

Kush, Joseph A.

### Flight Officer

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ABOARD A U. S. AIRCRAFT CARRIER IN THE PACIFIC (Delayed) — Lieutenant Joseph A. Kush, U. S. N. R., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kush of 321 East Market Street, Bethlehem, Pa., participated in the Luzon invasion of the Philippines. The 28-year-old flight officer is a fighter pilot. Lieutenant Kush was instrumental in leading his division of planes against shore emplacements in rocket and strafing attacks. He had previous combat experience in the Leyte Gulf campaign. The naval flyer is a graduate of Bethlehem High School and Syracuse University. Completing his education at the Harvard Graduate Business School, Lieutenant Kush was engaged in the steel business before taking flight training at Jacksonville, Fla.

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