913 and died Saturday August 19, 1944 in the service of his country. He is memorialized at the East Coast Memorial in New York, New York. Joe was a Seaman 1st Class and was awarded the Purple Heart Medal.

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