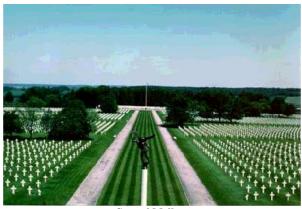
Henri-Chapelle

HENRI-CHAPELLE AMERICAN CEMETERY



Memorial



Central Mall

This World War II American Battle Monuments Cemetery is located two miles northeast of the village of Henri-Chapelle, Belgium, which is on the main highway from Liege (18 miles) to Achen, Germany (10 miles). Henri-Chapelle is four and a half miles northwest of the Welkenraedt Exit (seven miles from the German border) on the Aachen-Antwerp Autoroute. Welkendaedt is the nearest railroad station with taxi service to the cemetery.

At this cemetery, covering fifty-seven acres, rests 7,989 American military dead, most of whom gave their lives during the advance of the American Armed Forces into Germany during World War II. Their headstones are arranged in gentle arcs sweeping across a broad green lawn that slopes gently downhill.

On the rectangular piers of the colonnade are inscribed the names of 450 (MIA) Americans who gave their lives in the service of their country but whose remains were never recovered or identified. The seals of the states and territories are also carved on these piers.

The chapel is simple but richly ornamented. Two maps of military operations, carved in black granite, with inscriptions recalling the achievements of the American Armed Forces are in the Museum

Summer: Open hours are from 9:00am to 6:00pm Winter: Open hours are from 9:00am to 5:00pm



103^d Division Graves at Henri-Chapelle

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