

Vastyshak, Joseph

**Allentown Paratrooper
Dies in Italy Action**

Yesterday, Armistice Day, brought to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Metro Vastyshak, Allentown, a War Department message telling them that their son, Pfc. Joseph, 24, had been killed in action in Italy Oct. 10.

In the medical corps for nine months he was recently transferred to the airborne engineers so he could get into the action he craved for. One of five children, he leaves his parents and four sisters, one, Anna, a Bethlehem Setel plant war worker. He was a member of St. Mary's Ukrainian Church.

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