

# Neupre'

## ARDENNES AMERICAN CEMETERY



Graves Area



Memorial

This World War II American Battle Monuments Cemetery is located near the southeast edge of Neupre (Neuville-en-Condroz) Belgium, 12 miles southwest of Liege. The main highway to Marche passes the cemetery entrance. Liege can be reached by express train from Paris (Gare du Nord) in about five and a half hours; from Brussels and from Germany via Aachen. Taxicabs and limited bus service to Neupre are available from Liege. There are several hotels in the city.

The approach drive leads to the memorial, a rectangular structure bearing on its façade a massive American eagle and other symbolic sculptures. Within are the chapel, three large wall maps composed of inlaid marble panels depicting combat and supply activities. Along the outside of the memorial, inscribed on granite slabs, are the names of 462 American Missing "MIA" who gave their lives in the service of their country, but whose remains were never recovered or identified. The cemetery, ninety acres in extent, contains the graves of 5,328 American military Dead, many of whom died in the so called "Battle of the Bulge". Their headstones are aligned in straight rows which compose the form of a huge Greek cross on the lawn and are framed by tree masses. The cemetery served as the location of the Central Identification Point for the American Graves Registration Service of the War Department during much of the life of the Service.

The façade on the far (north) end, which overlooks the burial area bears the insignia in mosaic of the major United States units which operated in the Northwest Europe in World War II.

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

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



### 103<sup>d</sup> Division Graves at Neupre'

<u>409<sup>th</sup></u>	<u>410<sup>th</sup></u>	<u>411<sup>th</sup></u>	<u>Total</u>
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