

World War II

Born - April 25, 1922 Canton, Massachusetts
Entered Service - February, 1942 Canton, Massachusetts



Robert grew up at 24 Endicott Street with his four younger sisters. After completing his primary education at St. John's, he graduated number one in the class of 1935 from Canton High. This won him a full four-year scholarship to Harvard, but Robert graduated Magna Cum Laude after only two and a half years at the age of 19. Although he was in the Army ROTC while in college, in February, 1942 he enlisted as a Yeoman 2nd class in the Navy to become a Naval Agent. A year later he was promoted to Ensign and assigned to Combat Naval Intelligence at Pearl Harbor. On May 7, 1943 the family was informed that Robert had died April 28th. Because of the mystery surrounding his death, speculation has it he was involved in breaking the Japanese code that allowed us to know Admiral Yamamoto's agenda that resulted in the Admiral's death April 18th.

Ensign Robert G. Dallahan
U.S. Navy
Age 21

Date of Death - April 28, 1943..... (location unknown)
Buried - National Memorial Cemetery Hawaii