

Heil Sr., James A.

Killed in Crash
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S-Sgt. James A. Heil Sr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heil of 208 Crest Avenue, who was killed July 19 in Duxford, England, in an airplane accident. Sgt. Heil was married to the former Marie Clay and has one son, James Albert Heil Jr., aged 18 months. He was awarded two Oak Leaf clusters and the Air Medal when he was cited in May. The citation was "for exceptionally meritorious achievement, while participating in heavy bombardment missions over enemy occupied continental Europe. The courage, coolness and skill displayed by this enlisted man upon these occasions reflects great credit upon himself and the armed forces of the United States."

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